In notices of marriage is it desirable to state in what house the marriage took place? I have sometimes written, "at the residence of the bride's father" or "mother," but it seemed to me a hackneyed phrase that spoiled the notice.

ENQUIRER.

We do not think there is any necessity for stating more than the place and date of marriage, and name of the officiating minister. Further details rather detract from the announcement and from the parties concerned.

Rev. Joseph Parker. D. D., of the City Temple, London, is a candidate to represent the city of London in the House of Commons, and he says: "I have no intention of canvassing for a single vote, nor would it be consistent with my conception of such a candidature to put myself to one shilling expense to secure a seat in Parliament, beyond what is necessary to make known my willingness to serve. My services are frankly placed at your disposal within the limits of this address; and if you accept them my endeavor will be to work faithfully in the interests of the citizens of London, and of the country at large."

We have received copies of the Annual Report of the Chief Superintendent of Education in New Brunswick,

The Annual Report of the Superintendent of Education in Nova Scotia.

The Annual Report of the Inspector of Mines.

The Annual Report of the Asylum of the Deaf and Dumb.

The Annual Report of the Asylum for the Blind.

The Twelfth Annual Report of the Inebriates Home, Fort Hamilton, New York. Also from the same institution, a pamphlet entitled, "The Drunkard's Diseased Appetite, What is it? If curable, How? By miraculous Agency or Physical means—which?"

We have been unable as yet to give them examination, so as to notice their contents, but shall do so shortly.

The *Detroit Free Press* says: "The method of teaching reading by employing newspapers and magazines to some extent in place of books, has been adopted with good success in aeveral places, more particularly in the East. A teacher in one of the Detroit schools interested her scholars in a high degree by reading to them the history of Peter the Great, as given in the February and March numbers of *Scribners Magazine*." The superintendent of public schools in Portland, Me., has recently subscribed for a number of copies of *St. Nicholas* for use as a reader in the schools of Portland.

THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW, for April 1880, has six good articles as follows:—

1. McLellan's last service to the Republic.
2. Relations of Canada with the United States.
3. The failure of the Southern Pulpit.
4. General Grant and a Third Term.
5. The Irish Land Question.
6. Recent works on Trade and Finance.

Article No. 3. on the failure of the Southern pulpit offers some suggestions of importance shewing that the preachers in the South gave too little attention to earthly things. Whilst preaching the doctrine of justification by faith alone the preacher was content to leave the slave in the same condition and degradation.

FARRAR'S LIFE OF CHRIST; IN TWO PARTS, for 50 cents. I. K. Funk & Co., 10 and 12 Day Street, New York.

This is another of the STANDARD SERIES uniform with the other valuable works by the same publisher. This popular classic may now be enjoyed by persons of limited means equally with those who are able to purchase the more expensive editions. The enterprize deserves success and will doubtless receive it.

THE ANTIQUARY.—A Magazine devoted to the study of the Past. Edited by Edward Walford, M. A.

This is the first No. of an effort to revive the literature of the past and to preserve whatever relates to former ages. The paper and letter press used are such as are but rarely seen now-a-days, the former being thicker and coarser than wrapping paper.

THE SIN-BEARER, by Horatius Bonar, D. D., pp. 28, Baptist Publication Society.

A nice little five cent pamphlet on a great subject.

Notices.

[There being an accidental omission in the following note last week we re publish it with the omission supplied.]

THE INFANTS' HOME.

The Committee of the Infants' Home have taken steps to erect a suitable building for the infants. Mr. Alex. McLeod of Halifax has given the site, worth $1000, on which to place the new building. Mrs. W. Black has subscribed $1000, Bishop Binney, $200, W. J. Stairs, $200, Adam Burns, $100. The building will cost about $6000, in addition to the land. Contributions large or small for either the Building Fund or for Current Expenses will be thankfully received. The Home still prospers. The blessing of heaven is upon it.

Received for current expenses.

C. B. Whidden, Esq., Antigonish.. $4 00
Mrs. John C. Morse, Digby..... 1 00

M. K. F. SAUNDERS, *Sec'y.*

THE BAPTIST MINISTERIAL AND MISSIONARY CONFERENCE OF ANNAPOLIS CO., N. S., will meet (D. V.) wi h the church in Melvern Square, April 13th, 1880, at 10 o'clock, A. M. Sermon in the evening by Rev. W. H. Warren, A. M.

J. T. EATON, *Sec'y.*

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

Woodville knitting Circle, Mrs. Ezekiel Parish.....$12 00
Wolfville—Miss Barss..... 13 50
Halifax North Baptist—Mrs. Clements..... 27 48

M. R. SELDEN. *Treasurer.*

Halifax, March 30, 1880.

THE KINGS COUNTY BAPTIST MINISTERS' Conference will meet (D.V.) at Billtown, Cornwallis, on Tuesday the 6th of April at 10 a. m. Rev. S. B. Kempton is to preach in the evening. Collection in behalf of Home Missions.

S. B. KEMPTON, *Sec'y.*

Moneys Received.

Mr. M. Cunningham, $2; E. Robinson, $1; J. Wheelock, $2; Rev. W. H Warren, $3; M A. Burgess, $2; J. D. Halfyard, $2; W. Smith, $2; L. C. Nelson, $1; Rev. J. T. Eaton, $2; E. C. West, $2; B. C. Robbins, $3; W. Weddleton, $2; W Aymar, Esq., $2.

News.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—*Inverness Co.*—To be a Justice of the Peace—Dugald A. McFarlane, South West Margaree.

Annapolis Co.—To be a Jutice of the Peace,—Inglis P. Goucher, Melvern Square.

The Government steamer Glendon arrived on Sunday afternoon from the Eastern shore, having been there with provisions for the distressed fishermen. When the steamer arrived at Canso, on Wednesday last, the harbor was full of ice, but the gale of Thursday and Friday broke it up. Seventy barrels of flour were left at Isaac's Harbor, two hundred and ten barrels at Canso, and a hundred barrels at Whitehaven.

The scarcity of hay is very severely felt in Londonderry and Economy. Several carloads of oats have been brought from New Brunswick to Londonderry, which have been eagerly purchased, to enable starving cattle to eke out an existence.

It is said that as the Temperance Hall does not pay the interest of the Preferential Shares it will be sold at auction.

The annual meeting of the Starr Manufacturing Company, was very satisfactory Under the vigorous management of the directors, the company has been raised from its difficutlies and put into a good condition. The preferential stock has been gradually reduced, the ten per cent. on it paid, and now a divedent of four per cent: has been declared on the old stock.

Owing to the prevalence of diphtheria at Digby the schools have been closed, and clergymen bave been requested by the Beard of Health "to cease holding night meetings, as they are in a large measure the cause of the sproad of the disease."

It has been officially announced that Her Majesty's grant to the mothers of triplets does not extend to the colonies.

Over 200 immigrants arrived by the English mail steamer at Halifax, on Sunday before last.

The "Temple" mine at Montague Halifax Co., has been sold to Mr. Hiram Baker, of Farmington. U. S., and others, for $18,000.

A man killed three seals on the bank of the River Hebert, one day last week.

The bill to abolish the Legislative Council of P. E. I. was defeated in that body by the casting vote of the President.

Rev. D. McMillian, of North Sydney, while visiting, hitched his horse in a yard. The animal got away, fell over a cliff, and was instantly killed. Mr. McMillan's friends promptly raised a sum which indemnified him for his loss.

Most of the Sunday Schools in Halifax, on Sunday last had a Temperance Lesson, the International Series had left it a sort of undecided open day.

There was a great storm on Wednesday last. It seems to have been very severe in Annapolis and Digby Counties. It is said the Annapolis Basin was like a little sea, rolling up huge breakers. The Scud, with over three hundred passengers, was unable to make her return trip, and anchored during the night and day under the lee of Bear Island. The roads were much blocked by the heavy snow that fell. The Quebec train on Saturday was about 12 hours behind time.

JUDGE MARSHALL now almost a centenarian is out in a vigorous letter in the *Wesleyan*, attacking the doctrine of the evolutionists.

LORNVILLE.—The inhabitants of Amherst Shore have in public meeting resolved to designate the locality commonly called Jackson Settlement by the above name.

PALATABLE MEDICINES.—Ayer's Cherry Pectorial is a honeyed drop of relief; his Cathartic Pills glide sugar shod over the palate; and his Sarsaparilla is a nectar that imparts vigor to life, restores the health and expels disease.—*Waterford (Pa.) Advertiser.*

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Peticodiac, N. B., March 18, 1880.
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By Order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

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