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vesterday, when he became outrageously violent, of human passions excited to their utmost de-He is calmer to-day. Dr. Craven has again visited him, and reports his health as good.

No papers are allowed to be taken to his cell. While on the Clyde he managed to gain possession of an Inquirer, containing the proclamation of President Johnson setting a price upon his head; after reading which he remarked that the United States Government would never attempt to hang him. Time will tell.

The Boston Post gives the following as the Indictment of Jefferson Davis :--

against Jeff. Davis is based, is the attack on perpetration of his crime. Fort Stevens, on the 12th of last July, in which General Breckenridge was present; and the indictment charges " Jefferson Davis, late of the county of Henrico, State of Virginia, yeoman." with treason: 1st, in that on the 1st of June 1864, he raised or gathered troops in Richmond think the circumstances attending his fall and to act against the United States Government; 2d, that he was leader or commander-in-chief of these troops, and, as such, ordered the expedifood and other supplies for that treasonable purpose; 4th, that the attack on Fort Stevens was accordingly made on July 12, 1864; and 5th, that by his agency there a large number of and injured."

THE NEW ENGLAND BRANCH OF THE AMERI-CAN TRACT SOCIETY have been engaged pretty extensively in the work of colportage in this province during the past year. There have been nine persons belonging to different religious churches engaged for longer or shorter periods during the year, making an aggregate of more than three years of labor in eleven counties. We learn from the superintendent, Mr. A. McBean, that these colporteurs have effected sales of the Society's publications to Emperor must in some way resent it. It will the amount of \$3,317.89, and that free grants be a test of the adoption by the U.S. of what have been made to the value of \$285.46. is called the Munro doctrine, which may render They have engaged in 208 public services and their present enjoyment of peace but of short prayer meetings, 341 families have been visited, who had no religious books, and they found 189 Protestant families without Bibles. In addition to these there is one colporter employed under the auspices of the Society in New Brunswick and one in Prince Edward Island. Eleven have been engaged to labor for the present year for different periods varying from three to twelve months. These evangelical labors are highly important in many destitute places, and deserve encouragement from those desirous of seeing good done.

CHRISTIAN MESSENGER. THE

gree of fury, so soon subsiding into calm and silence.

The investigation of facts connected with the fatal catastrophe, which clothed the American nation in mourning, is the all-absorbing topic to which all eyes are now directed. It is by no means plain that much, if any progress has been made in the discovery of accomplices in the horrid act, or indeed whether the assassin Booth "The specific act on which the indictment had any previous and direct coadjutors in the

As regards the complicity of Jefferson Davis, we have as yet heard of nothing whereon to ground a reasonable suspicion. Davis is a man of unquestioned political ability, although we capture have been little creditable to him. He either ought, while it was well in his power, to tion; 3d, that he provided the men with arms, have acknowledged himself subdued and withdrawn from the contest and the reach of his enemies, or have awaited with dignity in his capital the approach of his enemies. The mode United States troops were traitorously killed of his capture will greatly derogate from his previous reputation. As the Confederate forces under Kirby Smith have finally surrendered, the war may, no doubt, be fairly considered at an end.

> Much speculation is abroad as to whether the friendly relations between the United States and the French Government will not be imperilled by the Mexican question.

> It is pretty certain that if the American Cabinet continue to repudiate the rights of Maximillian to the throne of Mexico, the French duration. For our own part we doubt much whether the doctrine will not yield to present expediency.



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To the President of the Nova Scotia Baptist S. S. Convention.

DEAR BROTHER,

In looking over the questions in your letter of the 17th inst., which are expected to be answered in the returns to the Sabbath School Convention, it occured to me that they were incomplete, and did not elicit all the information which it is desirable should be embodied in the annual statistics. Would it not be well to so alter those Statistics, as recorded in the Minutes, that they shall henceforth embrace the following additional items, viz: The number of Baptisms during the year; The amount of Benevolent Contribu tions; The number of S. School papers taken, together with answers to the questions-Do you maintain a Sabbath School concert and a Teacher's meeting?" and Do you keep your School open through the winter?

> Yours very truly, A SABBATH SCHOOL WORKER.

In reply to the above, we may remark that we do not desire to add unnecessarily to the particulars required in the Returns. One of the above, however, was formerly inserted, and we think it should be given in all the Returns : How many Lord's days during the year has your S. School been held? If any think well to give information on the other points they can do so, and the Secretaries will make a note of them.

The St. John, N. B., Churches are proceeding with their Missionary Meetings. At one held in the Germain Street Church last week the collection amounted to nearly one hundred dollars. The Visitor is proposing plans for raising the \$4000 named for the Union Society, comprising Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Ministerial Education, Sabbath

Notices, &c.

Received from the Upper Stewiacke Church for Foreign Missions, \$2.

Dr. Tupper please charge us with said sum.

Colchester County S. School Convention.

The next Quarterly meeting of this Convention, will be held (D. V.) at Partaupique, on Friday 23rd June, at 2 o'clock, P. M. It is earnestly desired that all the Sabbath Schools in the County may be represented.

T. B. LAYTON, Secretary.

Baptist Anniversaries.

The WESTERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION will meet with the Milton Church, Queen's Co., cn Saturday the 10th day of June, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

The CENTRAL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION will meet with the 1st Cornwallis (Canard) Church, on Saturday the 17th day of June, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

The EASTERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION will meet with the Amherst Church, on Saturday July 1st, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

Letters Received.

J. W. Barss, Esq. Rev. W. Burton. Rev. T. Higgins. Dr. W. L. Bent, \$4. T. B. Lay-W. H. Whitman. W. Starratt. Rev. J. ton. L. Read. Rev. Dr. Tupper. H. Lantz. Rev. M. P. Freeman. J. O. Pineo, Esq., \$4.

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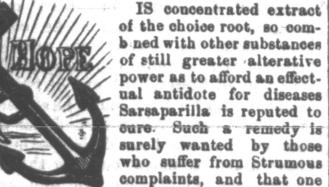
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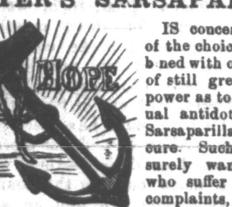
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