

I met the army with Sir Hope Grant on the march within a mile after passing through the Chinese lines of skirmishers...

Obituary Notices.

Mrs. FRANCES HUNTER, wife of Mr. Ramsey Hunter, residing on the Little Forks Road, County of Hanra, was the daughter of Mr. Reuben Mosher, of Newport...

Her funeral was attended by a large company of mourning and sympathizing friends, who listened with deep attention to a sermon from the writer.

Provincial Wesleyan.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1861.

In consequence of the official relation which this paper sustains to the Conference of Eastern British America, we require that Obits, Royal, and other notices addressed to us from any part of the Province within the bounds of the Conference, shall pass through the hands of the Superintendent Minister.

Collegiate Education.

TO thoughtful and intelligent Methodists throughout the Province.

IN our former article we endeavored to delineate the nature of Collegiate Education, and to describe its value to our country at large.

Not less imperative are the requirements of our Church for the diffusion of the higher education within her boundaries, than are the demands of our country on the same behalf.

strip us in summing to its alliance, sound learning or advanced education. We shall long and fruitfully mourn over any serious neglect in this direction.

There is however a condition—a condition underlying all these considerations—a condition which a Christian patriot can never ignore.

The education of the mental faculties is a development of power—the higher the training, the higher the power.

This support, however, is not to be given or received in the light of a mere gratuity; but as a moral right, grounded on the principles of common justice.

Another reason for strenuously insisting on the importance of closely combining moral with mental training in Collegiate Education, is found in the fact that Collegiate training is almost entirely confined to the period of youth—a period marked by immaturity of judgment, and an unformed character.

The character of the studies by which the Collegiate education carries forward its processes, renders it especially careful to connect with their prosecution a distinctly defined Christian influence.

The study of the Classics is associated with the higher Mathematics pure and applied in a College course.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable state of the weather, the meetings have been held in several places of worship belonging to the different denominations; and all have cheerfully taken part in the sacred exercises.

St. Margaret's Bay Circuit. MR. EDITOR: Your correspondent, either from a profound consciousness of his inability to write an article suitable for your interesting and useful pages...

The Pecuniary Claims of the Wesleyan Church.

Unless Christ had left his servants to be dependent upon the Church for their pecuniary support, he had deprived that Church of its fairest and principal opportunity of showing its love for him.

The man who presumes to advocate, faithfully and spiritually, the grand principle of the Church's pecuniary support, may expect, by various classes, to be assigned to their respective bars of judgment, and there condemned and punished.

The pecuniary claims of the Wesleyan Church naturally divide themselves into two great branches, the LOCAL and FOREIGN.

The support of Ministers. That they should be supported, we presume, will not be denied by those who take the Bible as the only guide of both their faith and practice.

At the Bay we have two Chapels and a mission house. The Upper Chapel is neat and comfortable, but not entirely finished.

Letter from Shelburne. DEAR MR. EDITOR:—Though it is sometimes said anything has appeared in your very interesting and useful journal...

Union Prayer Meetings. MR. EDITOR:—I think it will be pleasing to your readers to find in your valuable paper brief records of the services connected with the great camp-meeting throughout the boundaries of the Conference.

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way: Our pastor was assisted on these occasions by Rev. Mr. Dunean of Barrington, and Rev. Mr. Hart of Lunenburg; also, by Messrs. Shelburne of Liverpool Circuit, and Coker of Shelburne.

It may not be interesting to many readers of your very excellent paper to know how we got along in this land upon whose rough surface nature has been so sparing of her ample stores of embellishments.

The golden tide of prosperity, in all its amplitude and richness, has not, as in days ago, rolled in upon these rock-bound shores to gladden the sorrowing and cheer the desponding in this inhospitable region.

We have not only suffered in common with others in this respect—we have to chronicle, with deep heart-sorrow, yet with entire submission to the inscrutable will of the Most High, the death of several of our most efficient members of society.

Letter from Grand Bank, N. F. MR. EDITOR: DEAR SIR:—I write this tribute of respect and esteem to the memory of that excellent and worthy man, the Rev. THOMAS GAETZ, whose loss I sincerely lament, and which is felt by almost every individual in this place.

Under our ordinary head to day, we record the death of Lawrence Street, owned by J. Chipman, Esq., at a rental of \$300 per annum.

The Mayor and Ald. Hill are to proceed to the States for the purpose of purchasing two Steam Fire Engines and hose.

Investigation to find, if possible, the origin of the fire was commenced yesterday. Seven or eight witnesses were examined but nothing important was elicited, save that when the Messrs. Garre's left the shop shortly before the alarm was given everything as they considered was in a perfect state of security.

A vessel lying at Watson's Wharf caught fire during Saturday night—her mainsail was somewhat injured.

manifesting the feelings exhibited on the 17th of May, 1860, the day of his departure from us, will ever be remembered by those who witnessed it.

The manifestation of feeling, and striking effects of love and esteem, on that occasion, would read the hardest heart, and call up those affections, so sacred to a grateful sense of love and duty.

His friends may well be thankful that he was spared to them so long, and that he should be buried with an affection all but filial, should also be admitted to copy his work of faith, and labor of love, and patience of hope in the Lord.

Letter from Newfoundland. MR. EDITOR:—I am glad to be able to send you four additional subscribers for the Provincial Wesleyan. In it I have always felt a deep interest, and with it, upon the whole, I have been much pleased; but particularly so late.

General Intelligence. Domestic. Under our ordinary head to day, we record the death of Lawrence Street, owned by J. Chipman, Esq., at a rental of \$300 per annum.

Colonial. The Mayor and Ald. Hill are to proceed to the States for the purpose of purchasing two Steam Fire Engines and hose.

W. M. Harrington & Co have purchased for \$2000 the premises occupied by E. Lawson, located at the corner of the West and South Streets, Room No. 4.

E. G. Fuller, Esq., has removed his Store and Express Office to 167, High Street, in the shop formerly occupied by J. A. Graham.

SHIPWRECK AND LOSS OF LIFE.—The French schooner Hameon, Capt. Robin, from Halifax for Boston, and New York, with a cargo of fish and potatoes, went ashore ten miles south of Barnegat at 8 A. M. on the 3d inst.

