sustained however in doing so by a sense of duty and a conviction of the truthfulness of what is here advanced. Praying for the speedy appearance of the time when Israel's Watchmen shall all see eye to eye, he now blessing of God will come down upon us, ad this will be the year of the "Great Revival," as it has been called. I profess that I would rather be identified, in this year of my office, with an abundant

## Obituary Notices.

THE LATE MRS. ARUNA RATHBURNE. MR. EDITOR,-During my absence to the recent Conference, one of our most aged members, connected with the Horton Circuit "exchanged mortality for life," and respect for the departed, as well as for her on that paper have been informed that we Parsonages, large family, leads me to request a place in the Provincial Wesleyan for the following revivals, and that a Tract to which we all \$2,828,000.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rathburne, relict of the may we secure a great revival?" While one university, one theological school, two late Aruna Rathburne, was converted to God is pouring out his Spirit in a way most female colleges, and eight first-class acade-God in early life, and was associated with remarkable and unexpected, characterised mies. Our religious periodical literature is Divine Redeemer. Ever amiable and kind she had won the esteem of all who knew bear the reproach connected with such 3,000 only. There is also one able monthly, devoted wholly to the subject of Christian her Several of our Fathers in the work of as their successors had often experienced that the churches in Ireland or America are United States, the British Provinces, and

a short time previous to her decease, she ishingly collected, in reference to spiritual things; her hopes, her anwere most satisfactory expressed. She reained a perfect recollection of those Ministers of God, whose ministry she had enjoyed in earlier life, and frequently adverted to by. the God of your fathers make you a thougone seasons of refreshing from the presence how fruitful the previous year had been

After lingering for some time in much weakness she calmly fell asleep in Jesus on The Watchman turns to it as a theme of just the 20th of June, 1859, in the 86th year of her age. Her mortal remains were committed to the sanctuary of the dead, and an appropriate sermon delivered on the occasion our excellent Brother John Rounse August, 1859.

# Provincial Wesleuan

## British Methodism.

We have not grudged the space which has been devoted for the past few weeks to and blessing have been vouchsafed." Conference news received from the scene of the deliberations of that venerable ecclesias. Letter from the United States. tical body which is the parent of own; we have only regretted that our broad sheet was not still broader, that more copious extracts might be transferred to it from the expanded reports which have appeared in meeting of New England. It is supposed that about six thousand persons tented or our valuable contemporary the Watchman; the ground, and that on Sunday, there were but we trust that we have not failed to supplement the general survey of our correspondent with sufficient details of those poresteemed of chief interest by the majority of The inner circle of tents were large, acour readers. If they have read with the same commodating from 100 to 200 persons. In feelings which have wrought in us whilst the house of worship, for the Canvass their own work. It was the complaint of engaged in contemplating the present position of Methodism in the parent land, they

City. Outside of these tents, is an Bishop Asbury fifty years ago that he not only had to furnish men to supply his own

The noise of worship, for the Calvass meir own work. It was the complaint of the sun's attachment:" was made to read "the building, and though some of the offers were very liberal they were all rejected. It was the complaint of the sun's attachment:" was made to read "the bour, County Halifax, on the night of the 25th worth of his attachment:" and cruizing aggressive aggressive and cruizing aggres have not failed to note with joy the mul- mile in length, and on the outside of which districts and circuits, but also the pulpits of tiplying indications of returning and reduced the family directions, on which are located the family content, so are we. We thus do our work submit that unless your readers are to be imfor religious purposes, and it was granted. doubled prosperity which now start up on tents. The grove suitable for tents, consists every hand. Ten years ago, when the Con- of about ten acres, and will doubtless all b ference last assembled at Manchester, it was occupied in a year or two. a time of sorrow and unseemly strife -reside, are constructed for convenience and The hour had come when the strong arm of comfort. They have floors-sides boarded discipline had to be unsparingly exercised against some who had shown themselves to are built entirely of wood. They are furbe unworthy of association with the body of nished with the usual articles of furniture true hearted and devoted ministers of Christ such as carpets, chairs, bedsteads, &c. who composed the majority of the Wesleyan which, there are a large number. These Conference. Men had risen up who appear- are under very good regulations, and such is ed to be fired more with the ambition of the competition, that the board is very reapower than with the zeal of saving souls, sonable in price—being only 54 cents per slavery question, as this will doubtless be and who by the unscrupulous practice of day.

The meeting is located on the East side the arts of detraction sought to invalidate of the island of Martha's Vineyard, near little doubt that the delegates will be elected the influence and impair the usefulness of the sea shore, where there is a beautiful honoured men of God, whose high authority beach, which is a great place of resort for of slavery from the M. E. Church. We in the Connexion-legitimately won-imhere are very refreshing in a warm day. peded their progress to the lofty elevation There are usually two or three steamers which they sought. When every artifice of running regularly to the island during the brotherly love had been employed in vain meeting, besides various other water craftto turn them from their sinful course, ex- such as boats, packets, schooners, &c. cision became imperative. The loss of these men could not be regarded by any who were known held in New England. During the conversant with their conduct, but as most whole time, the weather was remarkably beneficial to the Church-into which they pleasant, with the exception of one day, had imported the spirit of dissension; but when we had a gentle rain, which laid the the loss was not of them alone. Tens of dust, and rendered the atmosphere more thousands whom they had deluded, forsook pure and refreshing. the company of believers in which these had mingled for years, with profit to their souls, the right kind-clear-convincing-directand while some of them sought to perpetuate their religious experience in another commu- many were " pricked in the heart," and the world. Clouds then seemed to broad not learn, though it must be considerable. over Methodism, and its future was dark- But the great work accomplished was doubtbut faith triumphed. Good men knew that less in the Church, in preparing her for what was done to maintain the purity of the aggression upon the kingdom of darkness. Church, would never be permitted by God to produce a lasting injury to it. And what has been the actual effect? Methodism has lengthened her cords and strengthened her stakes, and presents to-day an aspect of vitality, and tokens of unanimity and confidence among her members, which cheer the tiplying its converts. Speaking of its prosheart with the belief that she is now entering upon a brighter era than has yet marked

annual conferences, having a Watchmen shall all see eye to eye, he now begs leave to subscribe himself the FRIEND OF ALL AND ENEMY OF NONE. fact that I have once held this office. We.

as a church of revivals, are eminently called

upon to vindicate, to maintain, and to pro

mote these revivals. One of the leading

newspapers published, in reference to the

sand times so many as you are.

that seasons of very remarkable influence

(From our own Correspondent.)

MARTHA'S VINEYARD OAMP-MEETING.

The Camp-meeting on Martha's Vineyard

has just closed. This is the great Camp-

The smaller tents in which the people

-with cloth roofs-though a few of them

The people board, at boarding tents, o

The meeting continued ten days,-the

longest meeting of the kind, we have ever

We had three sermons per day, with the

to be saved!" The number saved, we did

We shall expect to hear of revivals follow-

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ing the meeting in every direction.

C. Advocate, says :-

membership of Vermont and Massachusetts west of the Green Mountains, and Connecticut west of the river. belong to the Troy, New York, and New York East Conferences, which have their centers out of New England, and which portions have a membership of

revivals in Ireland and elsewhere, that the Making an aggregate of

> Traveling preachers, by estimate, Churches, that is, houses of worship,

" Our educational force is represented by attach great importance, has this title, " How

some of the first members of our church on by all the evidences which have character- represented by one able weekly, with 12.000 the Horton Circuit. From the time of her ised Methodist Revivals, it does become us, subscribers. The reason why we have but union with the church of her choice, down above all things, by our earnest prayers and one is, that we think it far better to have to the termination of her protracted life, she labours, to seek to have the influences of one first-class sheet, with 12,000 subscribers continued steadfast in the service of her that blessed Revival. We must be prepared than four or five little sheets with 2,000 or stir yourselves up under the greater light and influences of the Spirit? Do you think which has a circulation throughout the her kind hospitality as well as that of her to be visited by a Revival, and that Satan even in England, and which is published by will remain still? Depend upon it that when one of our ministers. We have also one In her declining years, her mind gradually gave way under the accumulating infirmities of a protracted life—but even until hindrances from the Devil and the folly of business. If it is asked wky we have but man; but let us not disregard or cease to one depository for all New England, I anpray for these Revivals, but let us seek to swer, that all the western section of the obtain an abundant effusion of the Spirit of states does business directly with the Con-God. My heart's desire and prayer to God cern in New York, while the trade of the for you is, that there may be in this place and in every Circuit a great Revival. May portion; also the fact that the Methodists do not confine their purchases to their own Our readers have already been informed you find selections culled from the catalogues of all the great publishers in the land. And and pious gratulation. "An addition of these facts are well known to those publishers nearly 16,000, with more than 25,000 on themselves, if not to others; and hence they trial is a most cheering fact. We dwell advertise largely in Methodist periodicals.

upon it more emphatically, because there is Whereas, you rarely see a Methodist book upon it more emphatically, because there is advertised in any other sheet; and of the some danger, amid the glorious work in Ul-3,500,000 annually issued from our press in ster, of undervaluing what has been done among ourselves. We remind our readers New York alone-consisting of commentaries, books of divinity, sermons, works on with a solitary and small exception, universally diffused. Every District but one, and miscellaneous, and some of which are from gaged betimes in grave debate. almost every Circuit, has partaken of the the first writers of the age-but few ever revival of religion, deep, though not loud, of our own pale. And hence the lamenta-has pervaded British Methodism through ble ignorance—at the display of which we of our own pale. And hence the lamentathe past year. 'The Lord hath done great hardly know whether most to weep or smile things for us, whereof we are glad.' At the -respecting our doctrtnes, history, and same time, all parties must desire a far especially our polity, and which is so often more copious outpouring of the Holy Spirit, and we believe almost all are expecting it. As we have before said, the present Conashamed to be as ignorant of our neighbors ference has been marked by a wonderful spirit of expectation, and indeed we hear as our neighbors are ignorant of us.

" But this showing is far from exhibiting the whole of New England Methodism. We have sent men and money to build up the cause, and to promote the advance of Christianity and civilization, especially in the great states of the Northwest, and in our rising empire on the Pacific coast; and everywhere, from the lofty summits of the Alleghanies to the waves of the Pacific, New England Methodists may be found occupy-

ing posts of usefulness and honor.
"But this, even, is not all. Methodist converts are counted by scores in the ministry of other Churches, and by thousands in present fifteen thousand. There were about Thus, while these Churches have stoutly repelled our doctrines and our usages, by ject inviting our ministers and members to their

> more thoroughly and completely.' THE CONFERENCES.

After a little vacation, the Conference have commenced their sessions again. There are twenty to hold their Sessions before the Conference year is completed, the last one being Minnesota, which sits the 12th of Oct., and attended by Bishop Janes. The Conferences holding holding their Sessions hereafter will elect delegates to the next General Conference to be holden in Buffalo. N. N., May 1st, 1860. In electing these delegates, an eye will be had directly on the the great question that will come before the General Conference. There can be but with special reference to the entire exclusion bathing and other purposes. The sea breezes think we are not mistaken in this matter, such is the general feeling on the subject Bishop Baker is now on the Pacific coast. to attend the California and Oregon Conferences. We shall soon hear of the state of Methodism in that part of the work.

## Letter from Newfoundland.

The last few numbers of the Wesleyan have been more than ordinarily interesting to many of its readers here, not only because of the very gratifying religious intelligence communicated usual tent exercises. The preaching was of from Ireland, but also because the information is conveyed straight-forwardly and minutely. The earnest. And the word was not in vaingracious and extensive awakening with which Newfoundland was favored during the past winter nion, many, it is to be feared, went back into strenuously opposed by those from whom Methodism expects no sympathy, and were too freely animadverted upon by individuals from whom we had a right to expect other treatment. These have now to learn through the religious public press, what they ought to have gleaned long ago trom their Bibles—what they might have read over and over again in the descriptions of Re-Methodism was never in a greater state vival scenes so plainly related in the Journals of our sainted Founder—that is, that in religion as niversary Hymn" sung, and the Divine himself and to them, to do his bidding. He of prosperity than at present. Everywhere its power is felt. In every part of the in other matters " there is no new thing under county it is extending its influence and multhe sun"-Bodily affections, sudden and remark. cises were commenced and conducted by perity in the "Great West," the Central able conversions, and overwhelming visitations of mental depression and conviction are not novelties in connection with that heaven-given system " A most wonderful development of Meher history. How significant is the one fact thodism is transpiring in the West. Taking whose high mission was to spread scriptural holiof the election of President this year by such the territory situated between the majestic ness throughout the land. When Methodism a vote as never before, we believe, conducted Mississippi and the placid waves of the ignores every work of grace which carries on its \*Wesleyan minister to the chair of the Pacific, and you have one of the grandest surface any appearances of irregularity or novelty marks, addressed chiefly to the schools, by tul. To your left the Bay of Fundy seethes and ference! And then how pregnant with areas of human devolopment and progress -because these exist, it departs from its original Conference! And then how pregnant with in civilization and religion that the world can bope for the coming year is the spirit of that furnish. If we are true Methodist Christians feelings of a fashionable world—a world which guardians and other friends, were requested address in which the newly elected Presi- to our system and the God who gave it to will be capable of judging aright when, and only to betake themselves to "Walker's Point," dent acknowledged and accepted the respon-

sibilities of his position. A passage which territory alone for the next quarter of a The intense warmth of the present season i we have not before quoted, deserves to be there presented as laying bare the feelings of his heart: unprecedented in Newfoundland history. Laborers have been literally driven from almost prise. We have several times spoken of every occupation which exposed them to the "I have nothing further to say," were the the proposed division of the Iowa and Kan-scorching rays of the sun; and in more than one words with which he concluded, "but to re- sas and Nebraska Conferences at the appeat my thanksgivings, and to express my proaching session of the General Confer-Whether we are really affected by the near ap- The attendance on this occasion was large; prayer one for another. God forbid that I The following view of Methodism in New proximation to our little planet of last winter's the Report cheering and satisfactory—of

There are now within its bounds six entire with the torrid, as some would be philosophers have not hesitated to predict, we are not prepared 81,000 to say; but assuredly a continuance of such summers would soon effectually compel all who have been indulged by nature with any extra degree of corporeality to seek a less exacting climate.

Governor Bannerman and his estimable Lady bave lately been winning golden opinions by Barrın'n Head, 19 19 105 40 36 22 their sociability and kindness, especially to the youth of St. John's. On the occasion of the Sabbath school anniversaries connected with Cape Negro, 103,000 various congregations, they mingled with the juvenile throngs at parades and picnics, and re-885 galed the delighted scholars with an abundance 730 of smiles and sweetmeats; the venerable matron character were delivered by Rev. Messrs therefore leave further description till then." 290 herself tossing the latter into the air, and watch- Tweedy and Brown, Capt. Benjamin Doane, ing with extreme pleasure the general scramble and Messrs Sargent and Irwine. The singwhich would ensue. The shouts of cheering ing was of that superior style which characwhich followed her Ladyship on her departure terizes our choir in this place; while the from the pleasure grounds evinced the depth and collection in aid of the Society was in keepincerity of the children's gratitude.

Another of those devastating fires so common o be in the harbor rendered effective service; be forgotten. but the firemen of the occasion were some bravehearted sailors who perhaps were too glad of the opportunity. Their daring attempts at battling with the mad element, climbing the roots of flaming houses until they appeared perched high up amid clouds of smoke, or directing the hose of water-engines toward flames which fiercely raged beneath them, attracted the attention of many a was read and accepted. Messrs. Burt, spectator, and made some shudder with terror. Lord, and J. D. Geden were appointed to Yet they evidently felt a peculiar enjoyment in Mr. W. Shaw spoke of the desirability of Mr. W. Shaw spoke of the desirability of Agri a scene which could not fail to supply them with

pointed to treat upon the Fishery question have been rendezvoused in our metropolis for some | The President quoted one of the core verse who can be approached without the ne- ed," &c. cessity of torturing one's tongue to express a Biblical criticism, blographies, histories, and tain celebrities are at least supposed to be en- Hall were appointed to prepare a reply.

abortion the great Atlantic no-Telegraph. It appears that its first address, after its appoint-Field, Esquire, the hero who was well nigh and B. Hellier were appointed to prepare a displayed even by men of education and standing. We should feel most heartily can be just as effectually squandered on iron and gutta percha as on Yankee notions. It is country, the hardships which the early Misgratifying, truly, to be assured that both hemis- sionaries there had suffered, and the success pheres are really united, and especially to us which had attended their labours. that our Island is the favoured conjunction, but one cannot help thinking that after all it might ferred to, was read. have been secured with less vexation and exmagine that Chambers of Commerce, &c. will

"Do not shout till you are out of the wood." ion that " no concessions beyond those accorded

communion, they have strangely undone ous things by a slight transposition of letters it better to wait until the Providence of God pondent of the Church Record gives the followunnoticed by your compositor. " The warmth of should reopen the way for the right use of were very liberal they were all rejected. It ult, in the following manner:—Elizabeth Sitesors, was changed into " cringing aggressors" are exceedingly partial to that figure of speech persons of high character made application called rigmarole, somebody should mind his p's to have the chapel transferred to thefin. The ALEPH.

and q's. Newfoundland, Aug. 26th, 1859.

We know how to sympathise with our friend, having suffered to a much more serious extent the last time we wrote; for example, being made guilty of the impertinence of creating a new led upon to address the Conference in terms Count in the kingdom of Sardinia by the name of Carnir, when we innocently intended to remuch wish that something like friendly invery common in the Wesleyan, have been the result of extra pressure upon the time of those up with that body of men who use the chapel connected with the paper, from which they are ed,-as a centre of evangelistic effort for the now in great part relieved .- ED.

Sabbath Schools at Barrington, of worship. pleasure to inform you and the numerous readers of your excellent journal, that the which was agreed to. First Anniversary of " A Sunday S. Society plan recommended by the British Confers Churches, wishing to be on fraternal terms. of the Sunday School institution on this Circuit generally, on Monday the 15th of widely acknowledged.

The fears of the most fearful, who had indefatigably labored in the preparatory work for this festival, must have been dissicated.

dren representing the schools of our society surpassed him in versatility, activity and variety in this Township, began to move in proces- of thought; inferior to Fisk in polish, in sweetsion from the place of rendezvous towards ness of temper, and power to call forth the very our chapel at "the Head," carrying along strongest of personal love, and in brillancy of with them several banners tastefully trim- fancy, and melting pathos, he surpassed him med, and each inscribed with a Scripture greatly in administrative ability, and parliamotto, among which, as they floated on the mentary control; inferior to Olin in what seembreeze, we noticed the following-" All thy ed like super human majesty, and modesty, and blessing invoked - the examinatory exer- was indeed a remarkable man. the Rev. Robert Tweedy of Shelburne, who kindly favoured us with his presence, and the Superintendent of the Circuit. These consisted for the most part of Catechism and Scripture lessons, with recitations and dialogues, and were creditable alike to teach our long-tried friend, Winthrop Sargent, a beautiful spot in the meadow-lands of the above named gentleman, where refreshments were served up in plenty, first to the children and afterwards to the "older ones."-Having spent some hours in this way, and in witnessing the field-sports of the schools.

West Passage, 9

ing with the other part of the proceedings.

The number of children brought together on this occasion was thought to be larger o St. John's occurred on the evening of Thursday last, having originated accidentally in the Township at any former period-while the dwelling of an enterprising Wesleyan who no joy that beamed from the countenances of doubt suffered from the event. The marines of their parents and friends who accompanied French and English war ships which happened them, told that the season would not soon

### Addresses to the British Conference.

In the record of proceedings we find the

The address of the Canadian Conference

sufficient matter for forecastle chat for some time. preparing shorter replies to the various Affil-The French and British Commissioners ap- liated Conferences, and instanced the exam-The President quoted one of the concl

Concern. They buy good books wherever days; but whatever may be the character or sions come to by one of the Committees anthey can find them. Hence, you go into the library of a Methodist preacher, and publicity. The occasional exhibitions in our sider in what way the time occupied by the local journals of a long catalogue of most out- Conference might be advantageously shortrageously unpronounceable names which have ened. This conclusion was-" That in rebeen honouring this or that Supper or Ball with ceiving Deputations from the Irish and Affilattention, with an additional display of English ited Conferences, one Representative from titles and appellatives, as if to remind the read. each of these Bodies be heard; also that the ers that there are a few persons still in the uni- Addresses to these Conferences be abridg-

> The Address of the French Methodist personal recognition or compliment, are the conference was read and received; and only symptoms which can remind us that cer-Messrs, Harvard, Perks, and S. Romilly

An Address from the Australian Conterence was read and received; and Messrs. blessing of which this is the result. A real find their way into the hands of any outside dress lately issued, bewails the blighted hopes of Robert Young, Afred Barrett, and J. W. thousands in the failure attending that gigantic Greeves were appointed to prepare a reply. An Address from the Eastern British American Conference was read and receivment, was one of congratulation to Cyrus W. ed; and Mesers. R. S. Hardy, J. Hartley,

Mr. Burt spoke of his residence in that

The Address from Sweden, already re

Mr. G. Scott said it was something rather pense, simply by the aid of common hemp. We unusual to have such an address to this Conerence, all who signed it being members of remember for the future the quaint old adage, another Church. I wish (said he) to explain its origin and peculiar nature. It is After expressing the attention which it has known that in the city of Stockholm, we adduced before the court, that the prisoner is a given during the year to the best means of pre- erected a capacious Chapel for Swedish ser- professional hand at the business, as it was testifi serving the fishery rights appertaining to the vices built by subscriptions from our Com-Island, the Chamber gives it as its decided opin- mittee to the extent of £500, and by an additional subscription from Christians of difto the French under existing treaties can be ferent denominations. When your Missiontheir memberships; and thus the leaven of granted to them without injuriously compromisary was driven away in 1842, that chapel 600 tents, many of which, were what are called "family tents," and would accom-entire mass of the New England Churches.

Solution in the leaven of the prosperity of this Colony,"—a slight entire mass of the New England Churches.

Solution in the leaven of the prosperity of this Colony,"—a slight entire mass of the New England Churches. ers, as regards the popular feeling upon the sub-made to purchase it for secular uses; but The fine was paid by the prisoner's husband.

the Missionary Committee in London very and she was discharged from custody.-- Ib. In our last we were made to say some curi- properly declined these offers. They thought transfer was made at the last Conference, and those persons received the advantage of all the subscriptions which your Missionary had raised. It is in consequence of that very Christian mode of transferring the in a most shocking manner. She ling building into their hands, that they felt cal-great pain for about 24 hours after the tercourse, at least by letter, should be kept r the very purpose for which it was erect-

satisfied with the use now made of that place The President suggested that this Address MR. EDITOR,—It affords me very great be received, and nominated Dr. Hoole and Mr. G. Scott to draw up a suitable reply,

The President said he saw no reason why for the Barrington Circuit," based upon the they should decline an address from other ence, was joyously celebrated by the lover- He trusted the time was not far distant when some such intercommunication should be

## The late Dr. Bunting.

The Editor of the Zion's Herald makes the pated by the potent rays of the "king of following estimate of this eminent divine:day," as at an early hour he flung them in Dr. Bunting was the fullest, most symmetrically very splendor athwart that part of Nature's rounded man, like Washington, that has ever fair domain in which we are at present lo- taken a leading position among Methodists, in the old world or new, since Wesley. Almost At a little before 9 o'clock, A. M. the chil- equal to Hedding in dignity and authority, he

## Sackville Academies.

The following is from an article in the Pres yterian Witness: - Whoever visits Amberst should go a step farther west and see the Wes leyan Academies at Sackville. The ten miles ers and taught. After a few pertinent redrive from Amberst to Sackville is most delightsurges, a thin mist brooding over its turbid waters however sunny the day. Before you and far up to the right stretch rich marsh lands relieved here and there by slightly rising grounds. When you are within five miles of Sackville you see it oom up in front of you, and largest by far among its buildings appear the two Academies. As you approach the village you find that its institutions unitedly we began to retrace our steps; and pleased with any institutions in my lite. Those tions they fill. The Female Academy is in ex-

ure of seeing what I believe very few of my readers have ever seen—the Diploma of Bacheto the extent required, the result to be reported to the next meeting. or seventy young ladies are educated here every year in things useful and ornamental. I would year in things useful and ornamental. I would have expected a more pleasing or profitable lor of Arts conferred on Mrs. Allison. Sixty feel very safe in recommending to any parents result than that of the Wesleyan Festival, held to trust their children to Mr. and Mrs. Allison. on the grounds of the Hon Judge Wilmot on A healthy religious tone pervades education Wednesday last. At an early hour in the

here, but I am assured that every pains is taken morning, the crowds entering by the gate in to avoid denominational peculiarities. Unfor-looking faces may be esteemed the mirrors of | 11 | 9 | 52 | 37 | 6 | 0 | 19 | 64 | tnnately for me, I visited these Institutions during faces may be esteemed mind, the enjoyments of the neither "few nor far between." Speeches of an energectic and eloquent again when the hive is full of busy bees, I will was all that could be desired, for it a little on

## The President's Visit to Newfoundland. From a private letter from Dr. Richey we

arrived at St. John's on Monday the 29th ult. them. During the day, the Freemason's Band where it will be necessary for him to remain acquitted themselves in a style so superior, that until Oct. 12th. A course of visitation has several good judges from the United States sur been proposed which will embrace many of the prominent points of the District. "Mr. Daniel,"

The Tea-table accommodation of the District of them accordingly. ne says, "accompanies me on a part of the in- were superb, if plenty and a rich display could terded tour. We sail in a day or two for Bo- make them so; and if the numerous guests who navista. After remaining there a few days, I we are much mistaken. The Judge and his visit on my return journey, Catalina, Trinity, friends of the Wesleyan Church in this City, Old Perlican, Island Cove, Blackhead, and Car- feel highly pleased with the result of the true bonear, and, crossing Conception Bay, give my for they have had a handsome verdict from their last Sunday to St John's. I am not without religion. The amount realized is somewhat over bope that I may be able, in connexion with other \$280, a large sum, when it is noted that it was duties, to accomplish something for the Theological Professorship.

The shore fishery of the of a Bazaar. season, thus far, has, I believe, in most places, been a success, and the prizes are unusually high. Should the Fall catch be good, merchants and operatives will have common cause of railway casualties which seem to be more fre thankfulness.

From the present state of my health, I am en ouraged to anticipate, by the blessing of God, about seventeen miles from Albany, N. Y. A trength proportioned to my day. It is matter f regret to me on various accounts, that other obligations interfered with my enjoying on this official tour, the advantage and pleasure of the venerable Co Delegate's company and co-ope-

## General Intelligence.

Colonial.

FIRES.—We learn that a building was totally destroyed, and others damaged, by fire, on Saturday last, at Annapolis Royal. One building had be pulled down to prevent the fire from preading. The tide was out at the time, and he wells dry; but, fortunately, it being calm, and almost every male and female inhabitant assisting to stay the flames, they were extinguished without doing further damage. wind been high at the time considerable damage At Liverpool on Sunday last, a fire broke out a dwelling house occupied by Mrs. Godfrey. The flames were arrested, however; but not until some damage had been done to both building and furniture. The fire company is said to have worked well on the occasion.—Express of

PICKING POCKETS - Johanna Murphy was brought before the Police Court this morning, charged with having picked the pocket of Mrs. Angus McLean, at Nash's auction, about a fortnight since. It appeared from the evidence ed by many witnesses that she had on the same occasion made several fruitless attempts on the

pockets of other respectable ladies present.

We have lately heard of several pe having had their pockets picked at the various auction rooms in the city—particularly females.

The Court sentenced the prisoner to pay a

DEATH FROM BURNING FLUID .- A corres ing account:—
A melancholy accident occurred at Ship Harpleased God to awaken a very eminent man, aged 27 years, and daughter of Mr. George clergyman to ask for the use of that chapel Siteman of that place, baving replenished the

fluid lamp from a can containing t pressed with the belief that Newfoundlanders This led to an arrangement by which many leaving the lamp burning beside the jar, which are exceedingly partial to that figure of speech persons of high character made application she inadvertently left uncorked, the flame from the lamp in some way communicated with the subtle agent, though apparently at some distance from the vessel containing it, and in an instan the whole apartment was in a blaze, setting fire to her clothes and the bed to which she was in the act of retiring, and burning her whole person currence when death put an end to her suffer

> young woman, and respected by all who knew ner, was engaged during the night in sitting up with the sick child of a neighbour, and had filled a lamp in order to keep it burning by the bed side, while she retired to take some rest. She whole country of Sweden. I am perfectly had been solicited by several young women during the day to accompany them to a having party, some miles from home, but insisted upon maining to perform the task of the good Samaritan; and it is a melancholy satisfaction to her surviving friends and relatives that it was while performing this commendable labour of ove she came by her lamentable death. She bore her severe affliction with exemplary patience, and resignation to the divine will. Her

NAVAL -- We are informed that Rear Admiral of the Blue, Sir Alexander Milne, K. C. B., has Houston Stewart, on the North American Station. The new Admiral is not by any means sister kingdoms, took part in the services. At stranger in Halifax. He was here in 1839, as ommander of the Sloop-of War Snake; and in 1841, whilst still on this station, he was promoted Donegall Square Wesleyan Church, on "The o be Captain of the Frigate Crocodile He is a Great Revival." There was a large attendance. Rear Admiral, distinguished himself in the attack upon Algiers, under Lord Exmouth, on the 27th of August 1816, and who, immediately after The Rev. Mr. Kerr, Primitive Wesleyan Methothat achievement, was appointed to the command on this North American station, which command he continued to hold from 1817 to 1820. The thousands. In the evening, Mr. C. Dibbs, een a junior member of the Admiralty Board. sitting there part of that time as the colleague of Seven o'clock retired to that place of worship, Sir Houston Stewart. It is quite possible that when Mr. John Field of Sheffield, preached a the Admiral now in command will be relieved in most eloquent and highly appropriate discourse. Halifax, and will not again proceed to the West

ericton, the following day on a visit to the Lieut constabulary of North Queen street Station as Governor of New Brunswick .- Recorder.

AND LAND COMPANY.—The adjourned meeting ous of forsaking their evil habits. One keeper of this company took place on the 11th, at the London Tavern, to receive the report of the mised never to follow such a course again directors. Mr. Edwards took the chair, and Some who formerly wrought in mills are anxstated that the directors had, as recommended lious to go back to that employment, and steps by the report of the committee, directed their are being taken to find them work, if possible attention to the best means of relieving the com-pany from its difficulties, and for that purpose wages. The revival is thus affecting the most they had agreed to subscribe amongst the the sum of £20,000, on condition that the shareholders contributed what was further required to some time ago professed conversion, being for wipe off the existing liabilities. He considered that this would be the more readily agreed to by the shareholders since the directors had found a attracted much attention. These parties have the shareholders since the directors had found a contractor to undertake the completion of their been apparently deaf and dumb, and some of line on most reasonable terms, and who would also agree to take his payment in the debentures of the company. Under these circumstances they bear a close inspection. I visited both the Male must be prepared to pay something more, but and Female Academies and never was better that would not be to an exorbitant amount. Should the shareholders now determine to work in charge seem peculiarly adapted for the situa-tions they fill. The Female Academy is in exto pray far them! and God forbid that you should cease to pray for me. Then the ciety," by the Rev. S. W. Coggshall,—

The following view of Methodism in New England is from a discourse before the longtailed visitant, as cometography would some which the following is a statistical state which the following is a statistical s

Casar and Virgil and Euclid! I had the pleas- Powers was also given the directors to arrange

dicated the triumph of the day and noble pine trees and the expansive parasol tent spread beneath them, made an ample compensa ion. The coaches continued to ply busily during the whole day; and the visite the adjacent country-found pleasing occupation From a private letter from Dr. Richey we at the large Refreshment Tables, or in traversing earn that after a smooth and agreeable passage the flower walks of the 'Fairie land' around

#### United States. RAILWAY CASUALTIES .- Another of those

t the 2nd instant, on the Northern Railroad

over which the down train was passing gave way precipitating all the cars and the tender of the locomotive into the chasm below, a distance of forty feet. The number of the killed and wounded is not known, but from ten to twenty lives were certainly lost, and many of the passengers who escaped destruction received some serious injuries. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict ensuring the company, and the community will allowed one of their bridges to remain a day without necessary repairs. Can no experience but their own teach men who have the others in their keeping to use a little caution. and take a little forethought? No inference is more clear from the history of railways than from preventible causes. The railway commis for the year ending with June 1859, declare that which occurred on the British railways during the twelve months, " five sixths of the whole number were not properly accidents, but really incidents of existing arrangements." In Germany, where the whole science of railway management has been brought nearer perfection way mishaps really are prevented. The pro-portion of persons injured on railways to the number of passengers conveyed, which in our own country nearly attains the frightful figure of in two hundred fifty thousand; and in German

Tribune at Washington City writes that the party for discovering a ship canal across the Isthmus of Darien will be organized for the most Isthmus of Darien will be organized for the mor-part by officers detached from a vessel of the Gulf squadron. It will proceed on board the Preble to the east coast, and seek to verify the statement of Gisboone Cullen and Surgeon Caldwestward to the Bay of San Miguelar, or Pacific, is represented to be nearly flat. Mr. Avery, who accompanied Lieutenant Strain. goes out to join the expedition, and with him an anticipated that considerable advantages may

esult to the expedition. A telegram from Boston, dated 14th instant states that the great annual Wesleyan (Methodist Episcopal) camp meeting at the Vineyard was attended that day by about 20,000 persons. Impressive discourses were delivered by different clergymen. The weather was delightful, and

that the history of the last twenty five years ha vindicated the wisdom of African slavery and reconciled the whole South to it. It further says that as to the opinions of outsiders, they may regret their folly and hallucination, but ed hardly be disturbed by their howlings .-

#### From Late English Papers. THE REVIVAL MOVEMENT IN BELEAST -

The Revival movement, says an English contem-Meetings were held as usual, in the different Evangelical places of worship on the Saturday evening, and were well attended. On Sunday he services in the churches of all the Protestant Denominations were crowded, and a most solemn and serious feeling seemed to pervade each coned conversion amongst the congregation attending St. Paul's have been very large; and during the past week there have been some of those markable cases of falling into a kind of trance amongst the members of the same church. vices were also held during the day, in different parts of the town, and, notwithstanding the untavourable state of the weather, Ministers from different parts of the country, as well as from the seven o'clock in the evening, the Rev. Robert Wallace preached a sermon, as advertised, i The Rev. Gentleman, in an able and elequent discourse, dwelt on the importance, peculiarities, dist Minister, preached at the Custom-House steps, at four o'clock, to a congregation of some Sheffield, Yorkshire, preached in the open air at 6 o'clock in the vicinity of Salem Chu

Indies.

H. M. Steamship, Styx, bearing the flag of Vice Admiral Sir Houston Stewart, arrived at St. John, N. B. on Monday last. The Admiral, joining. Cases of disorderly conduct have been for some time past on the decrease there, and the well as the local police, began to feel somewhat surprised at this. We learn that six unfortunate Iew Brunswick.

New Brunswick and Canada Railway Monday, and a large number of others are desirbandoned characters in the community.

Several extraordinary cases of females, who hours, and in some instances, for days, in a kind them also blind; and when restored to the use of their faculties, they have told of having had rance, matters connected with the blessed in

The usual weekly union prayer-meeting was held on Wednesday, in the music hall, at on o'clock. The attendance, as on former occasi-

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY .- Some papers relative to the Hudson's Bay Company's charter and license of trade have just been

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