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The Old Man's Prayer.

Suggested by a sermon from Luke xxiv, 29: "Abide with us; for it is toward evening, and the day is far spent." Tarry with me, O my Saviour ! For the day is passing by; See the shades of evening gather, And the night is drawing nigh-Tarry with me! tarry with me Pass me not unheeded by.

Many friends were gathered round me In the bright days of the past; But the grave has closed above them And I linger here the last; I am lonely—tarry with me Till this dreary night is passed

Dimmed to me is earthly beauty: Yet the spirit's eve would fair Rest upon thy lovely features-Shall I seek, dear Lord, in vain Tarry with me, O my Saviour ! Let me see thy smile again !

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Dull my ear to earth born music-Speak thou, Lord, in words of cheer Feeble, tottering are my footsteps, Sinks my heart with sudden fear; Cast thine arms, dear Lord, around me! Let me feel thy presence near!

Faithful memories trace before me Every deed and thought of sin; Open thou the blood-filled fountain Cleanse my guilty soul within! Tarry, thou forgiving Saviour! Wash me wholly from my sin

Deeper, deeper grow the shadows, Paler now the glowing west; Swift the night of death advances, Shall it be a night of rest? Tarry with me, O my Saviour ! Lay my head upon thy breast!

Feeble, trembling, fainting, dying, Lord, I cast myself on thee Tarry with me through the darkness When I sleep, still watch by me Till the morning -- then awake me, Dearest Lord, to dwell with thee -Andover Advocate

Ancient Examples of the Sympathy of Christians with their Persecuted Brethren.

-Having been appointed by the Confercated at Berlin the cause of religious liberty; the following epistle.

The Madiai have been released from pri- made on their behalf. son, through the goodness of God, and the But it was reserved for the Christians of organs of which have in part been found ed, to be the instruments in the hand of seek for the people whom they govern, an of the evangelical faith are still pursued in Tuscany; and in other countries, also, religious liberty is seriously compromised. We command of the Vice Admiral, Jean de He-Is the charity of real Christians so soon soners, to obtain from them information on and the abolition of slavery have rendered

tive to these questions. "If one member suffer, all suffer with it;" and we much de- "your chains will be struck off." Before,

is taking place at the present time.

During the latter part of the 17th century, the Emperor Leopold, who had been brought up in expectation of a high office in the church, having come to the throne by the death of his brother, evinced a strong par-

church and towards the king, and a certain Hungary and Italy.

To the Provisional Committee formed at at Naples, visited them daily, and did all he blindly throw themselves, and by which they Hamburg for the vindication and promo- could to comfort them; and Dr. Zafflus, of are destroyed. Civil and religious liberty, My Lord, Gentlemen, and dear Brethren,

My Lord, Gentlemen, and dear Brethren, and England, informing them of the fate of it seems, indeed, that they prefer to perish. these martys of Jesus Christ. The celebra- Intolerance is fatal to Protestantism-it is tion to the Kirchentag, and also of your own ted Professor Heidegger of Zurich, the illusbody, I have, in the former character, advobe of any service to you, living as I do so to the prisoners, in order to strengthen their strongest presented to us is that arising out much more in my own study than in public. faith. The Elector of Saxony spoke warmly of the condition of our brethren, who are Willing, however, to give you a proof of my in their favour to the Emperor; and it apinterest in the holy cause in which you are pears even that Charles II., king of England, engaged, I have been desirous to send you recommended them to the universities and Church "break asunder the bars of iron"

amongst yourselves. But other confessors God of the deliverance of the evangelical therefore ask ourselves, if what was effected reu, entered the port of Naples, and immefor the Madiai ought not to be done for them? diately sent his chaplain Vireth to the pri-Should they not inquire dili- some points which he specified, "in order," gently into the circumstances of all those of as he said, "that, by the help of God and wealth, or the power of her fleets. The their brethren who in different places are suf- the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, he might fering on account of their faith, and ought obtain their deliverance." The prisoners they not to seek by every means in their having furnished the most satisfactory repower to procure for these prisoners the plies to his enquiries, the Admiral repaired pening of their prison doors? (Isaiah lxi. to the Viceroy, who returned a favourable answer to his demand. The chaplain has-It is impossible not to reply in the affirma- tened, full of joy, to communicate the tidings ceive ourselves if we think that the course however, that day arrived, the fear of a war pursued on behalf of the Madiai was ex- with France compelled the Dutch fleet to traordinary, or an act of piety peculiar to the quit the Bay of Naples, and the Christians present day. This activity of brethren for were left to sigh in their bondage. Already their suffering brethren has been seen in all had the fleet neared the coast of Sicily ages, and the church of our times would be when the chief Admiral, the celebrated Ruyguilty if she did not deeply sympathise with ter, received orders from the States-General, those who are prisoners for the sake of the particularly commending to him the cause of the prisoners. At the same time a petition was sent to him by the martyrs them infant Spring with its joyous and hopeful divine patience, the time of your probation. Lord Jesus Christ, and it she did not put of the prisoners. At the same time a petiforth her efforts in their behalf.

I might cite in illustration a beautiful example found in the history of the church, in their case, wrote to the king of Naples in the time of Cyprian, (middle of the third their favour. Their cause was submitted to century.) Some Numidian Christians hav- the examination of the tribunal, and on the ing been made prisoners by the barbarians, 22nd of January 1676, the verdict was given that excellent bishop of Carthage immediate- that the Ministers and others who had been indistinct portrait of a far off friend. Each ready to be served off, the piece of cloth namely, facts, -facts which may be easily and we are not yet come to the end. If there to Christianity! For six hundred millions of ly made a collection (sestertiæ centum millia suffering unprisonment were innocent, and in turn has brought us rich blessings, indication to the end. If there to Caristianity is ready to be served on, the piece of cloth and we are not yet come to the end. If there to Caristianity is ready to be served on, the piece of cloth and we are not yet come to the end. If there to Caristianity is ready to be served on, the piece of cloth and we are not yet come to the end. If there to Caristianity is ready to be served on, the piece of cloth and the piece of cl nummorum), which he sent to the bishops ought to be set at liberty. For some time tive of a benevolent and sustaining hand.— of them that have buried thy companion are of Numidia, accompanied with these words:— new difficulties seemed to oppose their libe- Additionally to dispensing earthly comforts at the door to carry thee out.—Jay. "We ought to consider the captivity of our brethren as our own. Charity should impel lains of the Dutch fleet, Westhiowe and Viness of life's course, their chief errand has us to deliver our brethren, who are the members of our own body. They are the temrepaired to the galleys, and received from Angels, they have been sent forth from the I now revert to my reasons for believing try, political, and commercial progress?—

I now revert to my reasons for believing try, political, and commercial progress? ples of God, and they must not remain in the custody of the authorities their brethren presence of the Most. High to minister to that a splendid destiny awaits the Bible. prisoned brethren we should see Christ him- of their sufferings, united in praising God.

called aloud, in the presence of the Jesuits may be well to remark that the Dutch fleet who were looking on, "We protest before entered the port of Naples not as an enemy More lately we have looked upon the Sodoms.—Rev. W. Leask. God against you, who treat us more cruelly than the most violent persecutors treated the apostles; for those servants of God had, at better understood, and we must remember tread; each falling leaf has read to man his least, prisons provided them." The Jesu- the words of St. Paul, "The weapons of our future destiny-thus does he fade-thus does its replied, with laughter, "The harder you warfare are not carnal, but mighty through he fall, for yet a little while, and a strange work the sooner will you have one." A God." It is without parade—in all humitid and unaccustomed chill shall paralyze the woman, who had given a morsel of bread to ty, and seeking strength by faith and prayer heart and discharge the soul from its clayey one who was starving, was clothed in the that we should endeavour, with the most tenement to a world of spirits. dress used by prostitutes, and made to walk untiring activity, to achieve conquests in fa-

into the custody of a troop of four hundred 10.) All just and right minded persons will care and activity may have characterized our horse and as many foot soldiers, who were come at length to acknowledge as a most attention to this life's concerns, but who have returning to Italy. On their way through evident truth, that the province of the magis- given that superior attention to holy things Vienna they found five of their colleagues, trate terminates where that of conscience be- which their supreme importance demands who were prisoners like themselves. They gins; that truth being stronger than error, From the sumless cycles of an unchanging embraced one another with mutual exhorta- and capable of being received only through state has the note of alarm been sounded, tions to be faithful even to the end, and the sincere conviction, is efficiently served only "PREPARE TO MEET THY GOD!" who has superintendent-minister, Etienne Selgei, who when men are permitted to seek it with per- clothed himself for the battle? Alas! resowas one of them, exclaimed, with deep emo- fect freedom; that those nations that receive lutions, registered on high, yet unfulfilled, tion, "Oh God, what times are these, for their religion ready made from the hands of vows to Heaven, for holy living, yet unrewhich thou hast reserved us? Grant that, the priests and civil authorities, are, by that deemed, witness the failures of past days, strengthened by thee, we may overcome the very means, degraded, weakened and dimi- and mournfully declare the insufficiency of sufferings which yet await us!" Their jour- nished by superstition-rendered incapable mortal strength for a contest so unequal. ney was performed on foot, with fetters on of spiritual, generous, and elevated senti- Is there then no hope for time to come? their limbs, and amidst the ridicule and ill-ments. In fact that a nation becomes de- Must we again have to submit to these mortreatment of the soldiers. At Trieste, their vout, moral, great, strong, in proportion to tifying defeats? Lo! a voice from the exheads and beards were shaven, which so dis-figured them that they could only be recog-nised by their voices. Their garments also vilization has for many ages pretended to be were torn by their guards, and hung on them commissioned to spread everywhere religion of his strength for the approaching contest, in tatters. Four of their number died before morality, and knowledge. It is now in a so shalt thou be more than conqueror through they quitted the city, and soon after Gregoire state of decay, and evangelical Protestant "Him who hath loved us." But do it now Helv sank down on the road, and his lifeless civilization is succeeding it. It is from Eng. now the way to the "throne of grace," lies body was left to the birds of prey. At land, the United States of America, and the broadly open-in another hour the avenue length, on the 7th of May, thirty of these rest of the Protestant nations, that a great may be closed: and forever more, unsustainpersecuted people reached Naples, where light must shine forth upon those who are ed by hope, and amid the dolefulness of an they were sent to the galleys, together with now sitting in darkness and the shadow of awfully cheerless and endless night thy Turks, Moors, and negroes, who were prison- death. Whence comes this change of posi- lamentation be, "The HARVEST IS PAST. ers of war, and malefactors under sentence tion, which is, without doubt, the most im- THE SUMMER IS ENDED, AND" I AM "NOT portant fact of modern times? Solely from SAVED." The sufferings of these Christians soon this, that amongst Protestants the Word of Cape Bieton, Dec. 1, 1853. roused Protestant Europe. A rich mer- God has free course. The intolerance of thant, named George Weltz, who had settled Popish nations is a sword upon which they

Roman Catholicism. many others, addressed to them letters of There are, then, many reasons why we Jesus Christ. May the Divine Head of the bishops, in order that collections should be (Psalm cvii.;) and may the Roman Catholic powers at length grant everywhere that liberty of conscience and worship, which in so intervention of public Protestant opinion, the Holland, who had themselves been persecutachievements. The opening of free trade England more illustrious than all her abolition of intolerance would be a victory no less memorable, and the effect of which all now aim, and may God grant that it teenth century, and that your Association, my Lord and Gentlemen, may be one means in His hands, for hastening on this glorious triumph. All our strength is in Him. Accept, dear brethren, the expression my Christian love, MERLE D'AUBIGNE. -From the Montreal Witness.

FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN. "The Harvest is Past."

ans), and sixty-five of the Helvetic confes- French also. This book will present a And when Summer came warm and in in a few days. The infant of eight, the peopled. . . England has endeavored to remediable impictists. When you meet a sion (Reformed) appeared. The Turkish touching page in the history of martyrs, as lengthened days, hurrying on to completion Sabbath School child, and the grey-headed conquer all those vast and populous regions. Frenchman professing shamelessly an abject packs forbade the ministers who lived under yet unknown; and will, I think, be well calling the opening promises of Spring Nature saint on the brink of the grave, would vie known under the general name of India.— materialism, and trampling under foot all the government of his sovereign to attend to culated to excite the interest of evangelical turned another page and bade us read. As with each other in citing from memory its She has spread civilization in the north of laws, human and Divine, conclude that that the summons. These servants of God were Christians in behalf of their oppressed breth- the rising sun, whose circuit now spans the beautiful truths; and the obedient press the American Continent, i. c. Upper Cana- man has passed his vonthful years under the now accused of being rebellious towards the ren in Roman Catholic countries, especially heavens, by his genial influences, generously would multiply copies with electric speed. da. She has made herself mistress, by the rod of the priests, and you will rarely desubserves the cares and business of life-so Oh! no, come what will, the Bible is safe. labor of her children, of all the positions of ceive yourselves. Poor France! she seeks number from among them, chiefly from the It behoves us, the Christians of the pre- remember the circumstances of this existence It has penetrated our literature, and filled an island—New Holland—which is vast as her means of defence even in those things "Reformed," who showed the greatest firm- sent day, to exercise as active a charity in __the flowing health_ our memories; and, though it be despised, a continent; and she has thrown out her which have produced her malady, and can ness, were condemned. They were imme- behalf of those who now suffer imprison- the returning strength these passing mo- scorned, and hated by multitudes, it is branches into the most important Archipe- only aggravate it. diately employed in the lowest occupations, ment, as that shown in the time of Cyptian ments—the remnant of time, are all pressed among us, and it cannot be removed, except lagoes with which the Great Ocean is beard compelled to labour in the erection of a and Ruyter. It is not, certainly, with fleets into the great business of life and that at prison. One of them, Maurice Harsamyi, that we must come to their aid, (though it once, for e'er another dawn, they may have act He will not perform, so long as He can dised themselves prodigiously in riches and

Thus have rolled away in quick succession vour of the noble principles of religious li- these instructive periods and with them have On the 18th of March, 1675, thirty-six of berty. Let us not cease to do good, "espe- gone the opportunities then offered for a prethese ministers of the Word were delivered cially to the household of faith," (Gal vi. paration for a coming eternity. Prudence,

VICTOR.

Young Men.

I see some in this assembly who are distinguished by the fear of God in their youth -some Isaacs, who prefer an evening walk to meditate, to the crowded avenues of dissipation - some Josephs, whose image is a fruitful bough by a well "-some Davids who love the harps of Sion, and have no ear for the "song of the drunkard," or the "mouth of fools"-some Timothys, "who love, which Zaffius hastened to communicate should demand religious liberty, but the from childhood have known the Scriptures, which are able to make them wise unto salvation." And I hail you on your early escape from the paths of the destroyer, in your early separation from a world which attracts only to show its emptiness, and elevates only to depress; on your early union with the wise and good. Go forth in all "the beauties of holiness," honour God, and serve your generation according to His will. Religiously occupy the stations which you are to ennoble, and form the connections which you are to bless. Adorn the doctrine of God your Saviour in all things. Earnestly pursue the glorious course which you have begun; be not weary in well-doing; grow in grace as you advance in years; ment;" "approve the things that are excellent, and be sincere and without offence till

And what hinders any of you, my young friends, from joining yourself to the Lord. Weigh the reasonings which you have heard, suspend for a while the influence of your passions, and endeavour to feel the force of he motives which have been adduced. Deliberate, or rather decide, for there is no Time on its tireless pinions has borne us passions, your aversions; every delay will cent discourses. They give free flight to

prospects—the riper Summer in its full While you hesitate you die; while you ing in disorder and anarchy, whilst Romanilarity of beauty—the sober Autumn tra- promise yourselves years, perhaps you have cing upon hill and dale reflective hues, have not days; perhaps the shuttle has passed course. all been with us and gone. Their memory the loom that wove thy winding sheet; pernow rises before the mind like the faded and haps in yonder shop lies rolled up, and

ples of God, and they must not remain in the custody of the authority of the scene of the sce These are, the hold it has taken on man, in the grand questions which interest and seif, and seek the release of find who has himself redeemed us from death." (Cypriani, Ep. 60.)

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The Resurrection Day! when at the clarge of "the great Archangel's trump," life shall show itself in long since decayed bodies and the green graves of earth and hidden long the proposition of the proposition of the proposition of political economy; and they are very glad to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory in harmony with onerring inhorte wisdom to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to forewarn them at first against those theory and supplies to fore tiality in favour of the Jesuits, and a service attention to the minor ceremonies of Roman Catholic devotion. Persecution soon followed in Hungary. The authorities, led on by them with true Christian kindness, saying, when bodies and spirits one diseases of the sources and spirits one successful the sources of the sources and spirits one successful the sources of the sources o the many places of their controls, and drove away their pastors. Entering by force the dwellings of the faithful, they compelled them to partake of the "host," actually such means they made them Roman (Sabolics, "Sir," said a peasant of the under of your release." It we have only been the injurtuments in the author of your release." It we have only been the injurtuments of the faithful, they conclude the annihilation, of every public author of your release." It we have only been the injurtuments in the author of your release." It we have only been the injurtuments in the author of your release." It would not be the biotting out the priest, "I swear by the living "God, that if you put the host into my mouth, I will bit off your fingers."

The Christians of Hungary have classed in the support of the Christian of the the author of your release." It is well, I think, for Christians of the support of the cause of Romanists. The fallowing are specified, beforing himself by an injurtual library in the world. The Bible would require to induce the mand of God; give thanks to ell thin who is a special to mind what has been a living of the pastors become provided the author of your release." It is well, I think, for Christians of the living "God, that if you put the host into my mouth, I will bit off your fingers."

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[FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.] Winter.

Old Winter has come In white robes array'd,-Every spot in the land Feels the touch of his hand,-The Robin has gone of his rough breath afraid

Verdure of Autumn He's changed to sad brown; His gusty wind heaves The dry rustling leaves, down.

The Sun looks distress'd So shorn of his beams Fall oft in dark clouds His brightness he shrouds abashed at the strength of his old rival

But onward he'll shine Through cloud and through clear, 'Till his warm beams shall go Through mountains of snow, make the glad earth, a new Eden appea

Thus the good man pursues The path that God sends; Through light and through shade, By woe and joy made, onward to Eden his glorious way wends.

Though Winter is cheerless, Man's gladness can make The landscape look bright In its pure robe of white, -

The white snow looks fair That in Winter still green Are more joyful seen, While those that are leafless are made too to

With ice crusted o'er That mist lately made. As descending it froze, The landscape oft shows plants, and bushes, all with gems over

Let Winter rage on With his storms and his sleet; The red blazing fire Shall new joys inspire, While tales of old times, with glee, we repeat.

For the soul's richer flow While the fields are all dead 'Tis for man now to spread Over Nature's thick gloom, his thought's brighter

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abound more in knowledge and all judg- Parallel between Roman Catholic ment XIV. That is the resolution of Popeand Protestant Nations.

INCREASING INTERVENTION OF THE POPISH CLERGY IN PUBLIC EDUCATION.

Christendom. The apologists of Romanism maintain with imperturbable assurance the two following theses: first, that Protestanism is contime for hesitation; "now is the accepted trary to the true interests of human society, time, now is the day of salvation; the and plunges the people into all sorts of calalanguage of the Redeemer is "to-day," and mities; secondly, that Roman Catholicism will leave you more remote from the God ity, and prosperity of nations, and that it more barriers between you and heaven; expect from a social state. Upon these two every delay will increase your crimes, your themes the Romish writers extend magnifi-

the doctrines of the Reformation? What the colleges and schools. have been their respective developments? From whence comes so much success? Christ who off stand between the living and Can the Bible be Destroyed?

On which side is there more activity, industry, political, and commercial progress?—

Those parents who desire to be on good in high positions in the Church of Christ; What is, lastly, their comparative strength

lomain. They have destroyed, on all sides, The year is nearly gone. The last bright the limits which circumscribed their terrisands, just lingering in the glass, will soon tory; they are now seated on the two oceans; rum out. York, and they seem to be appointed to at will have flown, forever flown, and mingled least equal destinies. They have proved in the deep profound abyss of vast eternity. their superiority over the Catholic (Roman) Chill winds bowl around us, and in the nations of the New World, and have sub- woods lie withered branches, faded relies of jected them to a vassalage which is no long-summer's glory. The fields lie before us, er contested. Considered together, England looking so bleak and cheerless in their

na and Japan. ing this same period, what progress have in vain for her friendly notice. (Roman) Catholic nations made? The first | So Christian, though mists and darkness of them all,-the most compact,-the most may haver to conceal thy Father's face, glorious,-France,-which, for fifty years, though fierce temptations may assail thee, has appeared to occupy the throne of civili- and trials be thy portion, yet, cast not away zation, has experienced strange disasters, thy confidence; God still watches over thee seen its sceptre broken and its power dis- in kindness and pity, and marks thy strugpersed. She has risen again with the noblest gling through attlictions's waves. Though courage, and most indomitable energy; but his presence be withdrawn from thee, know every time that she was led to believe that that thy Saviour passed through the same she was about to take a rapid flight, fatality, before thee; and to Calvary's agonies was like a scourge from God, has sent her a re- added the trial which forced him to exclaim volution, which has paralysed her efforts, "My God! my God! why hast thou forand caused her miserably to fall. Evident- saken me?" Hold firm thy trust in Him

been reversed."

of the civilized world, that the countries new era dawn upon thy existence; and as from prosperity to prosperity, whilst Roman- so will thy soul more brightly reflect the Chevalier believe in the re-elevation of Ro- thine heart: lean not to thine own underman Catholic nations? "The spirit of Ro-standing." man Catholicism has shown," says he, "durability for progress (?) its harmony with liberty (??); true liberty, that supreme good, in the pursuit of which the whole human race is engaged. Well! Catholic hierarchies, and Catholic (Roman) civilization are simply called, yet once again, to accomplish that which they have so many times done so well? Why, then, is it that you will so confidently affirm that they will be now stranded in this work? Why? Because the directors of the Papal church, far from adopting the principles of modern time, go back to the most immoral and iniquitous maxims of barbarous ages;—because they seek their The Philosopher and the Child. support in superstition and fanaticism ;-betism in political affairs; because lastly, there dignity, and replied: is a radical opposition, an increasing difference, between the tendencies of the present generation and these of Popery," M. Michel Chevalier imagines that the Church of Rome can sympathise with liberty and progress; he charitably invites her to effect a pher could hardly have given a better. complete change within her own bosom. Ersaid the General of the Jesuits to Pope Cle-

No remarkable event has taken place, during the last month, among the Popish cler-(French Correspondence of the Evangelical gy of France. The war between the Ultramontanes and the Gallicans continues, without occasioning any new incidents worthy of remark. There are continually gross invectionished in his turn; "who told you so tives, ignoble personalities, attacks which discover a deep hatred between the contending parties. The only document which I shall bring forward to the attention of your will you say "to-morrow." Every delay is eminently favorable to the order, tranquillic Instruction, on the changes introduced in words. you have to seek; every delay will place alone can realise all the good which men national education. It results from these official informations that the number of educational establishments confided to Romish ecclesiastics increases rapidly. The small seminaries placed under the surveillance of the bishops number about 19,000 pupils .-The other clerical educational houses contain 17,000. Here, then, are 36,000 children and young people, of a higher class and Nearly eighteen hundred and three score means, who are entirely delivered over to To these splendid dissertations there is a the inspirations of the clergy, priests, or Je-Calvary hearkened to the dying grouns of very simple and conclusive thing to oppose, suits. It is a considerable augmentation, man's Redeemer; and how few converts won Popery, and that of those which maintain extend their influence over all the youth of fetters of Paganism is a terrible reproach

terms with the powers, and obtain salaried ing high positions in the Church of Christ; places, (and they are numerous in France); do not fail to send their children to the small professors of Christianity, when shall this seminaries, or to other control of the small this

Fragment.

San Francisco is the counterpoise of New upon the vielding shores of time; and soon and the United States, after the attempt thread-bare vestments, soon to be changed made by the former on China, seem to be for the fleecy robes of winter. To-night the on the point of subduing to their authority moon keeps her stated vigils o'er our earth, the two most renowned empires of the ex- not shining forth in peerless beauty as in treme East-two empires which numerically times gone by, but dark clouds hover around While the last on the trees are whirl'd quickly represent nearly the half of mankind-Chi-her pathway, and throw a shade over her pure face. Once she smiled upon the waters Russia also seems every day to take a beneath her, they reflected her face, and remore prominent position in Europe. Dur- joiced in her mild beams; but now look up

ly, since 1789, the balance between Catholic who "leaves thee but to try thee;" and as eivilization and non-Catholic civilization has the year will soon close, so may thy term of suffering end, and a bright morn dawn after These are important avowals from M. Mi-these dark days. As tair Luna will again chel Chevalier! He confesses, in the face walk forth in pristine splendour, so will a which have shaken off the Papal yoke, go the dimpled waters rejoice in her mild rays, ist nations decline day by day. Now, how image of thy God, and come forth purified can so intelligent a thinker as M. Michel from the trial. "Trust in the Lord with all

dope and be undesnayed:
God hears thy sighs, and counts thy tears;
God shall lift up thy head.
Through waves, and clouds, and stoolas. Leave to his sovereign sway, To choose and to command: So shalt then wendering, own his way, How wise, how strong his hand."

A philosopher once asked a little girl if cause they extol and practise, as much as she had a soul. She looked up into his face they can, intolerance in religion, and despo-

To be sure I have."

"What makes you think you have?" " Because I have," she promptly replied.

It was but a child's reason, but the philoso-"Well, then," said he, after a moment's

ror and chimera! Sint ut sunt, aut non sint, consideration, "if you know you have a soul, can you tell me what your soul is?" "Why," said she, "I am six years old, " ry: it will remain as it is until it perishes; and don't you suppose that I know what my

" Perhaps you do. If you will tell me, I shall find out whether you do or not." "Then you think I don't know?" she replied ; "but I do -it is my think."

" Your think !" said the philosopher. as-"Nobody. I should be assumed if I did not know that without being told."

The philosopher had puzzled his brain a great deal about the soul, but he could, not have given a better definition of it in so few

(FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.) Closet Musings.

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years are recorded in the book of time since to the Christian Church. Ye Ministers of

blaze forth more and more gloriously unto

Four evils which have unhappily crept in the Church of Christ we think materially retard her progress and cramp her energies; a prayerless spirit, pride, indolence and covetousness. On the other hand, if her members were richly imbued with a spirit of prayer and humility, and endowed with untiring energy, liberality and enterprise. instead of converts being numbered by units and tens they would be counted by thousands and tens of thousands. The question therefore comes with powerful weight to the understanding and conscience, what remedy can be found on the one hand for the destruction of these evils; and on the other what means can be introduced to unfold the necessary requirements of successful Christian effort? The steady enjoyment of holi- the well-beloved and true, that they come to ness by every follower of Jesus is the great the lonely heart as a holy spell that shall desideratum. Let this mantle of holiness guard, pure and undimmed, the love we chespread its folds around the heart of man, rish for the absent. and prayer becomes not only duty but delity and wide world enterprise.

quality as in quantity. Find the disciple of Christ who with a single eye follows in the Many years have swept on since one went footsteps of His ascended Lord and prayer forth, with the flush of hope upon his cheek, is the business of his life; yea his every and a mother's blessing on his brow, to the breath is prayer. Under all circumstances isles of the southern seas, to tell the story of at the desk-in the study-mingling with the Cross. He left in his fair English the busy crowd he loves to pour forth his home a mother whose life was twined with soul in continued prayer to His Father in his, yet, when his glance was turned upon heaven. And moreover there is power in those who were ready to perish, she chased the petition of a sanctified heart which is the anguish from her heart, and the tearforeign to the cold address to God of the drop from her eye, that he might win souls half-hearted christian. Go to any prayer for Jesus. He went to those whom darkmeeting; listen to the fervent appeal to the ness covered as a pall, and a fearful shadow mercy seat of the heart fully alive to God; as of the grave rested on each undying spimany expressions may grate upon the ear rit. He toiled with them, and told them of ant ranks not with men in the walks of litera- a ransom for many, and of the bright home ture; but there is a power, a weight, an unction which waits for all who love Him, and they about that prayer which tells that the offerer marvelled. He lingered there till a voice if not taught of man is assisted by God- came over the waters, telling that the mother "The Holy Spirit making intercession"- whose image was enshrined within his heart. why such a petitioner waxing bold in the had gone to dwell with Him "whom having power of faith seems but to ask and the not seen, she loved." Bitterly came that place of prayer is filled with the presence of message from afar, yet he God, while every believing heart swept onward by the mysterious connection of mind with mind and faith with faith, glows with Spirit; and that heart inspired to pray with from another. power, because sanctified to God, who can tell the weight—the influence that many praying hearts, wholly cleansed from sin, must have in the Church of Christ. Take away health, wealth and friends, but

deprived of human sympathy, and poverty agony, as the unshackled soul left its tortured his lot-yet the heart sanctified to God. he may pray—yea pray so fervently—so be- lifeless form, and the spirit of the martyr tain its ground in free discussion with the cham-(To be Continued

Dec. 29th.

FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAR.

Obituary Notice.

SIGMA.

REV. AND DEAR BROTHER,-I beg the privilege of saying to the friends of the deceased, (some of whom are far from this place,) that Miss MARTHA TUTTLE, daughter of the late Mr. William Tuttle of Wallace, on the 8th of December exchanged her I love ve. flowers! the mystery of your trials for everlasting triumphs, and time for

Martha experienced religion about seventeen years since, under the ministry of the Rev. James BUCKLEY, and from that time till the hour of her, "departure" her pious life afforded an additional evidence that " the Gospel of Christ is the power of God unto A censer'd band! with sweet petition bringing

Martha had been for several years the subject of sanctified affliction; and having been on a visit to her sister in Parrsborough. she was returning home, had reached Amherst, she was there detained through weakness for a short time, during which she closed her sufferings and her precious probation, and entered into eternal rest.

"O, what are all my sufferings here If Lord Thou count me meet With that Euraptured Host to appear And worship at Thy feet" R. S.

Ladies' Devartment.

POR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN. Echoes from the Harp of the Old

Year. NEAR MIDNIGHT. The old year trembleth now I ween,

'Tis passing from our ken. To be remembered as a dream That ne'er may come again. What melody its harp-strings wake As I my vigil keep, Biessings to ask on those I love.

Before I go to sleep.

Its music is half mournful, Giving me back the past, Far different is this New Year's Eve To that I looked on last. Life is as beautiful as then But ne'er will seem the same,

For I have now another home,

And hear another name. Far in the dear old homestead, There is a vacant place. One voice is silent from those halls, Gone a familiar face.

They're severed now the loving band. Who claimed one gentle care, The young, and joyous hearted, The braves ones, and the fair.

Some, who were fondly cherished. Have made new homes afar-New shrines, but they will not forget Life's early guiding star. Some new vows have murmured, Some line of song have fled-Our household jewels glisten

In the bright home overhead.

The mother's blessing softly rests On those who yet remain. But she may dwell among the blest. When New Year comes again. Then oh ! how fondly should we cling To each and all at home. For the next year may sorrow bring Deeper than we have known!

Oh! thou who taught our hearts to love Those whom thy love bas giv'n, Grant us to win a home above, To live and love in heav'n.

And as the year is passing, Some blessed token wing, Down from Thy throne to soothe us, To which each heart may cling. Whisper of peace divine,

Lay thy dear hand upon each heart, That we may be in life or death, Each year, thine Father thine ! December 31, 1853.

[FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.] Greetings for the Absent.

"The Lord watch between thee and me, when we a seent one from another "-Holy Scripture.

Ever true and touching words! Beauti ful at all times as they seem, it is only when time, and change, and distance sever us from

Life is changing ever, and we tread it light; pride is lost in humility; indolence toilsome paths sometimes but wearily; the gives place to powerful energy, and cove- spirit turns alike from its brightness and its tousness is swallowed up in Christian libera- gloom, its revelry and grief. How sadly, then, we yearn for a familiar voice, for the Holiness is productive of ceaseless earnest smile that once was ours, and the bright believing prayer; and who can tell the pow- group now so far far distant. We may not er of prayer? "It is the golden key that win them back to us; death, perchance, hath unlocks the wicket of mercy." It is the taken the lost jewels to glitter in his own moral engine before which satan and sin and pale coronal, and some in another clime are hell bend and cringe, awe struck at the might swelling the ranks of those who press onward of the creature in communion with the Creator. But when the heart softens and loves afford their coming, how precious are the hallowed influence of sanctifying grace prayer has a two-fold energy. To exator. But when the heart softens and loves weary for their coming, how precious are the the tide of Roman Catholic immigration, and to grace prayer has a two-fold energy. To express ourselves plainly it exists as well in past, centuries agone, "Ine Lora tal man to stay the falling away from the falling away fr

"Stood up in broken-heartedness, And wrought until his Master called Him." Her voice was hushed forever, yet meekly grateful emotions of love to God. If the lifting his eyes to the blue, glorious, heaven petition of one throbbing believing heart above him, he breathed,-The Lord watch secures so largely the gifts of the Holy between me and thee when we are absent one

It was a calm, bright evening in summer, and, as the sun was setting on the broad Pacific, the sound of lawless strife and violence echoed over the solemn, melancholy main. give me holiness, and I rest content, for Long and fearful was the conflict for life. although man rest upon the couch of pain, and when there came that long, low, wail of tenement, the shores of Erromanga held a tones that went up to Him who liveth for- conquests of the true faith. evermore, as the mother who watched from her high, glorious home, for his coming, mingled her chantings with his exultant song of victory.

How beautiful it is for man to die Upon the walls of Zion! to be called, Like a watch-worn and weary sentinel, To put his armour off, and rest in heaven BESSIE BERANGER.

January 2nd, 1854.

Flowers.

A darling marvel ever is to me; Marvel that adds to sight a precious seeing, And finds a rare interpreting for ye.

The chosen praver-its visible upspringing From field and wood and stream ye meekly stand.

Favor and fairness down upon your land.

I dream not lightly that we bear this mission, For when ye pass from earthly rite away. Like the dissolving glories of a vision. The "favor" and the "fairness" cease

Provincial Wesleyan

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1854.

Thoughts on the Present State of the World.

(Continued.) A vast amount of evangelical influence exists

in the UNITED STATES. In no country of the same population, of which we have any know- than from the influx of unchristianized strangers, ledge, is there a more extensive instrumentality for the support and the propagation of religion, and employed too with zeal and energy, than there is in the American Republic. Published statistics of the number of Churches, number of Ministers, number of Church-members, and the relative proportion of the latter to the general population, fully justify this statement. We speak of Protestant denominations, and with the knowledge, too, of the existence in that country of popery, mormonism, and infidelity to a consi derable extent.

There is this consideration, however, which is justice should be stated, -that much of the infidelity is imported from other countries and not the native growth of the soil. With the im mense tide of immigration that has been setting in on the American shores for years past, have been brought multitudes from France, Germany, Italy, and other popish countries, who, disgusted with the cheateries and hollow pomposities of Romanism in their native land, have very naturally, but disastrously to themselves, taken the short step from the semi-paganism of Rome to absolute and practical Atheism, or some other form of infidelity, and in the actual possession of this more than want of religious faith, have sought a home in the Republic. So likewise in regard to popery-few descendants of American parents, comparatively speaking, are to be found in the Union, belonging to that sect-the vast majority are emigrants and the children of emigrants from Ireland and other foreign countries Mormonism is the offspring of the United States. but this monstrosity of the unrenewed heart man, finds a congenial soil in other lands, and numbers its converts in almost every part of the world. In fact, such is the tendency of the human mind to embrace error, and such the zeal in these modern days to propagate it, that scarcely does one form of it, more absurd and antichristian than another, spring up in one country, than we hear of its spread into another. The progress of this delusion, throughout the world, shows there is nothing in the American character peculiarly adapted to embrace the abominations

of Mormonism, The number of its adherents

abroad with irreligion and iniquity.

fection from its ranks, that Bishops in America and the religious character of its home-population has undergone within a few years a material predicted; the designs and hopes of its dignitaries manded. nation of the Roman Pontiff are doomed to be in things of which he is ignorant! "A desperate to subjugate the American Republic to the domiwill, before a great lapse of time, place it in much more humiliating circumstances than it is

in at present. midable front to the advancing hosts of evangelism; but as it has never been able long to main-

roving favourable to the cause of evangelical M. E. Church, if it should be the first to prove o the world that this system of egregious falsity that honour we sincerely hope our brethren will speedily take measures to obtain.

In looking at the United States in a religious spect, it should be borne in mind, that the ountry itself is a widely extended field of Misionary operations. Within its own ample realm are found immense multitudes demanding and eceiving christian sympathy and the use of vangelical means for their enlightenment in the hings which belong to their peace. This urgent necessity arises not more from the pagan darkness and ignorance of its own aboriginal tribes, and the constant pushing out of thousands of its people into previously unoccupied regions of country. Domestic immigration is constantly creating spiritual wants, or the need of christian gencies; and to the credit of the Churches in he Republic, be it said, that evangelical means eep pace with the march of immigration. Texs, California and Oregon, have their christian linisters, and their Churches not only to adorn he land but to benefit the population; and in his unostentations way, the American Churches are doing much in the erection and sustentation Missionary stations which scarcely comes beore the world under that character.

The first claim on a country for the zealous ase of evangelizing efforts, is, beyond doubt, its wn population, whether of native or foreign birth; after which, come the claims of other portions of the human family. On this principle, he Churches of the United States, like those of our own parent land, have acted. The great demand for agents and pecuniary means, presented by their own population, have not engrossed their entire attention; but varied and extensive Missionary operations in foreign lands have been projected and sustained by different denoninations of Protestants. They are thus uniting with the good of other nations in their christian and its relation with foreign nations. endeavours to subjugate the world to Christ, and are commendably proving themselves to be beaind no Churches of other lands in fulfilling the opposes strongly internal improvements by the divine commission—" Go ye into all the world General Government, still, under the Constituand preach the Gospel to every creature." For tional authority for military roads, he would aid he zeal evinced in the cause of Christ, and the the construction of the Pacific railroad. The efforts made to save souls from death, by the President sternly, and we think with great promerican Churches, we award to them their due meed of praise; we glorify the grace of God in hem. As this zeal becomes toned to a higher pitch, and as these efforts are made on a more omparison of this high and holy object, all task. others sink into comparative insignificance; politics, governments, commerce, and even science, are but matters of subordinate considera-

We cannot conclude these references to

within what is called the Mormon territory at Salt Lake, has been swelled by foreign immigrations been owing chiefly to the prevalency of wielding water is called "The Nicaragua Company offer to transport the gascar grows a singular tree, which, from its method of painting, by which all the mellow. Salt Lake, has been swelled by foreign immigration. Were it not, however, for the strong current of evangelical truth flowing through the rent of evangelical truth flowing through the country, and were it not for the untiring efforts with the Christian spirit. Commercial and other portation across the Isthmus, which would reduce other trees in having all its branches in one Vernet, the celebrated French artist. In country, and were it not for the untiring efforts of Christian Churches to stem the torrent, and worldly considerations may have had their influopen channels in all directions for the flow of the healthful and purifying waters of life, the only fluence in perpetuating this happy state of affairs carrying the mails to California. Our Governhealthful and purifying waters of life, the only reasonable probability is, that owing to the mass reasonable probability is, that owing to the mass resistance of that distant region reasonable probability is, that owing to the mass resistance of that distant region reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of that distant region reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of that distant region reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of that distant region reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of the reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of that distant region reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of the reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of the reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of the reasonable probability is that owing to the mass resistance of the reasonable probability is reasonable probabili reasonable probability is, that owing to the mass of moral impurity thrown upon its shores, the of moral impurity thrown upon its shores, the living some state of the painting of moral impurity thrown upon its shores, the living some state of the painting of the paintin of moral impurity thrown upon its shores, the country would have been overwhelmed from lisions between the two nations. Reckless individuals in both may wish and labour for such a ca-The real state of the case, we believe, has lamitous event, and parties controlling portions City and Liverpool. An offer is also made by Here it is received into hollow spaces of con-The real state of the case, we believe, has not been duly considered by strangers who have visited the United States when they have spoken of its religious condition. The Churches have of its religious condition. The Churches have fine of discord, and exasperate the baser passing the same cities, or such other port in Great British and the panning occomes memowed and the panning had to bear up against the daily accumulating sions of human nature, and by these means enweight of popery and infidelity arising from imdeavour to precipitate war,—but we not only migration—to resist the pressure of this powerful antagonism—and at the same time to indoctrinate and evangelize the ever shifting populatrinate and evangenze the ever sunting popular ive governments to adjust all differences that may occur, by friendly negotiation, rather than by an occur, by friendly negotiation, rather than by a appeal to arms. With especial pleasure we have would it not be the best plan to pay any steamer ated name of "The Traveller's Friend." ural districts.

How then does the case really stand? Not
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The Traveller's Friend."

SANTA CREZ.—A correspondent of the taken place, went again in the evening, when How then does the case really stand? Notwithstanding the adverse influences, ever present
withstanding the adverse influences, ever present
withstanding the adverse influences, ever present withstanding the adverse influences, ever present and ever operating, popery has not been able to and ever operating, popery has not been able to maintain its ground. It has lost more than a them by amicable arrangement. Such a course both nations, confining the business to their own live situation for a farmer or lumberman in curiestest country I ever seed in my life; maintain its ground. It has lost more than a million of its emigrant adherents alone; its numis bonourable alike to England and the American vessels. This plan would cheapen and increase the State. The town lies in a natural amilion of its emigrant adherents alone; its numbers and its influence have in consequence been Republic, for we cannot forget the Christianity the facilities between the two countries, and phitheatre, which extends from three to ten rain " pers and as innuence have in consequence been of both, nor the intimate relation subsisting between one and the other.

The British North american of Dec. 30th, and thus far. We have no snow, and scarcely any affords another instance of his endeavour to ice, weather delightful, moderate and fair. The their adopted country. These facts speak louder with him. Without the least provocation on our season is very favourable to the shipment of prothan all boasts of the progress of popery among part, he commenced a bitter attack on "religious duce to our Atlantic cities. Prices continue pendicular walls of coral sandstone, well the American people-they prove that, notwith- papers" and "clerical editors." He has not sure- high. standing confident assertions to the contrary, the ly forgotten his classical description of men in genius and principles of Romanism are not suita"white choakers," his more recent imputation of Spiritual Rappings as old as 1534. At a short distance further inland are sandole to climes where freedom of thought and freedom of language and discussion prevail, or where rical editors) "know nothing about"—and his a strong counteracting evangelical influence has still more recent comparison of "clerical gentlereedom of operation. If popery has so seriously men" to "crows on a carcass." All these may lost ground in the United States, though its have escaped the gentleman's memory, but ranks have been daily replenished by foreign importations, what would have been the condition most convincing evidence of his gratuitous have lest immense numbers less to immigrate, some who regret we did not rebuke his "imper-

tinence" in stronger terms. This is the true state of the case; the British change in favour of Protestantism. When the North American being guilty of a gross, unjustiperiod shall have arrived for the cessation of additions from abroad, popery in the United States clerical editors, and on the "black-coated gen will be thrown upon its own resources, and be try," to use his own refined language; we acting

rustrated. Every year will witness such conersions of its adherents to pure Christianity, as employ British convicts in cutting a narrow persion of its adherents to pure Christianity, as leave to take care of itself, but as it regards the Wesleyan, our reply is, that in the "estimation" of religious persons, the British North American lieving as mightily to affect the interests of the Church and wonderfully to influence Mormonism, -though, from peculiar circum- "there is no more credit to gained by trouncing stances and the promise of worldly advantage a clergyman, than by illusing a woman." Now and sensual rewards, it has made rapid advance- when our cause is just, we tell the editor of the ment,-will, through its own enormities, or by British North American, we fear his fleshly fists no means of Christian efforts which will ere long more than we do his mental inanities. In a rightloubtless be made, experience a check, and eous combat it might possibly turn out, that the afterwards, peradventure, decline with equal "clergyman" was not the party "trounced," but rapidity. On a fair field, with the promised the individual making vain and foolish boasts of blessing of God, the advocates of Christianity forbearance. Let this sapient editor turn over have nothing to fear from the most deadly forms his files, and read what he has published against of error. The ancient victories of the Cross religious papers and clerical editors, and his comshow the power of the Gospel to convince, subdue, and save; and we despair not of the conversion to evangelical doctrine of the present dealt unjustly toward him. What did he mean deluded disciples of Mormonism. The proposal by his classical figure,-" crows on a carcass," if of the Western Christian Advocate, re-published not, that the persons compared to "crows" had n our columns a week or two ago, gives hope of gone to the ill-fated Humbolt, to pick and steal, or Langlet's History of Apparitions.—Corr. Boston the Methodist Episcopal Church attempting to help themselves to what did not belong to them? mission among that people, and of the results This model-editor, so wise in his own conceit, so superior in his qualifications to ignorant editors will radiate a blessed influence to all points of he circumference embracing the operations of greater perspicuity, or be content that others Mormonism. High honour will be won by the calculated naturally to convey to an intelligent mind. So far from feeling under obligation to vincible by the potency of divine truth; and the British North American for his assumed "forbearance," we are rather inclined to think he has ventured to attack the religious press by the use of unmeasured terms, on the presumption, of a heavy sward. that as a clerical editor, we would not dare to reply. In this he has found himself mis--and if he will furnish us with an accredited certificate, that either or any of them, after due explanation on our part, approves of

his abuse of religious papers and clerical editors, on his part voluntarily given, we shall feel disposed to entertain a more favourable opinion than we do at present of his " Christian forbearwhat? from future attacks as a religious paper? from unfounded assertions that it is "useless If so, then the Editor of the British North American has very suddenly changed his opinion .-No-we believe the Wesleyan is " safe," because it will answer for itself-because the British North American cannot put it down-because its thousands of readers have already passed a verdict of-non sunt inventi, in respect to its defects as a religious paper, as alleged by that prince of Editors, the Editor of the B. N. A.

New York Correspondence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19, 1853. The XXXIII. U. States Congress is now in Session at Washington, and its members have ommenced the national business. President Pierce has presented to the Body his first annual message. It is a practical, brief, and sensible statement of the present condition of our land, through which the moisture filters, and as soon

Mr. Pierce cautiously states his views upor some of the leading questions of the day. He priety, opposes fillibusterism towards Cuba.

In his message, there is a vast amount of useful, statistical and national information, which extensive scale, their influence on the world for we cannot detail, but well worth the while to esting to the British student, and affording strik-

within what is called the Mormon territory at and our own, amid conflicting claims, has of remails, than others propose to do the same work. The TRAVELLER'S FRIEND.—In Mada-

propriation for carrying the mails between our which run down the branches to the trunk. back; the colours, in their turn, imbile the

principal seaports.

Yours, &c.

the library of the King of France-which was with enormous red wood trees, one of which

to have occurred to the Monks of Orleans: feet in circumference two feet from the very liberal to the convent, and had their family tioned, and about 250 feet in height. Among adopted certain rules for regulating the usages of that sect at this day in the Union, had no such ribaldry, and indecent references to Minisadditions from abroad been received? The ters of the Gospel. We felt ourselves involved St. Memin, Provost of Orleans, died and was mores, alders, cotton woods, white and yelkeenly alive to criticism, because the supplito send over such multitudes of Romanists; as and defended ourselves in a way which has given tors had given more than enough to the convent, soup plant, which abounds in the vicinity, is ing for export. the drains from its Roman Catholic population satisfaction to our readers, unless we except sent the monks a present which they thought used for culinary purposes, and the compositoo small. They formed a plan to have her tion manufactured from it is said to be equal American ports, be considered to weigh 220 body disinterred, and to force the widower to to the best soup. pay a second fee for depositing it again in holy JENNY LIND.—The Charleston Courier allowed for. Foreign suck flour to be invoic-

> the brethren, and said to them : " I am dam- Dresden, under date of September 22, from a large portion of the flour received here ned like Judas, because my husband has not which we make the following extract:—
> would be marked short of weight, the gross leaving 20 lbs. (as we record) for the weight left more fittingly to try its strength with evange- only on the defensive, administering such reproof for the repose of her soul. But the husband ready mentioned as living opposite to us, has lical Protestantism. The result may be safely as the circumstances of the case imperatively de- said, "If she is really damned, all the money a little son—she nurses him herself. On the Proposals for an Inland Sea.—The in the world won't save her," and gave them doctor's remonstrating with her, and by way interior of Australia-a barren sandy desert

Now listen to this editor, who never dabbles nothing. ever been known to desire to be exhumed.

heard still more distinctly. "If we disinter thy Dresden as a place of residence.

body, wilt thou be less damned? certify to us by five knocks," and the soul so certified. This statement was signed by 22 cordeliers The father provincial asked the same questions he next day, and received the same answers. The Lord of St. Memin prosecuted the father ordeliers. Judges were appointed. The procurer general of the commission required that the said cordeliers should be burned; but the sentence only condemned them to make the "amende honorable." with a torch in their bosom, and to be banished. This sentence is of the 18th of February, 1535."-See Abbe

Indigo in Sandwich Islands.

The cultivation of indigo is attracting much attention. The Polynesian says :-The Indige plant thrives well at the islands n all moist situations, and grows spontaneously wherever it once gets rooted. In fact, from a single plant, it spreads with great rapidity, covering in a few years many contiguous acres, and ooting out everything else, even the thick sod

The presence of a crop of indigo upon uncultivated land is not deemed detrimental, but he has "both relatives and warmly attach- a practical farmer say that upon fallow land a vy sward had been allowed to grow. The roots of the grass are much harder to kill, the land harder to plow, than where indigo had been

In a late paper we find the following process shrub grows without care or cultivation, as it profitable crop, as it doubtless is in India .-Experience in its manufacture, we presume, would be requisite; and is there no one in this kingdom who has practical knowledge on the stones or shot. subject?

State paper, exhibiting a clear and satisfactory stance, the indigo, is then put into linen bags, £176,271. as the indigo is dry and hard, it is broken into pieces and packed up. Indigo is cultivated in the East Indies to a considerable extent."

> on his coseack, substituting the Sword for the and right ascension at 6 o'clock 50 min. Cross, as being more in accordance, he says, with mean time was North decl. 60 deg. 12 min. Charles Fairbanks, Lawrence Hartshorne, Alex his present views and hopes, and duties per- Right ascen. 2 hours 5 min. It came to the haps, considering the prospective state of Euromeridian at 9 o'clock 48 min., decl. 60 deg it was moved by Lawrence Hartshorne Esq., and pean affairs. M. de Saulav has discovered the sites of

the history of the Bible. The Espana announces that the general made, It is not apparent to the naked eye.

increasing, and under the direction of Congress. autograph chart of the pilot Juan de la Cossa, —Ex.

stick (for it is not necessary to cut the tree) board, as a Representative to Congress from is inserted between the parts which overlap, the back settlements, rose early in the and slightly drawn to one side, so as to cause ing. at Baltimore, and paid a vist to the shipan opening, a stream of water gushes out

able rivulets that issue from the defiles of Our Fall and Winter have been remarkable the mountains. A layer of brown sandstone adapted for building purposes. In the limestone bones are sometimes found embedded. stone beds resembling platforms, channeled There is a curious criminal process on record thickly with almost impassable gulfs, one -manuscript 1770, noticed by Voltaire as in hundred feet or more in depth. and filled founded upon a remarkable set of visions said on being measured, was found to be fifty-six aspirations after the invisible and eternal. The illustrious house of St. Memin had been, ground, perfectly sound and well propor- Liverpool Corn Market Association have

of the 13th, publishes a letter from a lady, ed per 220 pounds." The New York Jour-The soul of the lady first appeared to two of formerly of Charleston, but now a resident of nal of Commerce says: "Under this rule

of persuasion, assuring her that her voice has been found to be considerably below Perceiving their mistake, they declared that would suffer—nay, that she ran the risk of the level of the sea. It is now proposed to nation of the Koman Pontin are doomed to be frustrated. Every year will witness such conthis seemed a curious request and excited sus- remplirai les devoirs, d'une mere a mon en- of about 250 miles, when it is expected that American in public estimation—namely, the picion, for it was not likely that a soul in purfant, "—really a sublime sacrifice on her part. the rush of water will be so great as to gatory would ask to have the body removed She lives perfectly secluded -she sees no widen the canal and cause the formation of from holy ground, neither had any in purgatory one—her husband she has converted, or to an inland sea almost as large as the Mediuse her own words, "he is baptised by the terranean, to the incalculable benefit of a The soul after this did not try speaking any grace of God." She says that the idea of vast extent of territory at present wholly has "depreciated" himself, the Wesleyan doing more, but haunted everybody in the convent her having been upon the stage will be a useless. no more than exhibiting to the public the offen- and the church, "Brother Peter of Arras cause of remorse for life, for which she can INFLUENCE OF ELEVATION UPON CHOsive course of the said paper. "The Wesleyan adopted a very awkward manner of conjuring never forgive herself. The good Germans LERA,—It has been demonstrated in London and the four knocks were struck. "If thou art use of her powers while a public singer, that damped strike six knocks," and the six knocks I am sure she should view it in a different were struck. " It thou art still tormented in light. I am told she has not much of a forhell because thy body is buried in holy ground tune, as she would prefer living in England, knock six more times," and the six knocks were but on account of the expense has chosen

> THE SHIP GREAT REPUBLIC .- About forty boys will be taken out by this famous ship on her first voyage, if those of a proper chawork on board the vessel. Among them is er, and they will have apartments by them- uninfluenced on the other. selves, and thus avoid the contaminating influences of the forward cabin. Pay, to the it is said, has discovered a means of calcuextent of six or eight dollars per month will lating the exact force of the sun's light at be allowed .- enough to furnish clothing .- any given time. It is reckoned by the None under sixteen years of age will be tak- blackness produced by the sun's rays at the en. It seems to us a good opportunity to given moment on photographic paper. learn the art of seamanship. After reaching make a voyage around the Globe .- N. Y.

Jour, of Commerce. PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE MOON.—At a recent meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, a communication taken, and will do so, we venture to say, as rather an advantage to it. It keeps the ground was read by Professor Phillips, on Photooften as he repeats the offence. We know loose by its numerous roots, and we lately heard graphs of the Moon. The Professor thought it not improbable that we should soon be aced friends members of the Wesleyan church," crop of indigo was more easily cleared off, and quainted with the geology of the moon on a the land prepared for a crop, than where a heat much grander and more extensive scale than we were yet of the earth. Mr. Whipple, of Boston, hes recently made some pictures of the moon on a larger scale than any attempted before. The Scientific American, whose editor has seen them, says they confirm all briefly stated its object, which was to receive and for manufacturing the article, and where the that has been said of great volcanic activities in our satellite. Independent of deep fissures does all over these islands, we know of no rea- and yawning craters, the fissures themselves son why it cannot be manufactured, and prove appear to be covered with cairns and banks letter, addressed by him to the Chairman of the composed of huge blocks like boulders, which annear to have been vomited up in lava, then in which he made the following proposition, vis fallen down in showers, like those of hail-

"The indigo is a shrublike plant, two or parliamentary return shows the British ex- for all boats, vessels, rafts of timber, &c., &c., three feet high, with delicate blue green leaves, ports to Turkey and Russia. In the last that can enter the present locks, drawing not which, at the harvest time, about the month of year given (1851) the declared value of more than four feet of water, and to complete and August, are cut close off to the stem, tied into British produce and manufactures exported equip the entire line and turn it over to the bundles, and laid in great wooden tubs. Planks to Turkey (European and Asiatic), includ- Company for the sum of Twenty five thousand are then laid on them, and great stones to cause ing Wallachia and Moldavia, Syria, and pounds-Five thousand pounds of which is to be a pressure, and then water is poured over them, Palestine, was £2.581,230, and to Russia, payable in stock. Mr. Stanford agrees not to ask and after a day or two the liquor begins to fo- £1,289,704. Manchester, it would seem, for any part of the above sum until the navigament. In this process of fermentation lies the benefitted greatly by Turkey. The cotton tion is complete and open from the Harbour principle difficulty, and every thing depends on manufactures entered by the yard to Turkey | Lake Charles, when he is to be entitled to receive allowing it to continue just the proper time. were of the declared value of £1,745,189, the sum of Five thousand pounds, and the balance "When the water has acquired a dark green | while, to Russia they only amounted to £30. on the completion of the work. All the present color, it is poured off into other tubs, mixed with 257. The hosiery, lace, &c., to Turkey were locks, and all that belongs to them, are to be placlime, and stirred with wooden shovels till a blue of the value of £17,525, and to Russia. £18. ed at Mr. Stanford's disposal, and the Company deposite separates itself from the water, which 589, while the cotton-twist and varn to Turis then allowed to run off. The remaining sub- key were valued at £514,852, and to Russia, until it is completed and equipped to the Grand ANOTHER COMET. - The Newark Adverti-

discovered on Friday evening, the 26th inst., by Mr. Robert Van Arsdale, of that city, in the constellation of Cassiopea, which is near- on concluding, was enthusiastically greeted by Father Gavazzi has exchanged the symbol ly in the zenith; its approximate declination the meeting. Right ascen. 2 hours 7 min. It is of a small, round, bright appearance, with an exceedingly rapid motion in a direction appa-Sodom and Gomorrah, a fact peculiarly intershort observation it changed its place very good will become proportionably augmented. In any one who has the leisure and taste for such a ing corroborative evidence of the truthfulness of perceptibly. No record of this heavenly visitor is known to have been previously

> Tast sums are now paid for this work, and there the companion of Columbus in the discovery of the Committee, and that this Meeting do is an evident disposition to reduce the amount the New world, has been purchased in Paris, by in and asked us whether the 'seat of war' pledge itself to co-operate with Mr. Stanford, of some of these contracts. The U. S. Govern-order of the Spanish government, for the sum of was an arm chair or a rocker? We replied

of a peacock's tail. At the extremity of When the picture is painted the back of the each branch grows a broad, double leaf, se- canvass is covered with a coating of julier's veral feet in length, which spreads itself out learth, which draws the oil through and absition of dew takes place upon them, which, earth is then removed from the curvass and The Collins line now receive a very large ap- soon collecting into drops, form little streams a coat of linseed oil applied, always at the

ping at the docks when the tide was full, and again at noon, when it was ebb; and not

had long idolized his favorite science he ity. His intimate friend, knowing his ex-

losopher. "I am now bound for heaven." By these words the astronomer taught his riend that he had transformed his offections rom the created to the CREATOR-thee inuse of the visible was to assist him in his

IMPORTANT TO SHIPPERS OF FLOUR -The

gross. All deficiency from this weight to be would be marked short of weight, the gross

ratio of mortality varies with the degree of elevation. If this be a general law, the highest stories should be used as sleeping apartments during the prevalence of cholers. The hint may be useful if we should unfortunately be visited by this scourge.

THE MODIFYING INFLUENCE of a body of racter shall offer. About fifteen have airea- water less than a mile in breadth, is concludy been engaged, and they are cheerfully at sively shown by the difference between the two banks of the Mississippi river, near New a young Georgian just out of college, who Orleans, where it runs East and West. The has a plantation in his native State. A son South side has a milder climate, vegetation of Commodore Gregory has also enlisted in advances earlier in the spring, the cane has the service. A library of about 500 volumes a longer period to mature in Autumn, and has been procured for their use on board. fruits that are occasionally cut off by the They will be under the direction of a teach-

SCIENTIFIC .- A young painter of Berlin,

LARD OIL. - The improvement in the Liverpool, the Great Republic will sail for manufacture of this oil is astonishing. It Australia, the new gold region of England. has been only a few years since it was first She will probably, before reaching home, introduced, and now it is made equal to sperm oil

General Intelligence.

INLAND NAVIGATION-COMPANY .- A meeting of the inhabitants of Dartmouth was held, oursuant to public notice, at the Dartmouth Mechanic's Hall, on the 29th inst. His Honor the Custos, being called upon, took

ston, Junr., was requested to act as Secretary. The Meeting being called to order, the Custos consider a proposition made by Mr. James Stans ford for building the Shubenacadie Canal.

the chair at 7 p. m., and Mr. James W. John-

Committee of the Inland Navigation Company,

TRADE WITH TURKEY AND RUSSIA .- A late | Harbour, by a fair and free four feet pavigation

After reading his letter, Mr. Stanford went at large into the subject, explaining his views and ser of Saturday says that another comet was dwelling on the great advantage the opening up of the Canal would be to the country at large, and more especially to Dartmouth Mr. Stanford,

The meeting was also addressed by Messrs. James, W. A. MacAgy and others, after which seconded by Mr. Jonathan Elliott, and passed unanimonaly that

Whereas, this community have the highest con fidence in Mr. Stanford's judgment and his ability to complete the Shubenacadie Canal as proposed by him in his letter to the Committee the Inland Navigation Company. Therefore it is resolved that this Meeting do recommend Mr. Stanford's proposal to the favourable consideras United States without making the remark that the meant now pay the Aspenwall and Pacific Steam—the maintenance of peace between that country ship Company a much larger sum to carry the whose library was sold some weeks ago in Paris.

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After which a stock list was opened and one thousand lour hundred and eighty pounds in Saturday evening, a wagon loaded with two stock subscribed to be taken in the event of Mr. barrels of beer, a number of jugs of ruin, gin

The meeting then separated.

JAMES W. JOHNSTON, JUNES

LOSS OF " STAFFORDSHIRE," OF BOSTON.-Terrific Sacrifice of Life ! !- Two Telegraphic under the wheels, and have his leg broken short despatches were yesterday received by the Ame. off just above the knee. The horse then dashed on Friday last of the Am. clipper Packet ship bottles and jugs dance a merry jig into the street, Staffordshire," of Boston, 1800 tone register, one of Messrs. E Train & Co's celebrated line lavish hand upon the pavements. The beer of Packets between that Port and Liverpool G. barrels also took a lurch and landed in the gutter Rodney This vessel was built by Mr. Donald Mc-Kay, of East Boston, and is the first of his clip- Boston Traveller. by the writer of the first communication :-

Shelburne via Chester Dec. 31. '53. Liverpool for Boston, struck on Blonde Rock, every voter one dollar annually, by the relinquishnear Cape Seal Islands-third mate, boat-swain, ment to the schools of the State's escheats, and Triton and twelve others picked up and landed here,- by country and city taxation. It also provides about one hundred and fifty with the Master went for the thorough organization and management vivors temporarily, and will give particulars, if supervision of a General Superintendent, to be

Barrington via Chester, Dec 21, '53. To R. W. FRASER, Eug .- Packet ship Staffordmarning at one o'clock, two hundred and ten souls on board, - soon after sunk, chief mate, sec. and mate, and reventeen seamen, arrived at Cape Sable at 10 o'clock same morning, all destitute of American shield, surrounded by clusters of clothing, and trost-bitten.

The Staffordshire was advertised to sail from Liverpool 4th November last, but did not however, get away from the Mersey until the 8th of same month. She was therefore just fifty one days out at the time of the dreadful disaster .-

waiting upon the Representative of the Sovereign \$3,000,000 -Boston Traveller. at the commencement of the new year, was well observed yesterday. The attendance was large, including the Heads of Departments, Military and Civil, and a large number of citizens. Lady Le Marchant held a Drawing Room which was also numerously and respectably at-

It is said that a Telegraphic Despatch received last evening, announces the arrival of the Packet Brig Belle, hence at Boston, same even ing, with decks swept, loss of sails, &c .- Ib.

The wieck of a vessel was descried from Sambro vesterday, distance about five miles, and small vessels had gone in pursuit of her .- 1b.

The Pictou Chronicle says a terrible south easterly storm of wind accompanied with rain occurred on Friday night. A good deal of injury has been done to property, fences have been blown down, and several barns in this vicinity have been bown down or unroufed. A house a he Green Bill belonging to Mr. Thomas Blakie wes unrooted. St. James, Church, in this place, was also somewhat injured, the windows by the alter being blown in, and some of the furniture n side broken or damaged by the rain.

New Brunswick

PAMPHLET POSTAGE .- We are glad to find that this subject has not been lost sight of by our l Executive. A Royal Gazette Eztra Province has been sanctioned by the Lords Com- gaused some excitement at Buenos Ayres. phiets may be sent by mail to and from the Unit- tin Garcia. ed Kingdom and this Province, at the following b. in weight, 6d. sterling; from b lb. to 1 lb., ls. sterling; from 1 lb. to 2 lbs., 2s. sterling; no package must exceed two feet in length, breath Chief of the Army. President Giro and General with the above rules .- St. John Observer.

A correspondent of the Miramichi Gleaner says that an old man, a native of England, named J gentine's sailing. H: Shotton, aged 88, was burned to death at Cacagne, while in a state of intoxication.

United States.

FILLIBUSTERISM .- Referring to the recent reis preparing at New Orleans, with one of the he- Awful Carnage. roes of the Mexican war at its head, the Phila-

quite probable that there are scoundrels enough still left in the United States, who are ready for any act of plunder and outrage. But it is quite time for the people, the real people of the United 13 of the Turkish ships were blown up and sunk, States, not the mobs and gamblers of the cities only one escaping. Osman Bey taken prisoner. nor profligate adventurers any where, but the Of the Russian fleet two line of battle ships, farmers and planters of the States, the manufacture frigates and two steamers were destroyed. turers and mechanics, the legitimate merchants, Battle lasted one hour, with terrible carnage. to say that they will have no more of this rapaci- Intense excitement in London and Paris on our plundering, murdering, bandit, piratical, reception of the news, and a European war " manifest destiny." It is time for them to say deemed inevitable. that as the nation-for if they are not the nation who are ?-that they have interests to protect the America. Wheat, 2d to 3d. advanced. and a character to lose, and that they will not leave the one to ruin and the other to disgrace, for the sake of all the thieves and cut-throats end other gallows birds in this country or any other. There are many who believe that the Administration sympathises with these schemes of fillibustering. It is time that they were disabused of this notion, and nothing will do it as well as prompt and vigorous efforts on the part of the Government to punish all persons found engaged in such unlawful undertakings, whether against Spain, or Mexico, or any other nation.

PORTLAND .- The steamship Sarah Sands, Capt. Washington lisley, arrived at Portland from Liverpool on Saturday morning, with 205 passengers and a large cargo of freight. She left Liverpool on Nov. 28th, and her passage has accordingly been 1812 days. As the Sarah Sands is the pioneer boat of the trans-atlantic lines to Portland, her arrival was hailed with many demonstrations of joy. Her manifest shows I box of merchandise for Boston, 31 cases to New York, considerable quantity for Portland, and the remainder, which makes a long list, is for Montreal, via the Atlantic and St. Lawrence District of the Grand Trunk Railway. The Sarah Sands was brought by her captain, who is a Portland boy, directly up to the wharf, without a pilot.

ACCIDENT TO A TRAVELLING ROM SHOP .- On and brandy, and sundry suspicious looking bottles, were lest standing on Second street South Boston, while the driver was vending his liquors in a store, when the horse attached took fright The attendant rushed out in time to be thrown and scattering the Sunday supply with a most The horse was finally stopped by a watchman. Albien

pers that has yet met with a mishap. We sub- In the Alabama Legislature a very important join the despatches which record the melancholy school-bill has been introduced by Mr. Walker, Retribut disaster. From the second despatch we are led of Mobile, and another by Mr. Hall, of Antauga, to suppose that two boats had been picked up- both of which have been ordered to be printed. the safety of the second not having been known The provisions of Mr. Walker's bill are exceedingly liberal; besides numerous other sources of revenue, it provides for obtaining funds by setting Inflexible To R. W. FRASER Esq.-Staffordshire, from apart one fifth of the State revenue, by taxing Ardent Caradoc down in the ship. I have provided for the sur of a general educational system, under the appointed by the Governor, at an annual salary

PRESENT TO Mas. PIERCE .- An elegantly embroidered handkereinief, of Irish manufacture, shire, from Liverpool to Boston, struck on the has been presented to the wife of President Blonde Rock, south of Seal Islands, yesterday Pierce by a New York firm. The design is ropresented to be a ship under full sail, with flags and other emblems of American commerce in each corner an eagle holding in its talons the stars; and the whole bordered by the foliage of the oak. The gift was cordially received as a token of Irish art, industry and friendship.

INCREASE OF THE NAVY -A despatch from Washington states that the Naval Committee of imously, to report a bill authorizing the construction of six steam frigates, to be build under the direction of the Naval Department, appropriating

LAND SLIDE IN MAINE -The Machias Union states that a few days since there was a great land slide on the river between Addison and Columbia. The first intimation had of it the Col- 50 miles wide by 400 long, and distant North umbians found the tide did not ebb at the ap pointed time, and ugon seeking for the cause, they fertile and well watered; timber is abundant discovered the river completely dammed up by an coal plenty and accessible, the climate healthy, avalanche of some acre and a balf of earth.

The expenses of the U. S. Post Offices Depart ment exceed the receipts by about two millions : but this excess is occasioned by the ocean steamers. There is where the loss is

ment of Buenos Ayres. Another revolution was kinds of produce exceedingly scarce and very

We (Boston Trapeller) learn from the Buenos of Dec. 24th, contains a Proclamation by His Ex Governor for three years. Dr. Forres and Gen. cellency Sir E. W. Head, announcing that an Paz, who were nominated to the offices of Secrearrangement (under the Act of Assembly, 16th taries of Foreign Affairs and of War and Marine enables the Queen to abolish those duties other-Vict.) for facilitating the transmission of Books respectively, had declined to accept them, and wise than by treaty, on condition of reciprocity. and Pamphlets between Great Britain and this their places had not been filled. Their refusals

missioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and by From the other provinces it was stated that Rev. Dr. Alder, formerly secretary to the Her Majesty's Post Master General; which ar- General Urquiza had anounced to the foreign Wesleyan Missionary Society, and one of the rangement is to take effect on and after the 2nd agents the ratification by the Constituent Conday of January, 1854. From that day, therefore, gress, assembled at Santa Fe, and that Buenos holy orders by the bishop of Gibraltar, ou Satur-Printed Books, Magazines, Reviews and Pam- Ayres is to retain possession of the island of Mar-

An entire change of government had been ef- congregation of churchmen and dissenters, and rates, to be in all cases pre-paid :- each packet, fected in Montevideo without bloodshed-Presicontaining only one publication without cover, dent Giro and his ministers taking refuge on board stances of the case, was well received. His or with a cover open at the ends, and naving no other writing thereon than the name and address the Foreign vessels of war. The present govern lordship's discourse was marked by a kind and of the person to whom it is sent,) not exceeding ment is composed of a Triumverate, consisting of was thought that Flores would be nominated for from 2 lbs., 3s. sterling; and 1s. sterling the Presidency, Pacheco, for the Minister of Go. vernment and Fructos Rivera for Commander in width or depth; and on violation of any of the above rules, the packet will be charged full letter de Janeiro. Gen Oribe had embarked on board postage, according to weight. This arrangement the Spanish bark Leon, for Barcelona. The Coextends only to Mails via Halifax; and no inland lorados having completely gained the ascendancy postage will be charged within the Province, on over the Blancos, after a struggle of 11 years, it any Book or Pamphlet duly posted in conformity | was confidently expected that a permanent peace

would be secured and established. Poor were taken up in the Episcopal Churches in on account of the non arrival of H. B. M. mailthis City, and the neighbouring Parish of Port steamer Prince, from Rio de Janeiro, being four land, on Christmas Day-viz., In Trinity Church, days beyond her time. The Captain of the Eng-£37 10s ; St John's £26 14s. 3d ; St. James, lish brig Star, reports having seen her off Cape £19; St. Luke's, Portland, £17 5s; and St. St. Marys, while he was standing on the inshore Paul's, £4 5s. We are much pleased to observe tack, Oct. 17, and when standing off again, shortthat these amounts greatly exceed those collected by afterwards, she had entirely disappeared ! It last year. We understand that the sum of £53 | was thought she must either have run ashore of was collected in the two Methodist Churches in gone down. H. B. M. steamer of war Locust had been despatched in search of her. Nothing had been heard of her up to the time of the Ar-

1 mportant News by Telegraph to the

Terrible Naval Engagement.-Thirteen Tur port that a new piratical expedition against Cuba kish and Seven Russian Vessels Destroyed .-

NEW YORK, DEC. 26th .- Pacific arrived at noon to-day. Nov. 30th, Russian Fleet under Admiral Machinoff, from Sebastopol, (twentybe, but, judging from former experience, it is one sail,) arrived off Turkish harbour of Sinope.

Flour 1s. 6d. to 2s. advanced, since sailing of of ours lately handed us the following statement Calf-skins, per lb.

THE AMERICAN UNION .- The following table will be found convenient for reference, and

is worthy of being preserved; 1607 Virginia settled first by the English. 1614 New York first settled by the Dutch. 1620 Massachusetts settled by the Puritans

1623 New Hampshire settled by the Puritans. 1624 New Jersey settled by the Dutch. 1627 Delaware settled by Swedes and Fins. 1634 Maryland settled by Catholics. 1635 Connecticut settled by the Puritans.

1636 Rhode Island by Roger Williams. 1650 North Carolina settled by English. 1682 Pennyslvania settled by William Penn. 1734 Georgia settled by Gen. Oglethorpe.

1791 Kentucky admitted into the Union. 1791 Vermont admitted into the Union. 1796 Tennessee admitted into the Union. 1802 Ohio admitted into the Union.

1811 Louisiana admitted into the Union 1816 Indiana admitted into the Union. 1817 Mississippi admitted into the Union. 1818 Illinois admitted into the Union.

1819 Alabama admitted into the Union. 1820 Maine admitted into the Union. 1821 Missouri admitted into the Union 1836 Michigan admitted into the Union

1845 Florida admitted into the Unton-1845 Texas admitted into the Union 1846 Jown admitted into the Union 1848 Wisconsin admitted into the Union. 1850 California admitted into the Union.

The following compose the British Mediterra-

Total, 885 8,332 8,852 The following ships have been sent force the fleet, namely,-

Total, 854 2 160 8,480

Added to the fleet already assembled, makes total of 29 ships, 1,259 guns, 7,492 horse power,

Vancouver's Island.

This island is destined to become a point of great importance for San Francisco. It is about from this city about 900 miles. The soil is and there are several good harbours and well situated for commerce.

The population of the Island is about 600. or whom one-third are connected with the Hudson's Bay Company. The island will soon rise in importance, though it would undoubtedly have been settled and improved in much less time if arrived at Salem on Saturday, with dates from it had been the property of the United States. Buenos Ayres to Oct. 17, and Montevideo to Oct. It will be the main point for British commerce in

TRADE WITH BRAZIL.—By recent Brazilian

separate from the church, with hopes that some measures might be devised for bringing them within the pale .- London Times

No. 11. of this Quarterly, the Number for December, has been laid on our table, by the Rev. Butter, Canada, W. Croscombe, Wesleyan Book-Steward of this city. From the examination we have been Coffee, Laguyara, able to make of its contents, we can cordially Flour, Am. spfi. per bbl. 42s. 6d. and conscientiously recommend "The London Quarterly" to all who have a penchant for "Rye, sound and solid Literature. It occupies no Cornmeal. second place to the older and well conducted Indian Corn, Reviews of the Mother Country, but bids fair Molasses, Mus. per gal. to maintain at least a respectable equality. We have time and space to give merely the titles of Pork, Prime, per bbl. the respective articles, with the remark that a Sugar, Bright P. R., careful perusal of the articles themselves will Bar Iron, com. per cwt, afford a rich treat to the intelligent reader. CONTENTS OF NO. II.

1. Oriental Discovery: Its Progress and Re-

2. Natural History of Man. 3. The British and Foreign Bible Society. 4 Monkish Literature. . Captivity of Napoleon. 6. The Dukes and Cardinals of Guise. 7. Alford's Greek Testament.

8. Auto-Biography. 9. Our Australian Possessions. Brief Literary Notices.

Nos. I. and II. to be had at the Wesleyan Book-Room.

WHAT, OR WHICH IS THE BEST Vermifuge or Worm Destroyer? Is a question daily and hourly asked by parents, anxious for the health of their children.

All who are at all acquainted with the article, will immediately answer, DR. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE. It has never been known to fail, and is one of the safest remedies that can be used. A friend

in reference to this Vermifuge: NEW YORK, September 25, 1852. GENTLEMIN,-A young lady of my acquaintance had been for a long time very much troubled with worms. I advised her to try Dr. Do. (cotton and wool,) M'Lane's Celebrated Vermifuge. She according-## CARD.

CAR ly purchased and took one vial, which caused

Some of our friends may wonder why we are so urgent to obtain more new subscribers;
we will tell them why. In the first place we believe the wider the circulation of our paper is, the more good it will do. In the next place, we ander Sim.

At the Poor's Asylum, December 22, Sarah LEARY, by 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning, at the latest.

The peace, infer illuses protracted and severe, Margarett Sim, aged 23 years, sixth daughter of the late Alexing ander Sim. want to obtain a circulation sufficiently large to drive away from us the haunting fear of deb' .-Again, we want to have means to purchase a ricen Consul, at this port, announcing the loss away with the travelling grog shop, making the nean fleet at present at anchor in the Dardanelles: press of such size as to be able to publish the paper at our office; and then, as our type is wearing out, we want to be able to replenish it, without incurring an increase of indebtedness; then, when these things are provided for, we want to do something for the support of our cause in the Provinces. Up to this time, with all the care exercised, our whole office has never paid one penuy of profits-the struggle, as yet. has been to keep the concern free from debt. We therefore appeal to every Methodist Minister, to every Wesleyan member, to every friend of our days

Briz Humming Brd, Tuzo, Havana, 18 days cause, and to every body else who feels an interest in our enterprise, to procure as many new subscribers as possible. We have not reached the number suggested by the Rev. H. PICKARD. A. M., at the commencement of this publication, A. M., at the commencement of this product of the part of the part in for a harbour.

-2.500—between six and seven hundred addi-put in for a harbour.
Schr Mary Ann, Giawson, Liverpool, N.S. tional to those on our list would give us about that number of paying subscribers. Can that number be supplied this year? Try. We are gratified to know the paper is well

spoken of throughout the Provinces, and no pains will be spared, as long as we are entrusted with its management, to render it increasingly We have some heavy accounts to meet

at the present time, we should be glad to receive remittances in large sums for past dues, and in VANCOUVER'S ISLAND .-- A few days ago we advance, to enable us to meet our engagements. recorded the arrival of a cargo of coal from Accounts for the City will be furnished in a few Vancouver's Island, the first coal brought to this days. We find it impossible to conduct the monport from the North Pacific. We understand etary affairs of our Office, without a more punctual that other vessels are now engaged in obtaining regard to our Terms, payment in advance .the House of Representatives, have agreed unan- the same lading; and it is boped that at no For want of this, we are subjected to considerable distant day all our coals will be obtained from loss from interest on money borrowed to carry on that island or Oregon. Coal is abundant in the paper. Our appeal is urgent, and we ex-Oregon, but it is not easy of access as that in pect a corresponding response. Let us not be

> Communications on hand shall be attended to next week. This being in part holyday week, we have had to prepare our matter for this week somewhat in advance.

The article from W. McK., it appears, is designed for a paper published in the U. S. What shall we do with it?

Letters & Monies Received.

(See that your remittances are duly acknowledged.)

VOL. VI.

Rev. J. Buckley, (two new sub.—article uextweek); Mr. Jacob Burnham, New York, (new sub. 5s.); Levi Borden. Esq., Pugwash,

The three masted schr. Gen Washington, William of the property of a washington, william of the property of a washington, william of the property of a washington, william of the masted schr. Gen Washington, William of the property of a washington, william of the property of the washington, will improve the property of the washington, will be property to the amount of £60,000 to £70,000 See that your remittances are duly acknowledged.) (new sub. 5s.); Levi Borden. Esq., Pugwash, changed the former for the latter-is that legislation, the trade and shipping of Great right?); Mr. J. Milbury, Granville, (new Britain in the ports of Brazil have been placed on the same footing as the shipping of Brazil.

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Britain in the ports of Brazil have been placed for Mr. Abel Wheelock, 10s. Boston and Halifax. The vessel is insured in the Union for £400, and the freight in the Nova Scotia for \$300; Asihma,

Corrected for the "Provincial Weslevan" to Wednesday, December 28th.

Bread, Navy, per cwt. 23s. 9d. 20s. a 21s. 3d. Beef, Prime, Ca. none. 41s. 3d. a 42s. 6d 32s. 6d 5s. a 5s. 3d. 1s. 4d. a 1s. 41d. 708. 35s. 6d. a 36s. 3d. 17s. 6d. Codfish, large

16s. a 16s. 8d. Salmon, No. 1, \$14. a \$15. \$13. 57s. 6d. a 58s. 9d Mackerel, No. 1, 52s. 6d. \$74. Herrings,

16s. 6d. a 17s. 6d. Haddock. 19s. a 20s Prices at the Farmers' Market, corrected up to 3 o'clock, Wednesday, December 28th. 30s. a 32s. 6d. Fresh Beef, per cwt. 3d. a 3jd. Lamb, per lb. Bacon, per lb. none. Pork, Fresh, 3½d. a 4d. Butter, per lb. 5d. a 7d.

1s. a 1s. 3d. 1s. 3d. a 1s. 9d Poultry-Chickens. 1s. 6d. a 2s. 6d. 2s. 3d. a 2s. 6d. Ducks, Turkeys, pe Yarn, per lb. Potatoes, per bushel, 2s. 6d. a 3s. none. Oatmeal, per cwt.

3s. a 5s. Apples, " 3s. a 5s. Homespun Cloth, (wool,) per yard, 2s. 6d. per yard, 1s 7d. a 1s. 9d. WILLIAM NEWCOMB,

Mr. Ambrose Allen, of Liverpool, to Mart, eldest daughter of the late Capt. John O'Brien, of Bristol.

By the same, at Mills Village, on the 22nd ult., Mr. By the same, at Mills Village, on t

at the Foor's Asymm. 22nd Dec., Anney MACKIN, 67 years old, a native of Irejand.

At Noil Dum, on the 24th ult, after a short and pauful illness, which she bore with christian resignation to the Divine will, Mrs. Mary, wife of George McLellan, in the 74th year of her age.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX. ARRIVED.

WEDNESDAY, December 28 Barque Charles Keen, (Am) Chalton, New York, Brigts Mary, Sullavan, Falmouth, Ja, 27 Pano, Marshall, Kingston, Ja, 22 days, Kaloolah, Lawson, New York, 4 days.

Brigts Lady Seymour, (pkt) Conrod, Bermuda, 8 days. Mary Ann. Mergitt, McDogald, Salem via Lunenburg FRIDAY, December 30.
Schrs Citron, Baltimore 11 days.
Palestine, McConnell, Country Harbeur.

Saturday, December 31. Schr Magnet, Bird, Placentia. Schr Labrador, Farrell, Baltimore. MONDAY, January 2 Schrs Valopia, Pope's Harbour Endenvour, Roberts, Guysborough. Rob Roy, Guysborough. Lady Ellen, Lunenburgh.

Tursday, January 8
Am ship Saxony, Chase, New York, bound to Ant-Schrs Mars, Linehan, Boston, 4 days. Sago, Best, Portland, 7 days.

December 30.—Brigt Emerald, McDonald, Cuba; hr Newfoundland Packet, Fraser, Porto Rico. MEMORANDA.

Barque Kate, which sailed for Savannah on Wednes-Burgue Rate, which sailed for Savannan on Wednesday, returned from sea on Thursday night.

Schr Citron, reports—experienced heavy gales; on he 25th passed a barque on her beam ends.

Schr Vine, at Yarmouth, reports—6th nit., lat 38 30, on 67 35, boarded wreck of brig Porto Rico, of Hamps.

To Phorpsson Holloway.

Sir,—I beg to inform you that for years I was a suffe-Schr Vine, at Yarmouth, reports—6th nit., lat 38 30, lon 67 35, boarded wreck of brig Porto Rico, of Hampsden, laden with pitch pine timber, abandoned, decks swept and torn amid ships, mainmast hanging by the side, roundhouse stove in, and cabin washed out, towards night freshening, left her, and saw another soft working towards the wreck. Also, spoke 13th, Mount Desert.

been effitted with an unknown schr.

A late Canadian paper says that since the year 1811,
there has not been such an unfavourable season as the
present. That year there were 74 vessels compelled to
winter at Quebec The weather has again set in cot
with earterly wind, which has filled the rivers and har-

Sonr Spray, uctonant, master, non Souris for St. John, N B, with 4000 bushels of grain, went ashore at Jedore on Friday last—total wreck.

Packet brigt Bloomer, which left this port for Boston on Wednesday, returned on Friday night, having carried away jib-boom, split sails and lost deck load, on Thursday, off Liverpool, in a gale from the S. W.

Mail Steamer Winfield Scott, totally lost on her passessors and treasures aswed and

Mul Steamer winners Scott, rotaty set on her passage to Panama; passengers and treasure saved and despatched per steamer California.

A schribenee for Arichat laden with dry goods, was driven ashore at Jedore on Friday night, 23rd nit.—the cargo was taken out and shipped in a schr for port of Schrs Rob Roy and Endeavour reports several small rrecks about Pope's Harbour; saw on Sunday Guys-orough Packet, off Owl's Head, 21 days out; schr Ca-oline, from Canso with mackarel, a total wreck. Schr Labrador report -experienced very boisterous weather on the passage from Baltimore, and was hove down-twice—lost jib-boom; was in company with schr Sylphide from Baltimore for Halilax—parted company

and Saturday last. It began from the E. and veered to the W. During the gale, Salus, of Guysborongh, Hutcheson, master, went ashore at Cheboguo Point, on Satur day night, and became a total wreck—crew, materials and careo saved Mary Anne, Morton, of and for St John. N B, from Sydney, coal laden, ran ashore at Pink-John, N.B., from Sydney, coal adder, an issued at This new's Point, same evening, and went to pieces,—crew, materials and small part of cargo saved. Eagle, Shaw, which left a few days previous for Liverpool to load for West Indies, driven from her anchors at Tusket Islands, and went to pieces,—crew and material saved.

Extract of a letter dated—Ragged Islands, Dec. 22, 1853.—Two schrs owned by Messrs. Enos Churchill & Conference and the same command. and went to pieces,—crew and material saves.

Extract of a letter dated—Ragged Islands, Dec. 22, 1858.—Two schrs owned by Messrs. Enos Churchill & Co., of Ragged Islands, the Halcyon, 59 tons, commanded by John Arnold, of Ragged Islands; the other the Seafoam, commanded by Samuel Goulding, of Shelburne. The former with a crew of eight men, the latter with a crew of seven, commenced their voyages about the 10th of April, and fished till about the 1st Novm. The Halcyon landed 500 qtls codiish and 300 barrels of mackarel, 230 of which were No 1's and 2's. The Seafoam is voyage amounted to \$4,600—time Seafoam's, \$3,4000—time S

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chest and digestive organs

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Dated Jan 10t, 1853. (Signed) H. MIDDLETON,
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MANY YEARS' DURATION.

GIV. Copy of a Letter from Mr. Gamis, Chemist. Yenvil, to Professor Holloway.

Dear Sir.—In this district your Pilis command a more exemples said thus any other proprietary medicine be fore the public. As a proof of their cilicacy in Liver and Sfilious Completins I may mention the following case. A lady of this town with whom I am personally acquaint in the completing the completing of the comp Liver and digestive organs; her medical attendant assured her that he could do nothing to relieve her sufferings,
and it was not likely she could sorvive many mouths.
This announcement naturally caused great alarm among
her friends and relations, and they induced her to make a
trial of your Pills, which so improved her general health
that she was induced to continue them unit she received
a perfect cure. This is twelve months ago, and she has
not experienced any symptoms of relapse, and often declares that your Pills have been the means of saving her
life. I remain, Dear Str., voues truly. clares that your Pills have been the means of saving her file. I remain, Dear Str, yours truly. November 23rd, 1852. (Signed) J. GAMIS. AN ASTONISHING CURE OF CHRONIC RHEU MATISM, AFTER BEING DISCHARGED FROM THE HOSPITAL, INCURABLE.

side, roundings slow and saw another schr work ing towards the wreck. Also, spoke 13th, Mount Desert, the string N N E, 30 miles, brig lvy, of and from Maithard, N S, bound to Philadelphia.

Br brig Undine, went ashore near Cardenas, night of the 8th or 9th ult, biged and would be a total loss.

Schr Democrat, of Yarmouth, N S, put into New Bedford 22nd ult., with considerable damage, having been confitted with an unknown schr.

A late Canadian paper says that since the year 1811, there has not been such an unfavourable season as the

Huenos Ayres to Oct. 17, and Montevideo to Oct.

22. The Salem Register says:

"We learn from Capt. Upton that the city of Buenos Ayres was quiet when the A. left, but much discontent and great disatisfaction were said to prevail throughout the Provinces. The Federal party. who compose the majority, are decided.

It will be the main point for British commerce in (new sub. 5s.); Levi Borden. Esq., Pugwash, (new sub. | Female Irregulari- | Scrofula or King

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A LL Persons having demands against the Fire Department to 31st December, 1853, are requested to present the same to the subscriber on before the 15th inst.

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WHITE BEANS AND PEAS.

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lete and

The Graves of the Emigrants.

They sleep not where their fathers sleep, In the village church-yard's bound; They rest not 'neath the ivied wall. That shades that boly ground. Not where the solemn organ's peal Pours music on the breeze, Through the dim aisle at even hour, And swells amid the trees. Not where the turf is ever green, And spring-flowers blossom fair. Upon the graves of the ancient men, Whose children sleep not there, Where do they rest-those hardy men, Who left their native shore, To earn their bread in distant lands, Beyond the Atlantic's roar? They sleep on many a lonely spot, Where the mighty forest grew-Where the giant oak and stately pine A dark, long shadow threw. The wild fowl pours her early song Above their grassy graves; And far away, through the stilly night, Is heard the voice of waves. And the breeze is softly sighing, The forest boughs among, With mournful cadence ringing, Like harps by angel's strung. And lilies, nursed by weeping dew, Shed here their blossom's pale: And spotless snow-flowers lightly bend Low to the passing gate. The fire-fly lights her sparkling lamp In that deep forest gloom,

Cemperance.

And darkness of the tomb.

The mossy stone or simple cross

Where, mantling in the forest shade,

Kind hearts have breathed a prayer

And tears of faithful love been shed,

By those who laid him there.

Its silent record keeps,

The lonely exile sleeps.

-Old Countrymen.

Yet deem him not by all forgot:

Prohibitory Law.

The opponents of the Maine Law offer but two arguments. They say the law cannot be enforced, and the attempts to enforce it only enhances the evil it is intended to foe of tenfold power, made by the improved cure; and that it should not be enforced. because it violates personal liberty. To the first the reply is overwhelming—that it has use its right of self-protection in circumso far as it has been, crime and poverty have decreased. Vague and general contradictions of this statement are plentiful enough, but to no purpose. Wherever the Prohibitory Law has been enforced even incompletely, the statistics of Crime uniformly show a diminution in the use of intoxicating drinks. This great statistical fact is not fortuitous. nor of doubtful cause. It is not to be sileneed by contradiction. Figures must be met by figures. If this could have been done it arould have been. What if, at any time since Maine has had on her statute book the law that has given her fame throughout Christendom, her jails had held as many criminals as before, and her courts as full of smiting its profits? Here that interest is tends to political strife. lame. The figures are against it—tremendously against it, like the hand-writing on
Belshazzar's palace-wall. The trade is give this turn to the discussion. It is evidently

Now, intelligent and ingenious trafficker. are in favor of the Law, let the amount drank tations and fears. be what it will, if drinking be not diminished, then, surely, nobody's liberty to drink has been much damaged. We don't care how the law brings about the blessing, so that we get it; and we de get it, more or less, wherhas been enacted, and had a trial, there it comotion is in the Mechanics of it.

months, and continue to show it.

Thus, the Rum Advocates, having sigpally failed in their matter-of-fact argument and utilitarian Logic, have no stronghold left but the abstraction of personal liberty.

in this case does not prohibit the use of the But, possibly, our fearful ones have been told that, by engaging in this effort, they will entangle themselves in party politics. How can that by so doing be injures Society at large both in means and morals. In this general statement we recognize a principle of law as old as Society itself, if not as old as Society itself, if not as old as the every world be worthless. It invades no main's privacy more than any other law; it simply prohibits a public branch of business which sentificing public-good to private gain in the enterprise of pampering an almormal apperium of the property of the Proposition of the party politics. How can that the has been restored to make the party that, by engaging in this effort, they will entangle themselves in party politics. How can that the has been restored to make the party of the party question? Will either the party of the contest with alcohol? Would either party the contest with alcohol. Would either party the contest with alcohol? Would either party the cont enterprise of pampering an almormal appe- in accomplishing a great public good. tile. The Maine Law occupies no untrod-

tice prohibited, and the proportionally urgent

If the legislative power has no right to meddle with Pauperism and Crime at all? Is society limited to the cure of these evils, and precluded from prevention? Then it might as well give up the hopeless enterprise first as last-let the unfortunate and incompetent feed and clothe themselves as they can, and the rogues run at large to satiate themselves with villainy. Personal liberty just as much requires the overthrow of all laws which prevent the mercenary from seducing and victimizing the weak and unwary, as the Maine Law. If we yield the opponents of the Maine Law their "sacred principle," we must establish the unrestricted right of tempting and being tempted, as the arch-enemy would have it; and, that being done, what revenue would long suffice for grated palaces, and the expensive and tedious processes by which "justice" fills them? Common sense proclaims, like the voice of the infinite multitude of waters, that society has a divine right to relieve itself, and slough off this whole business of swilling the human mind into fatuity by poisonous drink. Individual right against social power depends upon the nature of the thing to be done-the balance of the good and the evil there is in it. Now, in this age of the world, as in none before, alcoholic beverages have undergone the scrutiny of science. The Psychologist, the Chemist, and the Physiologist, have traced the subtle spirit through all the nerves and fibres of the human frame, and noted nothing to compensate its inevitable mischiefs. The Poli-Like Hope's blest light that breaks the night tical Economist and Statician have watched the effect of this business on wealth, and found it every way destructive. The Theologist has weighed its results upon the soul, and found nothing but immeasurable woe. The good and the joy of it is like the momentary flash of the exploding magazine, which scatters black wreck and mangled corpses in all directions. Now, here is established a marked, broad,

eternal distinction between this traffic and the ordinary traffics by which the tributaries to human necessity and comfort are distributed. The danger that the prohibition of this will lead to the invasion of the others is fictitious and ridiculously absurd. The immunity of the old dead past must not be dug up against the salutary prohibiknows the workings of the alcoholic poisons, teenth century. it knows how to correct them as never before. Society has now to contend against a foe of tenfold power, made by the improved arts irresistably seductive and superlatively dog-cheap. Therefore society, by failing to use its right of self-protection in circumstances which less imperatively demand its use, has not lost that right. It not only will use it, but it must. The Maine Law is a necessary result of the progress of the age—a world's law, which broke out in Maine, by one of those apparently accidental circumstances which so often give rise to a universal movement; but which must have come forth somewhere else, if not there. Those who would stay its progress might as well undertake to abolish the fundamental ruths of Mathematics and Chemistry.—

It knows how to correct them as never be and the proper of a numan skele-tor. Society has now to contrect them as never be fore. Society has now to correct them as never be adopted at the succeeded in constructing an automaton for the succeeded in constructing an automaton and succeeded in constructing an automaton figure, having the shape of a human skele-tor, which by means of a concealed mechanism played or had the appearance of the profile power,—some of which series dependently and docide eye.—Bucks (Eng.) Chron.

A CUNNING TRICK.—Dr. Walcott, the celebrated Peter Pinder, was an eccentric character, and had a great many queer motions of his own, A good story is told by one of his contemporaries of the manner to which the profile profile the profile profile profile the profile profile

rages on person and property as before- agitation for a prohibitory law, is one, which has Alix, and created the greatest astonishment; crafty would not the Rum interest have verified been employed, it is much to be regretted, by but, alas! for the illfated artist, this sentithe fact by accurate figures, and used it some temperance men. It is to this effect—that ment was soon changed in the minds of the pity of even a sheriff's officer, and make a triumphantly to stay the plague which is such agitation is of a political character, and smitting its profits? Here that interest is teads to political strife.

It is to this enect—that ignorant multitude into the most superstitions dread. A rumour arose that Alix was publisher, however, refused giving more

partially cut off in Maine, and Crime is cut a device of the enemy. Fearing that we shall court La Chambre de la Tournell, to be doctor peremptorily refused, and was seized off almost if not quite in the same proportion. prove successful, and conscious that their man- tried on the capital charge of magic or almost instantly with another even more The undeniable figures showed this in six destroying craft is in great danger, our foes are withcraft. In vain the ingenious but unbusily engaged in inventing specious arguments, fortunate artist sought to convince his nearly suffocated him—when the publisher, wholesale or retail, in Alcoholic drinks, you the half-hearted prevented from joining us.— parent vitality to the fingers of the skeleton could live long, raised his offer, and closed must find some cause for this glorious fact Timid and cautious persons are easily caught by beside the prohibition of your business. beside the prohibition of your business, or such manœuvres, and those who never commit equally unmagical contrivances, and that twenty-five or thirty years after. else confess yourself the author of Crime and the enemy of Society. It won't do for you to say, even if you could prove it, "The you to say, even if you could prove it, "The quantity is as great as ever." The object will supply them with a plausible reason for reddemonstrations were either not understood, Podolia. He was educated as a page to of the law is not to prevent people from fusing their co-operation. These "double-minded or failed of convincing his stupid and bigotdrinking this or that, but to prevent Pauper- men" are "unstable in all their ways." Oppo- ed judges, and he was condemned as a some knowledge of belles-letters. An inism and Crime—to protect the public peace. nents are always on the look-out for them, hoping sorcerer and a magician. This iniquitous trigue which he had with the wife of a If the statistics of Pauperism and Crime to make use of them by practising on their besi- judgment was confirmed by the parliament Polish Palatine, having been discovered,

Ours is a political agitation, is it? There are employed. Let us examine them.

ever we get the Law. Wherever the law petitioning the Legislature, persuading electors year 1664, to the great satisfaction and edi- for a long time, and distinguished himself to vote for such candidates only as will promise fication of all the faithful and devout inha- in several incursions against the Tartars. has been more or less enforced, and always to forward our views, labouring to bring over to bitants of Aix. with a visible, palpable diminution of Pau- our cause the members of the two Houses, and perism and Crime, of immense pecuniary especially by taking steps to prepare a prohibitory The telegraph reports that Mr. Parsons, the Czar to create him a Prince of the and incalculable moral value. This is as haw, we are adopting political measures, and inmuch an accomplished fact in politics of the volving ourselves in political turmoil and contenin the work of "street preaching" in New the abolition of the Slave Trade? How was are said to have been present on the occa-That sound principle, they tell us, must not Test and Corporation Acts—the extension of were kept under arms all day. The preach- CHURCH, FACTORY AND STEAMBOAT BELLS. be violated, no matter how powerful thy religious freedom in other directions—the defeat ing, we presume, though called "s reet (ONSTANTLY on hand, and Peals or Chimes of Bells

rages are necessaries of life. They are at divided in opinion that no decision can be arbest luxuries. It does not follow that, be rived at, nothing remains but to subject them to There must be entire liberty of speech without the needle. cause the law has laid its prohibitory finger a pressure from without, so that they may be for Catholics as well as Protest ints. Truth on a luxury, it has established a precedent brought force of public opinion, and has no occasion to fear discussion, nor even for invading the necessaries of life, nor for shape their course accordingly. In order to efinvading other Iuxuries which have no in-fect this, the friends of improvement must comjurious effect on Society, or are not produc-bine their energies, devise plans, divide the labine their energies, devise plans, divide the law bour of executing them, and bring all legitimate but that must be a question for every man's but the must be a question for every man's but the must be a question for every man's but the must

Miscellancous.

Your Wrath."

BY MARY IRVING.

The sun is almost down-The shadows flicker higher, Up the old pines, whose torch-like tops Are flashing Day's last fire.

Oh! ere their light goes out-Fre on that crimson cloud The first dim fold of darkness falls From twilight's deepening shroud.

Come, lay my hand in thine; Look to you gate of heaven, Glowing in purity and peace, And say, " Thou art forgiven "

" Let not the sun go down," Oh, friend! upon thy sou!, Shadowed by even a doubt, to mar Thy angel's record-scroll!

Thus hast too little known The love thou could'st forget Even for a moment; can the chill Cling to thy spirit yet?

Life is not long enough

Enough of wo will come unsought, Ere " dust return to dust!" "Peace-peace on earth"-was sung O'er Bethlehem's hills of light;

For hours of dark distrust;

Enough! no need of words I feel I am forgiven! One tear has caught a rainbow from The last quick ray of heaven!

Surely, the loving angels bring

Its echo-back to night!

tion. By the same token that science now Provence, about the middle of the seven-

truths of Mathematics and Chemistry.—

N. Y. Tribune.

a piece of music, the passages of which were faithfully repeated or echoed by the guitar held by the skeleton, at the same guitar held by the skeleton, at the same time that the movements of its wooden fingers, as if really executing the music, completed the illusion. This strange musical feat drew crowds around the house of Alix, and created the greatest astonishment:

Among the weak arguments urged against the significance of a prohibitory law, is one, which has gritten for a prohibitory law is one, which is placed to the author; and our earnest from the use of a rezor for some days, he had all the appearance of a candidate for daverous face by purposely abstaining from the use of a rezor for some days, he had all the appearance of a candidate for during the use of another edition necessary in a short from the use of a rezor for some days, he had all the appearance of a candidate for during the use of another edition necessary in a short from the use of a reaction for the use of a candidate for the use of a candidate for during the use of another edition necessary in a short from the use of a reaction for the use of a re whereby the unthinking may be puzzled, and judges that the only means used to give apbut two senses in which this expression can be city, together with the equally innocent au- horse, which was from the Ukraine, went

STREET PREACHING IN NEW YORK .- fame, which was daily increasing, induced and three or four other speakers, engaged Ukraine." tion. Be it so. But let me ask these objectors, York, yesterday afternoon. No attempt Lork Byron with the subject of his poem in what way the great reforms of the last halfcentury have been accomplished? What led to occurred, though twenty thousand persons Slavery itself abolished? The repeal of the sion. Three regiments of troops, however, This solind principle, they fell us, most not be violated, no matter how powerful the violation. It is refreshing to me the present heaving assimply in the open air, part and useful measures—how were they obtained? What could Wilberforce, and Buxton and Lord John Russell, and other members of the sources, but not of the prevail the remarking that their worship of it is none of the pures. Their godlines smells terribly of gain. Now, let us see whether Soulcy must know help remarking that their worship of the source whether the power has been been possible terribly of gain. Now, let us see whether Soulcy must know help remarking that their worship of the source whether the power has been been possible terribly of gain. Now, let us see whether Soulcy must know help remarking that their worship of the source whether the power has been been possible that the proposition of the pure in the power has been been possible to the source of the pure in the power has been been possible to the source of the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been possible to the pure in the power has been been poss

tory appeals are not to our taste, neither do we consider them adapted to promote the

lation, for the Egyptians do not molest birds, only travellers affright them with the sportden ground. No landmark of liberty is overthrown to make way for it. Laws on the same principle have existed wherever Civilization has flourished. The only pecution of the same principle have existed wherever the credit belongs, let Egyptians are an unarmed people, but, to whomsoever the credit belongs, let Egyptians are an unarmed people, but, to whomsoever the credit belongs, let Egyptians are sale wholesale and retail and winter and proportion by an analysis of the land where birds are safe and free. Most sweetly do they the action of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. D., Liver seeds and at sunset in the action of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. D., Liver seeds and at sunset in the action of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. D., Liver seeds and at sunset in the action of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. D., Liver seeds and at sunset in the action of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. D., Liver seeds and recommendation of the land where birds are safe and free. the same principle have existed wherever opportunity to benefit your country, and save lians have the praise of the land where birds are safe and from a report on the treatment of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. Dr., Liver ment of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. Dr., Liver ment of Consumption by James Turnbull, M. Dr., Liver pool, G. B., to be had gratia as above. September 23.

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unknown names, are of beautiful plumage and delicate form ; but the bird, for which the traveller looks from the moment he en-ters Egypt, is the pure and sacred Ibis. __ JAMES MASON AND HIS VISION: enact such a law, then what right has it to "Let not the Sun go down upon the traveller looks from the moment he en-We had several times seen at a distance a bird that we conjectured must be this, but to-day we had a nearer view, that by comparison with the sculptured form, quite saished us of its idemity. It was a most delicate creature, about a foot long, from the beak to the tip of the tail, with long, slender legs, and a neck that curved gracefully and terminated in a long, crooked beak .-It was of stainless white, and, when it flew, seemed rather to swim with gentlest motion on a buoyant sea. The selection of such a bird as sacred, and the association of it

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Alix, after many years' study and labour

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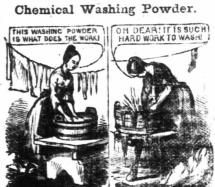
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