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BY ABBIE E. JUDD.

Have I, in truth, things to be thankful for? Have I of blessings rich received my share? That I with humble, reverential heart— Should offer up to God my grateful prayer?

I watched the worshippers at church to-day; Some few in attitude of prayer I saw, And wondered in my inmost heart it they Had really something to be thankful for.

The poor man, resting from his daily toil The rich and proud, in costly garb were there The weak and sinful, like the one of old. Who wiped the feet of Jesn, with her hair!

They were in number few; yet each one joined. With earnest voice in prayer and praise divine 'Till o'er them all, illumining the air, A glory, as from heaven, did o'er them shi

The marvellous light fell o'er the altar-rail; It rested softly on the chancel wall, And seemed to shed, with holy light and pale A peaceful benediction over all.

The gray-haired pastor slowly rose, and then "The peace of God" came stealing through the air, While I, with grateful, thankful heart at last

Bowed low, and offered this, my feeble prayer " O Christ! Thou hope of weary souls, Whose inmost longings, Thou alone must know I do believe! and thankful am indeed! Wash me, that I may whiter be than snow.

Never again can I Thy watchful care Doubt-though the path be somtimes dark and wild-Though scarlet drops of sin have stained my

I feel that Thou wilt own me for Thy child."

EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.

INVITATION FOR WEEK OF UNITED PRAYER THROUGHOUT THE WORLD .- JANUARY

To all that in every place call upon the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, both theirs and ours Grace be unto you, and peace from our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. BELOVED BRETHREN OF ALL NATIONS:-

It is again our duty and privilege to sun mon you to join in the customary Week of Intercession which for many years Christians of different nations and languages have agreed to

how this call to prayer meets with a more general and hearty response, and each successive year is ushered in by a wider and more extended gathering of the children of God around the throne of the beavenly grace.

The remembrance of many hallowed seasons when our devotions were led by venerated and beloved servants of God who now rest from their labours, and have exchanged prayer for for praise, cannot but endear to us these occusions of cultivating and enjoying the Commu-

earnestuess and importunity of our prayers. spread diffusion of sceptical ideas, the hostile

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opics for exhortation and prayer on the successive days of meeting :-Sunday, January 4 -SERMONS.-The unity

union .- John xvii. 21, 22, 23, Monday, Jan. 5.—THANKSGIVING.—for Baspiritual and temporal. Confession.-Unworthiness and guilt of our people and our-

cuted and suffering Christians .- Col i. 9, 10, 11.; Hebrews xiii. 3. Wednesdag, Jan. 7.—PRAYER FOR FAMILIES

for peace among men; for public virtue and was just ready to fall: for the little maid in to have just three thoughts, to one of which he

ture.-Isaiah lx. 17-18. Friday, Jan. 9-PRAYER.-For the evangelization of European countries; for the conver

the events of 1873. Recognition of the Providence of God. Happy issue of the Divine dispensations. - Isaiah xxvi. 8-9.

Sunday Jan. 11.—SERMONS.—Subject:—

nipotence against them. The constant lesson who had gone astray, and bring them back to whether they had the success or not, if it came which the Word of God teaches the believer in the fellowship and welcome of the home, and they would see it from heaven if they did not his warfare with the forces of evil, is "Fear then ask the angels—who were more skilled realise it on earth. It was not they who them not, for they that be with us are more in minstrelsy than themselves—to lead them off would be crowned and laurelled; it was their than Spurgeon in the most obvious interpretathan they that be with them," "God is our in the song, "This my son (or daughter) was Master who was to have crown upon crown; it refuge and strength, a very present help in dead and is alive again, was lost and is tound."

That movement would find employment for At the same time there is much to excite gra- velop a large amount of tact and talent which titude and encourage hope. Never was the lor lack of use bade tair to be sepulchred altoworld so open to the entrance of the Gospel. gether. He was also of opinion that it was a The efficient barriers of inveterate prejudice work of the truest patriotism. That was a have been broken down; oriental nations are shrewd remark of a shrewd observer of human SOME PULPIT CELEBRITIES IN EUawaking from the slumber of ages and are nature, Dr. Guthrie, "Corruption in indiviturning wistful eyes towards the mysterious duals begins after death; corruption in nations wisdom and power of the West. The Mission- begins before death." There was sound, ary and the Bible en'er in with the engineer subtle, solemn philosophy in that. He had a and the merchant. Be it ours to pray that all conviction, which had torced itself with painthese things may fall out to the furtherance of fulness upon his spirit, that there was a greater the Gospel; and while drawing closer to each moral degeneracy now than there was six years other and to God, to lift up our united suppli- ago-when he last looked upon London society; cations that the glorious gospel of Christ, who that there were deeper depths, so to speak, of is the image of God, may shine upon the dark impurity, and a wider confederacy of evil, and than under a popular government; so that neiplaces of the earth, and fill the world with the a greater grasp of the pillars of the social fabric ther the pulpit nor the stump-orators are so nuby those who had no right to grasp them-because they had not the moral education that alone could fit them to grasp them—than some time ago. He would always rather look upon President and Secretaries of the British Branch of the Evangelical Alliance. was ignorance, improvidence, indifference—

resident and Se retary of the Norwegian Branch.

Chairman and Secretary of the Turkish Branch. The following are suggested as suitable

of the Christian Church. The real oneness of all true believers. Hindrances and motives to tional, domestic and temporal mercies, both

Tuesday, Jan. 6.—PRAYER.—For the Christian Church: for the increase of faith and holiness, love and power; and for the more abundant grace of the Holy Spirit; for perse-

righteousness; for the banishment of intemperance, infidelity, superstition and error, and the Assyrian palace whom God used as an incomes every Sunday as the burden of his sermon: first, that sin is very bad; secondly, that tor the diffusion of pure and Christian litera-

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Mohammedan and heathen lands.—Ps. lxviii.

31; exxii. 6; Heb. xiii. 3.

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no magnetism, like Beecher, or Bishop Simple on the came and shook each of his hearers by the hand and looked straight into their eyes, does not rouse the social and tandity teelings.

Christ's kingdom universal and everlasting .-A a public meeting recently held in England,
The Rev. Dr. Punshon (who was received with loud cheers) said he simply came to the meeting of express his wars herether the said to express his wars herether the said to have any thought; and his elequence is not so enticing, as he is inclined to monotony from the great uniformity,
As the Holy Spirit unlocks the door,
And Jesus enters and says, "Tis Psalm' xcvii. 1-2. loud cheers) said he simply came to the meet-ing to express his very hearthy sympathy with Jesus Christ. When a drum major in the the inauguration of that Methodist Lay Mis- Crimean army, who was rejoicing in Christ's sion. He first heard of it some three thousand service, was consulted by a chaplain as to the miles away, and he rejoiced in spirit that what best mode of fulfilling his office, he said, he had considered a defect in the organisation "Come with me to the hill-top." They went. of Methodism seemed at last on the point of "Look upon that scene. There are the pickets being supplied; and he almost envied, in the of the Russian army; see the men in the trench Dominion of Canada, the opportunity and es; look at those trains of ammunition. Sir privilege which those had who had to do with we are all in earnest here; if we don't conquer the starting of that movement in its present or- the Russians will conquer us. We don't know ganised form. He felt that he was now better any one of us, that it may not be our own death prepared than he would have been some years struggle; we are sure it is a death-struggle in ago to look the enemies in the tace, and to connection with the cause we have in hand withstand them in the gate. If anybody told We are not playing at soldiers here, Sir, every we live permit the thought of relaxing in the him now that Methodism was not true to her man is in earnest." (Cheers.) That was the original mission, that she had forgotten the advice which they must follow in their conflic All around us are symptoms which may well great work for which she was specially charter of the Church with the world. It was the awaken grave and anxious thoughts in Chris- ed, when he could count upon institutions like world for Christ they were endeavoring to win tian hearts. The agitation and unrest of na-that, which had lately crept in amongst their and if they were not traitors and deserters, i tions, the rise and fall of empires, the rapid organisations, he could say there was proof they were not enlisted under false colours and sudden revolutions of opinion, the anti- that Methodsim still, by some of her agencies they must go with hand, and heart, and social and anti-Christian elements known to tried not only to get to those who needed her, will, with Him and his hosts to the conques be fermenting among the masses, the wide- but to those who needed her most. He wel- of the world. (Cheers.) He thanked God comed such a movement as that very cordially, for having heard such a speech from Mr attitudes of modern science towards everything as it could not fail to confer a reflex benefit Vanner, a young layman; he prayed that God supernatural, the startling developments of an upon the Church in all its departments. He unscriptural and superstitious Ritualism; and, also approved of it on the ground of personal might send many more such; that the mantles of the fathers might come down upon the childat the least, the astute and audacious strug- affection. There were tens of thousands of ren, and the children so grow that the mantles gles of Popery to recover its authority over the their own children in the courts and alleys of the fathers would not fit them. He knew minds of men, all together constitute such a perishing for lack of knowledge, going down to plea for prayer as no intelligent and thought- the backslider's hell. Had they brought those by with bayonet in hand against the man they tul mind can fail to recognize. The most effec children as they ought they might not have had singled out for themselves, but in this matter they would not be alone, the great Captual reply which the faithful disciples of Christ fallen so low, and now in their degradation can give to the scornful taunt, "What profit and shame it was but a faint reflection of the tain of their salvation was with them is there in prayer," the most hopeful method divine compassion, which always yearned over (Cheers.) The work was his, and if they but of trustrating the pernicious schemes of foolish the prodigal, that they should go and seek out did their duty, the success would be theirs acor wicked men, is by engaging the arm of Om- those who were of their own household, but cording to the promise. It did not matter was for Him they asked, as the result of that ject and apply it to all the departments of life. glorious meeting, hearts full ot devotedness to those who were comparatively idle, and dethe service and glory of the Master, and He would cause their work to prosper in their hands. (Loud applause.)

BY PROFESSOR A. BIERBOWER.

Having frequently had occasion to hear the principal pulpit orators of Europe, I shall here give a sketch of the most prominent. It may be observed, in general, that eloquence is far

less cultivated in Europe than in the United States, owing to the less demand for it there merous or so effective as with us. Next to America, however, the most prominent place is taken by England, as being the next freest country, and being Protestant. For the Protthe sunny than the sad side, but he did feel that estant countries s'and far higher in eloquence there were foul and fetid streams of evil flowing than the Catholic, owing to the ritual occupy. up and down this great city, which brought in ing in these latter nearly the whole service their track very much of national danger; there In France, eloquence is esteemed, because it is a tree country, or at least a political one that strange, impalable thing that they could but it is all political or forensic, rather than reno more fight with than a ghost—and yet it ligious, because it is a Catholic country. In was present everywhere, preventing the reception of the fruth, and dulling all the inner faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most elequent man in Europe, just as in faculties to the reception of the Gospel of the most eleven o'clock, he sent to Dr. Chalmers a measurement of the company and the faculties are also as a faculties of the company and the faculties are also as a faculties of the faculties are also as a faculties of the faculties are also as a facultie was present everywhere, preventing the recep- Spain the late revolution called out some orafaculties to the reception of the Gospel of the grace of God. Then there was infidelity; then Popery, which glossed over the evils to which

his strength—thousands in their tall. The in- Church in its demand for ritual.

terests of our country were wrapped up, to a certain extent, in such movements as that which they had met to promote, and they were if the crowds which wait on his ministry, or the the truest patriots and the most loyal citizens in the crowds which wait on his ministry, or the extent of his reputation determine it. He s'rikes me as often shaping his sermons to stones, and secondly I will point the sinner to the pupils, he expressed himself highly gratiwho endeavored to build the social fabric upon preaches as is well known in the southern part catch his illustrations, leaving the main sub- the Great Road maker. The doctrine of eleca sure foundation. It was said that a Gallic of London, where generally the middle and ject to get the material with which to clothe it. tion is one stone; the sinner tears that he is it should be in his power to assist the teacher. general once came upon a battle-field about sundown. There was valour in the troops, but is entirely composed. His tabernacle is a tabernacle there had been mismanagement somewhere, and they were fleeing from the face of their enemy. His keen glance swept round the field, and took in with the sagacity of a commander all the salient points of the battle.

Jumping upon his horse he exclaimed, "It is not yet too late to win the victory," rushed into the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his carried controversialist he is, or that he could on the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his own of the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his carried controversialist he is, or that he could the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his carried controversialist he is, or that he could on the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his carried controversialist he is, or that he could on the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his carried controversialist he is, or that he could the powers of the University. At a certain stage of his carrie not yet too late to win the victory," rushed into the ranks turned the tide of battle and addo the ranks, turned the tide of battle, and addwith which be can fill his great church; for his ed new lustre to the Gallic arms. So he (the remarkable fluency; for his terse, pointed given up to arguing, and is national rather than searched and found not one, and he thought, Dector, who expressed his gratification at bespeaker) believed it was not yet too late for style of thought and language, and for his them to win the victory; and, although there strong faith in religion in the most literal sense elsewhere, he would not be a controversialist, first one to be rejected?" so he broke the net. were great daugers, he believed there was a of the Scriptures. He has no breadth or depth but a counselling pastor, going about performand escaped. It is a most absurd thing to £5. The young man is now an able and popuspirit of resolute consecration and earnest purpose in the hearts of the Christian people which would not suffer them to retreat from the field until the Lord of Hosts manifested himself upon pointed and attractive by its plainness. He pointed and attractive by its plainness. He ing acts of kindness. -N. Y. Methodi t. the side of his own truth and power. He rejoi-does not elaborate his text, neither does he never say, that the door is shut, —Home and parental influence. Schools private and public. Sons and daughters absent in that work for all: there was an ample field

does not elaborate and take a subject. Whatever may be his text, he soon leaves it by easy suggestions, which carry Thou knowest who said, and says it still, from home. Children in sickness and affliction. of toil and an ample recompense of honor: for him to the beaten track, where he neither ex-The erring and disobedient.—Psalm cxv. 12, the little child to whom in the startled night plains, instructs nor convinces (unless it be, inthe summoning voice came, and upon whom, deed, the lowest minds), but where he enfor-

though he knew it not, the prophet's mantle ces and persuades the people to act. He seems And though we have often refused to come. preachers, heralds who had never sat at the get what he wants through Christ. His mind foot of Gamaliel; all these lay-men and laywomen—for the little Assyrian maid was a he shows the most remarkable common sense deaconess—of God's own providing—were enin the treatment of practical subjects. He has

whether he would find the enthusiasm which like Cuyler. In fact, he lets you sit perfectly befitted the soldier—whether those who had easy under his loud, clear words; and only enjoyed God's favor for a whole jubilee of years those who strongly believe what he is saying, had sitting by their sides the spirits they had will experience any tegling under his preachwon for Christ? Their fathers had done noble ing, and then not because of any sympathy things, but was the burial-ground richer for the Church? It was their duty to work individual
Church? It was their duty to work individual
Beecher. Certainly his thought is very tar in
Beecher. We can catch the words, though the wind on politics or reform subjects, except that he hunders often against intemperance, because it is a form of sin. He appears, however, not to be very tavorable to the connection between

congregation; for the church is very noisy dur-

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are just like that. The subject is the same, and

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ushing crowds.

He loved us before we had heard His nan Church and State, or to like royalty. He never prays for the Queen or the acbility, as near. He offered as pardon, and hope, and heaven, y all othe, ministers do to excess. About the best part of his service is the reading of the Scripture, with his very pointed and appropri-

Can we say that Christ has made us wait ? ate comments. He seems to me most remark He knew we were cold and hungry too, able for the great quantum of force which he So He begged us to come, and be warme cossesses, and which his congregation say is

kept up by their prayers. He can preach three sermons in a day, make as many Scriptural ex And they gave us a stone when we asked to positions, and twice as many long and powerful prayers; besides running his theological

college, his magazine, his pastoral work and his progressing connections. His reading of hymns is very fine, and done with full voice in order to rise above the noise of the

ing the opening services, on account of the in-

He made us willing to hear His voice, And 'twas He that taught us to love Hi Dr. Parker appears to me the ablest of the preachers of London, both as to matter and manner. Anybody who has read his Ecce De-

MR. SPURGEON AND THE WESLEY-

much about Jesus, and with a view to make him understandable as a man. He don't want men to act, as Spurgeon does, but to compre-FROM the Bedfordshire Times and Indepen dent of Oct. 25 we learn that on Sunday, Oct

ral accounts, explaining all that is difficult or 19 services in celebration of the 106th anniver sary of St. Paul's Wesleyan Chapel, Bedford were held, sermons being preached morning and evening by the Rev. L. H. Wisemen, M. remarkable self-confidence, but far less faith A., who was listened to by very large con gre- er:gations. In the atternoon the children of the like Beecher, much less treat it theologically or metaphysically; but takes a chapter of Scripity, grouping thoughts and expressions into the most strange and startling forms; presenting the whole as a unity, but not really anything

he explains the Christ, not of an ideal, but of history, and is altogether one of the most instructive and entertaining preachers I have ever heard anywhere. His voice is of extraordinary depth and richness, and quite as strong as it is possible for such a voice to be. strong as it is possible for such a voice to be.

In response to an appeal that young man alone; he will do it better the western than any of the Baptist (Mill-street) congregation and the western than any of the Baptist (Mill-street) congregation and the said with his characteristic generosity, "Let vive. We hoped that fondest affection, meditate voice of the Baptist (Mill-street) congregation and the said with his characteristic generosity, "Let vive. We hoped that fondest affection, meditate voice of the Baptist (Mill-street) congregation and the said with his characteristic generosity, "Let vive. We hoped that fondest affection, meditate voice of the Baptist (Mill-street) congregation and the said with his characteristic generosity, "Let vive. We hoped that fondest affection, meditate voice of the Baptist (Mill-street) congregation and the said with his characteristic generosity, and although it at the western the said with his characteristic generosity." first strikes your attention far more than anything he has got to say, and makes you think tist Chapel, his friend Mr. Spurgeon, consent- naturally one of the leaders of the Free Church life breath weat away we could not but hope it ed to preach as early as possible on behalf of movement. that he is altogether taken up with it himself. yet you soon forget it as it blends harmoniousyet you soon forget it as it blends harmoniously into his most delightful setting forth of his
to a gentleman of good position who repreto a gent yet you soon forget it as it blends harmonioussubject. His audience is far more select than as to attract the most illiterate as well as the

Dr. Cumming is one of the best, but appa- and such a monster gathering of adults at a public will illustrate this. One night, about Italy the revolution called out Cavour and Garliald. But in the church of neither of these ibaldi. But in the church of neither of these countries is there any demand for pulpit eloquence, and there is but little of it. In Gerlian all parts of his small church, and apparently quence, and there is but little of it. In Gerlian all parts of his small church, and apparently with great diffidence. He expounds however: imprimatur and sanction on certain conditions of the control of belonging outwardly to the Church. These

was a great mistake to think that if the poor were suffered to go down, the social fabric would stand; or to think that the head

E'er since by faith I saw the stream. Thy flowing wounds supply, Redeeming love has been in theme, And shall be till I die.

And chosen to wander alone in the night,

He tollows us home, and at our closed door He knocks, and offers us love and light: And He says to each, "Thou rebellious child I beseech thee this night to be reconciled! And we answer, "O Christ! it is cold and

THE OPEN DOOR.

"Yea weary and troubled, to rest come in

To any watcher weary of sin!

And I long to be warm, and sate and free, But Satan has bound me and locked the door, And he holds me back, when I touch the He told me once that my home was bright,

But now I feel it is always night."

And Jesus enters and says, " Tis I!"

And straightway our fetters broken tall, And we know that Our Saviour has done Then never say that the door is shut-

And it we refused it, is Christ to blame?

But we passed and knocked at another door

full, so the women procured the biggest basin possible. With more faith what wonders might Yet we said, " No Lord, we will keep our sin While the collection was being made with Tho' Thy door is wide, and there's joy with-

some difficulty by a large staff, Mr. Spurgeon said it was for a good cause, for the Methodists and Baptists did believe in something de-But He waited still, though we passed Him cisive, while many did not, and they could

> was then sung, the first line being-Jesus, accept the praise, about 4,000 persons joining in the tune, Darwell's. The service concluded at pine o'clock

with prayer, and the vast throng dispersed. The collections amounted to £82 13s. ld. which will be equally divided between the Baptists and Weslevans, as arranged. The collections on the Sunday amounted t

DR. CANDLISH.

The following notice of Dr. Candlish from he Edinburgh Courant gives some interesting

that God would hear them. It was an old custom

in a certain parish to give food to the poor at

Christmas, and the basins were always to be

particulers about the great Free Church lead-St. Paul's and St. Mary's Sunday-schools as- came to the front. Once on a memorable day, St. Paul's and St. Mary's Sunday-schools assembled in the first named chapel, when an interesting juvenile service was conducted by the keenly debated it was found that Dr. Chalmers, position, and having such a longing for, and Rev. J. Brown, B. A., of Bunyan Meeting, the leader of the movement, was not present, loving of the beautiful, she seemed to rise who gave an address from the words "Chil- and an important reply had to be made; then above the infirmities of the flesh. Her heart dren of Light," some valuable lessons being for the first time, Dr. Candlish ro e to his feet ever seemed full of the thought "that this taught. Many adults attended, and special —a young man of little more than thirty—imhymns were sung by the crowded congre- pelled by the necessity for the case (for he and if we did our duty it would be full of love never was a man who put himself forward un- As a wife she performed well her vows. As On Wednesday the services were continued necessarily), and assumed the detence which daughter she turned fondly to the shrine where at the Britania Ironworks, the spacious pack- Chalmers would have been ing shed having been kindly placed at the be had been present. There are great rush As a sister the aching hearts tell too well of a disposal of those who arranged the visit of the for the leader. He soon after entered, and vacancy that can never be filled. As a friend Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, the popular preacher listened for a few minutes to the young man. her's was a friendship that would bear a friend's at the Metropolitan Tabernacle, for the benefit When asked to step forward and take the lead, infirmities. O how we hoped she would surfrom the Rev. R. Speed, pastor of the Bap- than me." Dr. Candlish thereafter became To the last moment we hoped, and when the

Spurgeon's, but not one-fourth so large. His voice will not allow him to speak to so large an audience, so that he will never attain the same popularity, although his sermons are such

Sourgeon Mesers Howard lent their large. In the true spirit of gather himself up into careful listening. There was a certain fingering with his hair, a throw-planted in the arrangement, and as no place in the town ing about of his pulpit gown, and, a swaying of his body, which seemed to a new listener to be some distinct the gates of the gather himself up into careful listening. There was a certain fingering with his hair, a throw-planted in the arrangement, and as no place in the town ing about of his pulpit gown, and, a swaying of his body, which seemed to a new listener to be some distinct the same popularity, although his sermons are such the same popularity although his sermons are such the same popularity and the same popularity although his sermons are such the same popularity although his sented the Wesleyans. In the true spirit of gather himself up into careful listening. There is capable of containing those who admire Mr. his body, which seemed to a new listener to be of promise, and flaming thereon where these spurgeon, Messrs. Howard lent their large more or less affected; but it very soon became words, "There shall be a resurrection of the building, which was seated to accommodate apparent, as we have just said, that the rever- just." about 3,000 persons, and lighted with gas. end Doctor was 'thinking aloud.' One or two At three o'clock the building was crowded, anecdotes, perhaps not known to the general imprimatur and sanction on certain country. These of belonging outwardly to the Church. These things seemed to him to indicate that there was at this moment in this beloved land a very was at this moment in this beloved land a very was at this moment in this beloved land a very was at this moment in this beloved land a very was at this moment in this beloved land a very was at this moment in this beloved land a very was at this moment in this beloved land a very with great diffidence. He expounds, nowever: with great diffidence. He expounds, nowever: with great diffidence. He expounds, nowever: with great diffidence. Le expounds, nowever: be done not preach. L ke Spurgeon, his Scriphing he does not preach. L ke Spurgeon, his Scriphing he does not preach. Lasker, tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best: but his sermon is tural readings are the best is the Noncontormist with the Noncontormist him to his pulpit." Altogether, we have no he does not preach. L ke Spurgeon, his Scriphing him to his pulpit. The Noncontormist him to his pulpit. The Noncontormist him to his pulpit. The Noncontormist him to him to his pulpit. The Noncontormist him to him was at this moment in this beloved land a very considerable gathering of those elements that only needed to be let loose to destroy. It

that wore the crown had interests separate find pulpit eloquence of a respectable kind; and well be treated of in any of hissermons. Yet, Mr. Spurgeon then announced his text, With all the appearance of a cankered from the most degraded and outcast of the in England it is confined almost entirely to the on whatever subject, or sub-subject, he speaks, "Gather out the stones." (Is. lxii. 10) pointedness which sometimes exhibited itself population If the people went down they dissenting churches, owing to the too great he always talks well; throwing off intuitively In the course of his remarks the preacher said: before the Presbytery and General Assembly, would involve-like Samson in the last effort of proximity of the Establishment to the Catholic the most entertaining suggestions, sparkling Satan puts sharp pebbles in the sinner's path, Dr. Candlish was possessed of the gentlest and from the beginning to the end of his discourse, and does all he can to keep him from going to tenderest feelings. We may give an illustra-He is eminently Scriptural in his teaching but heaven. Our work is to try and gather out tion out of many showing his innate kindness Spurgeon takes the first place in eloquence, secular in his illustrations, every department some of the stones, and we will go to work of disposition. On one occasion he visited a constitutional. Had he been born and trained "I don't think it likely that I should be the ing able to assist the young man, and stated niske the doctrine of election a stumbling lar preacher in the Free Church, and we need block. The preacher then referred to various scarcely say that the money so kindly and opother stumbling-blocks; and, toward the close portunely given has long ago been repaid of his sermon, said: Well do I remember go- Many instances of a similar kind might be ing one cold Sabbath morning to a Primitive given, showing that there was a warm and Methodist chapel, and although the sermon kindly heart beating under a somewhat gruff was not particularly clever, as modern ser- exterior A member of his congregation, residing mons are counted now, I was struck with in Stockbridge, had the misfortune to have his We may stand without 'till He says: " Foo the earnestness of the preacher, whose house and turniture destroyed by fire. The text was, "Look unto me, all ye ends of news was communicated to Dr. Candlish as he the earth, and be ye saved." Looking at was leaving the vestry to preside at the weekly me, as I thought, he said, that young man prayer meeting held in his church; and at the over there looks very miserable; you will close of his service he made such an eloquent never be happy till you get rid of that burden: appeal on behalf of the ruined family that belook, look now." And I did look, and the fore the congregation left the building as much burden rolled from my shoulders. I can say money was subscribed as enabled the fauily to furnish their house anew with an a sple

> stock of furniture. There was, it may be remembered, a long controversy in the Free Church on the use of hymns is public worship, the permission to use There can't be a better thome. Young and such hymns having been at length given by old, look straight at the Lord Jesus Christ. If the Assembly of last year. Principal Candlish you have found a Saviour go and tell it to supported the innovation, and the first hymn introduced by him at Free St. George's-it It is impossible to give an idea of the preacher's eloquence, which at times rose into impas- Free Church-was "Rock of Ages." The sioned earnestness, the effect of which was event is one well remembered in the congregamanifest in all parts of the congregation. A tion from the singularly powerful reading of the collection having been made, the Doxology was hymn by Dr. Candlish. Many in the church sung, and the service concluded with prayer. | were moved to tears by the beauty of his ren-At the evening service the building was dering, and it was remarked by one hearer densely crowded; after the singing of a hymn, that the reading was an admirable comment Mr. Spurgeon read Luke zv. and afterwards a_{rv} on the hymn.' This co de ivered a powerful sermon based upon the tavourite one of the venerable Principal's, and words, "For the Son of Man is come to seek a touching anecdote regarding it occured in and save that which was lost." (Luke xix. 10,) his late illness. Mr. Strang, precentor of St. During his sermon, the preacher addressed a George's, called to ask for his minister, when few words to "the people of God." Mr. Dr. Candlish, hearing who was in the house, Howard had shown him the great steam-engine, begged that he might be called in. He requested him to sing 'Rock of Ages,' and a harwhich was of no service when the fire was out The prayer-meeting was the steam-engine of monium being placed so that it might be heard the Church, and kept the whole machinery by the patient, the loved hymn was sung. going. When they prayed they must believe amidst teelings of intense sadness.

IN MEMORIAM. Died. Nov. 24th, aged 34 years, at the residence of her father, Maccan Mountain, SARAH, second daughter of Matthew Lodge, and wife of Richard Megeney. The illness which termi nated so fatally, began about the middle of August. After being brought to the very gates of death with Typhoid fever, she rallied for And, when all false lights grown dim, He stand shoulder to shoulder. The last hymn few weeks, but was again laid low with congestion of the brain. After suffering intensely

for some days, she became speechless and un conscious, and gradually her lite ebbed away. "Yes another hand is beckoning us, Another call is given.

And glows once more with angel steps,
The path which reaches heaven."

At the early age of eleven years, she gave her heart to God under the ministry of the Rev. T. H. Davies. And although she never willingly departed from the right way, yet to her faith ful pastor, (Rev. D. B. Scott,) and to her parents, ste mourned over her backslidings of heart. Knowing as she did that only the pure in heart shall see God, she sought and found the peace that passeth understanding. The clouds were dispersed and the shadows fled away and the last words she uttered were, "I am my Lord's and he is mine." The shadow of make if dwelt the most sacred memories of her heart.

Into the world of bright visions Into the world of the glad.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1873.

BACKSEIDERS,-KEEP THEM IN VIEW. | such a calamity for many a day! Every Church has its long, sad list of weary and faint and wayward members. his Brethren in New England. He has From our increased staff of self-denying The land is full of them. Some turning been elected frequently to deliver the Con- and devoted laborers, we encourage the on a pivot—to-day glowing with religious ference sermon, and has always produced hope and cherish the faith of satisfactory one else the utmost degree of trouble; and though his rare faculty of seeming to be instill others reckless, hardened, as if the dependent of all extraneous aid, gives him thing to live down by determined unrightecuspess. How do we think of these people Generally as we do of confirmed drunkards, -as hopeless cases and only to be pitied.

The Methodist Church can well afford this class of sinners. Many of them have a petition previously presented to the pasattained to joys whose lingering sunshine tor, Rev. J. Read, in favor of au organizahymn fills them with sadness, lives of purity rebuke their own iniquities. The organize, and to admit all of both sexes strong probability is, that once back in the Church they would walk more warily,they would appreciate the treasures long lost but never forgotten. Treat them kindly; deal with them tenderly. " And upraideth not," says the Apostle. Conwinter's campaign, forget not the numbers vide these homes within themselves for at a new one where is a most promising of backsliders who exist almost everywhere. They are precious as any and may be restored to Christ, fully, directly, joyfully.

FROM THE ALLIANCE TO HEAVEN. A American steamer collided last week with a sailing ship, and was so damaged that she sunk, taking down with her 260 passengers, among whom were two of the Alliance Delegates. And thus God deals with us! The historian of the Peninsular Wars records that on one occasion, when the hosts were weary after a heavy days' fight, a veteran dragoon, looking up to heaven in the pale moonlight, caught the rapture of worship, and began to sing the grand old hymn-" Thanks and Praise to rades caught up the strain, till dying and wounded, resting for a brief triumph on their elbows in pools of blood, joined with wthe healthful in rolling those noble strains toward heaven. Eight thousand voices, scattered over a fatal battle field, united in the chorus! And thus it ever is. Falling on the right hand and the left .- sink. ing in the sea and shot down on the land, day in its history when these figures have observe, Mr. Christopher Vey, one of the brave heroes pass homeward; but the surindicated retrogression. The Witness is little of our Church in former years, a vivors are confident in God, and the workmen but carries on his work." Blessed be His name forever!

teaching are contrived for them, which embody all the experience of centuries; homes in the Church-costly structures for Sabbath Schools, and all necessary equipments to render them tasteful, attractive, and delightful,-these our wise Christian peoples are providing on every hand.

To contribute our portion of aid in this direction, we are preparing to give each week, after the new year opens, the International or Berean Lessons. The best talent of the Church is engaged in writing dor of Christ and messenger of the Church. these, and they save Teachers the trouble of preparation to some extent, while they furnish truth in a systematic and intelligiby sailing packet for his Mission, have ble form. Though we did not begin to reached me; and by this time it is hoped write with a view to constructing an adver- he has entered fully upon his work as our tisement, we cannot do better than recom. mend the Berean Lessons. They are furpaid, at 6 cents for each number or leaf lay. Meantime much prayer should arise for Teachers, at 60 cents a year.

PICTORAL PUSH.—This Continent is evi- souls. dently to have an Oleographic deluge! Panew subscribers in prospect, are threatenof Bonar's pen, is yet making a speciality of its pictures. Talmage, Spurgeon and Bonar are not enough! With these two, and fell on these Provinces, have found their by the schemes of commerce? And now every Superintendent Wesleyan minister form and increased price, several premitaphorical!

from Zion's Herald :

Mr. Wood is a native of St. John's Newamiable young lady, daughter of our own Rev. W. S. Shenstone. In a short time and secured to the Connexion. Bro. I family to the home of pure spirits. May unction in Brigus, Harbor Grace and St. the new relationship be preserved from

Mr. Wood is a leading Preacher among to his circuit. arder, to-morrow pressing with the crowd a most favorable impression by his scholardown the decline of sin; others bitter in ly and fervent addresses. He confines may we not at least depend upon the prayers their consciousness of wrong, giving every himself almost entirely to manuscript, of those who have power before the mercy memory of former professions were some- an advantage to which ordinary readers foundland. Is need of laborers an incentive seldom attain.

CHURCH INSTITUTE. - Grafton St. Church is to have an Institute Last Friday evening week a large number of young men assemto make a special effort for the recovery of bled in the vestry to give practical effect to heartily they agreed upon two things-to belonging to the congregation who might the talent which we observed there to an extent that almost surprised us. we may reasonably anticipate for the new organization, a lengthened and lively existence. their young people.

> EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.—The Halifax Branch has been reorganized. Hon. Dr. Parker has been reappointed President with Mr. Brown as Vice President. The laborious Mr. Murray of the Witness, has been established for another year in the Secretariat, and D. Henry Starr, Esq. is to disburse the funds. The Alliance has a noble mission before it. Already this season it has done much for the Church and commu- to whose skill and taste the Trustees are nity in this city. May it continue to pros-

and vigorous newspaper. It is the second paper in the Dominion in point of cheap for a season seemed appalled. Almost regulation immediately over the editorial head of its last week's circulation com- it is expected, will be determined upon by Church moves right on. "God buries his the Weekly is to be to some extent en-THE CHILD OF THE 19TH CENTURY.—A month 58 per cent more than during the tion the sobriety and good sense of the conmost happy sign of these times is the same mouth last year. Whatever views stituency of this respectable city. It is secession from the Church of Rome. His energy displayed in ministering to the ris- may be taken of the course of the Witness quite assuring to some nevertheless to hear ing generation. The ablest minds are in its treatment of public matters it is cerengaged in writing for them; a large protainly without a rival as a family newspaper, about politics, he will only add both Governserved as a family newspaper, about politics, he will only add both Governportion of our best music is designed for and as such we can safely commend it. ment and Opposition claim great victories, them; systems of religious and secular Its selected articles on social questions and and what the complexion of affairs will be

Correspondence.

NEWFOUNDLAND LETTER.

DEAR MR. EDITOR .- At the date of my last (Oct. 28,) Bro. Jabez Hill, lately from England, was on his way from St. John's Bonne Bay, nearly 600 miles distant; where a very considerable Wesleyan community was awaiting him, as an ambassa-Particulars of his safe arrival at Port au Basque, nearly 400 miles, onward per steamer, and after some delay, of his having left Next summer, one or two more men will be needed to complete the chain of missions nished through the Book Room, postage that ought to be formed there without defor the year. And the Journal, designed from the thousands of our Israel, that our young brother may be preserved, sustained and comforted in his isolated position, and

> Bro. Joseph Parkins has also since then bath school had been organized.

complete. We have an inkling that seve- since Conference has spared neither time. ral of the first shower of premiums which thought nor means to forward our missions the N. Y. Methodist offers, with its new in the United Kingdom respecting our need of men; conducted an enormous correspondence; liberally provided grants of books, form and increased price, several premidence; liberally provided grants of books, and in several cases passages per Royal M. which has been interrupted for a month and in several cases passages per Royal M. which has been interrupted for a month acknowledged its authority, but because it ion. ent patterns! We are resolved to lend no countenance to shooting—other than metracts for circulation, besides newspapers

and periodicals for the brethren by every Joy Bells.—We clip this hymeneal note to hope for the arrival of another man for broker. The wedding was celebrated at other brother, George H. Bryant, who is have not yet subscribed is urgently needed. Office thinking of our brethren who had prethe residence of W. W. Hill, jr., Esq., in married, but came out as a young man with

the presence of a large number of the friends special recommendations, went to Greens Preachers' List, I find that 140 individuals ed him of our Saviour's words. "Fear not HERE are some incidents of the Tweed are not a whit wiser. History is here reof the parties, among whom were ex Gov. Claffin and other distinguished guests. The wedding presents were numerous, costly by Bro. C. Ladner, the Superintendent. He who made the best possible arrangements gations throughout the Provinces, 140 others stand in the street ready to render assistance in their power for the reception of himself who are well able to contribute at least half if needed; four of us went in. We were oundland. He obtained his education prin- and family meantime, and then resolved at as much as the first 140, and that then cipally in the United States, and entered once to commence a parsonage, which, there would be enough among the more desired to see him alone for a moment first. the ministry in the New England Confer- through their united and creditable efforts, than ninety thousand still left, who could ence, where he has remained during seve- since succeeded by the liberality of friends and should subscribe enough to round up in their hands. But now came a trial of ral years. He married some years ago an in Harbor Grace and St. John's, will be the Fund to, at least, the exceedingly des moral courage, such as Nehemiah experifluished by the first of May next, and par-tially furnished without debt (or nearly.) she followed other members of the same has preached with great earnestness and John's, and bids fair to be useful among us. He has been here for some time awaiting the arrival of a " craft " to take his family

> from Wesleyaus in the sister Provinces to benevelence? then let our Home Missions be sustained yet more vigorously, for still from many destitute and populous districts

the cry reaches us, -Come over and help us. In this city and circuit we have a good deal of earnest Christian life. Our converts of last year, generally, stand firmly to their obligations; and the gain in church power is vast. If we mistake not the pulse our people, as indicated by their godly tion embracing the features of social, lit- desires and efforts, it beats well; and leads The sermon smites them, the confident erary and religious intercourse. Most us to expect yet greater things. A fine sisters, carry the silent message of glad tidings for sinners to very many homes of the humble, where their words and looks desire the privilege of membership. With secure them a cordial welcome; while a noble band of brethren, old as well as young, has been enlisted to co-operate with their ministers in supplying regularly the outports on the Sabbath. At one of the old stations a new church is very nearly Those Churches are very wise which pro- completed, which is a model for neatness; prospect of doing good, a chapel partially completed for some months, is being made comfortable for the winter.

Our new church in St. John's is at length eceiving the finishing touches from masous arpenters and painters; and is a great ornament to the city and a credit to the deomination. (D. V.) It will be opened on Sabbath, December 14, of which an account may be expected hereafter. Oue sad event has grievously marred the satisfaction at tending the completion of this beautiful sanctuary. Mr. Richard Atwell, maste builder and superintendent of the work. very greatly indebted, died on the 19th of October, from severe spinal injury received on the 16th of October, by a fall from the portico, the scaffolding giving way, when ness. The Witness has for many years everybody looked as if he had lost a friend. followed a plan which we do not know to There was good hope in his death, which be followed by any other paper, in the was duly improved by a sermon by the Superintendent of the circuit, on Sabbath evening, 26th ult. A suitable monument. pared with the same circulation a year be- the Trustees, as the matter is now referred fore. So far it has been an exceptional to a committee. In this connection, I may little ago, entered peacefully upon his recoming out this winter in a new dress, and ward, aged 78 years. His life well de-

larged, making it a remarkably good Once more the great political contest is dollar's worth. The publishers announce over. The excitement, deponent saith, was quite up to the wildest revival scenes ever that their subscriptions came in during last witnessed, yet what wire man would quesin a month or two is quite uncertain. Oue thing admits of no doubt. The Weslevan element has gained immensely, and will it is hoped stand up nobly for equal rights, the captain and sixteen others, on Thursday last, has just thrilled our city with intense emotions. Other great losses of life it leared may be reported in the heavy gales, with which our coast has been recently visited. May the voice of God be heard in

St John's, Nov. 35, 1873.

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SACKVILLE, N. B. DEC. 3, 1873. MY DEAR MR. EDITOR,-Had it not pioneer missionary on our Western coast. overtaken in Charlottetown, about a month since, I should have sent some earlier report of the progress made in the Agency | Wall, of England. for this Fund. During the five weeks made the means of the conversion of many ifax and Yarmouth in Nova Scotia, and he told them of the terrible conflict through very freely to everything that could be carpers professing to have tens of thousands of reported his arrival at St. Pierre, and en- wick and Nova Scotia above named, had of Christians meeting in a tent, and begged every fought since the insurrection, the tered upon his duties there with fair share been cauvassed for subscriptions by mem- hem to consider well his reasons. All were Cubans rushing up to within forty paces of liberate violation of Church order than this head illustrates the character of Him by whom new subscribers in prospect, are threatening to send a picture to each one. The Christian at Work, with all the strength of the opening Sabbath services, and to invite itation thither, was to give the friends who is associates have followed him to the canon's mouth.

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since Conference has spared neither time, way of obtaining additions to the amount beadquarters concerning the "apostage."

to the facts it brings forward relating in Newfoundland. It may stimulate others to a life of beneficence to learn that this completed in the different places, I intend way into solitary hiding places. Why Christian gentleman with moderate income, should our love of the beautiful be blighted has, at his own expense, issued a circular to tion in the PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.

Halifax with all convenient speed.

to hope for the arrival of another man for Musgrave Harbour, the last on our list with the \$60,000, considered both by the "Board of the Board of th The Traveller says: "A brilliant wedthat he has five young men at his Instituton Brooklyn last night.

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The Traveller says: "A brilliant wedthat he has five young men at his Institution undersoing a course of training for cessary," and that thirty thousand more The Travetter says: "A brilliant wedding took place in Brooklyn last night, when the Rev. Frederic Woods, of Newtonville, was united in marriage to Miss ren reterred to above, one, Bro. Samuel to the least sum named as "exceedingly desirable." This statement is sufficient to quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more in preparing his vindication.

Spirit of the Lord direct and guide the must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and that thirty thousand more must be secured to make the Fund amount to the least sum named as "exceedingly quisition." Anna Alden May, of Boston Highlands, Snowden, went immediately to Bay of desirable." This statement is sufficient to quisition. Father Grassi took my arm, and daughter of Wm. B. May, the well-known Islands and Tilt Cove, via Exploits; the show that the assistance of the friends who as he walked along the street of the Holy

was most heartily welcomed by the people, are among all the thousands in our congre- Arrangements had been made for friends to

However I, as the Agent of the Conferdauger, asking, "Shall such a man as I ence and Church, am just now to seek the flee?" and Luther, when he said, "I will 140, more or less, who will subscribe the go to Worms though the devils are as thick \$15,000 vet lacking, to make up the net as tiles on the houses." \$15,000 vet lacking, \$60,000 "immediately indispensable."

H. Pickard.

P. S .- I wish to make grateful mention of the kind assistance which has been rendered to me in my agency work by Brethren loseph Hart and T. J. Deinstadt, as well H. P.

"TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS."

MR. EDITOR,-Under the above heading the PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN of the 24th ult., au 'error' in our Conference Minutes The 'first edition' of said error is noted. of the 16th July. In getting up the Minutes, Conference documents printed in PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN in advance, were the 'copy.' In this instance the Minutes show "a true copy,"-error and all.

There is a redeeming quality however this 'error.' It expressed a literal fact. The Pastorate was 'limited.' We are informed that it is so no longer, for vacan. cies are filled, the list of stations is now complete. "Hamlets and pulatial mansions and prelates, God speaks to you. To what in of the jury at ten o'clock, When it was lectures during the season hoping that they

are alike under Pastoral oversight." which refer to the wording in the minutes, suggesting that the term limited (error or error) should be dropped or changed. Good! the Pastorate is not limited, neither in its number nor the object of its oversight. May the improvement be progressive, and henceforth pastors be found o fill new fields of labor, and in visiting from house to house pass by none of the flock, but go to all, that it may never be truthfully written (error or no error) that we have a Pastorate limited-to a few. Let us now hope that the liberality of

he people will become so generally diffusive, as to render the term 'limited" obsolete also, it relation to their support of the Pastorate, and the pecuniary circumstances of the Pastor.

ained, and its meaning have practical re- truths, while you dare not touch a hair of cognition—in articles written for the col- my head. Yes, God has begun this work. amus of the Provincial Wesleyan, and and soon this tribunal, these walls and equally judicious,— Typographical errors and scattered as ashes to the four winds, F. S. (LIMITED)

The Montreal Witness has during the past year increased rapidly in circulation, who leaves a widow and two children, was ast year increased rapidly in circulation, who leaves a window and the control of the jury. At length the nour of mid-and is much respected as a conscientious greatly and universally esteemed. A vast are not full! May this ever be the case in has said mass, and confessed, and preach uight arrived and still no jury. Most of our subscribers. This was natural under the Concourse of succer mourtages to the cemetry. The community for a season seemed appalled. Almost the Lord God Omnipotent reign stand before you to announce the resurrect whose facile fingers had been kept in moeth !"-Ep. P. W.)

Miscellaneous.

RECANTATION OF A ROMAN CATH-OLIC PRIEST IN ROME.

Our English exchanges came too late last Watchman will even now be read with grate- accept the true light which Jesus offers to ful interest :-

DEAR SIRS.—I send you for insertion a copy support for his work. of an exceedingly interesting letter just re-Rome. It relates chiefly to Father Grassi's sonduct before the Inquisitors, before whom he was summoned, amounted to true moral from Manzanillo, (a seaport on the south beroism. His speech, extracts of which are given, is worthy of a Roman, and will, I am given, is worthy of a Roman, and will, I am N. W. of Santiago de Cuba) dated Nov. when it was announced that the jury was in our issue of to-day, deserve the confidence sure, be read with doepest interest by your

numerous readers. M. Van Meter is engaged in organizing "On the 13th the Spanish troops, num-Evangelical schools in Rome, and has been bering 900, entered the city by the Bayaeminently successful in this good work. I mo road, thus taking away all the troops, was there in March last, and had the honor garrisoning the small towns in the interior, The loss of the "Robert Lowe," S. S. with of opening a Sunday-school while there. I and exposing them openly to the inroads felt much impressed with the altered circum-of the Cubans. The forming of barricades stances of Rome that permitted such a privi-is still going on, and those already made lege .- I am, yours very truly, JAMES SINCLAIR.

DEAR SIR,—I hasten to convey to you some information respecting Father Grassi's flags on the different Consulates remain recantation, which I am persuaded will gladden the heart of Protestant England.

performed successively the duties of priest, onfessor, curate, mitred aboot, Lent preach er, and lastly incumbent of the great Basilica Santa Maria Maggiore, has cast down robes, been for the accident by which I was honor, emoluments, abandoned prospective promotion, and united with the Baptist Church under the pastorate of the Rev. Mr. on the 16th and left again on the following

A few weeks ago, with Mr. Wall, he called

of subscriptions, these additions amount to But last Sunday the silence was broken. that the "postage" would soon be swept I am now so far recovered from the ef- away. Grasri was summoned before the Infects of the accident before mentioned, that quisition, to repent or endure the penalty. ment for protection, but was advised not to An examination of the subscription lists venture, and that if he did go, he must bear An examination of the subscription lists show that about fifteen thousand Dollars are the responsibility. The interview was applicable the responsibility. The interview was applicable to the old body. These are the responsibility. The interview was applicable to the old body. These are the responsibility. The interview was applicable to the old body. The responsibility is a proper to the old body. The responsib

romised permission to be with him, but they He had been advised not to trust himself

Grassi entered alone, and the door was thut. We could only beg God to keep him, and enable him to " open his mouth boldly and declare the truth.

Soon loud and earnest talking was heard. Again and again admission was admanded as by the Ministerial Brethren on all the and promised, but not granted. For nearcircuits which I have already been able to ly an hour we waited, then the door opened, and our brother was with us again. Taking my hand and pressing it to his heart he said, with deep emotion, "E finito!" "E finito!" "It is finished 'It is finished!"

He is calm, tender, humble and modest ret firm and fearless. Not often do we witness such moral heroism. Alone he was published in the Provincial Wesleyan stood before his inquisitors, declared the truth, entered his protest, denounced their iniquities, defied their power, and scorned heir anathems. To give you a more correct idea of the man, I give a few closing sentences of his defence, Think of him alone, unprotected, and in such a place, warming up into the holy enthusiasm of Stephen, the first Christian martyr, and turning upon his Inquisitors, he said :-

"O you inquisitors, pontiffs, cardinals, These happy changes are appropriately that was so pure, so beautiful, so glorious, from the adjoining rooms, and there was duty. announced in the same paper and column ye have betrayed, violated, despoiled, the most intense eagerness to learn the infallibility. could this roof but echo back the cries of also gave them more specific directions as lence gives consent." agony from your innocent victims, and the to the form of the verdict they were to he vaults beneath us reveal the corpses of render, and the jury again withdrew. those who have been buried alive -no other sentence of condemation would be requir-

"But the breath of God has for ever extinguished the fires of the Inquisition, and swept away your power! Therefore I In some things the term should be re- stand before you to-day and declare these proclaiming to the world that the most holy (Alas for our friend's metaphor! This universal Roman Inquisition is dead—dead because God has crushed it beneath the tion of that Church which you have tried

before her.
"Farewell, Church of my youth; farewell, companions of my ministry of destrucweek to admit of our making extracts from to the light—to abandon that system of their pages; but this letter from the London darkness in which you are groping, and

Mr. Van Meter closes with an appeal fo

OUR EXCHANGES.

THE INSURRECTION IN CUBA.-A letter 14 savs :--

are being strengthened. The insurgents were still waiting the are reported to have, from 3000 to 4000 jury.—N. Y. Hera d. men near here and an attack is momenta-12, Vicolo D, Alibert, Rome, 22nd Oct. 1873 rily expected. The troops and citizens are hoisted both day and night. To-day the Spanish force left again, and all volunteers Father Grassi, who for thirty-six years upon the troops leaving were ordered out guard the town during the night Twelve to fourteen persons were arrested without the slightest cause, except that they were Cubans, and were lodged in the common jail, one of them being a lady. The British man-of-war Woodlark arrived here

said episcopal thraldom :-The Cubans who entered the town which followed the publication of my letter to bid his associates farewell. It was a scene that they stood in no need of expeditions or respecting it in your issue of the 22nd of not to be forgotten. They knew well that he arms from abroad, as when any were and St. Stephens in New Brunswick; Hal- honoured, was sincere. As a loving father them, and in fact they helped themselves Bedeque, Tryon and Cornwall in Prince which he had passed, why he had given up ried off. The Spanish papers admit that

LETTER FROM ONE OF THE OLD CANA to the facts it brings forward relating to the New Connexion in 1841. I will give you the figures from 1841 to 1873:

two hundred and thirty-three, and up to ou last Conference we have,
Ninety ministers in the itinerancy.

Twenty-one superanuated. Twenty-four deaths. Ninety-three who have left the Connex

I view the Connexion as retrograding rather than increasing. I know of only FOUR of the ancient brethren who were ministers of the old body. These are the

Tinturn, Nov. 17, 1873.

submitted, and then the crowd-the courtroom now being full-began to put on the free and easy style usual in waiting for verdicts. Those addicted to smoking lit cigars, and large numbers returned to the Sun. Our young brethren do well to give adjoining rooms to, stretch their legs and their full influence against the traffic in talk on the probable results. No one strong drinks, as well as the vice of intern. would have scarcely believed, from the general interest shown, that this was Mr. lweed's second trial. There was, in fact, curse more and more, and only sound more interest evinced than on his first trial, determined advocacy of temperance nein Various groups speedily formed, and in ciples can turn the current :each the trial and the verdict likely to LECTURE AT GREAT VILLAGE .- Rev follow were the all-absorbing topics of con- Mr. Ainsley of Truro, gave a very interest.

"I fear a conviction," said one, shaking under the auspices of l'alma Lodge his head in token of his doubt. "So do I," said another sorrowfully.

It is a singular fact, but very few spoke against Mr. Tweed or expressed a hope that he would be convicted.

" How do you account for the universal friendly feeling shown for Tweed?" a gen- Village should look to the matter of intentleman (who was evidently a stranger from the country, and whose curosity to see the toxinating drights are bounded where ingreat ex-boss has evidently drawn him to and one wholesale dealer. The sight of the court room) asked another.

"Most there are friends of Tweed," reof no strange occurrence. It is time the

sponded the party addressed. "There are a stand should be taken in the right direcmen here whom he has made rich, and, it necessary, they would spend their bottom temperance come to the front, and not dollar for him. A bigger-hearted man never lived. He may have acted judiscreetly, but a more liberal man and one Let men of sturdy integrity come to the truer to his friends never breathed the public front, and then, and not autil then, breath of life."

THE JURY DESIRE EXPLANATIONS. have you brought the true Church! She told they were coming everybody rushed will be the means to arouse the sturdy to wounded, and crucified by your doctrines, verdict, if one had been arrived at, or the superstitions, and immoralty, and sealed purport of their return. It was soon set at her tomb by your blasphemous 'dogma of rest by the foreman stating that they wish-Hear what God says to his ed the Judge to explain to them the meansuffering children, 'The God of peace shall ing of the fourth count. This Judge Davis bruise Satan under your feet shortly.' Do proceeded to do, by reading in the first heard from only a tow respecting their intenyou not tremble at these words? Who but place, that portion of the indictment includ-Satan instigated and inflicted the tortures ing this count, and then stripping the same of course continue where we do not receive inin this place? O, could the buried, speak of its verbiage, explaining it to them. He formation to the contrary. In this case "Si

MORE SURPRISE.

Again, on the departure of the jury, there was a renewal of the previous suspense. Again were cigars lit, and again more speculations as to the final verdict. "That jury is bound to convict," was

the general exclamation. Meantime Mr. Tweed seemed to show very little anxiety. He chatted with his specimens free at the price mentioned in ou counsel with his usual freedom, and greeted advertisement. other matter where its application will be struments will be bruised under our feet his friends in his usual easy, off-hand way. Remember !—We send any Books in our Surrounding him were, in addition to his Catalogues, post free, on receipt of price. counsel, his brother Richard Tweed, his son | Revision of Subscribers Lists will begin Dewey. The time rolled on slowly. The whose facile fingers had been kept in mo-tion since nine o'clock in the morning, had gard it as a kindness, with promise of imme to drown in blood. Yes, she is rising at this hour fallen into a gentle repose, diate rectification. No one but those who have glorious as the morning light, and ignor- and, through "tired nature's sweet restorer, had the trial are aware of the trouble involved ance, superstition, heresy, and tyranny flee balmy sleep," was recuperating his overbefore her.

and through three natures and through in keeping thousands of subscribers on lists taxed energies. Most of the reporters, for which are revised every tew months. Agents that matter, were in a semi-somnolent condition ; and yet. take the crowd altogether, tion. Oh, if my word has yet any weight they were a wide-wake party, and evinced upon you, I beseech you to open your eyes an unflagging determination to see the thing

out.
"It is going to be a disagreement," was who may be thus vouched for by our agents, now the remark most generally heard. Another half hour passed and brought no change in the situation. One o'clock arrived. The only news it brought was that Circuit—65 miles. The people are very kind the jury had sent for a pitcher of ice water.

At half-past one the scene changed from water to brandy. Mr. Tweed was the purveyor, and furnished the latter beverage, the drinking, however, being confined to himself and counsel. Scarcely had they ging in all details of information.

alarm, and the sleepers again subsided into their somnolency.

At two o clock Judge Davis and counsel were still waiting the coming in of the

to the Dean of Canterbury's troubles on ac- to those who do not take the Paper, will bring count of his recent action in communion up the thousand yet. Our Agent is very with Christians of other Churches at the Alliance. And now the High Church dignatries have a more serious trouble on their McAlpine and Barnes, publishers of this sess, hands.—Her Most gracious Majesty Queen concise and multitarious manual, have sent u Victoria has been communing with Pres- a copy for notice. It contains even more than byterians! Perhaps those two liberal- the usual quantity of information on subjects minded heads of the English Church under | which every one ought to know. For sale at stood each other. At all events they seem the Book-room, 12 cents.

There is wrath among the Ritualists o

England against the Dean of Canterbury. September, I was allowed to visit St. John whom they had so long known, loved, and wanted they knew where to go and get He has committed the, for a Churchman unpardonable sin. He has been guilty of Christian charity. The Guardian (courteous High-Church) says: "Considering Edward Island. The places in New Bruns- all, and chosen his home with a little company the fight of Sacra was one of the severest the occasion and the person, it may be doubted whether any more grave and de. quences, as in the case of Job, and the last has been witnessed in our time. It is a all conquest is obtained. far more serious act than any mere preach- The volume is one of the Professor's best. ing or joining in prayer in congregations Mr. Gossip of Halifax has it on sale. It may not belonging to our communion." In- also be obtained through the Wesleyan Book deed! joining in prayer with non-Anglican room. congregations is a serious offence, is it? The Church Times (malignant High Church) is, after its usual fashion, more trenchant It does the Dean and Canon Freemantle in this style: "We can only offer to our spirit, and its local items are prepared with brethren across the Atlantic our apologies prudence and tact. We give it a hearty welfor the eccentricities of these vagrant clerics. com and beg them to believe that neither is a person of any account at home. It may the several Ministers. Will they please give be as well to explain to them that persons one to each Sunday School Superintendent? in England with very great titles are often very small men. Thus, although the Primatial sees are with us very high dignities. the actual holders of them-chosen as they generally are for their conspicuous want of great qualities-are seldom men of much influence. But if the Archbishop of Canterbury is personally not a very great personage, the Dean of that city is infinitely

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it is hardly possible to conceive a smaller

peating itself. Nor will the parellel be too Well, the exceptions were finally all close, should the Evangelical world apply the rebuke which was uttered ages ago " Thou blood Pharisce

ing lecture on Monday evening, Dec. Ast I.O.G. T.

Subject : - " Intemperance of Drink, The Judge's charge was dead against Dress, Light literature, and the Obnoxion

The lecture was closely listened to for one hour, during which the audience was held in rapture with the lecturer's vivid pictures drawn from life. It is time our toxicating drinks are bought and drank. of no strange occurrence. It is time that tion, and let those who are true friends to those who are the friends of the drinking house and who make temperance a cloak will the principles of our once quiet Village, be brought from rioting to sobriety. Palmi Some emotion was excited by the coming Lodge intends having a series of temperance

Editorial Motes. &c.

Yours, &c.

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Young Dick," his private secretary, Mr. with the new year. In adjusting these during to have amounts acknowledged, and we will do vas. In all cases we will keep on subscribers for a reasonable length of time.

REV. J. W. Shepherdson writes respecting Sheet Harbour Mission: "I find this a large

coming. The announcement woke up the sleepers, for many in the weariness of waiting had fallen asleep, and all were agog waiting the approach of the twelve of the lamented minister of that name, and as men honest and true. It proved a false a student is also well known, so that, in all respects, they both bring a good record below

NEW SUBSCRIBERS, to the number of 275 have been added tof our Lists. A brave, united, determined effort by all our Agents The Methodist (New York) thus refers this month, and a good word from our readers

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Nova Scotta.—It is now supposed the To December steamer Fictou was burned, as a large light Rev. John Astbury.

Was seen off the coast on the night of 18th John Lane, \$9

Nov.——Pugwash trade is said to be cramped John Mellish, 2 To DECEMBER 8, 1873. by the detention of vessels, owing to the severe weather.—118 vessels cleared at severe weather.—118 vessels cleared at Wallace last season.—Colchester County is launching and building ships with great vigor.
—Mr. Campbell's History of Nova Scotia is meeting a good reception everywhere by the Press.—Mailman has confessed the murder.
—A storm-signal-staff has been erected in Liverpool.—A black eagle has been shot near Pictou.—A Temperance Meeting at Southampton, Cumberland, was addressed by Rev. D. B. Scott. The Amherst Gazette gives him great credit.—\$115 were made up for the Pope last week-by \$0 Roman Catholics in Amherst.—Dr. Graham of Bonn lectured in Amherst on the habits of Orientals.—Sterling and Townsend, contractors on Vale Colliery Railway, are said to have absconded leaving large sums due their men.—Rev. Mr. Junor (Presby), has been ordained for service in Hamilton, Bermuda.—On Dec. 30th next Teacher's Convention will be held in Halitax.—Mrs. Oliver Davidson died at Percaux, Cornwallis. on the 12th pit. She was 92 years.

-Mrs. Oliver Davidson died at Pereaux, Wm. Lauchin, —Mrs. Oliver Davidson died at Pereaux,
Cornwallis, on the 12th ult. She was 92 years
of age, and left a husband who is 95. They
had lived together 70 years, had 9 children,
and could count 62 grand children. She had
been over forty years a member of the Baptist
Church in Hantsport. —Truro it is thought,
had an earthquake last week. —A gold watch
has been presented to Mr. E. J. Ryan J. P.,
of Proapect. for services in connection with of Prospect, for services in connection with

us these interesting items: -

The Rev. Albert Stewart DesBrisay lectures this evening at Canning, on "The Death Polit." Father Hennigar gave us two excellent sermons last Sunday; they were pointed and practical. No gas in town. Navigation almost closed. Young Peoples' Wesleyan Institute in operation again; held its first meeting last Monday evening. Working on a new basis. Three Bible classes and one literary meeting a month.—Sunday school in a prosmeting a month state; we use the class and desk in teaching. The children are looking torward anxiously to something in the shape of a "Christmas Tree." Our Baptist brethren have received a large and excellent organ for their place of worship. It is much admired and highly spoken of, by all who have seen it. Methodists are holding cottage meetings. Rev. Mr. DesBrisay has commenced a course of lectures or sermons on the Book of Daniel for young men. Wesleyan high y

Jack's family. — Mr. Campbell is to write a history of New Brunswick. — Another Roman Catholic priest went to juil the other day rather than pay his taxes. He paid up after imprisonment for half an hour. — Mr. Develor and Hon. Mr. Burpee are selected for the representation of St. John County and City. — Bmelts by hundreds are being sent from Miramichie to Boston.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.—1874. michie to Boston.

MISCELLANEOUS -A brave boy, the only MISCELLANEOUS — A brave boy, the only companion of his father in a coasting vessel, did a brave act the other day. Between Pictou and Charlottetown his father was swept averboard. The boy three him loose boards. overboard. The boy threw him loose boards, and failing to save him, ran the vessel ashore.

—The British Man-ot-War Bellerophon has been sunk at sea by a Brazilian steamer in collision. —The Vicginius affair may yet give trouble. The Cubans declare they will never give her up. —The rate of discount in the money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$3,000,000 was the cost of the Moder market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent. ——\$5,000,000 was the cost of the Moder money market has been down last week to 5 per sent money market has been down last week to 5 per sent money market has been down last week to 5 per sent money market has been down last week to 5 per sent money market has been down last week to 5 per sent money market has been down last week to money market has been down last week to 5 per acut. — \$3,000,000 was the cost of the Modoc war to the United States Government. — Men at thrown out of employment in the States by tens of thousands. — The Ashantee war is likely to be a troublesome affair. Several lives have been lost already. They are an obstinate lot. — A man stole what he thought a bottle of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of wine, in Canada lately. He drank and gave of the Modoc was the cost of the Modoc A complete Set of Harper's Magazine, now comprising 4? Volumes, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express. freight at expense of purchaser, \$2.25 per volume. Single volumes, by mail, post-paid.

A R K E GENETIC. to several others. It was poison, and seven have suffered death ——Whitier, the Poet, is out against American war with Spain. ——226
Passengers were lost in the Steamer that sank the two Alliance Delegates.——The 42nd and 79th Highlanders are off to the Ashantee War. -The horse disease is again in New York

and quite fatal. PREACHER'S PLAN, HALIFAX. Sunday, Dezember 14th, 1873. Brunswick St., 11 a.m.-Rev. J. Strothard. 7 p.m.- Rev. J. Lathern.

Kaye St.-11 a.m.-Rev. J. Lathern. 7 p.m.-Rev. R. MeArthur. Charles St., 11 a.m. - Rev. R. McArthur. Beech S, 3; p.m.—M. Theakston. Grafton St., 11 a.m.—Rev. J. G. Angwin.

7 p.m.—Rev. J. Read. Dartmouth, 11 a.m.—Rev. J. Read. 7 pm.—Rev. J. G. Angwin. Home Mission Anniversary Meetings. Grafton St. - Monday, 15th. Kaye St. - Tuesday, 16th. Chair to be taken at 7½ P.M.

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On the 26th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Pugwash, by the Rev. Robert A. Daniel, Mr. Edgar A. Beut, Post Office Department, I. C. R., to Emma, eldest daughter of Charles C. Mc.

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On the 27th ult., by the same, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. Charles F. De Wolfe, to the bride's mother, Mr. Charles F. DeWolfe, to Miss Ida Stuart, both of Pugwash, N.S.
At the Roseway Hotel, Shelburne, Nov. 30, by the Rev. P. Prestwood, Mr. Jos. Freeman Swaine, of Cape Negro, Shelburne Co., to Miss Rachel Caroline Hills, of Halifax.
At the Wesleyan Church, Lower Horton, on the 3rd inst. by the Rev. W. H. Heartz, assisted by the Rev. S F. Huescis, Capt. Aifred R. Curry, to Miss Lizzie Maud McGregor, bosh of Lower Horton.

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At Smith's Cove, near Digby, Nov. 30, by the Rev. James England, Mr. John Hennigar Tupper, of Ros tte, Annapalis Co., to Frona A. Taylor, of Hillsburgh, Digby Co.

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Monday, 3rd November, 1873.

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Green grow the houseleek on the roof for ever, and let the moss flourish on the thatch. Sweetly the sparrows chirrup and the swallows twitter round the chosen spot which is my joy and rest. Every bird loves its own nest; the owl thinks the old ruins the fairest spot under the in the hill is remarkably cosy. When my master's nag knows that his hole in the hill is remarkably cosy. When my master's nag knows that his heal to put on all steam; and I am always of the second of the sec up among the trees. Cold potatoes on my own shunned and disliked in every circle, and untable taste better than roast meat on my neighless the opposite habits are formed early in life
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The Hive (Storehouse for Teachers,)...... 60 bour's, and the honey suckle at my own door they are seldom formed at all. is the sweetest I ever smell. When you are out, triends do their best, but still it is not home. "Make yourself at home," they say, because everybody knows that to teel at home is to feel at ease.

"East and west

Why, at home you are at home, and what more do you want? - Nobody grudges you, whatever your appetite may be; and you don't get put into a damp bed. Sale in his own castle, like a king in his palace, a man feels himself somebody, and is not afraid of being thought proud for thinking so. Every cock may crow on his own dunghill; and a dog is a lion when he is at home. A sweep is master inside his own door. No need to guard each word because some enemy is on the watch, no keeping the heart under lock and key; but as soon as the door is shut it is liberty hall, and none to peep and pry. There is a glorious view from the top of Leith Hill, in our dear old Surrey, and are not to be sneezed at, but I could show you something which, to my mind beats them all to nothing for real beauty : I mean, John Ploughman's cottage, with the kettle boiling on the bob, singing like an unfallen black angel, while the cat is lying asleep in front of the fire, and the wite in her chair mending stockings, and the children cutting about the room, as tull o fun as young lambs. It is a singular fact, and perhaps some of you will doubt it, but that is your unbelieving nature, our little ones are real beauties, always a pound or two plumper than others of their age, and yet it don't tire you half so much to nurse them as it does other people's babies. Why, bless you, my wife would knock up in half the time, if her neighbour had asked her to see to a strange youngster, but her own children don't seem to tire her at all: now my belief is that it all comes of their having been born at home. Just so is it with everything else; our lane is the most beautiful for twenty miles round, because our home is in it; and my garden is a perfect Paradise, for no other particular reason than this very good one, that it belongs to the old house at home.

I cannot make out why so many working men spend their evenings at the public-house, when their own fireside would be so much better and cheaper too .- There they sit, hour after hour, boozing and talking nonsense, and forgetting the dear good souls at home who are half starved and weary with waiting for them. Their money goes into the publican's till when it ought to make their wives and children comfortable; as for the beer they get, it is just so fore planting. This keeping the seed out of much tool's milk to drown their wits in. Such the ground and allowing them to dry and ripen litter, which is removed early in spring. The tellows ought to be horsewhipped, and those in the germ constitutes one difference between plants are commonly killed at the tops, and a ings ought to feel the butt end of the whip. Inose beershops are the curse of this country—no good can ever come of them and the evil they do no tongue can tell; the publics were bad enough, but the beer shops are a pest; I wish the men who made the law to open them had to keep all the families that they have had to keep all the families that they have brought to ruin. Beershops are the enemies the vitality is destroyed. Squash seed and pumpkin seed are frequently set on dishes and read the following paragraph from Emerson of home, and therefore the sooner their licenses are taken away the better; poor men don't killed by too great a heat. Let the seeds be O excellent wite! incumber not yourself and need such places, nor rich men either; the are all worse and no better, like Tom Nortou's wite. Anything that hurts the home is a curse, and ought to be haunted down as the gamethe germs of some kinds of seed will be dethe germs of some kinds of seed will be de-

Our house ought to be a little church, with holi- are liable to terment and mould. ness to the Lord over the door, but it ought never to be a prison where there is plenty of rule and order, but little love and no pleasure. Married life is not all sugar, but grace in the

dren become a rod to them. Solomon says, nologist. Correct thy son, and he shall give thee rest : yea, he shall give delight to thy soul." I am not clear that anybody wiser than Solomon lives in our time, though some men think they are .-C. H. Spurgeon.

POLITENESS IN CHILDREN.

Little Alfred's mother had taken pains to in-

wards home he wan s no whip, but thinks it best to put on all steam; and I am always of the same mind, for the way home, to me, is the same mind, for the the smoke out of my own chimney better than kindly grace is worth cultivating, and will add see that the churn holds the butter only till it the fire on another man's hearth; there's some- much to your happiness and usefulness when is gathered, and the bowl till the salt is disthing so beautiful in the way in which it cur!s you are older. A rude, ill mannered person is solved. Then pack in clean, flavorless jars or

> " WAS 'OO EVER A BOY. My little four year-old Harry, Bright in beauty and joy,

Said with his accent of wonder "Papa, was 'oo ever a boy? Was 'oo ever as little as me?" " Dear baby," I said in reply, "Will my darling ever be weary And heart-worn, and sinful as I?"

With forehead of whiteness and candor And loving and innocent eyes, Thou dost measure the distance between With a strange and holy surprise, Thou like a bud flushed and fragrant: I like a leaf at its fall:

Type of the beauty celestial, Humble, and tender, and sweet Thou comest in faith my To sit at thy tather's feet. Taught by thy loving example, By thy truth that knows no alloy. May I go to our Father as simply,

Thou within reach of their call

I far away from the angels-

The farm.

And in heart he always a boy.

HOW TO SAVE THE SEEDS.

and keep them, after they are removed from We generally forget to feed our trees and vines, the vine, in a cool apartment until they begin and too often lose our expected supply of fruit bester seed if the seed is not removed until the provision for a constant supply of autriment edible portion has decayed. The seed should remain as long as possible in the squash or and oily, being of much more substance, and two feet apart, with plants three to six inches will produce a far better crop than the green in the row, and gives good cultivation, so that seeds. It is necessary to the fullest develop- the plants are nearly ready to head by winter. ment of the germ that the seed be dried be- As soon as the surface freezes, they are covertimes so hot that the germ of every seed is and be wiser therefor: spread thin on a board, or on shelves in some me to get a curiously rich dinrer for this man out building, where they will dry gradually. If or woman who has alighted at our gate, nor a stroyed. As soon as they are dry, store them can get for a few shillings in any village; but Husbands should try to make home happy in small sacks, and suspend the sacks that rather let the stranger see, if he will, in your and holy. It is an ill bird that fouls its own mice cannot devour them. If stored in a box looks, accent, and behavior, your heart and nest, a had man who makes his home wretched. or barrel before they are quite dry, the seeds earnestness, your thought and will, that which

THE USES OF AMMONIA. Ammonia, or, as it is more generally called board; but let truth and love, and honor and heart will keep away most of the sours. God-spirits of bartsborn, is a powerfuf alkali, and courtesy flow in all thy deeds. liness and love can make a man, like a bird in dissolves grease and dirt with great case. It the hedge, sing among thorns and briers, and has lately been recommended very highly for set others a singing too. It should be the husband's pleasure to please his wife, and the wife's care to care for her husband. He is kind to his wife. I am afraid some men live by the rule of self, and when that is the case home happiness is a mere sham.—When husbands and wives are well yoked how light the load becomes! It is not every coulle that is a pair, and the more's the pity. In a true home all the strife is which and the husbands and which is strife is which a silence where apparatus to please his wife, and the many domestic purposes. For washing paint put a teaspoonful in a quart of moderately hot water, dip in a flannel cloth, and with this simply wipe off the wood work; no scrubbing will be necessary. For taking grease spots from any fabric use the ammonia nearly pure, then lay which prequires trimming and watching. Incubators are excellent playthings, and rank with aquaria, house plants, and songsters. Chickens can be hatched artificially, and reared also without a hen; but we have to learn of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large scale, are the staple problems of poultry on a large pity. In a true home all the strife is which can do the most to make the family happy. A great of hot scanned a Put in your silver and hatching has been successfully employed in can do the most to make the family happy. A quart of hot soapsuds. Put in your silverware raising lowls for market. Every year almost home should be a Bethel, not a Babel. The husband should be the houseband, binding all brush for the purpose. For cleaning hairtogether like a corner stone, but not crushing brushes, etc., simply shake the brushes up and everything like a mill-stone. Unkind and dom-

s no home where the children are not in obedi- much to the refreshing effects of a bath. Nothnce, it is rather a pain than a pleasure to be ing is better than ammenia water for cleansing in it. Happy is he who is happy in his chil- the hair. In every case rinse off the ammonis ren, and happy are the children who are hap with clear water. We would only add that it py in their lather. All fathers are not wise, removing grease spots a mixture of equal parts some are like Eli, and spoil their children. of ammonia and alcohol is better than alcohol Not to cross our children is the way to make a alone, and for taking out the red stains procross of them. Those who never give their duced by strong acids in blue and black clother children the rod, must not wonder if their chil- there is nothing better than ammonia. - Tech-

> ICE-HOUSES .- For one family make a house twelve feet each way, by setting twelve posts in the ground, three on a side; board it up eight teet high on the inside, so that the weight of the ice shall not press the boards outward dig out the dirt inside, six inches deep, and lay down twelve inches of saw-dust; pack the ice in a pile nine feet each way, filling the snow could thus be made into solid ice, and Cha would last from one winter to another.

charred. If the buttermilk has been worked out, and there are no foreign odors, and no excess of salt to make bitter, there will be such FOR SUNDAY SCHOLARS. an improvement that it will seem like new butter-like a superior article, as it is.

HEMP CULTURE.—The land should be thor oughly pulverized with plow and harrow. The seed-bed cannot be put in too fine a tilth. Fifty to seventy-five pounds of seed per acre should be sown evenly broadcast. The amount should depend upon the streng th of the land; the stronger or richer the soil the more seed should be sown, the object being to secure all the plants the land will develop, and thereby a fine and long fiber. The seed should be covered with a light harrow, running it both ways The towing should commence as soon as the ground is dry and warm enough to put into proper condition to receive the seed. There s no after-culture .- Rural New Yorker.

TURN THAT DRAIN .- The one that runs out of your barn-yard into the gutter by the highway. It does not make much difference which way you turn it, so that it discharges its contents on some part of the farm. Such a leak is far more expensive than one in your vinegar, cider or syrup barrel. Turn the one from the sink spout. A good spot to lead that is the location of some grape-vine or apple-tree. The roots of the former will take up everything that is soluble in it, and give you clusters of grapes instead, while the leaves will dispose of most of the volatile and offen-The true way to get seed of the very choic- sive gases that will arise. We know an old est quality of any of the vegetables named— farmer East, who said he made his sink pay his including pumpkins—is to tie a red piece of taxes every year. He had an engrmous ruscloth loo-ely around the vine, near the first set apple tree planted within a few yards of quash, or the melon that will ripen first, to the kitchen. On its roots the dish-water flowndicate that such specimens are from seed, ed as often as the family partook of their meals. to decay. Cucumbers and melons will yield But by an arrangement of this kind we make

WINTERING LETTUCE -The Cultivator and pumpkin, that it may ripen. Pumpkins and Country Gentleman says; J. B. Root, Rocksquashes that are matured sufficiently for use ford, Ill., writes to the Fruit Recorder that the do not always contain ripe seed at the time the only hardy garden vegetable that he can sow squash is taken from the vine; but, on the in autumn and winter through, is the bardy contrary, the seed is frequently quite green. winter cabbage lettuce. Rockford is at the As long as the pumpkin or squash remains, it northern end of the state, and the winters there is well to keep it, as the seeds will absorb the are intensely severe. He sows in a well-drainsoft inner part of the squash, and grow fat ed sheltered spot early in September, in rows cultivation and the state of nature. Thorough-

he cannot buy at any price in the city, and for which he may well travel twenty miles, and dine sparing and sleep little, to behold. Let not emphasis of hospitality lie in bed and

HATCHING BY ARTIFICIAL MEANS. -Hatch-

down in mixture of one teaspoonful of ammonia ineering husbands ought not to pretend to be Christians, for they act clean contrary to Christ's commands.—Yet a home must be well ordered, or it will become a Bedlam, and be a scandal to the parish. If the father drops the reins, the family coach will soon be in the ditch. A wise mixture of love and firmness will do it; but neither harshness nor softness alone will keep home in happy order. Home

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