at our Mother J. W. Barss, Esq., on the subject ans be of Home Missions, and are glad to see omething like a feasible plan put before 1857. d regret is a subject to which we have ourselves so W Year'repeatedly adverted of late, that we need not at present go at large into it, but leave lly need it for the prayerful consideration of our making ing for a through brethren throughout the province, whether now is not the time for at once maturing Brother Barss's sensible and business-like ght with nediately suggestions into a course of immediate acof our Whether the precise programme given in his letter should be adopted, need Christian s to show not be the question at present. Those sugindebted restions certainly contain, however, the ; all who eading principles on which any efficient pay for subscriberganization for enlarging and sustaining our Domestic Missions must be formed. now and 300 sub The time is very shortly approaching when ers equalthe means of travelling and communication between all parts of the province by steam, will be vastly accelerated. It certainly re rightly greatly concerns, not only the best interests of our own denomination, but of the whole h Mrs. B. mpathy. community, that we as well as others should place ourselves in a position to take every BARES. advantage of such facilities in our efforts e in the to enlarge the bounds of gospel truth; out in especially in the destitute parts of the Proace, and vince. But there is no time for delay. so as to Might not an appointment be made at some we shall entral place, - say Cornwallis or Horton, e of this where a good number of our more experienced ministers and others, might meet and er page, consult, and frame a plan to be laid before e of exthe public, and finally discussed, perfected ial, Let and approved at the ensuing Associations. at at the more be make a measure and give ample time for brethren who do to suggest improvements when the Associ e venture ations meet. We are quite convinced that dod upon the moment such measures go into opeuse to reration large sums would be obtained in of their

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THE R. M. Steamship Niagara arrived with the last December Mails on New Year's Day. The dates she brings are to the 19th ult.

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The public papers are chiefly filled with various matters touching the present state of Europe which is very unsettled. The Paris Conferences were soon to be renewed, chiefly composed of the former members. Russia is evidently using every possible means to weaken the French and English, determined. Alliance, and it is quite certain that France is much more favourable to a lenient fulfilment of the treaty of Paris on the part of Russia than any other of the Allied Powers. This policy on the part of Louis Napoleon is evidently a mistaken one, but it is a leading point of his ambition to establish an equal footing and the full recognition of all the older Governments, and the present seems a fair chance of his effecting this with Russia by siding with her on the questions of the Treaty which are still open for discussion.

England has declared war with Persia and sent wexpedition up the Persian Gulf, probably to seize on some favourable point for coercing that by Mr. Wm. Gates. governed and vacillating Power to retrace her hould lead to some collision with Russia, will be | Square. lattle felt in England, as it is in fact an East India thir. Many, however, think it needless and ill-

The insurrection in Sicily has been suppressed and will doubtless be followed with a sanguinary engeance on those implicated. Milano, the man who attempted the life of the king of Naples has been executed, shewing no signs of regret, but ather triumphing in his intention.

Great efforts are being made, and numerous. meetings held in London and other parts of Engand, to compel the ministry to modify or reduce the lacome Tax, which not withstanding the cessation of the war, for the support of which it was heavily on many of the middling and industrial anonymous writer, was not correct. lasses, to an extent very unequal and injurious.

Parliament will soon meet for business, when proved failures.

By recent accounts from China it appears that a Scotch Missionary, a Mr. Burns, had been

WE give insertion, with much pleasure having been put to death. The insurrection in to a brief communication from our esteemed that vast Empire is still subsisting, although not in a very active form at present, both parties appearing to have become exhausted.

There have been very destructive gales on the coast of England with large loss of shipping.

Telegraphic Despatch.

Merchant's Reading Room, January 12, 1857. Steumship Asia arrived at New York this afternoon. She brings dates from Liverpool to 27th ult.

Cotton market buoyant. Breadstuffs firm. Flour market-prices have an upward ten-

Corn-market firm, demand improving. Provision market dull.

Sugar market also dull, with a downward tendency.

Consols for money are quoted at 94 to 941. General news wholly unchanged.

General Intelligence.

Foreign and Domestic.

ANOTHER RIOT on the Windsor railway took place, on New Year's Day, between one small party of Irishmen and another of Scotchmen, in which the former were worsted. As there was a prospect of hostilities being renewed on a large scale, the contractor under whom all the beligerents were employed, discharged the whole of them.

The Recorder says :- We learn that ord r has been restored, and that Mr. Cameron, the This, or something like it, would greatly contractor under whom the rioters were emsimplify the final adoption of the needed ployed has taken them all back to work again

Hon. Attorney General delivered his address to the Jury on the trial of Hill vs. the British Government, on Monday and Tuesday. Hon. Mr. Johnston commenced his address on Tuesmany parts of the Province, in twenty day afternoon, and is expected to occupy the shilling and smaller annual subscriptions, whole of this day.

The City Council has voted £100 to the sol diers who assisted at the late fire.

A Barn belonging to Widow McNab, Eastern &c. We cannot but entertain the most Passage, Dartmouth, was burned to the ground sanguine hopes that some immediate action on Tuesday last. Loss about £400. No inwill be taken in the matter; and are quite surance.

Melvern Square, Wilmot.

A Public Meeting was held, pursuant to notice previously given in a section of Upper Wilmet, on the 3rd inst., for the purpose of naming the District. Rev. Charles Tupper was chosen Chairman, and Bro. H. Boyd Magee, Secretary.

On Motion of Mr. Enoch Gates, seconded by Mr. Wm. Nichols,

Resolved-That the bounds of the District be

by Mr. Nathaniel Parker.

On Motion of Mr. Wells Condon, seconded

Resolved - That the bounds be as follows :-Commencing at the Walker Bridge, on the County line, and running North by said line to the North Eastern corner of the Farm owned and occupied by John ----, Esq., thence Westward the course of the lines to the new Road on the West side of the Vault; theuce South along said Road; thence East to the place of commencement.

On Monon of Mr. II. Boyd Magee, seconded

Resolved-That this District of Wilmot be aggressive proceedings. The war, unless it named, and henceforth designated, Melvern

On Motion of Beniah Spinney, Esq., du seconded,

Resolved - That copies of the proceedings this Meeting be forwarded for insertion in the Christian Messenger, und the Wesleyang with request that other Papers will please copy. (Signed)

CHARLES TUPPER - Chairma H. BOYD MAGFE-Secretary.

Melvern Square, Wilmot, Jan. 3rd, 1857.

P. S .- It will be perceived from the abo authentic statement, that the notice recent originally imposed, is still continued, bearing most given, of the naming of this locality, by C. TUPPER.

A Gentleman at Voglers Cove, has for the the Diplomacy of the past year will doubtless for some time past been selling Rum without a time be the chief topic of debate. The great legal authority to do so, to me great annoyan question of actional Ecucation will also probably of many of his neighbours. A few days a be discussed, although we think with little pros- be had placed in his house, against the wall of any satisfactory general arrangement, cask of about 120 gallons. One night I Conflicting parties and interests are such in Eng. week some person with an anger bor and, that there is small chance of their uniting through the side of the house into the car Christian bodies. Thus far all such attempts have he who committed this kind deed will be a ply rewarded .- Communicated.

East Port Medway, Dec. 33th, 1856.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT .- A number of labor whole distributing the Scriptures and on the rantway, near Windsor, were on Ti the interior. He was however, after a day last, burned or partly so, by the falling bon determion, sent back to Canton, and treated of a bank of earth. Three men were seriously there is also a report of a Jesuit Missionary since died.—Telegraph to Reading Room.

Letters Received.

J. W. Hartt, Esq. E. Dodge, 22nd. Rev. W. G. Goucher, 16th. Rev. R. W. Cunningham, 23rd, 2 subs., £2. J. W. Barss, Esq. 27th and The American Congress, now in Session, have 3rd. Rev. C. Tupper, Dec. 26th, 2 subs., £3; our churches for their consideration. It by a large majority passed a Resolution declaring 2nd Inst., £3. and 7th £1. G. V. Rand, 29th, their abhorrence of any attempted renewal of the £1. Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, 30th. Rev. Jas. Slave trade. The contest which is most likely to Stevens, 30th and 5th, 12s. 6d. J. Whitman, engross the chief attention of the Session, spring- | 27s. 6d. A. Chipman, 27th. H. N. Paint, 26th, results of hepatic derangement-and for these Dr. ing out of the Kansas question has not yet come on | 1 sub. 10s. H. Starratt, 27th. Rev. W. Burton, M'Lane's Pills are a sovereign remedy. They have 8th, 20s. Rev. J. Chase, 30s. 6d. &c. N. T. Harris, 5th. Rev. H. Angell, 2nd. A. Whitman, 2nd, 20s .- old bal. against S. T. appears to be 18s. 6d.—Is that right? G. B. Muir, Esq. 2nd, 10s. Rev. J. C. Hurd, 2nd,-all right. J. Madir, 2nd, 20s. Rev. J. Newcomb, 2nd, 20s. A slight breakfast should invariably follow their use. Rev. O. Chute, 5th. Rev. A. Martell. S. Hunt, 5th, 25s. Rev. Obed Parker, £2. Joseph Marsters, 2nd, £2. Rev. J. C. Morse, 16th, 35s, and they give astenishing relief to sick headache; also is 2nd, 20s. S. Webb. G. Harpell. W. H. slight derangements of the stomach Everett, 1st, £3. B. B. Moses, 29th. W. Churchill, Esq. 31st, 20s. A Marshall, 2 subs., 2nd, £3. and 5th, £2. Rev. A. Shiels, C. E. Slocomb, 29th, 10s. I. Thurber, 2nd, 45s. W. F. Cutten, Esq. Dec. 20th, and 3rd, Inst., 10 subs. 25s. C D. Randall, 3rd. C. Jost, Esq. Dec. 12th, £4., and 29th, £2. J. Margeson, 27th, 12s. 6d. Rev. S. T. Rand, 5th, 20s. J. Foster, 2nd, 1 sub. Rev. N. Vidito, 5th. W. Eaton, Esq. 6th, £2. D. Palfrey, 3rd, 10s. 3d. C. Longille, 1st, 20s. J. Gammon, 5th, 12s. 6d. A. Davidson, 3rd, 20s. P. Corkum, Esq. 29th, 32s. 6d. W. S. Raymond, 5th, 20s. Rev. S. W. DeBlois, 7th. W. Johnson, Esq. 2nd, £5. A. Woodworth, 5th .-- All right. S. Wheelock, 2nd, 1 sub. Z. P. Armstrong, Dec. 30th. Rev. A. W. Barss, 1st. M. Ross, 24 th, £2.

We would gladly add to the above, that, as usual, "all the directions therein given have been attended to," but having been surrounded with the debris of furniture, books. &c, &c, saved from the fire, we have been able only to open these contents, and add the new subscribers to our list. articles for insertion has greatly increased on our

We would present our grateful acknowledgements to each of the above for their kind expres-

A little patience on the part of our brethren will enable us to overtake the work which has been accumulating during the past week, and clear off all arrearages as well as attend to all that may be forthcoming.

NOTICES.

DOMESTIC, GAELIC, FRENCH, MICMAC, AND FOREIGN MISSION.

Received for the above object, from Mrs. Susan Blair Dimock, . The above is a bride's gift-consecrated on the

evening of her marriage to the cause of God-A good example. Also from Mrs. A. Blair,

D. W. C. DIMO K. Onslow, Dec. 30th, 1856.

At a meeting of the Western Home Mission Board held at Hebron Dec. 9th, the following appointments were made, viz:-Rev. R. S. Morton, 10 weeks mission to Port George, and from Chute's Cove along the shore to Digby.

Brother S. B. Kempton, Licentiate 4 weeks to Barrington and Wood's Harbour. HENRY ANGELL, Sec.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the Governors of Acadia College in the College Library on Wednesday the 11th day of February next at 11 o'clock a. m. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS, Sec. Wolfville, Jan 7th, 1857

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HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS .- Another astonishing cure of an Ulcerated Ankle by these Remedies .- Henry Todd, of St. Andrews, suffered with an ulcerated ankle for 14 years, he was a complete very welcome communications, ascertain their help: however finding none of his medical advisers cou'd benefit him, he determined to see what Hol-Attention will be given to the accounts in the loway's Ointment and Pills would do, and instead of course of a day or two. The number of excellent | spending any more of his fortune in consulting medical men, he purchased a few pots of Holloway's Circiment, and a few boxes of Holloway's Pills, and these at an abatement of sixpence a day upon their wages hands; they shall, however, appear as early as two remedies in seven weeks made him a thoroughly healthy man, his ankle was completely cured, and he healthy man, his ankle was completely cured. now can walk better than ever he has been able for the last fifteen years.

Married.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 1st., by the Rev. S. N. Bently, Mr. Lewis Estano, to Mary Catharine, daughter of Mr. Joseph Hutchins all of this city. At Halifax on the 27th Nov., by the Rev. Archdeacon

Willis. Mr. William Graham, to Marcelina Mahony. At the Mission house. Dec. 11th, by Rev. O. Chute.

Mr. Hiram Roberts, to Miss Martha Nickerson, both

At Hantsport, at the residence of the bride's father by W. Burton, Jan. 1, 1857, Mr. George W. Churchill Merchant, eldest son of E. Churchill Esq., M. P. P. to Miss Susannah, second daughter of Capt. Robert

At Buckfield on 25th ins', by Rev. A. Martell, Mr. Thomas A. Turner, to Mi-s Mary Ann Wynnough Also Mr. Cyrus Wynnough, to Miss Elizabeth Noggler, all of Buckfield Queens Co.

At Yarmouth, by the Rev Henry Angell, Nov. 27th. Mr. Joseph W. Crowell, to Jane. youngest daughter of Mr. Thomas Brown Sens., both of Varmouth. Also Dec. 23, Mr. Zebina S. Goudey, of Varmouth, to Miss Almira A. Welch, of Westport.

By Rev. C. Tupper, at the residence of the bride's father, Dec. 25th, Mr. Benjamin Phinney, to Miss Mary Ann, second daughter of Mr. George Burns, all of Upper Wilmot.

By Rev. C. Tupper, at the residence of the bride's father, in Tremont, on the Istinst., Mr. Joseph Dimock Goucher of Upper Wilmot, to Miss Martha Saunders, daughter of Mr. David Saunders, of Aylestord.

On the 24th inst., by the Rev Obed. Parker Capt. Henry Cosby, to Miss Catharine Cosby, both of Hills-By the Rev. N. Vidito, at Wilmot, on the 23rd Dec.

Mr. Asa Morse, to Henrietta, daughter of Mr. George Bishop, of Annapolis. By the Rev. A. W. Barss, on the 23rd Dec., at the house of the bride's father, Mr. Elkannah Freeman, to

Miss Rockstanna Harlow, both of Kempt. By the same, on the same evening, at the house of Mrs. Luther Ledhetter, Mr. Allen Harlow, to Miss Asseneth Johnston, both of North Brookfield. By the same, on the 24th Dec., at the house of the bride's father, Mr. Thomas Hunt, to Miss Sarah Ann Christopher, both of

On the 10th of Dec., by the Rev. J. C. Morse, Mr. Allen Cornwell, of Digby Neck, to Miss Maria Buckman, of Long Island. Also, by the same, at Prince William on Nov. 1st. Mr. Charles Taylor, of Digby, to Miss Sarah Ann Bishop, of the same place. By the same, on Dec. 25th, Capt Samuel Saunders, to Miss Adelaide second daughter of John Eldridge, Esq., of P.Wm. At Front Cove, on Dec. 31st., by the same. Mr. Willoughby Sabean, of Weymouth, to Miss Thirms Homes, of Digby Neck. At Prince William on Jan. 1st., Mr 1William Burns, to Miss Paulina, daughter of William Saunders, Esq., all of Prince William.

On Wednesday morning, 7th inst., James N. Shan non, Esq., of this city in the 69th year of his age. At Clarence, on the 31st of Dec., of malignant gore throat, Margaret Ann consort of Mr. Robert Marshall, a nd daughter of Mr. John Shainer, in the 35th year of her age .- [Obituary Notice shall appear.]

At Clarence, on the 11th ult., Sarah, the beloved wife of William Marshall. Esq , agad 69 years. She leaves a large number of relatives to moura their loss. At Boston, Mass., on the 15 h uft, Froward D. Marshall, eldest son of Mr. Asaph Marshall, of Paradise Annapolis Co, aged 25 years. In full assurance of a blessed immortality.

At Clarence, og the 31st ult., after a few days sickness. Margaret Ann, wite of Mr. Robert Marshall. She leaves a kind husband, and six small children to moura their loss. She professed religion in her youthful days . Since that period she has evinced by her life, a strong attachment to the cause of God. Religion with her was the one thing needful. This she proved by her daily walk, and her constant attendance on the means of Grace. - Blessed are the dead who die in the

At Aylesford on the 11th ult., Anna Jane, only child of Renben and Catharine Hiland, aged 17 months. At Given Wharf, Cornwallis, Dec. 20th. Mrs. Hannah: wife of Mr. Wasley Milbury, in the 46th year of her age, leaving a hasband and 8 children to moura