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CHESTER.—The brethren in this portion of the Lord's Vineyard continue to enjoy union and steadfastness --Br. Anthony Dimock has been dismissed to the church at Liverpool, and ordained as an Evangelist.—Eleven of their members have also been dismissed to form a church at Sherbrooke. Temperance is gaining ground ; the Temperance Society consists of One Hundred and fifty members ; two have been excluded, one of whom has since been drowned.

ANTIGONISH.—The church here, which amid many trials and discouragements still holds its way united in Christian love, desires to bless God for his distinguishing mercy and grace displayed in their preservation and protection. They are grateful for the assistance of Missionaries, and state that in some parts of the District there is reason to hope that the Lord has much people.

AMHERST.—Peace and harmony prevails in this Church, and they are preserved from the contagion of errors which we fear are in some measure prevalent in this part of the Province--Favourable appearances of greater attention to their eternal welfare have of late been manifested, and the Brethren desire to thank God and take courage.

Sissiboo.--This Church is destitute of a Pastor ;--They still desire to be remembered among those who are striving for the faith once delivered to the Saints, and greatly need the assistance of Missionary Brethren passing that way, as well as the fervent prayers of all God's people.

SECOND HALIFAX. -- This Church is without a Pastor ;--They have requested one of their brethren, whom they thought duly qualified, to take on him that office, which how« ever he has declined ; they desire the prayers of the brethren that the Lord may set in order the things that are wanting.

YARMOUTH.—Much satisfaction will be felt from knowing that this flourishing Church is still enjoying union and prosperity.—The rod of discipline and enforcing the laws of Christ have contributed to the spiritual health of the flock.—Their Sabbath and Sanctuary seasons have been attended with a blessing; and in that part of the Township called Jebogue, many have been called out of darkness into light, and followed the Lord in Baptism. The Temperance Societies have effected a happy reform in this district within two years past.

WATERFORD. This church is destitute, and subject to mae ny trials ; but with the blessing of the Lord still holds its