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Nova Scotia Bible Society.

A copy of the Twenty-Fifth Report of the Nova Scotia Bible Society has been received. The total distribution of the Sacred Scriptures during the year was, of Bibles, 1579; of Testaments, 2243.

Religious Items.

MISSIONARY OPERATIONS IN HAITI.—A correspondent of the Lady's newspaper, of May 29th, from HAITI, says, "there is work going on in this place which will interest more than the foolery of crowding a blood-thirsty despot."

Infallible Mark of a True Church.

That the sincere preaching of the faith or doctrine of Christ, as it is laid down in the Scriptures, says Dr. Freeman in his examination of Bellarmine's Notes of the Church, is the only sure, infallible mark of the Church of Christ...

Provincial Wesleyan

THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1852.

Life's Changes.

Human life is full of change, every hour bringing with it both sad and cheering vicissitudes. Joy and sorrow, wealth and poverty...

Steam and its Origin.

The first date is the reign of Charles II, when the Marquis of Worcester began his inventions. Captain Savery was the next originator, towards the close of the 17th century...

The Foolishness of Folly.

Under this designation we rank the lump of the "spiritual rappings." Mormonism is the quintessence of spiritual fanaticism. But, the progress of both these delusions only shows, that there is no scheme of knavish men, however absurd, which once started, but will find hundreds of simple, foolish persons to embrace it...

Agriculture.

The welfare of our country, in a great degree, depends on the successful development of its Agricultural resources. If these interests fall into other men's hands, gold and silver would be plentiful as our granite rocks...

Extraordinary Adventure.

One of the most extraordinary adventures of a child which we ever heard, occurred in this vicinity last week. On Thursday the 10th inst., a son of John Keenan, of this place, aged only three and a half years, disappeared from his home, and no tidings of him could be obtained by his parents.

Bazaar at Fredericton.

We understand that preparations are making on an extensive scale for a Bazaar and Tea Meeting at Fredericton, which is advertised in the New Brunswick papers to take place Aug. 20th, in the beautiful and spacious grounds of the Judge W. W. York.

Canada Conference.

We have received a copy of the Minutes of the Canada Conference, 1852. From it we gather the following particulars: Rev. Enock Wood, President. Rev. John Ryerson, Co-Delegate. Rev. Geo. Sanderson, Secretary. Rev. Amos Green, Bank Secretary.

Address to Dr. Evans.

REV. AND DEAR SIR,—The brethren composing the late Nova Scotia District Meeting, over which you have presided for the last four years, cannot allow your official connection with it to cease, without expressing the high sense which they entertain of the distinguished ability with which you have discharged the onerous and responsible duties of your office...

Colonel Bruce in the Canada Conference.

Shortly after the Conference assembled, on Wednesday, information was given that the Hon. Col. Bruce, Superintendent of the Indian Department, was in the city (Kingston) and wished to visit the church which the Conference was assembled, and at the unanimous request of the Ministers he was introduced to the Conference. The President, in introducing Colonel Bruce, referred to the interest he has always manifested in promoting the improvement of the Indians of our country...

Favourable Notices of the Press.

"THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN."—The first number of the fourth volume of the Wesleyan has been issued from the press, in new dress and shape, under the above title. It is published on Thursday, instead of Saturday, as heretofore. The general appearance of this number reflects great credit on those in charge of the mechanical department, and its editorials, and other matter, are, as usual, good.—Chronicle.

The Lawyer and the Love-feast.

The simple relation of Christian experience always produces a powerful effect upon the hearers. Revivals of religion are often greatly promoted by this means. Some characters deserve a liberal support from the numerous body of which it is the organ.—Wesleyan.

Things worth knowing.

WASHING COMPOUND.—The receipt for making this compound is often sold for considerable sums. Dissolve twenty pounds of hard soap in one gallon of hot water, and mix with it one gallon of soft water. Strain the mixture into a tub, and add to it one quart of spirits of turpentine, and one pint of spirits of ammonia. When cold, cut it into bars, and wrap closely in paper, and put away for use. It is far superior to common bar soap, and will save nearly one-half the labour of washing.

Literary and Scientific.

NEW MEDICAL AGENT.—Recent experiments have been made on the narcotic properties of Indian hemp, cannabis indica, and it has been found to develop nervous sensibility in an extraordinary degree, creating sensations altogether novel, and exciting the mental faculties in a very peculiar manner. Mr. Laplace, a druggist of New Orleans, thus describes an experiment made upon himself: "On Saturday, the 12th inst., Mr. C. and myself determined to make a scientific experiment with this herb, as the Arabs term it, with a view to ascertain how much of it could be taken with impunity, and what were its immediate results. We each took six grains of the preparation, though we thought that must be rather too large a dose."

Physiological Facts.

PHYSIOLOGICAL FACTS.—The following physiological facts are from the Scientific Journal.—The average height of man and woman at birth, is generally 19 inches. In each of the twelve years after birth, one-twelfth is added to the stature each year. Between the ages of twelve and twenty, the growth of the body is arrested, and it still further diminished after this up to twenty-five, the period of a maximum growth. In old age the height of the body diminishes on an average of about 3 inches. The average weight of woman varies less than that of man in different countries. The average weight of a male infant is about 7 pounds; of a female about 6 pounds. The weight of an infant decreases for a few days after its birth, and does not sensibly commence gaining until it is a week old. At the end of the first year, the child is three times as heavy as when it was born. At the age of seven years it is twice as heavy as when one year old. The average weight of both sexes at twelve is nearly the same; after that period, females will be found to weigh less than males. The average weight of man is about 160 pounds, and of woman 112 pounds. In the case of individuals of both sexes under 4 feet 4 inches, the weight is less than that of the average. Men attain their maximum weight at about forty, and women at or near fifty. At sixty, both sexes usually lose weight. The average weight of old persons, whether men or women, is nearly the same as at nineteen.

Novel Employment of Iron and Rubber.

NOVEL EMPLOYMENT OF IRON AND RUBBER.—An ingenious discovery, by which India Rubber and gutta percha are rendered applicable to the formation of artificial features, and to the coverings of artificial limbs, has been made by Mr. E. Gray, of Cook street, London. By this discovery, the necessity of what is called the Talisman operation, in supplying the place of lost nose to a face, is removed, for that feature can be made as natural as if it were granted on the bone, and in such a manner as closely to resemble nature. The human ear can also be closely imitated by the substance, which perfectly resembles the natural skin, and is almost equally delicate. No complete is the deception, that, without the closest inspection, it is nearly impossible to discover that it is a superadded nature. This invention is among those which promise the variety of uses to which the materials employed in it can be applied.

The Wonders of Electro-Magnetism.

THE WONDERS OF ELECTRO-MAGNETISM.—We spent a very pleasant hour, says the Spectator, at the room of Dr. Bevan, in witnessing several interesting and novel experiments in electro-magnetism. For instance, we saw a piece of iron weighing some four or six ounces, suspended in the air, resting upon nothing other than a wire or bar, or on either side, and depending from its position solely upon a current of electricity. In another experiment, a small lady was suspended in like manner, and while thus detached from all visible influences, performed four thousand rotary movements per minute. They were entirely new to the company, and the latter claimed to be new to the scientific public.

Geographical Discovery.

GEOGRAPHICAL DISCOVERY.—The Geographical Society of Paris has awarded two large silver medals to the Revs. Dr. Krapf and J. Rebmann, missionaries of the Church Missionary Society, for the discovery of a snowy mountain in Eastern Africa, Mount Kilimanjaro. Dr. Krapf has since visited another range about two degrees northward, where he has announced the discovery of another mountain still higher—Mount Kenia, which appears to be the Mount Ararat of Hering, otherwise named the mountain of the Moon.

How to Know a Fool.

HOW TO KNOW A FOOL.—A fool, says the Arab proverb, may be known by six things:—Anger without cause, speech without profit, change without motive, inquiry without object, immediate laughter, and putting trust in a stranger and not knowing his friends from his foes.

General Intelligence.

Domestic.

DRY DOCK MEETING.—Official Account.—On Tuesday 12th, a number of influential men...

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