

Provincial Wesleyan

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1860.

In consequence of the official relation which this journal maintains to the Conference of Eastern British America...

The Massacres in Syria.

The origin of that terrible outbreak of anti-Christian fury which has drenched the soil of Syria in the blood of the Maronite, the Greek, and the Armenian, has not yet been clearly traced.

Table with 2 columns: Religion, Population. Lists Moslems, Kurds, Maronites, etc.

The character of every one of these races is based of almost every other. The Druses are Arab, settled for centuries in Libanus and Anti-Libanus.

Those who have given attention to events in the East will remember that not very long since a Druse and Christian quarrel occurred which was subsequently settled in a compact.

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The Emperor is ever willing to turn to his own account any cause of quarrel with the Porte. Britain cannot regard with indifference the gigantic slaughter which has been perpetrated...

Letter from England

We are now hard at work at the business of the one hundred and seventeenth annual Conference of the Ministers of Wesleyan Methodism.

A London Conference, however, with all the inspiring associations of the City Road Chapel, has not the interest about it which attends a Conference in the provinces.

The Conference Prayer Meeting was largely attended, and was blessed to see the heart of the President, the Rev. Mr. Prentiss, who was greeted with great enthusiasm.

The Home Mission Committee was one of the most interesting of the session. Our Home interests are now growing upon the general notice, and awakening considerable attention.

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children here are to be called upon to contribute toward the support of the temporal power of the pope; men, women, and children are called upon to assist in the oppressed subject of the present world.

Wallace Circuit.

Mr. EDITOR.—Since my return from Conference to my field of toil, the God of all Grace has been pleased to answer prayer, in the bestowment of His Holy Spirit.

The blessed fruit of this labour is the following: the church has been greatly increased in numbers, and the Lord is glorified.

The Prince of Wales in New Brunswick.

By Wednesday's mail we were furnished with full particulars of the arrival and reception of the Prince at St. John and Fredericton.

Eccelesiastical.

We notice in the columns of one of our contemporaries a list of certain guests who had the honor to dine at Government House with His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

Proposed Exodus of the Mormon.

Mormonism is agitated. It is true that the attempt of the federal government, when the body of the emigrants, under a salute from the army, was signally failed.

Ireland and Italy.

Under this heading the N. Y. Courier and Inquirer, makes the following with observations: "Whatever wrongs the Irish have suffered from England have been meted out to them by the people of Italy."

The proceedings of the Chapel Committee were full of interest. During the year a very large sum has been spent in the erection of new chapels and schools.

General Intelligence

Colonial.

The Boston Post of the 6th inst. contains letters from the corresponding secretary of the Victoria recent celebrants in this city and St. John.

When the presentation of the address was over, the Prince and his attendants repaired to McKay's Hotel.

The Prince was driven through to Pictou in four hours. His reception there was most gratifying. He was most enthusiastically received along the whole route.

Awful Flood in Australia.

The New York Tribune publishes a private letter from Brisbane, dated March 31, 1860, in which the following account of a terrible flood which recently occurred in that vicinity is given:

United States.

We cut the following items from the Western Christian Advocate, one of the best of our American exchanges.

A few days ago says the Pittsburg Free Press, the town of Westmoreland County, died after a painful and lingering malady.

A home for aged men in a new notion just originated in Boston, and which will soon be practically realized, at \$10,000 per year.

Advices from Santa Fe state that no rain has fallen in New Mexico this far during the present year, and the crops and vegetation are at a low ebb.

most entirely destroyed. There never has been such a scarcity of provisions and forage in this country as at present.

THE JAPANESE TREATY.—The particular provisions of this treaty have been a subject of much interest to the residents of this country.

THE "GREAT EASTERN."—The people of Portland have been most severely treated by the Directors of the "Great Eastern."

AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY OF A SECRET TREATY BETWEEN FRANCE AND PIEDMONT.—The French Government has been discovered by Garibaldi.

A BRILLIANT METEOR.—On Friday night, July 30th, a meteor of surpassing brilliancy was observed in various parts of the United States.

Melodons.—A Consignment of First Rate Instruments, at Boston Prices, for the establishment of S. D. & W. H. Smith, Boston.

The French Army.—The French Army at this time is comprised of about 700,000 men.

Westminster Review.—The City Council has prominently approved the sum of \$500 to be expended in the City of Boston.

Eclectic Magazine.—We have received the number for August of this excellent repository of the best articles from the English Reviews.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.—These Pills have now been brought to the public mind by a reputation of which Dr. Ayer may well be proud.

Discoveries at Van.—The following statement appears in the London Herald:—I have to tell you of the discovery of a perfect mine of antique Art Treasures.

Isaac Hale, Jr. & Co., Newburyport Mass.—Will employ Agents and Females to act as local or travelling Agents.

Financial District Meetings.—The Financial District meeting of the Halifax District will be held (D. V.) at Windsor on Wednesday, August 29th.

Wesleyan Conference Office.—LETTERS AND NOTES RECEIVED SINCE OUR LAST.

Statistics of Disease.—NATURE'S EXERCISE AND HER ALLIES.—The statistics of what is called natural deaths would astonish the world.

St. John District.—At the Financial District Meeting for this district, recently held, arrangements for holding the Missionary Meetings were as follows:

Harpers Magazine.—The August number contains illustrations of John Bull in Japan.

Messrs. R. Carter & Brothers.—We have always great pleasure in referring to the publications of the above well known house.

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New Advertisements.—Advertisement for shoe store.

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Assignees Notice.—Advertisement regarding assignees.

Marble Works.—Advertisement for marble works.

Dry Goods.—Advertisement for dry goods.

Notice.—Advertisement regarding notice.

Acacia Villa Seminary.—Advertisement for Acacia Villa Seminary.

Halifax, Portland, Boston, & Inland Route.—Advertisement regarding routes.

Crates and Hogheads.—Advertisement for crates and hogheads.

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Child's Column.

The Little Graves. "It's only a little grave," they said, "Only just a child that's dead."

I know that some things were hid away, With folded hands by that form of clay; I know that burning tears were hid

A German Story. A countryman, on returning from the city, took home with him five fine peaches as one could possibly desire to see.

How to Convert a Stiff Clay Soil into a Fertile Loam. An instance was lately mentioned in which the clay soil of a garden was greatly ameliorated by the addition of a coating of about two inches of dried and pulverized muck.

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An Excellent Plain Tea Cake.—One cup of white sugar, half a cup of butter, one cup of sweet milk, one egg, half a cup of soda, one of tartar, and flour

Farm and Fireside

The Elder Bush a Preventive of Insects.—It is a well known fact that the common elder bush of our country is a great safeguard against the devastations of insects.

To Preserve Quinces Tender.—Every housekeeper knows the difficulty of preserving quinces so that they will not become hard. The following directions, from home experience, obviate the difficulty.

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Another Fruit Cake.—One and a half pounds of sugar, one quarter of a pound of butter, three quarters of a pound of flour, six eggs, a pint of salaratus, one glass of wine, one of brandy, and as much fruit and spices as you can afford and no more.

Notes & News.

Derivation of the Word "Cash".—There is but little doubt that the word cash is derived from the Italian casa, the chest in which Italian merchants kept their money, so do at the present time the Spaniards in their caja, and the Portuguese in their caixa, and the French in their caisse.

During the wretched time the English burned about 30,000 women, generally poor and retired females who had no man to defend them. The victims were bound hand and foot, and thrown into deep water.

Intellect.—People of small intellect are likely to have few extraneous thoughts to divert them from their immediate object of malice; because they are devoid of personalities, and personal weaknesses; because there is nothing which a fool and a mean man enjoy so much as to catch a wise and honest one at a disadvantage.

Purgatory not Recognized in Law.—A court in Ohio has decided in the case of the contemner who died and left money to the Roman Catholic church, that his bequest was illegal, as the designation was too indefinite, the Catholic church itself not being able to identify the gift.

English Shoe Store. Importation of English and French Boots & Shoes. George Durie from London, Steamers Nippon, Canada & Europa from Liverpool.

Old Theology. New Editions of the following works just received per Steamer from England. CHRISTOLOGY of the Old Testament, 4 vols., 5s.

Brown, Brothers & Co. Successors to JOHN NAYLOR. No. 25 GRANVILLE STREET. HAVE the pleasure to announce to their friends and customers that they have taken the shop.

Charles F. Allison, Esq. Full length Photographic Likenesses of this distinguished Philanthropist may be obtained at the Halifax Wesleyan Book Room, at the reduced price of 6s. each.

LONDON HOUSE.

Long and Deservedly Noted CHEAP GOODS. We have the pleasure of announcing that we are still prepared to supply our customers at those LOW PRICES

Our Entire Stock for this Season IS NOW ARRIVED. PER "BALBAH" & OTHER STEAMERS—PER "ROSENEATH" & "SCOTIA".

TEA, TEA, TEA. The Cheapest Tea in the Market. E. W. SUTCLIFFE & CO. Have lately received the following parcels of TEA, which they are selling at the following rates.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. The basis of this great remedy is the most wonderful medicinal revelation that the world has ever known. It purges the system, restores the appetite, and cures the most obstinate cases of constipation.

RUSSIA SALVE VEGETABLE OINTMENT. This is a most efficacious and safe remedy for all the most distressing skin diseases, such as Eczema, Scald Head, Itch, and Ringworm.

ROSENEATH FROM GLASGOW. 2 TONS Paris Whiting, 2 do Washing Soda, 2 do Stone, Coppers, Alum, Refined Saltpetre, Cream Tartar, Coleman's Mustard, Carbonate Soda, Oil Vitriol, Sulphur, Brimstone, Limes, Dry White Lead, Nitric and Muratic Acid, Yellow and Red Ochre, Putty and Bottle Corks, etc.

PERUVIAN SYRUP. Or Protected Solution of Protocidate of Iron an established Medicine for the cure of DYSPEPSIA. AFFECTIONS of the Liver, Dropsy, Nervousness, Debility, and consumptive tendencies, dyspepsia, indigestion, and all the ailments which require the use of Peruvian Bark.

GRAMP AND PAIN KILLER. THE world is astonished at the wonderful cures performed by the GRAMP & PAIN KILLER, prepared by CURTIS & PERKINS.

English and American SHOE STORE.

15 Duke Street, GOREHAM & RICKARDS. HAVE received per steamer various large assortments of Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes.

JUDSON'S MOUNTAIN HERB WORM TEA. Herbs, Barks and Roots. Mothers Take heed. HEADS OF FAMILIES.

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A compound remedy, in which we have labored to produce the most effective alternative that can be given. It is a concentrated extract of Pure Sarsaparilla, combined with other substances of still greater alternative power.

Board and Education of Young Ladies. Hollis Street. Conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Davidson.

SANDS' SARSAPARILLA. FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD. THE ORIGINAL AND GENUINE ARTICLE. PURELY VEGETABLE. EVERYWHERE CELEBRATED.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. Has won for itself such a reputation for the cure of every variety of Throat and Lung Complaint, that it is entirely unnecessary for us to give you any evidence of its efficacy, wherever it has been employed.

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS. FOR THE CURE OF Constipation, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency, Febrile Stomach, Headache, Piles, Rheumatism, Erysipelas, and Skin Diseases, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Gravel, and all the ailments which require the use of a cathartic.

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