CHRISTIAN MESSENGER. THEF

in 1840, since which time it had prospered far better than its originators opinion on the part of the mover and every thing paid for Home Missions Saturday, the 17th day of July, at 10 ever expected. This refusal having seconder and other members of the was charged to Home Missions, and o'clock. A. M. been made at the time referred to, Synod it was decided that this being a every thing received for the same which exertions being made by the Baptist | for the Synod to discuss it. body, they could not-holding the views they do-entertain the request establishing Missionary Funds, a Church Mission and expended on the same of the Dalhousie College governors a Seminary for Ladies in Halifax, a year ago, asking them to meet in con- Church Temperance Society, the es- charged to the same. On the third ference with a view of forming a Provincial University. If any one was other matters belonging to the denomi- logical Chair and expended thereon, to blame for retarding this project, it nation. The Synod closed on Thurswas the Presbyterian body themselves. day morning. For a province with only 400,000 people, however, a University would be of no utility. When the population reached a million (which was not likely soon to be) would be time enough to discuss that question. Dr. P. here referred to the amounts

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received by the several colleges and the work done by them shewing that Acadia does the most work for the smallest amount of any. We hope to have some of these facts in a more tangible shape than they have yet appeared. They would form very instructive reading for the people. The meeting closed by singing the

doxology.

THE N. B. WESTERN ASSOCIA-TION held its 28th Annual Session on the 22nd ult. and following days at Centreville. The preliminary Conference and Prayer meeting was rich in ing drinks in all railway officials. spiritual blessing to a large number in attendance. The officers elected were: Moderator, Rev. Geo. Seely; Clerk, occasion. Rev. W. P. Everett; Assistant Clerk, Rev. J. D. Pope ; Treasurer, Jas. E. Masters, Assistant Treasurer, Rev.

had led to such strenuous matter of doctrine it was not competent was credited to that department. On

tablishment of a Church Chronicle and sheet, what was received for the Theo-

PRESENTATIONS TO BAIL-WAY OFFICIALS.

On Friday last there was a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen in the Legislative Council Chamber for the purpose of witnessing the presenta- | Colporteur work a separate department. tion of a gold watch to Conductor Edwards of the W. & A. Railway, and gold medals to Conductor Clarke and brakesman Geldert for gallant conduct in rescuing persons who would otherwise have been killed. The Lieutenant Governor made an excellent address on the occasion stating that Dr. Clay had originated these testimonials the constitution to suit that desire. If by calling attention to the noble conduct of Mr. Edwards, and by receiving is to be strictly heeded by the Board, contributions from a number of friends the whole course of their procedure in for the purchase of the watch.

His Honor spoke strongly on the need of total abstinence from intoxicat-

His Worship the Mayor and Dr. Clay each made short speeches on the

The Halifax daily papers have given good reports of the religious bodies that have recently held their annual sessions in our city, First the Methodist Conference, then the Central Baptist Association, and subsequently the Diocesan Synod, have each had their proceedings laid before town and country readers morning and evening with much perspicuity and fairness.

the second sheet of the account, Action was taken in reference to every thing received for the French 30th Annual Session on Saturday, the was credited to that Mission and was credited and charged to that department. What more "proper" or "suitable heads" were needed, or why the items could not "be easily understood," I cannot imagine.

> 3. The Committee "especially recommend that the Book and Tract department be separated from the other account." This virtually makes the When the Union was about to be consummated at Windsor, an attempt was made to make a separate department. for the Book business, but it failed. If the brethren present at the last Anni versary of the Union had wished to make the Colporteur work a separate department, they should have changed this recommendation of the Committee regard to this matter must be changed. 4. The Committee " regret that they had no method of arriving at the true state of the Board's financial standing." &c. "They would suggest that so far as possible all the amounts due for missionary labor or otherwise be stated," &c. The Board urgently request-

ed all their employees to send in, at a

After some strong expression of first sheet of the Treasurer's account with the Church at North River, on

The BAPTIST CONVENTION OF NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK & PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND will commence its 21st day of August, with the Baptist Church at Hillsburg, Annapolis Co., Nova Scotia, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

N. S. EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

Persons sending their names with the design of attending the Association at Great Village will be informed as to their location by calling at the store of G. B. Layton or of L. C. Layton. Those who do not arrive until Saturday morning will find the Committee at the Meeting House.

P. E. I. BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

As the Baptist Association of P. E Island will meet with the church at North River on 17th July, delegates and friends from a distance intending to be present at the Association, will please correspond with the Clerk of the church, at least one week previously, so that suitable accommodation may be provided for them.

Address, FRANCIS BAIN, North River, P. E. I. North River, June 8th, 1875.

Dear Mrs. Selden,-According to request Miss DeWolf met the sisters and triends of the Hammonds Plains Baptist church to-day and formed a Woman's Missionary Aid Society. We had a general Missionary meeting in the evening, over which the pastor, Dr. Clay, presided, and Miss DeWolf gave a description of the manners, customs and religion of the Heathen. Such addresses must result in great good when, as here the people have not had an opportunity of meeting a returned missionary. We hope Miss DeW. may be able to visit many places in Nova

BASKET PIC-NIC STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL THE Ladies of the SOUTH RAWDON

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SEWING CIRCLE intend holding a Basket Pic-Nic, and Strawberry Festival near the Baptist Meeting House, on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14th, commencing at 2 o'clock. There will be a **REFRESHMENT TABLE** which will be well supplied, and a

FANCY TABLE

at which there will be a variety of Useful and Ornamental Articles for sale.

The Managing Committee will endeavor to make it a pleasant occasion and hope the kindness and liberality of their friends will make it a profitable one.

Should the weather prove unfavorable it will take place the first fine day after. July 7.

> TEA MEETING AND FANCY SALE.

THE Ladies of Upper Stewiacke Baptist Church and Congregation purpose holding a TEA MEETING AND FANCY SALE at the Baptist Meeting House in Upper Stewnacke Village, on THURSDAY, JULY 15TH. Doors open at 2 o'clock, P. M.

ALSO-Refreshment Table on the grounds. The proceeds to go to finishing the above named place of worship. Speeches and music may be expected.

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Upper Stewiacke, June 29th, 1875. July 7.

READ AND REMEMBER THAT GATES' LIFE OF MAN BITTERS and combined Medicines are no quack. All that we ask is a fair trial and if it does not do all that we say of it we are willing to stand condemned before the public. They are manutactured entirely from the Roots and Plants of the vegetable kingdom, and do not contain any calomel or mineral of any name or nature. Send at once and get a pamphlet showing cures and certificates taken before Justices of the Peace, if your Druggist or Merchant has none. Sold at Halilax by

G. M. W. Carey.

The Association Sermon was preached by Rev. J. D. Pope, of the Leinster Street Church, St. John, from 1 Tim. i. 11. "The glorious gospel of the blessed God." The afternoon session was taken up with reading of letters and other business. In the evening a Public Meeting was held on Home and Foreign Missions, addresses being delivered by brethren G. F. Currie, B. N. Hughes, D. McLellan, G. M. W. Carey, and G. Rigby, and the exercises continued to a late hour. Brother Currie has received and accepted an appointment from the Board in Ontario as a missionary to the Teloogoos, and probably leave this country for Coconada in the early fall of this year. were made on the usual subjects, Home and Foreign Missions, Religious Literature, Sabbath Schools, Education, &c.

The following is the closing paragraph of the Report on Home Missions: beg to endorse the action of the Home Mission Board at its last meeting relative to the non-advisability of union the Home Mission work."

made no reference to the locality of our Foreign Missionary operations. The following paragraph is the only allusion to our having any such mis-8101.

"2. That, while the particular location or field of our work is being selected, and the missionaries are preparing for it, we urge the importance of special prayer for divine guidance to the laborers abroad, and for harmony of feeling and action among those at home."

would be likely to accommodate the 4 00 THESE Powders have been tested by 40 "recommend in *future* that the Board seventy-two churches represented, were " -Per Rev. Dr. G. E. Day-L Thousand Cases, some of the worst ever Union and Association next year. If condense their accounts for publication. known. They have been tested by persons J. O. Nowlan, Esq., New Tusket present. About 150 baptisms were the Moderator is notified of the willwho have been afflicted for over forty-siz Of course that is purely a matter of Church, N. S. 2.00 reported, and the increase and diminuyears, being troubled more or less every day ingness of any church near the Eastern opinion. Many others take a different THOMAS P. DAVIES, with Spasms. They have cured persons havtion in the numbers leaves the Associborder of the Associational territory ing as high as fity Spasms per day. These view of the case. Several persons Treasurer Foreign Missionary Board. ation with some 5,070 members. to have these gatherings with them, he Powders have cured when some of the most have expressed the wish that the name The business was finished on Thurseminent Physicians have given up the patient will likely give notice in due time. CORRECTION -In the Central Association of each donor should appear in the as incurable. day afternoon, when the Association G. E. DAY, appointments Rev. E. O. Read preached in They have cured children as young as three Treasurer's Report. The Board deadjourned to meet with the Germain months old and adults over seventy five years. Chalmers Church instead of Rev. J. E. Cor. Sec. of Union. cided to make that Report pretty full, Street Church, St. John, on the 4th Some being inmates of Asylums. Goucher. Yarmouth, July 21, 1875. They have cured cases where the patient so that all that chose to examine the Thursday in June, 1876. had to be tied down, and have restored the accounts might see from what sources LETTERS RECEIVED. minds of others who have become imbecile or the money came and for what purposes demented by Spasms. Motices. THE DIOCESAN SYNOD. it was expended. They tried to avoid These Powders always give sati-faction, if W. W. Pride, \$2. J. B. Brown, \$1 20 used according to my directions. They are the concealment of any fact. U. S. Rev. Dr. Tupper, \$3. Joseph D. used for the cure of Fits, Bpilepsy, Spasms, The Wesleyan Ministers had scarce-BAPTIST ANNIVERSARIES. Marsters, \$8.25. P. S. McGregor. G. 2. The Committee also state that Convulsions, Neuralgia, and all kinds of ly left their Conference at Halifax Nervousness. They have also cured St. 1875. E Good. W. Wilson, all right, 2. the items are "too much unclassified when the Baptist Ministers came to Vitus' Dance, they have cured these diseases to be easily understood. They have S. A. Norwood, \$5 U. S. Rev. G. W. whether in old or young, male or female, it their Association. Before they had gone The N. S. EASTERN ASSOCIATION Thomas (2). C. W. Sanders, \$21 50 A. J therefore endeavoured to condense and makes no difference of how long standing the the Episcopalian clergymen followed Leadbetter, \$1. Rev. W. H. Porter. S. will meet in its 25th Annual Session sickness may be. arrange the payments and receipts Certificates of persons cured from all parts to attend their Diocesan Synod. They Whitman. J. D. Halfyard, Esq., \$2. W at Great Village, Londonderry, on under different heads," &c. They inof the U.S. may be seen at the proprietors J. Gates. met on Wednesday last to the number Saturday, the 10th day of July, at 10 office, or send for circular. A fair trial will timate that if the Treasurer had been of about sixty at St. Luke's. After soon prove its merits. o'clock, A. M. with them he "would have aided in **READ THIS!!** some preliminary business and the Price 80 Cents Per Box. Return Tickets will be issued by the the placing of items under the proper appointment of Committees a Ritualist Great Village Station Master to dele-Or \$1 per Bex by mail to all parts of the heads." They "recommend in future C. E. & G. O.GATES S, and to Canada \$1 in Canada money. question was raised by the following gates on presenting a certificate of that the Board arrange the payments I have no agents or traveling salesmen. resolution being presented by Mr. Peter attendance signed by the Clerk and Persons sending for these Powders will please MANUFACTURERS AND IMPORTERS OF and receipts for the various services Lynch and seconded by Mr. A. G. payment of one-third of a first-class state the age and length of time having the of the Board under suitable heads." ORGANS & PIANOS, disease and their general health. Jones: fare. This is just what the Board have These powders are prepared and sold only Resolved, That this Synod regards with by the Proprietors to whom all letters must be Melvern Square, Wilmot, N. S. The N. B. EASTERN BAPTIST ASbeen careful to do. Those that are addressed. deep regret the appointment of the Rev. SOCIATION will meet with the Church at familiar with the constitution of the JOHN M. PLEIS, JR. Edwin Gilpin a member of the Society Encourage native enterprise and save the 860 N. Third Street, Phil., Pa., first door be-Butternut Ridge, on Tuesday, the 13th Union know that there are three deknown as the Confraternity of the Blessed duty freight, commission, and profit on low the corner of Poplar St. day of July. partments :-- Home Missions proper-Sacrament, as the Archdeacon of this American instruments. In sending money it is safer to send Post di cese, and hereby expresses its disapproval the French Mission, and the Theologi-The P. E. ISLAND BAPTIST ASSOCIoffice Orders, or Registered Letters. Observe Send for a Price List. thereof. cal Chair in Acadia College. On the ATION will meet in its Annual Session Rule second on back of P. O. Order. March 24. March 31.

COCONADA .- Some of our correspondents have made a slight error in the spelling of the name of this city, at the entrance to the Teloogoo country, perhaps to serve a good purpose. It is not Cocanada as it has been represented, but Coconada.

The result of the Beecher trial is as On Wednesday and Thursday, reports | we supposed it would be, a disagreement of the jury as to a verdict, nine being for a full acquital, three against. Later developments shew a conspiracy formed for the purpose of destroying Mr. Beecher. Actions have been " And also your Committee would | commenced against certain persons who gave evidence, especially against a worthless scoundrel named Loader who seems to have gone into it with with the Nova Scotia Board respecting other parties simply for the purpose of making money out of it. Moulton and The Report on Foreign Missions Tilton are believed to be equally guilty.

HOME MISSIONS.

DEAR EDITOR,-There appears in the last Messenger 'the Report of a Committee appointed to examine the accounts of the Treasurer of the Union. It seems to me necessary that I should make a remark or two in regard to that Report.

1. The Committee state that "they consider the items extended too much deavoured to condense," &c .-- They

specified, time, their bills with the amounts collected on the fields of labor credited on the same. The brethren, however, very largely failed to do so, and hence the Board were unable to state with anything like precision what was the amount of their indebtedness.

In regard to other suggestions made by the Committee in their Report, the Board will undoubtedly be pleased to act upon them. With reference to the future, the Board wish the public to understand that not less than \$16,000 will be needed to perform efficiently the work they have planned to do during the year just entered upon. If the churches deal liberally with the Board, a great work will be done for the denomination and for Christ. A glorious future is before the Baptists of these Provinces if they will give as the Lord has prospered them. It they fail in this matter they must not be surprised to find themselves far behind those that deal with a more bountiful hand. I notice that the Western Association is appointed to be held next year with the Temple Church, Yarmouth. As the constitution of the Union provides that the next meeting of that body will be with the Western Association, the present arrangement should be changed. It would not be courteous or just to the brethren of the Central and Eastern Associations to hold the Annual Meeting of the Union so far West. The brethren in Yarmouth would be pleased to have the Association meet with them ; but, as matters are in relation to the Union, they will undoubtedly be willing to wait another year for the Association. If the brethren in Paradise and Pine Grove

Scotia and New Brnnewick ; yes, and in Prince Edward Island too.

Our Society consists of twenty (20) members.

The following appointments were made President,-Mrs. N. Haverstock. 1st Vice,-Mrs. Amos Bezanson. 2nd Vice,-Mrs. Wamboldt. Secretary,-Miss Miriam Hayes. Treasurer .- Mrs. James Haverstock. Board of Managers,-Miss Thomas, Miss Carrie Thomas, Mrs. John Thomas, Mrs. N. Frizzle and Miss Sarah Melvin.

J. ANNIE CAHILL, Sect'y pro tem. Hammond's Plains, Junes 23rd, 1875.

Miss DeWolf will leave Halifax to attend the Association at Butternut Bridge, N. B. at the close of this week. She will afterwards cross over to Annapolis, and visit the Societies, or churches who wish her assistance in organizing Societies on the way back. The Central Board rely upon the friends along the route to render all the assistance in their power both at regard money, and hospitality, as otherwise the expences will fall heavily on the funds at their disposal.

Applications for Miss DeWolfe's services should be made immediately to the Secretary. She will then send cards in advance stating the time at which she may be expected at each place.

M. R. SELDEN, Sec'y. Halifax, July 7th, 1875.

RECEIVED FOR WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETY. Falmouth,-Mrs. Burpee Shaw. .\$ 6.00 Onslow,-Miss M. M. McNutt. 6.25 Do. By children. 2.75 Cambridge,-S. Webster. . . . 4.10 Milton, Queens Co.,-Mrs. E. G. Freeman. 10 00

RECEIVED FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS. June 18-Per Mr. W. Lewis-Mr. July 2-Per Rev. G. F. Currie-Andover Baptist Church, N. B.

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Gentlemen :- This is to certify that in the summer of 1868, I was very much reduced by Diarrhoa and had tried different remedies. and found no benefit or relief; and knowing of Dr. C. Gates' medicines, resolved to appl to him for aid, and with considerable difficulty reached the Doctor's residence, obtained and took some of his celebrated certain check. and experienced immediate relier, and was at once restored to my usual good health.

ISAAC THOMAS. Sworn to at Middleton, this 6th day of January, 1870, before me,

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will not take offence, I would venture Hewitt, Sussex, N. B. . . . \$100 in detail."-" They have therefore ento suggest that either of those places About fifty delegates from the