whom it passed into the hands of the Secretary. After the reading of the essays a few remarks upon the subject were made by Mr. Grierson and Mr. Joseph Bell. Mr. Grierson moved that the Secretary be requested to have the essays or portions of them, published. After collection, the meeting was dismissed, the Benediction being pronounced by Mr. Elliott.—*Reporter*, 18 *inst.*,

HALIFAX COUNTY ELECTION.—This has been decided to be in favor of Mr. Hill by a small majority—about 20 we believe.

SUPREME COURT.—The prisoners convicted at the present sitting of the Supreme Court were sentenced yesterday. Boutilier, for arson, got five years in the Penitentiary; Riley, for larceny, one year in the same institution; Medley, for stealing an ox, six months in jail; Amos Mason, for stealing jewelry from Mrs. Kennedy and Brigley, for breaking into a shop at Margaret's Bay, six months each in jail, and Ellen Spike, a colored woman, for concealing the birth of her child, six months in jail.

DISTURBANCE IN 69TH REGIMENT.—A special to the "Reporter" states that upon a troop-ship clearing from Quebec on Thursday, for Bermuda, with the 69th Regiment, the Colonel refused to take the wives of the men married without leave with their husbands. A partial mutiny, was the result of the refusal. The ship's crew was "called," and in the effort to suppress the mutineers, the ship's quarter deck was strewn with killed and wounded. The mutiny was after a while suppressed. The Governor General sent the women and children on board the "Tamar," and both vessels sailed.

A SINGULARY FATAL ACCIDENT.—One day last week, an infant child—seven months old—of Mr George Phillips, book-binder, was sitting in one of those children's high chairs, when by some means it tipped over chair and all, and coming with much force against the floor, very much bruised its skull. The sufferer lingered until this morning, when death, probably mercifully, came to his relief.—*Acadian Recorder, 21st inst.*.

OBITUARY.—It is our painful duty to announce the demise of Mr. John Caldwell, butcher and cattle dealer of this city, after a brief illness, the result of a heavy cold contracted, it is said, at the fire which occured in the vicinity of his place of business about a fortnight since. The deceased was a most worthy citizen,—a man of unusal enterprise and capability in his business, and of a genial and obliging temper which made him a wide circle of friends. We can scarcely realize the fact of Mr. Caldwell's death, as but a few days ago he was moving among us, full of the bustling activity of a vigorous manhood and to all appearances with many happy years of life still before him. We sincerely sympathize with his widow and family in the great affliction which was deprived them of their protector, and the community of an upright useful citizen.—*Acadian Recorder.*

LORD KIMBERLEY'S DESPATCH.—The Assembly of this Province passed a series of Resolutions on the 16th of April, to be forwarded to the British Government. The following is the Reply of the Colonial Minister.

DOWNING STREET, 8th Oct. 1870.

SIR:—

I have received and laid before the Queen your Despatch No. 101, of the 7th of September, in which you enclose the address to Her Majesty, from the House of Assembly of Nova Scotia.

I observe that this address was agreed to by the Assembly, on the 16th of April, it only reached this country on the 21st of September. If this delay rests with the Provincial Government, I can scarcely be wrong in inferring that they do not attach that importance to the address which on its face, it would appear to deserve. I lose, however, no time in acknowledging it. The House of Assembly request to be informed, first, whether, should the Dominion of Canada claim to be independent, Her Majesty's Government are prepared to acquiesce in such a measure, and to permit the Dominion to assume the position of a free and independent nation, and secondly, whether if the people of any one of the Confederated Provinces dissatisfied with the Confederation, desired independence, Her Majesty would be graciously pleased to set it free.

In answer to the first question I have to state that Her Majesty's Government have no reason to doubt that the people of Canada are sincerely desirous of maintaining unimpaired the existing connection with the rest of the Empire, and they therefore, think it unnecessary to enter into a discussion as to what might be the policy of the country towards the Dominion if a different state of circumstances were to arise.

But I may observe that whilst Her Majesty's Government have ever been ready to assist in preserving a connection based upon the free will of the people of British North America, the Assembly cannot be ignorant of the disinclination of this country to interfere, by force with the wishes of the Colonists.

With respect to the second question, I have to observe that it is not within the legal power of the Sovereign to dismember the Dominion of Canada, and that Her Maesty would view with great regret any attempt to disturb any Union which as she believes, is calculated to promote the security of every Province included in it.

In conclusion, I am to express Her Majesty's satisfaction at the assurance of the continued loyalty and attachment of the people of Nova Scotia, and her confident expectation that further experience of the results of the Union with her other North American Dominions will remove the apprehensions which are entertained by the Assembly, and will prove that in assenting to the Union the Imperial Parliament has laid the foundation of a great and prosperous community, in which Nova Scotia will exercise the influence justly due to the vigor of its inhabitants, and to the important maritime position of its territory.

I have, &c.,

(Signed.) KIMBERLY.

Governor General,

The Right Hon. Sir John Young, Bart.

THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.—The report which the Commissioners of the Intercolonial Railway recently submitted to the Government, shows that the work of construction has been progressing, notwithstanding many drawbacks, as favorably as can be expected. The Commissioners believe, from the work executed, and the preparations in progress, that there is a reasonable prospect that track may be laid upon the greater part, if not the whole, of the following sections of the road by the close of next year, viz:—Sections Nos 1, 2, 5 and 8, Province of Quebec, 86 miles; Sections Nos. 3, 6 and 15, in the Province of New Brunswick, 79 miles; and Sections Nos. 4, 7 and 12, in the Province of Nova Scotia, 73 miles. The principal obstacles will be the heavy clay cuttings at Trois Pistoles in Section No. 2; the rock cutting at Bic Mountain in Section No. 5; the heavy clay cutting at Amherst ridge, in Section No 4; and a deep gorge on the mountain side, in Section No. 7. The masonry still to execute on these sections, from the preparations made, will, the Commissioners believe, be vigorously pushed to completion with the least possible delay.

The number of workmen engaged in the construction of the line is very large; during the months of August and September last, some seven thousand men and horses were employed upon the various contracts. The labor has been of a local character, but it has brought about a very large expenditure of money in the country without in the least causing any apparent disturbance in the labor market.

The Commissioners are in hopes, from the forward state of negotiations, to have all land damages settled and the entire right of way purchased at reasonable prices, by the close of the year. In view of the forward state of the road in some places, tenders for steel rails have been called for, the delivery of which is to commence next spring, when the Commissioners will at once advertise for ties and sleepers for the sections which may then be approaching completion.

FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.—The mail steamer *City of Halifax*, from St. John's, N. F., arrived here on Thursday evening, bringing papers of late date, but they contain but little intelligence of general interest. At the reception of Bishop Carfagnini at Harbor Grace, a young man named Keough was killed by the explosion of a gun.—Several men, while proceeding from Bird Island to Trinity, were drowned by the upsetting of their boat.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

THE RIVER DU LOUP RAILWAY.—The mission of Mr. Ketchum to England, to enlist the assistance of capitalists in the construction of a line of railway from River du Loup to Fredericton, following the course of the River St. John, was so successful, that those appealed to send out a competent engineer to go over the line and report upon its feasibility and the results likely to accrue from the construction of such a work. The former gentleman, accompanied by Messrs. Pickard, Temple, Inches, Gibson, Thompson, and others, are now starting over the route, and will proceed on to Quebec, there to discuss the question in all its bearings, and to obtain what aid they can from parties intererested in such a work.—*News.*

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Tuesday morning Mr. Samuel Devenney, sr., engineer of Messrs. Kirk & Daniel's mill, Portland, St. John, was very seriously injured by being caught in the belting attached to the saws. He was jammed in a most serions manner. His collar bone, breast bone, and several ribs were broken, besides some internal injuries, the most serious being that of the right lung, which is so considerable effected as to render the patient's condition quite critical.—*Telegraph.*

PER TELEGRAPH.

EUROPEAN.

LONDON Nov. 16.—The question of an alliance between England, Austria, Italy and Turkey is discussed on all hands.

Orders have been despatched for the recall of vessels of war from every station except such as are actually needed in foreign waters.

A large concentration of ships at Portsmouth is already apparent, and the greatest activity prevails in all naval depots of the kingdom. A powerful fleet will be immediately despatched to the Mediterranean.

In the best informed circles it is regarded that with the present pretensions of Russia a general European war is inevitable.

A rupture between England and Russia is looked upon as certain and imminent.

It is also believed that Prussia is in close alliance with Russia against the rest of Europe.

In Spain a civil war is imminent, growing out of the throne question.

LONDON, Nov. 18.—All furloughs granted to the British army have been revoked, and a general order has been issued, recalling all the officers on leave of absence.

The tone of the city press is not so fierce as it was yesterday, but though abated it is still full of war feeling.

It is rumoured that Prussia will shortly propose an armistice, as a preliminary to a general congress of Representatives of the European Powers. The Congress will, it is said, be proposed to be held in Brussels. The special subjects to be brought up for discussion, and settlement are the questions between France and Prussia and the question of the revision of the Treaty of Paris 1856 demanded by Russia.

At a conference held in Versailles Count Bismarck assured Odo Russel of Prussia's friendliness towards Great Britian.

The "Times" this morning says that it is imperative upon England to demand of Russia the withdrawal of the peremptory claim of that Power for a revision of the Treaty, before the joint diplomatic revision can occur.

Rumors have reached here of a grand sortie made from Paris. It was reported that the sortie was well organised, and was successful at every point.

It is also stated that the German fleet in the North Sea has been captured by the French fleet.

Dispatches from Vienna gives accounts of a crisis in the Austrian Cabinet. Baron Von Beust resigned the Chancellorship for some reasons as yet unknown to the public. The Emperor, however, refused to accept the resignation.

Despatches from Berlin of the present date, says there is no doubt but that Prussia and Russia will co-operate in case of war.

Great preparations are being made by the Military authorities of the Austria. Three hundred thousand troops are to be sent immediately to the frontiers of Transylvania and Hungary.

St. Petersburg despatches give advice of the fact that five hundred Gattling revolving cannon have been just received from the United States.

All press is put upon the authorities to set actively to work the communes for the purpose of raising a levy *en masse* of all Russian males of the proper age.

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EDITOR'S NOTES, &c.

1. Our agents and all persons who are interested in the circulation and prosperity of our CONFERENCE ORGAN, will please remember and make known as widely as possible that for an advance payment of $2.00 we engage to send the Provincial Wesleyan to a new subscriber, from the time the payment is reported to the office, to the 31st December 1871.

From a few of the Circuits encouraging reports are beginning to come; but we fear that on too many of them the task of obtaining new subscribers is unwisely postponed in the hope that *a more convenient time* will come nearer the end of the year. In opposition to such an idea we would earnestly urge that NOW is the right time to enter upon the work earnestly. Remembering that the object to be aimed at, is the introduction of our Connexional paper into every Wesleyan family, we fear that however vigorously the canvass may be prosecuted the work will not be completed on any Circuit before the New Year will be opening upon us. Certainly there is no time to lose.

2. Another of the six young men we have been seeking to obtain from England, as Candidates for the Ministry in our Conference, came by the steamer last week.

Bro. Waldon Brewer has been appointed to the Cornwall Circuit in the P. E. Island District.

We are encouraged by our excellent Representative in England the Rev. George Scott, D. D., to expect the other two next week.

3. THANKSGIVING DAY IN NOVA SCOTIA.—Thursday the 24th inst., having been set apart by the Governor of this Province for this purpose, there will be public religious services in the different Wesleyan Churches in the City at 11 o'clock, A. M.,—When after appropriate sermons collections will be taken up on behalf of the Halifax WESLEYAN FEMALE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

4. The news from Europe is such as should lead every one who believes in the Sovereignty of God and His Providential influence on Earth, to pray most earnestly to Him to "restrain the remainder of wrath" and "to send peace in our times."

A war which indeed would shake the world, seems to be impending because of Russia's threatened disregard of her treaty engagements made in 1856.

RECEIPTS FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.

To 22nd November, 1870.

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EXECUTIVE BOOK COMMITTEE.—In consequence of the 24th inst., being the day appointed for Thanksgiving—the meeting of this Committee is postponed to Thursday, the 1st December at 3 o'clock P. M.

The Fifty-seventh Anniversary of the Nova Scotia Auxiliary Bible Society will be held, D. V., in Temperance Hall, on Monday evening, the 28th inst. Chair to be taken at 7.30 P. M. The usual collection in aid of the funds will be made.

SACKVILLE DISTRICT.

Foreign Missionary Meetings.

Sackville.—Dec. 5 and 6. Deputation—Brothers Temple and Angwin, Temple to preach.

Point de Bute.—Jan. 9. 10. 11. Brothers Burns and Stewart, Stewart to preach.

Baie Verte.—Jan. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. Brothers Temple and Burns.

Moncton.—Dec. 5. 6. 7. Brothers Allan and Chapman.

Dorchester—Jan. 9. 10. Brother Brettle.
Hopewell, } Local Arrangements.
Hillsboro, }

Havelock.—Time to be arranged. Brother Prince.

Richibucto.—Jan. 11. 12. Brothers Scott and Prince.

Amherst.—Jan. 30. 31. Brothers, Tuttle, Feb. 1. 2. Scott, and Temple.

Nappan.—Dec. 30. Brothers Burns and Allen.

Parrsboro.—Jan. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. Brothers Tuttle and Day.

Advocate Harbor.—Jan. 9. 10. Brothers Tuttle and Alcorn.

By Order,
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Fin. Sec.

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

Arrangements for Foreign Missions.

Halifax North, Halifax South, Dartmouth, and Windsor—Local managements.

Falmouth—Dec. 5, 6, 7. McMurray and Nicolson.

Horton.—Feb. President and Co-delegate.

Kentville—Jany. Huestis and Paisley.

Newport—Jany. 9, 10. Henligar and Sargent.

Avondale—Jany. 11, 12. McMurray and Sargent.

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Musquodoboit Harbour—Feb. 2, 3. Desbrisay and Rogers.

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Shubenacadie—Dec, 5, 7, 8. Desbrisay and Mosher.

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Marriages.

By the Rev. G. O. Huestis, at Cornwallis, on the 9th inst., Mr. Rupert W. Killam, of Berwick, to Miss Margaret Borden, of East Cornwallis.

On the 14th inst., at the Wesleyan Church, Digby, by the Rev. W. C. Brown, Mr. Edwin C. Raymond, to Sarah Jane, daughter of Mr. Rosemblad Morse, all of Digby, N. S.

At the house of the bride's father, on Thursday, 10th inst., by the Rev. Geo. S. Milligan, A. M., Mr. Richard Jewell, of Lot 23, to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. James Punchner, of Charlottetown

By the same, on the same day, Mr. Alfred Thorne, to Elizabeth, second daughter of Mr. Geo. Waughan, all of Charlottetown.

In Fredericton, on the 5th inst., by the Rev. D. D. Currie, Mr. Thomas Smith, to Miss Alice Cain, both of Fredericton.

At Kingsclear, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. D. D. Currie, Mr. Charles D. Cox, of Fredericton, to Miss Charlotte McCarty of the former place.

Deaths.

At Fairville, on the 30th ult., Lizzie, beloved wife of Frank Conner, and second daughter of S. T. and A. J. Thompson, of Woodstock, aged 22 years and 7 months. Although the deceased had been but a short time a resident of Fairville, she had by her affectionate disposition, amiability and moral worth, endeared herself to a large circle of devoted friends, who keenly feel their bereavement, and by their kind attention and sympathy manifest most unmistakably how deeply they loved her. Her death which was both sudden and unexpected has plunged into the deepest grief a devoted husband whose highest ambition and most earnest effort was to secure her happiness—parents, whose affectionate regard rendered every service a pleasure and every sacrifice a joy, if it but conduced to her welfare—brothers and sisters, to whom she was almost an idol, such was their passionate fondness—and a large circle of friends who knew her but to love her. Her remains were conveyed to Woodstock for interment; and a sermon was preached on the occasion by Rev. T. J. Parsons, of St. John, from Rev. xxi. 4. May the kind Father mercifully sustain the afflicted friends under their crushing bereavement is our prayer.

On the 18th inst, William B. Townsend, Esq. High Sheriff of the County of Yarmouth, aged 32 years.

Oct. 13, at Newton Abbey, South Devon, Mary, widow of the Rev. Frederic H. Carrington, rector and garrison chaplain of St John's, Newfoundland, aged 75.

Oct 29, Llanbrymair, Monggtomeryshire, Sarah Annie, wife of Col. S. J. Hill, Governor of Newfoundland, in her 56th year.

On the 17th inst., after a short but severe illness, John Caldwell, a native of the County Armagh, Ireland.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

Wednesday 16.—Stmr City of Limerick, Phillips, Liverpool, G B, via Queenstown; schrs Olive, Atwood, Barrington; Debel, Westhaver, Mahone Bay; Busy William, Zwicker, Mahone Bay, Clear, Hatt, Mahone Bay; Anna Maria, Steinkie, LaHave; Trial, Bond, Chester.

Thursday—Stmr, City of Halifax, Jamieson, St John's, N F; brigts Halifax, Power, New York; Alpha, Westhaver, Baltimore; schrs Island Belle, Farquhar, Boston; Bell Barry, Barry, Chester; Lady Caroline, Brunn, Mahone Bay.

Friday—Stmr City of Cork, Allen, New York; schrs Montezuma, McGrath, Boon Bay, N F; Belle Bartlett McMay, Provincetown, Mass; Admiration, Tipp, Gaspe.

Saturday—Stmr Commerce, Doane, Charlottetown, P E I, via Port Hawkesbury; barque Stella, Brookmru, North Sydney; brigts Faugh-a-Ballagh, Howard, North Sydney; Alpha, Landry, North Sydney; schrs Maggie, Lang, Grand Turk, Turk's Island; Forest Queen, Downey, Boone Bay, N F; Henrietta, Shaw, Bay of Islands, N F; John Northup, Cameron, Turk's Islands; Sea, Queen, Nass Gloucester, Mass, bound fishing; Mary and Louisa from Canso bound to New York; Express, Tanner, P E I; Alice Myrick, Gallant, Charlottetown P E I, bound to New York; Palm, Stanley, Georgetown, P E I; J S Ritcey, Ritcey, Georgetown, do; J W Falt, Sheridan, Georgetown, do; Mary Eden, Fougere, Orwell Bay, P E I.

Sunday—Brigts Mary, Fanning, Porto Rico, 13 days; Lochiel, McLean, Bermuda; schrs Pioneer, Miller, New York, 5 days; Agility, Pye, Baltimore; Juliet, Simpson, St John N B; Lilly of the Clyde, Perry, Lockeport; Comet, Reeves, Port Hawkesbury; Gazelle, Swaine, Boston; Bilbow, Fougere, Boston; Abby Alice, from Port Medway.

Monday—Stmr Carlotta, Colby, Portland; brigt Cora, Barbadoes; schrs Mary Jane, Cape Breton; S. Maria, Pelisman, P E I.

CLEARED.

Nov 19.—Stmr Commerce, Doane, Boston; bark Stag, Wilson, Sydney; brigt Annie Vail, Grant, Port Medway; schrs Dove, Smith, Grand Menan, N B; Table Belle, Giffin, Sydney; Margaret Ann, Lee, Sydney Lingan; Highland Jane, Ascah, Gaspe and Pugwash.

Nov 21.—Schrs Mary Margaret, Horton, Georgetown, P E I; Sarah, Doyle, Port Hood; Cutter, Cormier, Magdalen Islands; Denvil, Westhaver, Mahone Bay; Anne, Publicover, Chester.

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Having, before putting these Bonds upon the market, under the direction of one of our most reliable legal advisers, made the fullest enquiry into the issue and endorsation of these Bonds, I have much pleasure in recommending them as an investment that will, I think give the utmost security and satisfaction. They are already becoming a favorite investment; quite number of leading capitalists in this Province and in Nova Scotia have invested in them.

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Oct 26

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RIBBONS—in every variety.
500 BUNDLES COTTON YARN,
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Nov 16

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Nov 16

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1000 packages RAISINS, consisting of:
Boxs. halves and quarters LAYERS
do do do London Layers
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10 Boxes FRESH LEMONS,
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Oct 18. 4w.

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TENDERS will be received at this Office until noon on FRIDAY, 25th November, instant, from persons willing to contract for the delivery of

THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND RAILWAY SLEEPERS, 9 FT 10 x 6.

Persons tendering will state the description and rate each for the number they purpose to deliver.—Specifications and forms of Tender may be had on application at this office, or any of the stations on the Railway after the 12th inst.

Security will be required for the faithful fulfilment of the Contracts.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.

GEORGE TAYLOR,
General Superintendent.

Railway Office, Halifax Nov. 8th, 1870.
Nov. 10. till 25th.

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Oct 1st, 1870.

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Having completed their Fall and Winter importations would call the attention of their numerous friends and customers to our large and well-selected stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

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Will be found a well-selected Stock comprising Coating, Tweed, Doeskins, Cassimeres, Moltons, Pilot Cloths, Moscow, Beaver, &c., &c.

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To this department we pay particular attention, keeping the largest and best assorted stock in the city we can suit the most fastidious and defy competition. 6 Cases Canadian Tweeds, 200 doz Canadian Shirts & Drawers. Also, Fancy Flannel Shirts, Braces, Ties, Gloves and Collars, in great variety.

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A large stock, and well assorted.

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The only house in the city where first-class Tailors' Trimmings can be had.

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MAY 26, 1870.

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16th day of October, 1870.

Present—His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Hon. the Minister of Customs, and under authority given by the 5th section of the Act 31st V