

Monthly Advertiser.

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It is intended to receive Advertisements, to be attached to the Halifax Monthly Magazine. Magazines from passing through many hands, from form, portability and continued reference, are approved vehicles for advertisements—their advertisements are also supposed to be selections from those of the Newspapers.—Terms known at the Office. Persons intending to advertise in next number, will please give notice on or before the 28th instant.

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THE NOVA-SCOTIA WESLEYAN METHODIST MAGAZINE.

THE facilities afforded, and the impetus given to the dissemination of knowledge by the art of printing are calculated to astonish the imagination. Genius has by its means, shed her coruscations over unenlightened masses—and illumed and warmed into life and usefulness, many moral and intellectual wastes; while to civilized man, to whose advancement in the useful arts, and in the knowledge of the principles of religion, the invention of printing has essentially contributed, she continues to open up prospects of the most cheering description as to ulterior benefits.

A mighty influence is wielded by the Press, which, as a medium of universal communication, probably never occurred to the minds of its Inventors. But that influence will be, as it has been, either salutary or mischievous according to circumstances. If employed on the side of religion and virtue, society will be improved and knowledge will be virtue—if on the side of vice, or of a vague