At the hour of publication Conference rapidly closing up the business of the Ses sion. But at the moment of our writing, Conference is well into the third day's work only. The particulars of the business transacted up to the date at which we write, appear in another column from the pen of the authorized Conference reporter. We shall therefore ourselves indulge only in a few general observations on Conferential mat ters as they appear to us in surveying them as a whole

And first, in regard to that not very original, but yet, in this case, pleasant subject of remark, the Conference weatherit is perfectly delightful. It is just what we could wish it to be. It is warm but not specially hot. It is breezy but not windy enough to raise much dust along the welltravelled streets. Ministers heavily freight- by ed with fat and good nature can move round briskly enough without discomfort. And, to the immense gratification of the man for Conference.

Tastefully constructed dwellings, and to watch the fleet-footed shadows chasing each other over the billowy grass and the tinted meadow flowers, the skies are fogless for the time.

Not only is the weather bright and cheer ing, the Conference town is also looking its very best. Refreshed by the copious rains of the few days immediately preceding the first Conference day, the fields and gardens and hedges and shrubbery are beautiful in their soft eye-resting verdure. Neat cottages nestling in tree-guarded enclosures and stately mansions rising from spreading lawns, meet the gaze in various directions and on every side the marks of thrift and taste strike the attention. True to their reputation, the people also are kind, cordial, hospitable.

The Conference wears a somewhat juve nile appearance this year. The men of silvery locks present among its members are few. Dr. Richey, it is true, is there looking as well as we have seen him for some years past. Father Davis is there hale and fresh. Father Bent is there in good state of preservation. But oh, how many venerable men we miss that were present at Conference sessions a few years thur McNutt, William Smith, William Smithson, William Millar, J. B. Strong and William Wilson, are we believe, with Wesley and Fletcher and Benson and Bunting and Newton to-day. And William Temple, John Snowball and Henry Pope, though they have not yet crossed over to the shore," and are not with their brethren the in Conference this year. Nor have the genial features of Charles DeWolfe and Michael Pickles as yet met our eye this inst.

But though there are only a few aged men in Conference this year, there are many, who but a short time ago were considered to be young that are fast growing before Conference. old; and the time is near when amid the front ranks of the Conference but few heads will appear unsprinkled with snow. Indeed, the frost work is going on now in those same ranks with decided diligence.

Thus far the spirit prevailing in Conference has been almost all that we could desire. No Conference within our recollection has equalled this one in the unbroken harmony of feeling exhibited by it. There has been diversity of opinion elicited upon whose reports were to be made to the Comimportant subjects discussed, as in the nature of things there must be when earnest men surveying important questions from different stand points compare notes with the candidates pass all these tests to the sa- Although it had been a year of toil it had free interchange of sentiment during the be recommended to Conference to be taken the Master to be with him. He felt great continue them on trial. deliberations held, as there ought to be on matters in which all are bound to feel interested. Yet the tone of feeling pervading that a considerable number of changes will to His glory. He had had hearty attention the discussions has been genial and brotherly take place this year so that the duties of from his brethren and was glad to find that in a very high degree. If during the remaing part of the Session a similar tone should characterize the proceedings every brother present will bear away with him Friday morning and occupied the committeness and her discipline. He was pleased most agreeable memories of the second tee until late in the afternoon. The shew-Yarmouth Conference.

Session will be memorable for the large Church for what had been accomplished. number of promising young men received on probation as candidates for the ministry, and for the formation of a Conference Educational Society. It is a most gratifying the whitening fields that are ripening for that these young men may be qualified to the utmost before assuming the most weighty responsibility connected with the Sacred office of the Christian ministry.

With regard to the formation of our Conference Education Society, we can only the deliberations of the Theological Institusay here that this is a movement which, in tion Committee. The state of this Fund, the providence of God, is fitted to render incalculably valuable service to the very best interests of the Church. A very slight ally by those brethren who are compelled that the business should be well and experiments. The was prepared to act impartially. Whilst he could not say that he loved all alike yet he could say that he loved all his brethren. He wished that the business should be well and experiments. degree of reflection only is needed to show to look to it for the means of securing ditiously done. His position in the Chair that this movement merits the unanimous support of the denomination. More on this subject by-and-bye.

Although thus far the main interest of the Conference proceedings has clust the previous year. tered around the two subjects' just men- At 2 P. M. the ministers and such of the erations connected with the manner in operations of the year showed that the before Conference in such form as would which the yearly returns of Church mem-claims of the cause of Christ in heathen assist the Secretaries.

ng, and comforting were the references to hese departed worthies who died in the ord, and whose works do follow them.

them the felicity in reserve for God's faithful ones in Heaven.

CONFERENCE PREPARATORY COMMITTEES.

Committe Room, Yarmouth,

21st June, 1870. The sixteenth annual convocation of the inisters of the Conference of Eastern British America takes place this year by request of the members of our church and congre-

gation, in Yarmouth. Situated on the south-western portion of

ounded by rich and well-arranged gardens or, skirted by neatly trimmed hedges, together with a considerable number of palatial like residences to be met with in the suburbs of the town, impress the mind of the stranger favorably, and serve to fasten the conviction that the mere getting of money is not the only matter which occupies the ttention of the business men of the place.

The advance which Nova Scotia has gained upon New Brunswick in the matter f education is seen in part in the commodious and elegant school houses to be found ing the conviction of the Committee that in almost every county in this Province. Three of these noble structures surmount change the plan for providing for Ministers the elevated lands in the rear of this town. and may well inspire those by whom they mending that the Salary of the Ministers in have been erected with a just pride, as they compare them with the very inferior places, rate " items" as formerly. called school houses, so frequently to be met in the sister Province.

families within the bounds of our Conferner occasions.

The position of the Methodist Church in this town is both hopeful and cheering. Possessed of a considerable portion of the done themselves much credit by the erection of two large and well-finished churches, designated respectively "Providence" (South) ago :- Richard Knight, John Brownell, Ar- and "Wesley" (North), which while wanting in all unnecessary elaboration of finish, may be regarded as models of neatness and department of our work demanded liberal architectural beauty. The latter of these was dedicated to the worship of God about four years ago, and is the Conference Church of this year. The Rev. Messrs. Joseph Hart and Shenton are the esteemed pastors of these churches.

According to arrangements made at the meet the shining ones, "are waiting on last Charlottetown Conference, the first of

PREPARATORY COMMITTEES

was appointed to meet on Wednesday, 15th Owing, however, to the non-arrive ed, without transacting any business, to 22nd June, 1870.

by the District Meetings met. Ten young their respective Districts, and three in Newfoundland, excused on account of distance. The theological examination of these young brethren, conducted by the Rev. H. Daniel, President for the past year, was thorough and generally satisfactory. The literary examinations, oral and by means of written brethren standing.

The Ex-President said that he felt thankpapers, were assigned to sub-committees were also made to allow the young men to he had been preserved during the past year. preach and to secure reports of the charac- It had been a year of affliction and death: ter of their pulpit performances. Should a year which had cost him much anxiety. each other. There has also been a very tisfaction of the Committee, they will then also been one of pleasure. He had found years. It was unanimously resolved to

> out on probation. afternoon and evening. It is understood in the sight of God and with a single eve this Committee are not likely to be less the spirit of unity and of power marking onerous than those of former years.

> The Committee on Plan for Conference of his brethren and share their prayers and

Education Society met in the evening and co-operation. fidently believed will not only commend it-

will be duly recommended to Conference.

report less in the aggregate than those of

assed away to their rest—two of them Rev. H. Pope Jr. Co Delegate preached in 7th. Avoid lightness of spirit. away to their rest—two of them lev. H. Fope 31.

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The President then called upon wesley church at 11 A. m. from 2nd 11mon which they "languished into life"—and
one of them suddenly in the midst of his
long-loved work. Very touching, subduing, and comforting were the references to verse, and by Rev. H. McKeown, at 6 p. ren had elevated him, he said the office, as A. W. Turner, and Thos. D. Hart. The m., whose text was 2nd Cor. 8th chap., he had anticipated, had devolved no grave and 9th verse. The sermons of these bre- responsibility upon him. It was none the May all who have ever heard the word thren are said to have been of a high order, less desirable to him on that account. He of life from their lips on earth, share with and the word spoken, it is hoped, will pro- had had seasons of trial and solicitude, yet duce fruit to the glory of God. A service it was to him no small comfort to know was held in each of the churches at 2 1-2 that the relation which he sustained was p. m., in the interests of the Sabbath-schools one expressive of the confidence and regard in connection with our Church in this town. of his brethren-he esteemed it highly on Rev. Messrs. Hennigar, Cassidy, and Win- that account. He had peculiar pleasure in terbotham addressed the children assembled welcoming to this position the Co-Delein Providence church, and Rev. Messrs. gate. Angwin, T. Rogers, Pitblado and Lathern those who were congregated in Wesley forward, said as the Parent Conference had church. The addresses were peculiarly accepted the nominate he could only say

sensibly realized that many felt it to be a season of grace and sweet delight." The members of the Supernumerary Fund statements of the Secretaries and Treathe peninsula of Nova Scotia, and visited surers shewed that although the collections led to say, - "What hath God wrought?" steamers plying between Halifax, St. from the Circuits had advanced during the Two convictions impressed his heart. 1st. Annual District Meetings, and it shall ohn, N. B., and other ports, Yarmouth is year, yet that the income of the Fund would That he was spared to survive in the active the duty of the said chairman of the Newrendered easy of access, and becomes at be insufficient to meet in full the claims of work all his brethren of that day. 2nd That nce a convenient and desirable location those brethren who in the Providence of this honour was conferred upon him in the look to this Fund for support of themselves not be long before he should join his breand families.

adapted to the occasion, and the presence

The Parsonage Aid Fund Committee and Committee of Church Relief Fund met during the afternoon. The Reports of subcommittee for examination of candidates were presented to the general Committee immediately after, whereupon the District recommendation in the case of each of the young men was concurred in. In the evening the Committee on Children's Fund and Circuit Finance met. Resolutions affirm would be inexpedient for Conference to children were adopted and also one recomfuture be put in one sum and not in sepa-

9 a, m. this morning. The collections from office from year to year. He did not be-The hospitality of the Yarmouth Metho- the various Circuits were more than those of lieve it a good plan to have the same perdists is already a household word in many previous year. Nevertheless but a small sons in office too long, he would be glad to ence. Nor is that hospitality bestowed less Fund for Funerals, Domestic and personal promptly or liberally this year than on for- affliction, which amounted to upwards of \$1400, could be met, inasmuch as there were but \$130 for this purpose.

The Committee of Home Mission Fund met at 3 p. m. The income of the Fund wealth of the place, the Methodists have was found to be in advance of the amount contributed on the various circuits were nearly \$2000, and after paying the sums apportioned to the different Missions there as a balance of \$400. It was felt that this support from all our Churches. Letters vere read from two Gentlemen in Halifax furnishing valuable suggestions in regard to the future working of this Fund. One o these noble hearted friends, offered to contribute \$50. per Annum in support of our Home Missions.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONFERENCE.

The Sixteenth Annual Conference of the Wesleyan Church of Eastern British Amemen comprising the Children's Fund and rica commenced its Sessions in Wesley ray, McKeown, and J. G. Angwin was Circuit Finance Committee, it was adjourn- Church, Yarmouth North, on Wednesday,

meet at the call of the President sometime | The Ex-President, Rev. Henry Daniel took the Chair at 9 a. m., and called the Thursday at 9 a. m., the Committee for Conference to order by giving out the 449th Examination of Candidates recommended hymn, after which the 12th chapter of St. 9 a. m. till noon, and from 2 to 5 p. m. Paul's Epistle to the Romans was read, and men were reported as in attendance from prayer offered by the brethren Thos. Davis and J. G. Hennigar.

The answer of the British Conference, consenting to the appointment of Rev H Pickard, D.D., as the President for ensuing year, and of Rev. J. G. Hennigar to the office of Co-Delegate was read-all the

ful to meet the brethren in annual Conferhumiliation on account of great unfitness-The Stationing Committee occupied the yet he had uniformly endeavoured to act as them. He was about to retire from the The affairs of the Book Room and Provincial Wesleyan office passed in review on ministry, yet he loved Methodism-her docing of the Book Steward and Editor was coming forward to take the places of those more encouraging than most of the brethren who had passed away. He was pleased He (Dr. P.) would have the hearty affection

matured and adopted a Report embracing The President,—after a moment or two constitution for a Society, which it is con- spent in silent prayer; said, it would hardly become him to occupy much of their time circumstance that the Lord of the Harvest, self to the ministers of the Conference but now in regard to the unknown and expected wards and that all persons below should be whose eye alone takes in the wide extent of Saturday at 9 A. M. the Theological Infuture. He knew he was in his present regarded as out of the Conference. stitution Committee met. The Report of his fathers and brethren. He was comthe sickle, is calling so many vigorous young the retiring Professor C. De Wolfe was relabourers to the ministerial work. It should ceived as also reports from members of the the prayers of his brethren. He knew, in be the earnest prayer of the whole Church | Examining Committee. The appointment the presence of God, that his desire was to of Rev. C. Stewart D. D. to the office of be God's and the servant of the Church Professor of Theology for the ensuing year and to help to work out the design of God on the great Head of the church we were rendered a few changes necessary which in relation to our branch thereof. He would endeavour to do as for God and as on of Ministers children met at the close of ing to the necessities of the hour. He was under His eye, expecting His grace accordconscious of a degree of fitness for some for their families those benefits of an educa-tional character which it was designed to confer. The collections for this fund from done this year, and he inferred that there the various Circuits were we are sorry to would be less necessity for spending much time on business matters, which would require little more that conversation; but when matters requiring serious discussion tioned, much attention has been given to lay members of the Missionary Committee came up the Rules of deliberative bodies by President announcing 324th hymn after as were present, entered upon the business should be observed. He suggested the im- which Revd C. Lockhart engaged in prayer. our ministerial death record and to consident restated to their care. A review of the portance of presenting business to be brought

bership are made up among us. On the lands had not been forgotten by our people. He would not occupy more time than bership are made up among us. On the latter question, it is strongly felt that an advance of the preceding one. Arrangeimproved system of making those returns ments were made for the annual meeting his own guidance at Conference, viz.:—1st. would render to our position more justice of the Auxiliary Society of the Conference Be tender of the character of every brother. than is obtained under the working of our to be held in Wesley church next Wednes2nd. When speaking say nothing but what present plan. With respect to the death- day evening. Several of the representative is necessary. 3rd. If accused by any one men recommended to be received on trial present plan. With respect to the deathroll, increased interest was felt in the record, because during the year three aged
ministers well known in our work had in both our churches on Sabbath. The

Rev. J. G. Hennigar, who then ca accepted the nominate he could only say that he highly appreciated this honour. He and power of the Divine Spirit were so could not but contrast the first District meeting which he attended and the present gathering. In 1824 he met 14 Ministers the whole number at that time in New Committee met on Monday at 9 a. m. The Brunswick, N. S. and P. E. Island. His heart was filled with gratitude and he was God, have been laid aside from the active work of the ministry and are compelled to he esteemed that of his brethren. It would and bring both their replies and written thren who had passed away. He loved Methodism and his beart was with them. He rejoiced to see so many young men ming forward to fill the ranks. May God

> hey see 40 years hence! AUTHORIZED TO ATTEND CONFERENCE. The names of the ministers authorized to Chairmen of the several Districts.

D. D. Currie 42. Js. Taylor 8. S. F. Iuestis 6. Scattering votes 4. Total 60. Bro. Currie was declared duly elected.

He said he did not like to have the Con-The Contingent Fund Committee met at ference think that he wished to hold the portion of the Special applications to this have a canvass next year with a ticket leaving his name off. Rev. S. F. Huestis was re-elected to

office of Journal Secretary. The total number of votes was 58. Brother Huestis received 40 and was declared duly elected. The Brethren F. H. Pickles and Js. R. was found to be in advance of the amount Hart were appointed Assistant Secretaries estimated at last Conference. The amounts and Bro. W. H. Heartz Assistant Journal

> APPOINTMENTS. Rev. S. W. Sprague and Rev. J. Cassidy vere appointed the Conference Letter wri

Rev. Messrs. Humphrey and Jos. Gaetz vere appointed a committee to receive and isburse the Conference collections. Rev. Jno. McMurray and Rev. J. Clark

were appointed to prepare the Pastoral The brethren Pope, Stewart and Comber

were appointed to examine the District minutes and report to Conference such miscellaneous matters as require to be brought under the notice of Conference. A comappointed to examine the accounts of long standing on the Ledger of Prov. Weslevan Office and if possible to settle the same.

HOURS OF SESSION. The hours of Session were fixed from

The names of young men on Trial were reported as follows :- Thomas Allen, C. W. DocRill, Wilson, W. Lodge, R. B. Mack, A. D. Morton, A.B., C. H. Paisley, A.M., George Forsey, John Reay, and Thomas Rogers, A.M., who have travelled four vears. A committee to examine these brethren was appointed and a morning Session of Conference appointed for Saturmittee at an early day. Arrangements ence again. Through the mercy of God day, to commence at six o'clock, at which the public examination of the young men should take place.

The names of Joseph Seller, A.B. and Samuel Ackman as having travelled three Levi S. Johnson, Edwin Mills, F. A

Weldon, and G. F. Day were reported to have travelled two years-on motion they were continued on trial. William Woods and Robert A. Daniel

who had travelled one year were continued CANDIDATES FOR ADMISSION

Silas James, F. M. Pickles, J. Ellis, J. Betts, Wm. Dobson, W. H. Ibbotson, R. Weddall, W. H. Frazer, S. C. Fulton, and Jonathan Borden, were reported as candidates for probation and on motion were re-Apart from the matters referred to, the had anticipated and called forth expressions also to recognize Dr. Pickard as his succeived on trial. The six first named to be early portion of the present Conference of thankfulness to the Great Head of the cessor and to wish him God's best blessing. permitted to attend the Theological Institution during the year.

PORTION OF CHURCH TO BE OCCUPIED BY CONFERENCE.

It was decided that the members of Conference should occupy the pews from No. 50

PRAYER MEETING.

The Annual Conference Prayer meeting was commenced at 12 o'clock by the President giving out the 523rd Hymn. The President said :- Recognizing our dependence wont not only to seek at the opening of Conference divine assistance but at noon of the first day also, with our people, to ap-

After singing, which was engaged in not only by the ministers, but also by the large number of friends who had assembled in the church, the Revs. I. Sutcliffe, and H. Pope, Jr. engaged in prayer. The 708th Hymn was sung and prayer offered by the brethren Comben and L. Gaetz, a third Hymn was sung after which Revs. Messrs. Cassidy and Taylor engaged in prayer. The Hymn commencing "Lord dismiss is with " &c., was then snng and the Co Delegate offered prayer and pronounced the

The business was resumed at 3 P. M

Rev. J. G. Angwin was appointed to as sist the President as Financial agent of Conference. Rev. R. Duncan was designated to the office of Conference Reporter for Prov.

The consideration of the cases of young

8th. Do all Penny to be allowed to attend the Theological Institution at Sackville.

SUPERNUMERARIES. Letter-writers were instructed to write a letter of sympathy to Bro. Turner. EXTERING FILL WORK

Revs. I. Sutcliffe and R. E. Crane wer reported as returning to the full work of CANDIDATES FROM NEWFOUNDLAND

The following Resolution, moved by Dr. Stewart and seconded by Rev. J. Lathern, was adopted, viz .: -- "That in the case of candidates for our ministry from the Newfoundland District and Bermuda, it shall not be requisite that they attend the meetings of the Conference Examination Comnittee, but that in order that the committee may be able intelligently to judge of the abilities of such candidates, the examination papers shall be sent to the Chairman of the Newfoundland District and the Superintendent of the Hamilton circuit. Bermuda, before the time for holding the foundland District and Superintendent the circuit to see that the candidates reply and bring both their replies and written sermon from each of them to the Commit tee of Examination for their information

The Programme for Conference Missio spare them long to labour. What should ary meeting was submitted, and on motion approved.

The thanks of the Conference were pre attend Conference were reported by the sented to Rev. Henry Daniel for the faithful discharge of his duties as President du ring the past year. A Resolution moved by Co-Delegate and seconded by Rev. J The Rev. D. D. Currie, was re-elected Lathern, expressive of thanks to Rev. H. the office of Secretary. The ballot stood, Pope, Jr. ex-Co-Delegate, for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office during the year, was adopted.

On motion, thanks were presented to the Rev. D. D. Currie, Sec. of Conference, and to the Rev. S. F. Huestis, Journal Sec. retary, for the manner in which they had discharged the duties of the offices held by them respectively. Messrs. Pickles and J. R. Hart and J. Rogers as sub-Secretaries also received the thanks of the Conference. The thanks of Conference were presented to Dr. Pickard, as Financial Agent of Conference, and also to Letter-writers for the services rendered by them respectively during past year.

The session closed at 5 p. m.

[UNDER CORRECTION.] STATIONS THE MINISTERS AND PREACHERS ON TRIAL OF THE CONFERENCE OF EASTERN BRIT-ISH AMERICA. 1870.

ev. Humphrey Pickard, D.D., President JAMES G. HENNIGAR, Co-Delegate. DUNCAN D. CURRIE, Secretary 1.-HALIFAX DISTRICT.

Halifax North (Brunswick St.)-J. Rogers; (Kaye St.), Wm. Sargent; Edmund Botterell, Super. Halifax South, (Grafton St.)-John A.

Clark, A. M., : Henry Pope, (A) W. Turner, Supernumeraries. Conference Office-Humphrey Pickard, D.D. Editor and Book Steward. 3. Dartmouth-Albert S. DesBrisay: Thos.

Angwin, Super. 4. Windsor-Alex. W. Nicholson: Matthew Richey, D.D., Fred. Smallwood, Supr's. 5. Falmouth-George M. Barratt.

6. Horton-Robert Duncan; Geo. Johnson 7. Kentville-Arthur D. Morton, A. B.

8. Newport-John McMurray. Avondale-James G. Hennigar 10. Kempt-Samuel B. Martin. (Mission.) 11. Maitland-T. J. Denistadt. One wanted 12. Musquodoboit Harbor -C. W. Dockrill.

13. Middle Musquodoboit-J. A. Mosher. 14 Shuhengeadie-R E Crane 15. Sambro and Margaret's Bay-J. A. Bor

16. Bermuda, (Hamilton)-H. P. Cowper thwaite. 17. Bermuda, (St. George's)-G. W. Tuttle. 18. Bermuda, (Somerset)-

19. Bermuda, Bailey's Bay)-II.-ST. JOHN DISTRICT. 20. St. John, (Germain St.)-Henry Pope, (B) Wm. T. Cardy, Super.

21. St. John (City Mission)-Wm. Woods. 22. St. John, (Centenary) - John Lathern Wm. Temple, Henry Daniel, James R. Narraway, A.M., Super's. 23. St. John, (Exmouth St.)-Stephen Hum-

phrey, A. M. St. John, (Portland)-Howard Sprague 25. St. John, (Carleton)-S. F. Huestis. 26. Fairville-W. McCarty

27. St. Andrews-Charles B. Pithlado 28. St. George-To be supplied from St. A 29. St. David's-Charles W. Dutcher.

30. St. Stephen-Hezekiah McKeown. 31. St. James-R. W. Weddall, A. B. 32. Mill Town-Richard Smith. 33. Sussex Vale-Joseph Gaetz.

34 Grand Lake-Joseph B. Hemmeor 35. Greenwich-Isaac N. Parker. 36. Kingston-Elias Slackford. (Mission. 37. Upham—George Harrison.

HI.-TRURO DISTRICT.

Truro-John Read: Thos. Smith. Sur 39. River Philin-William Tweedy 40. Wallace-T. Watson Smith. 41. Pugwash-John J. Colter. 42. Albion Mines-R Morton 43. River John-James Tweedy.

44. Pictou-Leonard Gaetz.

Buckley, Super's. 46. Goldenville-One wanted to be supplied from Guysboro'. 47. Manchester-J. E. Thurlow. (Mission. 48. Sydney, C. B.-Jeremiah V. Jost.

45. Guusboro' and Canso-John Winterbo

tham, Wm. Dobson : Thos. D. Hart. Jas.

M., one wanted: Fred. W. Moore, Sup.

49. Gabarus-J. W. Howie. (Mission.) 50. Port Hankeshuru-A. E. LePage IV .- P. E. ISLAND DISTRICT. 51. Charlottetown-George S. Milligan,

Cornwall and Little York-John Cassidy one wanted. 53. Pownal-Edwin Evans, 54. Bedeque and Tryon-Paul Prestwood, R. A. Daniel

59. Fredericton-Duncan D. Currie, Silas C

55. Margate-R. Tweedie. (Mission.) 56. Summerside-Charles H. Paisley, A.M. 57. Murray Harbor-Wesley Colpitts. (Mis-58. Alberton-John G. Bigney. (Mission. V.-FREDERICTON DISTRICT.

60. Marysville-Joseph Seller, A. B., Under thy and indefatigable Princip. endence of Bro.Currie. with whom he will exchange occasionally.

61. Kingsclear-Robt. O. Johnson (Mission 62. Sheffield-Robert Wilson, one wanted.

63 Woodstock-John S. Addy 64. Canterbury-John S. Allen.

65. Knowlesville-Edwin Mills.

66. Jacksonville-E. B. Moore. 67. Florenceville-William W. Percival. 68 Andover-W. W. Lodge. 69 Vashmaal: David W LeLacheur On

70. Gagetown-George B. Payson. 1 Miramichi-I. Sutcliffe, George Day 9 Rathurst-Richard Weddall . Dalhousie-One wanted.

VI.—SACKVILLE DISTRICT. . Sackville-Elias Brettle; J. Snowball Supernumerary. Educational Institutions -C

D., Theological Professor Students in Theology-Ralph Brecke John Betts, John Ellis, William H. Ibbotson, Silas James, Wm. Fred. Penny. Point DeBute-Joseph G. Angwin.

6. Baie De Verte-David B. Scott. . Moncton and Coverdale-John Prince B. Dorchester-R. A. Temple 9 Hoperell-John M Pike

30. Hillsborough-Cranswick Jost, A.M. 31. \ Havelock-Thos. Allen. \ To be su Salisbury and Elgin. 83. Richibucto-Joseph Shaw Coffin. 84. Amherst-James Burns. 85, Nappan-Alexander S. Tuttle

86. Parrsboro-Wm. Alcorn. W. J. Frase 87. Advocate Harbour-Fletcher A. Weldon who shall change with Parrsboro' once quarter. VIL-ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT

son; M. Pickles, Supernumerary. Bridgetown-Wm. H. Heartz; Thos. H Davies, Supernumerary, 0. Wilmot-John L. Sponagle; Joseph Bent, Supernumerary. One wanted.

88. Annapolis-Jas. England, Levi S. John

1. Aylesford-James Taylor. 92. Canning-George O. Huestis. 93. Berwick-F. H. W. Pickles. 94. Hillsburg-Fred. W. Harrison 95. Digby-Wm. C. Brown.

96. Weymouth-F. M. Pickles, under Super intendence of Bro. Brown. 97. Digby Neck-To be supplied VIII.- LIVERPOOL DISTRICT 98. Liverpool-John J. Teasdale. 99. Caledonia-Jotham McFulton, A. M. 00. Yarmouth, South-Job Shenton

101. Yarmouth, North-Joseph Hart. 102. Yarmouth, East-Thomas Rogers, A. M. 03. Barrington-Robert Wasson. 104. Port La Tour-Robert B. Mack 105. Shelburne-Douglas Chapman;

DeWolf, D. D., Supernumerary. 06 North East Harbour-Robert H. Taylo 107. Port Mouton-John Johnson 108. Mill Village-James R. Hart. 109. Pitite Riviere-S. W. Sprague.

110. Lunenburg-C. Lockhart. 111. New Germany—(Mission.) To be plied IX.-NEWFOUNDLAND DISTRICT.

112. St. John's-Jas. Dove, Stephen T. Teed A. W. Turner, Supernumerary. 113. Harbour Grace-Thomas Harris 114. Carbonear.--Chas. Comben. One

sent. 115. Brigus-Jno. Waterhouse; W. E. Shens-

116. Port de Grave-Isaac Howie. 117. Black Head-George Forsey. 118. Island Cove-J. S. Peach, E. G. Pelley 119 Perlican-Charles Ladner.

120. Hants Harbor-Thomas Fox 121. Trinity Bay-One wanted. 122. Bonavista-John S. Phinney. 123. Catalina-Samuel Ackman.

124. Twillingste-Henry L. Cranford. 125 Burin-James A. Duke. 126. Grand Bank-John Goodison. 127. Labrador-Isaac Howie (Mission.) plied during summer months.

phed during summer montes.

128. Port au Basque—(Mission), Geo. Reay, George W. Willey.

29. Exploits—One wanted. 130. Fogo-Joseph Pascoe. 131. Green's Pond-One wanted

To the Editor of the Provincial Wesleyan.

DEAR SIR.—The year now closing has from where he had been working, a lifeless been one of marked success on the Maitland Circuit owing to the untiring zeal and ener- scarcely be recognized. The other two men gy of our beloved pastor, the Rev. R. Tweedie. Our weekly, and Sabbath morning but it is thought they will recover. Our cordie. Our weekly, and Sabbath moraing prayer meetings have largely increased in attendance during the year. The Sabbath

ur most sanguine expectations. ganized a sewing circle, and intend holding a sale early in autumn, for the purpose of obtaining finds toward the creation of a little singular, and many will no doubt conclude that it was a premonition of his impendtaining funds toward the erection of a new ing fate. Mission House which is much needed, the On Thursday last Mr. William J. Cock, of old one being in a very dilapidated condition.
Our little church has been undergoing redistance out into the country to bring home a pairs lately, and now presents a very neat and cow. The animal proving rather difficult respectable appearance. The late Richard Smith during his long and useful life took much pains to ornament the grounds surmaking his appearance at the time expected, his rounding the church with trees and shrubs until now it is one of the most delightful the road quite insensible. Medical assistance spots one can imagine. Truly may it be said of our departed brother "His works do sufferer conveyed to his home. He stated that follow him."

health has been failing lately owing to his along the ground. He lingered till Friday arduous labors. It is our sincere and heart- afternoon, when death put an end to his suffer felt prayer that his health may be restor- ings. ed, and that an all-wise Providence may William H. Archibald, a young man about send him to preach the glad tidings to us 26 years of age, son of William I. and Elizagain. He and his amiable partner have beth Archibald, Great Village, Londonderry. greatly endeared themselves to the hearts of while on a visit with his wife to Stewiacke, the he people here, and were they to be re- ceived a kick from a horse about nine o'clock moved, much sorrow would be felt by the Tuesday morning 21st inst., and died an hour ongregation.

ST. JOHN'S NEWFOUNDLAND.

THE WESLEYAN ACADEMY.

The annual examination of the classes of the Wesleyan Academy took place on Fri- On the 14th inst., while John Thomas, Saml day last, in the presence of the Directors. the Rev. S. T. Teed, several of the parents of the pupils, and others interested in the Samuel and Levi, tather and son, drowned. education of the rising generation.

ing branches-English Grammar, Geogra-Accident by Jumping From Train. On phy, French, Latin, Spanish, British and Monday, Mr. Isaac Lowerison, Inspector of Ancient History. Arithmetic, Penmanship Railway Aboideaux, received injuries by and Geometry.

In addition to the examination, which motion. It appears there had been an underwas of the most searching character, both standing between Mr L and the conductor that

tion of the pupils; and some pieces of vo- alighting with safets, and tearing the tren cal and instrumental music were performed would not be brought to a stop, he in sped and in such a manner as elicited the applause of was instantly prostrated, his head being considerated. those present and reflected great credit on erably cut by coming in contact all concerned.

than usually interesting character, commen- but still suffers from the injuries. - [Ambered ced at 9 o'clock in the morning and were Gazette.] continued until half-past 5 in the evening, FATAL ACCIDENT IN CAPE BRETON. - The with the exception of a short recess at noon. "Cape Breton News" says a you g man named. The examination was conducted by the wor- Alexander MacNeil, belonging to Boisdale,

Esq., A. M., and the Second Woodworth, and it affords us sure to congratulate these gentlemen upon the highly creditable state of the institution, which cannot fail to confer lasting advantages upon the youth brought under its educational influences. We wish for the Academy a career of increasing success .- " The

Beneral Intelligence.

THE DOMINION

The President of the Chamber of Commerce in Halifax, has received a letter from the President of the Montreal Board of Trade, suggesting the formation of a National Board of Trade or the Dominion, and asking an expression of the opinion of the Chamber in this city resp ing the project.

WRECKS .- The Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries at Halifax has received the foland Fisheries at Hainax has received the following report from Mr. P. S. Dodd, Superintendent at Sable Island: On the morning of May 25th last the brig Alecto, Capt Finlayson, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., from Liverpool, bound to Halifax with salt and coal, struck on the salt and salt lands were received. the North-east Bar. All hands were saved and sent to Pictou in the steamer Lady Head. The sails, rigging, chains and anchors were also saved. Mr. D. J. McNeil, Superintendent of St. Paul's Island Humane Establishment, reports the loss at that place of the ship Decensive, of Liverpool, G. B., 850 tons, Capt. Curry, boan to Saguenay in ballast; the crew, 17 in all, were saved. Capt. Curry left for Sydney, C.B., on the 16th inst., to charter a vessel to take the crew and effects from the Island. The same officer also reports the loss of the ship Scandinavian, of Drammer, Norway, 560 tons, bound to Quebec in ballast. Her crew of 16 were all o Quebec in ballass. Her crew of to were an saved, and are in charge of the Humane Establishment. Mr. McNeil does not give the date of these wrecks, but his letter is dated June 16th. 1870 .- Recorder

THE JOHN MULLIN .- On Tuesday evening a few lines on the News Room board conveyed the intelligence that the wreck of the pilot boat John Mullin, whose sad fate and that of her John Mullin, whose sad tate and that of her crew, some weeks ago, caused such a feeling of sadness throughout the whole community, and been discovered. It appears that some days ago a party of fishermen belonging to Brir Island, while fishing about 200 yards to the eastward of the N. W. Ledge, and about three miles from Briar Island, got their hooks entangled in the sails and rigging of a sunker vessel. This they are certain is the John Mul She lies in 25 fathoms of water, on a soft nuddy bottom, and it is said it would not be ery difficult to bring her into shoal water. It s to be hoped that some efforts will be made to raise the wreck which it is possible may yet contain the bodies of some of her ill-fated crew. St. John Freeman.

BAPTIST CONVENTION. - The Central Baptist ssociation of Nova Scotia met in the North Baptist Church on Saturday morning. There was a large attendance of delegates, was a large attendance of delegates, lay and clergymen. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: Rev. I. J. Skinner, Moderator: Rev. T. A. Higgins, Clerk; Rufus Sanford, Assistant Clerk; John Steele, Treasurer; T. H. Rand, Assistant Treasurer. Most of the evangencal church pulpits were filled on Snuday by Baptist clergymen.—Chronicle.

Avard Longley, H. A. Taylor, David Marshall, and P. Monaghan, Esqs., are delegates from this Province to the National Division of Sons of Temperance which meets this year at Newark, N. J.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Wednesday one of the watches of H. M. S. Valourous was en-gaged at rifle practice at Stevens's Island, Bedgaged at rine practice at Stevens's Island, Bea-tord Basin, and after firing ten rounds order-were given to cease and load no more. Unfor-tunately one of the men named Connell, whose rifle happened to be loaded got "larking" with a mess-mate, during which the gun went off, the ball entering the head of Connell, just above the left ever convenient present new weeth above the left eye, causing instantaneous death. An inquest was held before Coroner Jennings. board the Valourous, when the

a verdict of "accidental death."- Recorder NEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.-The corner stone of the new Presbyterian church, corner of Tobin and Queen streets, in course of erection by the congregations of Chalmers' and Poplar Grove churches, was laid on Thursday afternoon in the presence of a numerous asset blage.

FATAL ACCIDENTS IN COLCHESTER .- The Truro "Mirror" brings us details of three fatal accidents in the county of Colchester :- A correspondent writing us from Londonderry gives us the facts connected with a fatal accident which happened there on Friday week last. It appears that some men who were work-ing on section 12 of the Intercolonial railway, near Folly Lake, were boring a rock, and while putting down the charge the iron rod used for the purpose in some way struck fire, and not only ignited the charge but the can of powder also, which one man held in his hand near by.
The men were soon separated. One man had this iron rod driven entirely through his body, and was thrown some fifty feet into the air, fallcorpse, his body so burned that he could attendance during the year. The Sabbath viously heard the sound of the hammer school also is becoming more and more in- drills distinctly, whether at work or not, and eresting while numerically it has exceeded on the afternoon of the fatal occurrence he heard these sounds so distinctly that he intima The Ladies of the congregation have or- ted his intention of leaving the work, but was

the cow, becoming very restive, had tried to We regret very much that Mr. Tweedie's escape, and in so doing had thrown him down

Judge Johnston has returned from his visit to the States in improved health. Dr. DeWolf. Superintendent of the Mount Hope Insane Asylum, has returned from Hartford, Connec ticut, where he attended a Convention of Superintendents of Insane Asylums. - Chronicle.

Thomas and Levi Thomas (the latter a son to county, were fishing, their boat was upset and John Thomas succeeded in righting the boat The classes were examined in the follow- and reaching the shore.

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