becoming institutions, and are steadily advancing ing entire probibilion of the treffic in intoxica'-ing drinks, as soon as possible." maid of religion, and never perfectly fulfils its ing liquor as a beverage. Also, that a commit- examistion by able coursel without being caught Original Essays were read by four young glorious consummation. true mission, save when it leads us up to the tee of five appointed from the Convention Great Creator who has so wonderfully tuned measure may be effected.' and strung the human heart to sing His praise. Resolved, That the " Abstainer" be the me-

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Obitnary.

A. P. BETTS, ESQ., WALLACE.

Died at Wallace River, October 7, 1868, rance pu Abrahem P. Betts, Esq., in his 48th year. Alplatform" were adopted : though in early life his morals were go d, and fourteen years ago he became painfully sensible that he lacked the salvation of the Gospel, and under the promptings of the Holy Spirit determined to seek for it. In a prayer meeting con-

ducted by Mr. Cyprian Sephens, a faithful ted, a permanent institution, the grand platform classleader, whose name is embalmed in the of which is Prohibition. hearts of many in this place, he for the Orst 2nd. That as prohibition is one of the greates time expressed a desire to become a follower of political questions of our time, a party to repre-God. For three years after his conversion he sent it is imperative, and that that party be and did no: become connected with any body of is hereby formed.

Christians, but finding it impossible to "grow in 3rd. That we pledge ourselves one to the othgrace" wi hout the "communicn of sain's" he united with the Wesleyan Church, and on his er and each to all, that we will support no man death bed the religious privileges which such a minees of this party, or such as enjoy its confiunion secured to him, were among the blessings which evoked expressions of his graitude to God. He was not classicater while the Bey 4th. That a Committee for the Province loca-4th. That a Committee for the Province loca-

God. He was made class-leader while the Rev. ted in the city of Halifax, be formed, to co-operate R. A. Temple was stationed on the Wallace Cirwith Committees in the several Counties, for the cuit, and his ministrations in that capacity were both useful and highly acceptable. His was that The President, W. C. Silver, H. H. Bligh, F. radiant piety that makes its possessor a " living A. Lawrence, Dr. Chandler Crane, John Grier epistle known and read of all men." He was

son, H. A. Taylor were appointed the Central

a favourite with both o'd and young. Committee, in accordance with the 4th resolu-But when his class became greatly enlarged and we thought he was most needed, his useful tion. life was terminated by "disease of the heart." During the weeks previous to his death, that From our English Correspondent. be was confided to his home, his confidence in God was unshaken, and he was heard to say Request of the Irish Bishops for permission to assemble in Convocation—Kelation of the Es-

that if his life was required to bring others to God, he was willing to give it. May his children for whose salvation, he so often prayed. follow him as he followed Christ. J. J. C.

Puywash, March. 3rd.

Provincial Wesleyan.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1869

Provincial Temperance Conven- To this request the Government has most detion.

The Provincial Temperance Covention held | Mr. Biuc+, the Home Secretary, has addressed in this city last week was a large, respectable the memorialis's are remarkable for their brief, and influential gathering ; probably the largest, off-handed character. He simply informs them, as a representative body, ever he'd in Nova Sco- wi hout deigning to assign any reasons whatever, t'a. It is certainly a gratifying feature of the that the Government " after mature considera-Temperance movement in our Province that tion, do not feel justified in advising Her Ma- the cup of bitterness. He mourns his separa- Feb. 25th. such an assemblage has been convened, with jesty to accede to their request." And so the tion from the ministry. He h a become premahear's set upon one great object, and exhibiting matter ends. The fact is the prestige so long turely old. so much of resolute, intelligent purpose; and to enjoyed, and so little improved by the Estaso large an extent of one mind as to the means blished Church of England and Ireland, is fast by which their end shall be accomplished. It passing away, and like all other Institutions, is pleasing to find so many earnest men from religious and secular, it must depend upon its various associations, of all creeds, and of all own merits for public respect and support. shades of opinion on other subjects, and these In this country the Episcopal Church " as by as the representatives of thousands more, ready law established," has long ceased to be the Na-

to merge their differences and even to erase old tional Church ; it is not the Church of more than results were certainly very bad. The sufferings excitement and wooderously-rapid political party lines, for one g and sim, the removal of half the nation, and the influence of the Non- of friends, the pain of the church, the damage change and conversion, some fears may be enintemperance, and of the occasions of intemper- conform'st Churches is rapidly increasing ; and to religion cannot be estimated. with this their responsibility too. The evil to ance from our land. The Convention opened on Tuesday evening, be dreaded is lest this growing power should for exercises of religion, but which may peril tian heart, will either be seriously injured or The Convention opened on Tuesday evening, be dreaded is rest time growing pour about of religion, but when may peril and closed on Thursday evening. The discuss-assume the form of a sort of politico-ecclesias-bis reputation and the cause he represents; swallowed up. This is specially true in relation you come you must fish for yourself, as the cirions were animated and interesting, being chief. tical rather than a truly religious influence. ly on the great question of Prohibition and the A significant illustration occurred on Tuesday both. Indiscretions may do as much harm as We may be permitted to record our thankfulmeans by which this result is to be secured. The evening last of the recognition which is at length orimes. Indiscretions are orimes, often Society ness that in this County none of these mighty ence " of such treatment! We held three very a people who thus offer willingly to the Lord, new idea had entered their minds. And if Sungeneral feeling of the representatives was that beginning to be given of the Nonconformist may be credulous, severe unreasonable. All the agitations disturb us ; except as the report successful meetings. By the persuasive, and are a credit to Methodism, and that they by their day-schools were steamboats starting on time, there has been quite enough of dallying with Bodies. One of the great London Guilds or greater need, than, of care and scholars would be left there has been quite enough of dailying with nodes. One of the great London County of greater need, tand, of carbon dailying with nodes. One of the great London carbon dailying with nodes. One of the great London carbon dailying with nodes. One of the great London dailying with nodes. One of the great London dailying with carbon dailying with nodes. One of the great London dailying with carbon dailying with nodes. One of the great London dailying with carbon dailying with carbon dailying with carbon dailying with nodes. One of the great London dailying with carbon dailying with dailying with carbon dailying with carbon dailying with dailying wit good earnest, and with all resolu eness and per. the Bishops of the Established Church. The report from them that are without." reverance be carried through. A public meet- Prime Warden and the Wardens of the Com- Let it be suggested to every one that is in any the rocks of conflicting opinion. Their force is ing was held on Wednesday evening, when able pany also invited representatives of the Wes- danger, -And who, at some time, is not in danaddresses were de ivered by the President, A. leyan, Independent, and Baptist Denominations ger? that a reputation made by years of good- Barrington is an old field of Methodistic la-Longley, Esq., Messrs. Marshall, Beales, W. M. to the banquet ; and Dr. Osborn, Dr. Bianey, ness, may be dashed in a moment ; that some bour. Here Freeborn Garretson raised the glo- on and perfect that work,-trying to establish Brown, Fletcher, Roche, and by R.w. Messrs, and Dr. Brock were accordingly present. The will allow familiarity because you are considered rious standard of R-demption more than three Mechodist polity in all its minutize and beautiful McArthur, Miles, and L. Gaetz. The address- Prime Warden who presided on the occasion, a decided christian. You are "so good," that quarters of a century ago. Here the sainted harmony. A few of the wheels still grate, but

side of the hedge, but I do not regret it."-

halls, and cheap concerts for the middle and itse f to use all the influence in its power to en- and which ought to lead to a demand for Gov- things, we had part of Mr. Purshon's lecture, hypocrites, our representative in the Domiworking classes, presided over by the bighest ci- list public sentiment on bebalf of the principles ernment inspection. The plaintiff had been on Daniel in Babylon,-not delivered by himself nion Government is a friend of the noble read them. That they do more and under the ask in the name of John Bunyan-a dissenter val ard religious dignitaries of the land, are fast of Total Abstinence with the view of obtein- subjected to the most harrassing and humiliat- exactly, but by one who so successfully imitated cause. We hope the freedom-day is not far diting hardships and indignities by the Lady Su- his tones and manner, that some who have tant when the unholy vending of the poisoned hearts to bring forth fruit. we have direct evimorshity-destrying drunkenness, and promot-ing industry Music like since in the following inci-ing industry Music like since in the following inciing industry. Music, like stience, is the hand-lature for a law to prevent the sale of intex cat-distinct manner, and endured a searching cross much more alike than the copy and the original. Let every friend of humanity help forward this

Grand Lake Mission

to in the least prevarication. The trial has been ladies of the Female Academy. These were draft a petition and devise a plan by which this on hand a week, and will continue many days productions of considerable merit, and like Basrington, March 4. longer. The publ'c interest in the case is im- many others we have heard on former occasions,

mense. The bench is crowded by peers, mem- much too good to be committed to oblivion. I dium through which to express our views and bers of Parliament, and other distinguished per- am sure if some of these compositions were oc- Mr. Elitor .- Since I troubled you with a preles, and that we recommend that it be sustain-sons, and the body of the court is packed with casionally handed over to you, Mr. Editor for vious letter, I have gone up from the "pl ains" who up to this time seemed disinclined to enter ' restoration' of that ?" with our princi-

ed by contributions and subscriptions, and othereager listeners. wise receive the hearty support of the tempe-

The following resolutions establishing " the a Chapel Committee has just appeared, and of your numerous and intelligent readers. Whereas, this Convention has been summonthe "fear of God was before his eyes, yet about ed for the purpose of eliciting the opinions of the new erections and enlargements with alter- young ladies under his tuition, added much to pebbled beach, - Grand in winter, when old Bo- weeks ago the woman seemed anxious that 1 as making overtures for a return to the bosom of the various Temperance organizations in this ations including chapels, ministers houses and the charm and interest of the occasion, and reas comes howling over its polar like snow should come in and sit down, I did so. She the Anglican Church. Dr. Stevens, in a letter to Province upon the great question of Prohibition. school rooms number 242, involving an outlay prompted the wish that such seasons of pleasure fields,-Grand in Spring, when its swolen wa- said : I think he is a changed man since tracts Dr. Rigg, which we are glad to see published in

Therefore resolved. 1st-That a Provincial Temperance Alliance, be and is hereby constituabout £63.000

from £180 to £700. February 12, 1869.

Por the Provincial Wesleyan Imprudencies.

'The elder women as mothers, the your Many a one has marred a good reputation,

destroyed usefulness, and embittered life, by inudicious familiarity with the opposite sex. The instances I mention, may be matched

teacher, genial, affectionate, zealous. No class pleasure of her aquaintance, has been from comes neutralized. prospers like his. He is led to make frequent failing health compelled reluctantly to refriendly visits, at a married lady's house. Presently his times and circumstances are badly efficiently filled. Her retirement under such cirtablished Church to other Deno Banquet to the Bishops and Representative Nonconformist Ministers, Speech of Dr. Bin-ney-New Order in the Established Churchchosen. Rumour is busy and damaging. Friends cumstances is much regretted .- A large procaution him. He asserts his good intentions, portion of the Students of each of the branches, Extraordinary Trial-Report of the Wesleyan and his independence. Chapel Committee.

perhaps, easily.

He will not change. Let the suspicious sus- of true religion or seeking with apparent esrnestpect. Let slanderers lie. Meanwhile his hold up- ness to be so. I met a few evenings since a large better. In view of the grave crisis towards which on his scholars loosens. Influence wanes. and interesting class, composed of lads and young events are hastening the Irish Church, the Archbishops and Bishops of that branch of the Es- His labours in the church are worse than useless, men, the mejority of these it may be reasonably because of stories that are afloat. At first, in all hoped, notwithstanding the evils with which tablishment recently addressed a memorial to probability, it was but imprudence. Then it they will be called to contend in the world, will the Queen, praying that Her Majesty would be was obstinacy and gross imprudence. Then go forth to be honorable and useful in heir day pleased to graat to them and their clergy the came loss of position, destruction of usefulness, and generation. privilege of meeting in Convocation in the same manner as their brethren of the English Church. and great unhappiness.

cidedly refused to accede, and the terms in which try. In a moment of temptation, he was very ter preached us an appropriate Sermon, and not to have been where he was. He should call for aid in behalf of the Fund by a collection have fied, as Joseph did. But he did not. He very creditable in smount. Fearing I am alreawas discovered, and, for all the purposes of dy treepassing on your time and space, I must ministerial usefulness, Ruined. He has drunk close.

A third was a man of rare elequence, in the sojourn at Digby and elsewhere to such an extent as to be able to preach frequently. His pulpit, a man of great and varied talent. An many friends here would be glad it he would rehour's indiscretion turned away his listeners and port himself through the Wesleyan. covered his name with reproach. The pastor of a Church, scholarly, polished,

Barrington Circuit. admired, made certain visits at very wrong MR. EDITOR,-In these times of marvellous hours, perhaps intentions were very good. The

about £63,000. There have also been some munificent gifts of chapels, partly included in the above statistics. the term of the base department, out with terra firms for the mastery,—Grand in sum-mer, when its bright sparking waters reflect the with terra firms for the mastery,—Grand in sum-mer, when its bright sparking waters reflect the white sails of the softly sailing wood boats,—the the evening you bring the tract and reads it, and sion which the Church Journal's mode of put-mer, when its bright sparking waters reflect the white sails of the softly sailing wood boats,—the the is so moved, that I go upstairs and leave bim of England. He says well:

Yours, etc.

chapels, part'y included in the above statistics. A friend at Yarmouth has erected Day School premises at a cost of £1000; another a chapel to solve the statistic of the name may be obtained. Taken altogether, the solve of the name may be obtained. Taken altogether, the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solution of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve the solve the solve of the name may be needed to solve the solve t t Linthwaite near Hudder; field, cost £3,000. I should say that the students of the present Lske. and down the Jemseg, for beauty and should be a partaker of the Grace of God.' Liverpool, chapel, cost £9,000. There are sevvinces. I may here say, for the benefit of my faith and labor has been so signally blessed, Church party of the Protestart Episcopal er and each to all, that we will support no man therpool, chape, cont 25,000. A serie all the Protestant Episcopal for Legislative honors and office, except the nocredit to their friends and guardians, though of "Primer of Natural History," that there are no faint not, even now. Let us therefore seturn to that any result will come of these preliminaries. course a care, yet at the same time a com-" whales or sharks " either, in Grand Lake. fort to those who have them in charge. The Grand Lake Mission (which we hope to praying that the reward we have seen given cannot compromise our relations to the Presby.

The Year has thus far been a healthy one, at least for the Students, there having been but a case or circuit by the time our apperintendency expires) ed unto all. two of anything like serious illness among them. stretches from the S. John River along the

Prof. Allison, I am sorry to say has been far from well, but is now regaining his usual besith. Sa'mon River a distance of 60 miles; over the Miss Smith, whose amiable disposition, christian Washademoak, to the "S. Vale circuit ; " con- Missionary Meeting, Channel, N.F. spirit and many superior qualifications for the

post she has occupied, has won for her the re-tains ten cocupied churches and stations, with se-veral unoccupied, because we are not able to spect and effection, not only of the Young do the work of several men. Force applied, Here is a very popular Sabbath School Ladies of her classes, but of all who had the or labour extended beyond a certain limit, be

> It appears to me there should have been a tire from the position she so honorably and be three or four times as large as another I am happy to say are either already the subjects which is situated along ide of it, when a different and practicable arrangement would be far

Cannot yet boast of a parsousge : but a ccmcomfortably situated in half of Mr. J. M. Robertson's house, at Robertson' Point. Here is sit-Our "Home Mission" service was held last Steward, one of the most successful horticultuuated the farm of J. Robertson Esq., our Circuit

Sabbath evening. Bro. Angwin from Dorches-Yours very truly. 8. W. S. It is gratifying to hear it reported that Dr. vegetables therefrom witiout het or hindrance. DeWolf is benefiting in bealth by his temporary Our Quarterly Meetings are regularly held, well attended, and very agreeable. The stew-

cial offairs are prosperous considering all things

household articles. Our Miss. Meetings last autumn were of the tertained that the interests of the Redeemer's

tributore, who takes a deep interest in the at once, because he would keep sayirg: ' if you work :- ' Some months ago I distributed a tract let me go to-day. I will preach again to-mor. called ' The Mother's Prayer answered,' and on row ;' surely this tises towards the sublimity of going to exchange it, several of the women the k ftiest impudence ! How is Bedford iail? (withoutimy asking how they liked it) exclaimed. And wou'dn't the proper authorities like to have Oh, Miss ! that was a lovely tract, one woman, Bunyan's admirers give something toward the

publication, they would help to grace your (on which subsequently I am happy to say the into conversation with me, said, handing me the A silly article, which appeared in the New. The fourteenth snnual Report of the Wesley- pages and furnish pleasure and profit to many day has dawned) and pitched my tent on the tract. 'That is a beautiful one. My man cried York Church Journal, in relation to a union of abores of the Grand Lake,-Grand indeed !- like a child over it, and I never knew nim to the Methodist and Episcopal Churches, has had a gives various encouraging signs of progress in The music, instrumental and vocal, given In autumn, when its almost ocean like billows shed a tear before in his life over anything he wide currency in England, where it has done no this department of our work. During the year by the accomplished professor, and some of the are lashed into fury and come thundering on the read.' On visiting the same family about three little mischief. The journal had represented us of £233,371. Of this sum about £170,000 has and prefit could be had more irequently. The ters overtop their bounds, and seem to contend have been brought to this house. He si's down the London Watchman, corrects the faire impresbeen raised by subscription, leaving a debt of number of students in all the departments, but with terra firms for the mastery,-Grand in sum-

> Here is encouragement, not only for her whose validity of our ordination, sacraments, etc. This our work with greater estness than ever, as an executive office not as a divine ' order.' We We are a P. esbyterian Church, with epiecopacy raise to the position of at least a second class up to one, may, during the coming year, be grant- terianism of the Protestant world by tacitly dis paraging its ministerial validity in a re-union with the comparatively small Protestant Eulaco pal Church of these States-for numerically it i one of our minor religious bodies. Our position on this question is precisely the same as that ta ken by our Wesleyan brethren in England." The patronizing tone toward Methodiam DEAR MR. EDITOR,-To everything there is adopted by some High Churchmen, in speaking season, and a time for every purpose under of this subject, is not only absurd, but imperi-nent. — The Methodist.

heaven ; among the rest a time to hold Channel Missionary meeting ; and although the time has PLAIN SPEAKING AT A PRAYER-MEETING .come rather late it appears, from results, to have At a recent prayer-meeting in Chicago some more equitable arrangement made when this been just the right time The meeting was held one rose and stated that the Erring Women's Recircuit was formed; especially in relation to on Wednesday night Feb. Srd. Bro. Pelley fuge in that city was in great read, and asked Sheffield. I dont know why one circuit should commenced by giving out 697th hymn, "Jesus the prayers of the congregation in its behalf. shall reign where'er the sun," which was sung One of Chicago's richest men, who is said to be by the newly formed choir, to the grand " Old somewhat minute in his contributions to benevo-Hundred," in excellent style. After prayer had lent objects, volunteered at once to lead the been offered, the chair was taken by Capt. J. meeting in prayer in behalf of the institution Evans, who made a short speech, and straight- named. He had scarcely closed, when stother mittee is formed, and we intend to build just as way entered upon his duties. Bro. Reay read brother got to his feet, and said it was wrong soon as we are able. At present we are very the Report. The choir then sang, "From for us to ask God to do what he had given us Greenland's icy mountains." The Bro. Reav ad- the power to do ourselves, "The ides," said dressed the Meeting on the general work of he, " of a man who can draw a cheque for one hundred thousand dollars asking God to give Missions, their d fficulties and successts. Bro. Pelley was next called upon and he ern. money to the Erring Women's Refuge is pretrasted the miseries of heathenism with the posterous! Let him give it himself."

H. J B WOODS, Secretary.

St. John's Jan'y 1869.

try. In a moment of temptation, he was very injudicious. Doubtless only that. He ought the congregation, a large one, responded to the bis. cucumbers and tomatoes—green corn &c secondingly. His "prepared pickles," are quite when going to fetch more fisher men, to catch main column seventy feet high, surmounted by a qual to Morton's, from London ! Through his fish for the king, proved which of his wives colossal brorse statue of Abratam Lincoln, regardens, as well as those of our landlord we loved him most, by the amount of net-twine they presented in the act of signing the emancipaare permitted to roam at pleasure; and during gave him. This he applied to the business in tion proclamation, and six equestrian statues the summer months, we supply our table with hand, by asking the congregation for net-twine, of the most prominent military chieftains who that more fishermen might be got to catch men. participated in the war for the preservation of The collectors then went round for the twine, the Union. There will also be twenty two coand a fine lot of "rands" they had : the collec- lossal bronze statues of the toremost statesmen, ards do not come up empty handed : the finan- tion was announced to be sixty dollars. philanthropists, and civilians, connected with the A vote of thanks was presented to the chair- great event. Among these Bishop Simpson and Our friends at W. Cove and Jemseg, paid us a man. After which was sung the hymn begin- the Rev. H. W. Beecher are to have places as visit about Christmas times and brought us a ning "How beauteous are their feet." Then representatives of the loyal pulpit.

handsome "donation " in the shape of useful the benediction was pronounced, and so ended TARDINESS-The most of unpunctual people, are pretty sure to be in time when they travel, Yesterday a few more subscriptions were add- which proves that their want of punctuality is

Subject, " H cellent dec'u bas been de subject was and fascinati of the audie is easy and and enlarge anal fre JISCOTY & ns to the a would fight summer." to sing us that ! the late strug cluding rema and hearty s MONTREA cu red lest n bec. Whitt was shot by Challoror, a Quetec. W Quetec. loner by get chloroform tr taker was st expected to strong y again tine, and had Hemilton Ou This occur row througt o Ontario and every where e. nan met with who if report Canadian bon before the Con is someth ng 1 rest. (halor MONTREAL bat para yasa the hopes th every through sical vig ut been taten await the fate The Otta French paper netive y prepa Doyle, which, this month. It ed much inform nafure, in con muoica'ions We ree s'a' cently died in cause then il -----an ino dinste to have died died at er tre These are am The Mission Ontario, lost Bank, known

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suit cant find a conveyance for you, I would months ago, and that it is composed of only passengers would have been left this morning."

have expected him to have "fled from the pres- about twenty families, I think you will say, that Some of the late "passengers" looked as if a

nevertheless give the gospel nothing to fly with,

If, however, I had sent him a note saying it tion has been without a minister, for a year and that if this church where a steamboat, leaving

met the "deputation" (Rev. D. Chapman) at ing the amount up to close upon eighty dollars. to his congregation, as he rose to read the noticee just before preaching, "I have been thinking

CHILD CONVERSION .- Mr. Spurgeon says,

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PRESIDENT-Avaid Longley. SECRETARIES-P. Monaghan, F. A. Lawren(e.

TREASURER-Wm. C. Silver VICE-PESIDENTS.

Halifax Co .- Wm. M. Brown, C. E. Ratch-Lunenburg-W. A. C. Randell, M. D. Queens-Saml. Freeman, jr. M.P.P. Shelburne-Rev. Mr. Richan.

Digby-Rev, Charles Randall. Annapolis-Rev. Dr. Robertson. Kings-James Elder, W. C. Bill. Hants-Ray. D. M. Welton. Forman .

Cumberland-Wm. B. Huestis, A. S. Blenk-Minister's Bible Meeting, and gave signs of that

Pictou-Rodk. McGregor, Samuel Archibald. true catholic spirit which he has long since ceased Guysboro'-W. H. McDonnell, John A. in any way to exhibit. It would be a change Kirk MPP Antigonish-Thos. M. King.

C H. Harrington.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Daniel Mosher, Windsor; William Murray, Halifax; W. A. Porter, Lockhartville; William so famous. Cummings, Truro; W. R. Wentzel, Bridge-Cummings, Truro; W. K. Wentzel, Bridge-tablishment, there are indications of a better storm. The snow has fallen seasonably, evenly, Piceo, Cornwallie, and the President and Secretaries ex officis.

The following resolutions were passed.

"Resolved, That the time has arrived when the his palace, licensed three persons as lay readers have the means and disposition for engaging in cold and backslidden ones have received afresh Temperance men of Nova Scotia should unite for their respective parishes. with the view of securing the election to the Local and Dominion Legislatures, and to office. In the form of license, which is too long for of indulging in it to their hearts content. and of men in full sympathy with Temperance and me to quote in full, commission is given " to read these who are in the habit of frequenting the Prohibition, and in favor of the faithful enforce- the appointed lessons, and certain portions of house of God on the Sabbath day have had no ment of laws enacted sgainst the sale of intoxi- the Book of Common Prayer, in the parish hindrance pat in their way by the weather,

"Resolved, That this Convention express its tion of Holy Scripture to such persons in the lar and generally good. solemn conviction that intemperance is a sin against God, and violation of the heavenly law of charity, and that consequently Temperance is an unlooked for movement? A bishop ap-this an unlooked for movement? A bishop apagainst God, and violation of the heavenly law parish as the incumbent shall direct." Is not

Christian b dies, and would especially urge upon floral decorations, and the numberless ceremo-Christian teachers the duty of impressing their hearers with the belief that labor in the Tem-apeed !" speed !" perance cause is among the solemn responsibi-

An extraordinary trial is now going on in the lities of this new age of Christian effort." "Whereas, This Convention aims at uniting Court of Queen's Bench, in which the plaintiff, cation to study. the entire strength of the Temperance organiza Roman Catholic S ster of Mercy, and for sevstions throughout this Province.

Therefore Resolved. That this Convention. long continuedacts of cruelty and tyranny. Her than usually large and respectable audience the Sons are working with right good will in is opened we shall have a perfect report. suitably restored.' It is a little comical for the met to-day. The Government has a surplus in which the different Temperance bodies throughwhich the different Temperance bodies through-out the Province are represented, is the general centre from which united action may effectually and a half, and in the course of it revelations and young men of the College and Male by the faithfulcess, and faith of each Distributor funded wealth, and the deep pockets of her own annonized to the Executive Course of its revelations for the community and the deep pockets of her own annonized to the Executive Course of the course of Convent life in this free England were made, Academy who took part in the exercises acquit-whilst some political demagogues denounce tem-that good is done we are confident. The truthe members besides, to be making request to dis-of His Honor, Gov. Wilmot, closed as follows :

There are times and places one may use even Kingdom, so inexpressibly dear to every chrisney, involve the almost certain injury of to some parts of our New Dominion.

ing in awful surge and fury, and breaking on of the preceding year !

of the last three named gentlemen were specially gave a hearty welcome to them, and in a truly no thought of wrong occurs. But, if you over step Black pioneered in the God appointed ince- we hope by applying the oil of kindness, and Christian spirit, said emphatically he thanked certain bounds, the shock you give will be ter- rancy of our Church. Here James Mann la- the force of perseverence, to make all go smooth-We subjoin a list of the officers of this new G.d there would be no distinction in heaven rible, and the rebound more terrible to you. boured in the Gospel with much success-and Alliance, together with the resolutions passed, between Archbishop, Bishop, Wesleyan, Inde- There are imprudencies that might not damage many others, some of whom sleep in Jesus, and dendent, or Baptist. In the speech in reply, greatly, if not reported. But how many can others who remain among us to this day, labourwhich the venerable, and universally-respected keep a secret? Many will reveal secrets, ed with almost quenchless zeal and glorious be extended over all our land, to govern and to Dr. Binney gave, he made a half humorous, and though they are damaged by doing so ! Leave successes in winning men to Christ.

half-earnest hit at the Bishop of Oxford, who it in the power of no mortal to damage you with But where are all the fruits of their mighty had just spok in, and who is a thorough type of truth, to blast your usefulness, and wound the service ? The mansions above have been John. Ferris', M. P., (only a few miles distant) the exclusive High Church School. He re- cause of God. It may be easy to stand at the enriched and garbished with many of these, who has just returned to a glad community, and marked, "three young men commenced their top of a slippery bill; but take a few, perhaps and others who remain, are still witnesses for a happy family, from St. John, where he has career together in the Isle of Wight, and their only one step down, and you may not retard Jesus. Nor has the spirit of the prophets deford, Alderman Thos. Wa'sh, Lieut. Manning. names were Walter Farquhar Hook ; Samuel your feet, till you are at the bottom. Promi- parted from us their children. Now permit a Wilberforce, who was a nice-looking promising nent Christians have sometimes been led on, word about the present condition of this circuit. young man, and who made a good speech at one tempted on, in imprudence that, for all the world,

THE SABBATE SCHOOL. of my Bible Meetings; and Thomas Binney. they would not be reported. Then, a threat This Institution is most carefully and perse-Yarmouth-Rev. George Christie, James Law- One has become a dean, the other a bishop, and to report has been shaken over their heads, to veringly looked after, and is in a very healthy condition.

the other is what some would call on the shady extort compensation for silence. "Blessed." says Christ, are the pure in heart." Last autumn the School had its usual festivi-The reporter of the banquet adds here " (Loud " The elder women, "says Paul, advising a young ties, and all the excellent accompaniments of such an occasion. The day was very fine, and a of the Wesleyan, as well as incouraging to cheers and laughter in which the Bishop of Ox- Christian as to intercourse with females,-" the ford heartily joined)." One wonders how Dr. elder women as mothers, the younger as sisters pleasant sail in the beautiful harbour inaugu-Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of orman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of orman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of comman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of comman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of comman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of comman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. ished the smart allusion to his early days of comman. Colchester - Hon. Samuel Creelman, Robt. Contervise - Concelman, Robt. Contervise Concelman, Robt.

Letter from Sackville. N. B.

evangelical sentiments, and that generous spirit ceptibly away. The amount of fine and mode-listened to for many a day. It was an occasion with the following Extracts from the third anwhich made his much-honoured father's name rate weather we have enjoyed has been remark- never to be forgotten-and the financial results nual Report adopted at the annual meeting held ably large, indeed, until within the last week to the funds of the School were very encourag-

In the midst of so much to deplore in the Es-or two we have had nothing approaching to a ing. It may be added-the Officers and Teachmise. One instance of this has just taken a early part of November up to the present time,

very novel and unexpected form. A fortnight there has been, with scarce a day's exception, a ago the Bishop of Ely in the private chapel of continuance of excellent sleighing. Those who the divine afflatus. The fire of holy zeal is that agreeable exercise have had the opportunity kindled anew in their hearts; whilst unregen-

ate ones have been brought to the feet of the Crucified, and, so far, witness a good confession. THE MISSIONARY SPIRIT.

church ; and also to read and explain some por- our congregations consequently have been regu-

of charity, and that consequently Temperance work is Christian work, and cught to be in-primed by Caristian motives." *Resolved*, That we commend the formation of Temperance Societies in connection with

ducted them, and to the friends of the Institu-tions who attended to witness them. Pleasing did their work earnestly and efficiently. Finan-be made outside, but we have no doubt of reevidences were given of faithful labor on the cial results tolerably good. Never has it been ceiving abundant sympathy and aid to carry on an appeal signed by Turner A. Macan and manner by some of our enterprising capitalists. part of the preceptors, and on the part of the our privilege to attend more delightful services. our work. students generally, diligent and successful appli-TEMPERANCE ITEMS.

"Also Resolved, That this Convention pledges which most certainly ought to open people's eyes, ted themselves admirably. Among other good perance as a farce, and those over the great and wide sea "The cordiality with which my appointment to

RELIGIOUS INTEREST.

Then came the public meeting-when the chil- memento, and not the only one, of a much bedren in the most interesting manner, delighted loved and esteemed Minister, now residing in a large and appreciative au lience with their your city-the Rev. A. W. Turner. It is com-DEAR MR. EDITOR,-We are reminded by pleasant, amusing and instructive addresses and posed of young persons, and at present their which would be hailed with pleasure by every various circumstances that another Conference dialogues-interspersed with choice music. The operations, for the most part, are confined to true-hearted Protestant, both within and outside year is rapidly drawing to a close. The winter latter department was under the care of Mr. the members of their own congregation. To

Association.

To the Editor of Provincial Wesleyan.

It may be interesting to you and the readers

DEAR SIR :-

Cape Breton Island, --Josish Hooper, M.P.P. the Established Church, if the Bisbop of Oxford, with us have been so very mild and agreeable in his ripening years, were to cultivate those that its months have passed almost imperlast month.

The opperations of the past year give the following results :- Houses visited every week away 1622-Total 6080. Supposing each house to average 4 persons, the number of readers is Thank God His work is prospering. Many 504 and the number of tracts distributed to in-

dividuals is equal to 24 320. It is a matter for regret that the Newfoundland Auxiliary Book and Tract Society has discontinued the importation of Tracts-We have

The zeal to spread abroad "The glorious to the parent Society The order has been for-Gospel of the blessed God" does not wane warded to London and we hope to have the new

for supply. Your committee decided to apply stature of perfect men in Christ-Family Trearunning a fast horse.

Emory Cramfield, Church Wardens of Elstow, -Yarmouth Herrald.

How far this work has proved a moral or asking for contributions from all admirers of the A Concert held in the ball at River Philipos Temperance is ridiculed by some, and held at spiritual benefit to those who receive the Tracts, immortal dresmer, and all lovers of the 'Pil. the 24th ult., came off quite satisfactorily. The public exercises in the Hall which follow- a large discount by others. Here, however, it of course, your Secretary cannot say. His book grim's Progress, for the purpose of raising some bath School Library, --the sum realized was eral years the inmate of a Convent at Hull, ed the examinations, were of a very gratifying has a high premium. There is not a groggery fails in this respect. But there is another Book thousands of pounds,' in order that this ' grand \$41 50. charges the Lady Superior with repeated and character and were much enjoyed by a more in this entire Township. Good Templarism and in which a full Record is kept. When this and massive structure' may be ' thoroughly and ST. JOHN, N B, March 4.-The Legislature

Far gard to Trini A tithe-ren Owners at the Church lease the first opti Church prope

five hundred millions is to and the rem amble to the

that while he receives about forty children a Channel, Feb 5, 1869. year into his church, and excommunicates about two adults a year, he has never occasion to ex-Paragraph Readings. communicate a child. ENNOBLING THE GOOD .- Noble objects fra-FRUITS OF APOSTOLIC SUCCESSION .- It is grant with holy memories, elevate and purify stated that the number of persons who during the soul. The Rev. William Morley Punshon, the last year have left the Church of E gland in commenting on a memorial pillar erected for the Church of Rome is between 2,100 and where General Brock fell, thus defends such 2,200. Among these are too perrs, ninetcea efforts to perpetuate patriotic memories : English clergymen, acd seven or eight universi-I would hallow every mound or stream which ty graduates.

R.

could perpetuate a holy patriotiam, or enfiber in save. Now as this letter is too long I must stop. the gazer's soul a strong principle for which it We go to hold a "Jubilee" at the Hon. is worth while to battle ; and to me it is graceful and becoming, in this age of indifferentism and mammon worship, when I see a nation that is not ashamed to be grateful, and when men are been very ill, for the last four or five months.

than the sommon-places of the day, that to do Friday evening at 8 o'clock, by holding a litehonor to their fellows who have wrought give some readings. Tickets 25 cents each. St. Johns, N. F. Wesleyan Tract worthily for their age and kind, they will lift themselves from kneeling in the dust out of ary Scenes and Reminiscences in Burmah was which they scrape their gold.

SYMBOLS .- Symbols; if it had been possible to make men religious by symbols, they would wick St. Church each atternoon of this week at have become so lorg ago. We are surrounded 4 and each evening at & past 7.

night teacheth knowledge concerning him. The sun going forth, morning by morning, out of his prevailing in Margaree, C. B. There have been chamber, like some strong man rejoicing to run over twen y cases since the 14th of January, but

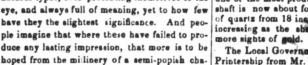
summer breaze, now raging in a winter storm; A correspondent at Sherbrooke writing to the chronicle about the Gold Mines at that place the rain, distilling like the dew, or lashing down on the earth like a pitiless flood—these are grand Hill, is improving rapidly, and promises to be natural types, ever presenting themselves to the one of the most product eye, and always full of meaning, yet to how few shaft is now about forty feet deep, with a lead eye, and always full of meaning, yet to now lew of quarts from 18 inshes to 2 feet in thickness, increasing as the shaft deepens, and showing

hoped from the millinery of a semi-popish cha- Printership from Mr. E McDonald and given it 126-Tracts distributed 4458-Odd tracts given pel ! S. Paul makes us understand better our to Mr. Blackadar. The Repeal Lesgue has exprivileges under the Gospel. What we need is pelled Mr. E. McDona'd from its racks.

to have the conscience reached, and not merely The Ellerhansen process of working iron has proved a complete success, and will enrich the the imagination ; the understanding permanently proprietor. enlightened and not a mere temporary stirring of

VELOCIPEDES-Halifex can now boast of as the emotions. And these ends are to be gained veral of these wonderful inventions. Instruction only by the exposition, " with great plainness of in the method of using them is also offered by speech," of all those truths, by the apprehension eager competitors. It is probable that when in consequence, been compelled to look elsewhere and belief of which alone we can attain to the Common will be lively with them. It is said

sury.



The Athermum Division Sons of Temperance so stirred by a noble impulse, something higher will celebrate their Eighteenth Anniversary on

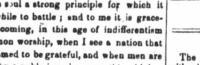
The Rev. Mr. Crawley's Lecture on Missionwell received by the large audience on Tuesday

evening of last week. SPECIAL SERVICES will be conducted in Brune-

a race; the viewless wind, now whispering in a only one death reported.







J. B. H.

ly. Making use of all the ordinary and appointed means of grace, we are tousting in JEHO-VAH, whose arm is not shortened. May it ever

Bro. G. Harrison labored here during the last

three years, faithfully and successfully, to consoli-

