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### THAT COLLECTION.

ed by Conference? We hope none are forgetting the matter, or think it is no use to bring it to the attention of the people. Next Sunday is the day on which, in all the churches, the Christian liberality of the people is to be appealed to on behalf of agency of warm human sympathy, persuading the religiously uncared for of our own Province. them to accept it. The churches are the homes, In his report at the last annual meeting of the training schools, the recruiting places, of God's Home Mission Society, Rev. G. A. Hartley, the then Corresponding Secretary of the Society, arging it but they are of use only in proportion as they help as the first and most important of our denomina- the individual members to do their individual work tional work, to care for the weak churches of our | wisely and faithfully. To "sit at ease in Zion," own Conference, and the destitute places in our own country, said :- "While it is the duty of each Christian denomination to be diffusive in her character, and world-wide in her desires for doing good, it is evidently her first duty to care for the weak Churches or her own Communion, and to oughness of this work depend largely on the fidel disseminate the Gospel amongst the people of her own country. As Free Baptists we should be especially careful in this matter, or we will lose | zealously done their part, God will gloriously comthe position we now occupy, and for which, under | plete the work." God, we are so greatly indebted to Missionary labor. During the past year we have accomplish ed comparatively little, and unless our people regard this fund as a greater necessity amongst us, and it becomes largely augmented, we cannot hope to cultivate, but there is danger of the farm running out. In several places we have weak interests, and small churches that are gradually weakening other denominations are going in and taking poswill. They are small churches, and often at long distances from each other, and are unable to supunless they are assisted by this Society, or by sin. Without spiritual life at home, it will be Mission labor in some way, they must become lost | wholly lacking or exceedingly thin abroad. Chil-

The statement in the foregoing concerning the condition and wants of a few of our churches bemust be done, and done at once, to supply such know rebellion. Why should the offspring of destitute churches and communities, or serious loss will be suffered by the denomination. The Coranxious as the Society is to give the help asked for it is found impossible to do so because there are no funds to pay missionaries.

It is in the power of the people to say whether the work of the Society is to be vigorously prosecuted or whether it is to be crippled and killed of God. It is waste of time, and waste of life to The reports and cash returns from the churches of next Sunday's work will quite clearly indicate the will of the ministers and people concerning the Home Mission Society.

Pastors and others who will have charge of collections will please forward the amounts received as soon as convenient to the Treasurer of the So ciety, Prof. G. E. Foster, Fredericton, and, if de-

Persons who are not otherwise solicited to contribute may send direct to the Treasurer or the Editor, and their contributions will be promptly acknowledged.

The Lord will be pleased, and a great many people' will be blessed if the response to the appeal is as hearty and liberal as it may be. " Freely ye have received, freely give." "He that watereth himself shall be watered."

## INDIVIDUAL CHRISTIAN EFFORT.

Daniel Webster, when asked to say what was the most important thought that ever occupied his mind, replied with deep seriousness, "The most important thought that ever occupied my mind, was the thought of my individual responsibility to God," Would that this thought were more in every mind. There would be more and more eftective work for Christ. For every saved man and Circular, issued by the Board of Education. It packed, On the platform were seated the choir woman there is something to do in winning others | contains much information, valuable to teachers | and a large number of clergymen. Mr. Moody's to the Saviour. "Go work in my vineyard" is and others. The following is the table of con- pulpit is placed in the centre of the in effect, addressed to every converted person. It tents:-Apportionment of Provincial Grants and platform, at his right hand stood the organ; at is impossible for one to depute another to serve | County Fund for the Winter Term, ended April | the rear of the platform the following text was in-God for him. A distinct being, every man is held 30, 1875,-The supply of Teachers,-Importance scribed on a large canvas: "Behold, 1 bring you accountable to God for service which he may do, of prompt payment of County Fund Drafts,-A good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people," and may not hope to escape unpunished if he neg- staff of qualified Teachers, -Proceedings of Teach- and on the walls of the building, running the whole lect to do that service. There is too much a dis- ers' Institute,-Teachers' Agreements,-Ventila- length of the room, were the following texts:christian work. "There does not seem to be anywilling to do the little things. If they could lead of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the the murdeross potion to any comer. Few men to the Fulton Street Boundaries and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, in the doubt and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, and the street and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, and the street and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, and the street and so were those who authorized him to deal of St. John Lodge of British Templars, and the street and so were those who they would not long hesitate about it. The great need of to-day is men and women willing to do the work which is just at hand. The secret of next of the course is to be given by Rev. Mr. Ackdoing much tor Christ is to be constantly doing man. of work at once-very few are equal to such a task. Is if the following statement, made by a Baptist But all Christians are called to do every day duty; minister in that State, is correct, He writes to one a great revival, and stir the hearts of listening it ought to be." No people can ignore an institu- voice was heard distinctly throughout the build- morning paper it is this: thousands by the power of his preaching, he can tion of God, and expect long to prosper. Death is ing. His text was the 35th and 36th verses of the My name is Charley Richards. I am a carriage made: take part in the social prayer-meeting, teach in sure in such a case. the Sunday school, speak a kindly "word in season" to the friend or stranger by his side, or in some other way, as best he is able, present the good tidings of salvation to perishing souls. We good tidings of salvation to perishing souls. We some other way, as best he is able, present the bad never seen a better time than the suppose I have spent during that time between to them. It is their frequency that makes their present, and they were right in the midst of \$1,200 and \$1500. I have parted with my clothes, need not, then, concern ourselves about the great opposite a rejoicing to the editorial heart. The blessings from heaven. He said there were three watch, pistol and other effects to get drink. I came anxious, as are some of the church members, that things we would do if only we had the opportunity. editor of the Methodist had a happy experience the classes who attended these meetings,—the first to St. John from Portland, where I stayed about The important question is, Am I doing now, with other day, he calls it an oasis in the desert of edimy might, the thing nearest to my hand? If we torial life. This is the way he describes the latest curiosity, and to criticise; the second class came my might, the thing nearest to my hand? If we torial life. This is the way he describes the latest curiosity, and to criticise; the second class came lars in my packet. I do not know where I have are, well for us. It is, in truth, of very little con- oasis: "We have in sight of one the other day. A just to enjoy themselves, they always came early been stopping. I have been first at one place, then sequence what we might do, under certain circumstances which may never occur; it is of very great

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that glows with love to God and man is not apt to The Religious Intelligences is published weekly, a | be slack in the service of either. In place of overthe Office of Messrs. Barnes & Co., 58 Prince William looking the present duty, it maintains a constant and prayerful watch lest the smallest opportunit of doing good should escape it. And the fait that grapples with firm hold the sure promises God leaves no room for doubt or hesitation when the opportunity presents itself. It sees clearly that in such a case the question of ability is not involved. The Omnipotent God does the work-the disciplis only the instrument in his hands for the accom plishment of it. But cold and languid love lets golden opportunities slip by with idle indifference Weak faith dares not trust the Divine promises. And so, through practical unbelief (it is nothing short of that), the enormous power the churches might wield for the spread of the gospel at home and abroad lies waste and impotent. 'There is latent force enough in the churches of this place,' said one the other day, 'to revolutionize the town in three months, if it could only be brought out.' Have the Ministers and Churches arranged to Could not the same be said in many places in this take collections for Home Missions as recommend- land of churches?

they go by-cannot do the work which, by Divine ppointment, belongs to individuals. To men, as nen, is given the duty of communicating the gospel to their fellows; and through the mighty children, where they may find spiritual rest, and gain new courage and strength for larger toils therefore, and expect "the church" to evangelize the world, is as if a railway engineer should stand dly by his locomotive, expecting it to run the train without his active aid.

There are hopeful signs all over the land of an impending work of grace. The extent and thority with which Christian believers, renewed in love and faith, do the thing next them, day by day, in the firm assurance that, having prayerfully and

RELIGION AT HOME. Too many houses are without any recognition of God. There is no thanking God for mercies bestowed, no looking to him for further favors, no commending children to his loving care, no seekto extend our work, nor even to maintain in due ing divine guidance in the affairs of life. Parents efficiency that in which we have hitherto been live though they were entirely independent, and prosperous. Our fathers left us a productive field | their children are brought up in almost utter gnorance of God and his relation to them. What- over our path, blighting our fondest hopes, chillever it may possess of good, that is not a truly ing our brightest prospects, and from our hearts happy home in which the Most High is not recognized and honored, his goodness acknowledged, and dying out for the want of care and the minis- his presence and blessing sought daily. How so try of God's word; and in some of these places | many professing Christians can live without home worship is a mystery. They certainly are not session of the ground. The people need, and are Union says :- " It is more precious there than at happy. Writing of religion at home, the Buptist hungering for the Gospel, and if they cannot get church, or in the world. Every day, each family it from their own ministers they will receive it | should worship as regularly as they eat. Have from others; if we cannot take care of them, others | they time to eat ? Let the soul have food. Open the Bible and have God talk to the family; pray and praise in song, and on bended knees ask mercies. A family without worship is a domestic or port the preaching of the Gospe! themselves, and | phanage, and a school of unbelief, sensuality, and dren will grow up Christless, and physical objects carnal life, will absorb attention, and engross at ection. With sure, sincere, tender religion at home, children will begin to be Christians as soon longing to our Conference is too true. Something as they learn of the Saviour's love, and never saints be, for one moment, exposed to condemna tion? Why should they not know the Saviour as soon as they know sin? Generally they will, if responding Secretary of the Home Mission Society | Christ is honored at the family altar. But he is is having frequent applications for help, but not honored. Thousands upon thousand of church members live like infidels at home. The Bible is unread, praises never sung, prayer never heard. Can they not read? Why not let God speak to them out of his word? Can they not pray? The Lord's prayer can at least be repeated in concert. It there no time? It will save time to take counsel

## EDITORIAL NOTES AND COMMENTS.

ignore God. We can have no real home without

arthly parents to make a sweet, healthful, ab-

- It is rumored that Rev. I. E. Bill is about to sired, they will be acknowledged, in the INTELLI- man will assume control at the beginning of the pointed to arrange for their coming. This com-

-- The detective who went to England to follow up the new discoveries which were said to throw light on the whereabouts of Charley Ross, reports hat there is nothing in them.

- It is said that Father Chiniquy has received the following threatening. The letter is signed "A Canadian," and reads thus :- " Chiniquy-Charity obliges me to warn you, that it in a short time hence you do not relieve the city of your infamous presence, I have a sure and simple means to make you disappear from the world, even at the | ment. cost of my life, if I am discovered, because I consider I would die a martyr for the Faith in relieving the city of a being so infamous from his scandals, and constituting the shame and dishonor of Canada. You have to choose between death or quitting Canada. I am a man to do what I decide on, no matter at what cost."

Academy of Music. The Professor's lecture, which was over an hour long, is highly spoken of. The

- "PRINT THIS JUST AS IT IS, OR NOT AT ALL."- was needed, and this was harvest time. He said in Boston, where I carned good wages at my trade. Church carnestly desires in behalf of himself, and consequence that we do promptly the duty of the production.' May the Lord bless Smith! We had to direct seekers to the way of life I wanted to end my existence. each offer at least one prayer, (more if you will) a waste-basket full of articles over which the auth- of the sermon, Mr. Sankey sang "Hark the voice Drink has don it all. The reason why so vast a multitude of professed ors have pencilled this solemn warning: 'take the of Jesus crying; who will go and work to-day." The man is described as intelligent, and of res-Christians fail to grasp this simple idea of Chris. whole or none; or this: 'Print this exactly as it The whole assembly then sang "Praise God from pectable appearance, and only 33 years old. whole church-ministers and people-with the

sit up nights to make your article readable if such Although the afternoon meeting was to be at 4 him a suicide. What about the rumseller? Where cold, young and old have been hardened in si ersonal sacrifice is necessary.' - THE RESPONSIBILITY OF PASTORS .- The folowing is just in time. There may be some pastors who will profit by reading it. A pastor in New York State writing to the Examiner says: "I find

be informed, not by agents, but by their own pastors, of these great causes that are calling for their money. My church did not give a cent last year 'Courage and Enthusiasm. for the State Convention, because I did not tell them inything about it! Churches after all, are not stingy, but pastors are responsible for not telling the people for what purpose their money is needed. It is true that churches, for the most part, are willing to contribute when the facts are properly put before them. So we have proved in our experience as well as learned by observation. Let no much as possible. pastor neglect his duty in regard to the Home

- THE N. B. RAILROAD .- On Tuesday the N. 3. R. R. from Gibson (opposite Fredericton) to The truth is, organizations—whatever the name | Fort Fairfield in Maine, was formally opened. A train of cars containing a large number of gentlemen, invited by the company, went over the road The company certainly deserve great credit. With out any outside aid they have built the road so far, and are still pushing on. They have shown what New Brunswick enterprise can do, and have dis- eminent medical men have opposed the use of al proved the oft made assertion that Provincialists | cohol as injurious to the healthy human system. lack go-aheaditivenesss.

> On Monday last, a boy twelve years old, was in | ed to the Total Abstinence pledge. the dock in the Police Court of this City, having been found drunk on the street on Sunday. the work of rum and death goes on.

-Renewals for 1876 .- During this month we heir renewals for 1876. It will gratify us much and help us a great deal if the renewals are prompt-

#### For the Intelligencer. THE HEAVENLY MANSIONS.

ah! how soon the dark storm of adversity sweeps "solid" and influential men of the community. we are led to exclaim-

Who, who would live alway? I ask not to stay Rises dark o'er the way.

The missionary who leaves his native land and all dition. Different Temperance organizations have the tender and hallowed associations of home and existed in the town, and each in its turn has done friends, and goes to distant lands to labor among some good. We are glad to see that the pastors the dark and benighted heathen, does he not, amid of some of the churches are now taking the matter the toil and privations of missionary life, discour- in hand. From the Sentinel we learn that the pasaged, fainting, weary, sometimes catch, by an eye | tors of the Baptist, Free Baptist and Methodist of faith, a glimpse of those Heavenly mansions, churches have formed an organization to be called and feel encouraged to labor on until he shall hear | "The Woodstock Temperance Christian Alliance." the voice of the beloved Master bidding him, It is intended, for the present, to hold monthly to see that many of the brethren are complying Rev. J. R. Shaw,.....

Unconverted friend, do you not want a title to hose mansions in the skies?

"In my Father's house above, There is one for thee.' Fellow Christian, take courage. The best of the

Only just across the river Over on the other side, Where the angels are in waiting, And the pure in heart abide Where there is no pain or sorrow To intrude our heavenly rest. Only just across the rive tand the mansions of the blest."

[Special Corespondence of the Intelligencer.] nim. It requires a heavenly father as well as THE EVANGELISTS IN PHILADELPHIA THE PREPARATIONS MADE FOR THEM. Immense Attendance at the Meetings.

A GREAT AWAKENING ANTICIPATED. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 22, 1875. MR. EDITOR-A few weeks ago it was decided ispose of the Christian Visitor to Rev. Mr. Arm- to invite the two evangelists, Messrs. Moody and strong of Nova Scotia, and that the latter gentle- Sankey, to visit this city, and a committee was ap- the Woman's Crusade movement had reached Calmittee secured the old Pennsylvania R. R. Com- been very effective. The plan of the ladies has pany's freight depot, Thirteenth and Market been to go out on Sunday after church service in streets, which is 373 feet long and 250 feet wide. 12,000. Besides this, there are three large "en- peals. The landlords have so far been very civil, quiry rooms," and running round three sides of and as to the sailors, the following stories are told

the building there is a vestibule 33 feet wide.

hardly be expected that the large audience room | them both protection and courtesy. would be filled under such circumstances, but be-- We have received No. 2 of the Semi-Annual fore 8 o'clock the whole building was densely "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life, and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life, but the -Prof. Foster delivered last Sabbath evening wrath of God abideth on him." "For God so loved

story," the audience joining heartily in the singing. At the close of this hymn Mr. Moody appear-4th chapter of John. He said they had come to trimmer by rade. My home is in Milford, in Philadelphia to help. In harvest time extra help New Hampshire. For the past two years I resided

pened at a 1 to 3, and by a 1 after 3 the place nity that gives license to creatures called men, to was filled to overflowing, and the doors were sell that which makes suicides and murderers? that what a great many of our churches need is to from side to side. It is said that upwards of 40,- tian New Brunswick? 000 persons were in and about the building at 4 o'clock. Mr. Moody's subject in the afternoon was

The meetings here thus far have certainly been success. The main talk in the city to-day is about religion, and it is thought by many that a great awakening is about to be experienced in the several churches here. All the churches and ministers of the city are in full sympathy with the novement, and are endeavoring to forward it as

## THE RUM TRAFFIC. SOME PROGRESS IN REFORM.

grant no Rum Licenses in that County.

Yet the Work of Death Goes On. FACTS ENCOURAGING AND FACTS STARTLING -The Albert County Sessions recently voted to

-A series of temperance meetings have recently been held in Edinburgh and Glasgow, at which

-Much good has been done by the Sunday after-- Not long ago, several boys were before the noon temperance meetings held in Moncton. Since Police Magistrate in Fredericton, charged with the meetings were commenced, about the first of June last, over four hundred names have been sign- kers, Universalists, and others, are all manifesting

-The ladies of Yarmouth town have formed a society called the Ladies' Temperance Mission Society, in which it is proposed, by prayer and every other means in their power, to forward the xpect to hear from our subscribers and receive Temperance Reform. God bless them in their undertaking. The people of other places may well imitate their example.

-On Friday evening a young man, said to belong to Chatham, attempted to commit suicide in the Royal Hotel in this city. He inflicted an ugly "In my Father's house are many mansions. I gash in his throat with a pocket-knife, but forgo to prepare a place for you." How cheering the tunately was prevented from completing his suiperity is shining upon us, and our days are all was partially crazed. Yet what is called "good expected. bright and joyous, we may for a moment indulge society," and some men called "pious," countenthe thought that we would live always here. ance liquor drinking. Rumselling is a most res-Everything appears so bright and beautiful. But pectable business, and the rumsellers are the

make men good and happy, but to destroy their largely to predominate. prospects in this life and then send them to perour dearest and most cherished ones have been addresses and music, and at which a pledge will

-An extraordinary movement is now going on in Ireland to secure the closing of the liquor shops nearly 8,000 signatures, has been presented to Parlautent, asking for the requisite legislation. Among the supporters of the movement are the

-Some time ago we chronicled the fact that bands of five or six, to the streets where the Workmen were at once put upon the building sailors' resorts abound, and entering the saloons to upancy. The main audience room will seat about tian hymn, followed by addresses and personal apby a correspondent: "It is touching to see the The cost of all these preparations will be \$20,- | tears in their eyes while they say, 'I've been to sea 000, which sum is made up by the free contribu- for many years, and never been spoken to by a tions of those who are in sympathy with the move- lady like this before;' or, as one did lately, 'Well, I should like to have a picture of this place as it Messrs. Moody and Sankey arrived in this city is, with you all sitting down and talking with us on Saturday, and according to announcement the poor sailors.' Another remarked, 'This is a queer first meeting was held yesterday morning at 8 place to come and talk religion in. I wonder o'clock. Early in the morning the rain commenced you're not attaid to come-afraid of being insultto fall, and an hour before the meeting it was pour- ed." This work of philanthropy is under the ing, and continued nearly all the forenoon. It could direction of ladies whose social position secures evidence that we still had the presence of the sa's country in Africa.

is the rum-made murderer's accomplice. A hus- interesting; our Sabbath School is growing in hand in Brooklyn, not many days ago, murdered numbers and in influence; and we are waiting, we his wife. The story of the crime is the old story, think with faith, the coming of a gracious revival so eften told and so often unheeded-rum did it! of the work of God. I feel at home here. The It is stated that the murderer had to nerve himself | brethren are very kind. I shall not soon forget for the deed with whiskey, and then solace himself the repeated acts of kindness shown me by the Rev. Ephraim Therun, recently a Catholic priest, after it with whiskey, all duly licensed by the civil church and individuals, since I have been with has joined the Protestant Episcopal Church in authorities. As the liquor was being poured out, them. I hope that, what cannot be repaid by the Indiana as a Deacon, his ordination being recog-"Fill it up," he said to the liquor dealer, and then servant, the Master will supply in providential nized. drank his half bill, adding, "Do you see that?" care, and the incomes of his grace and love. Most In selecting his choir for the revival service in pointing to his revolver, "I am after shooting my earnestly we request an interest in the prayers of Brooklyn, Mr. Sankey would have no singer who wife with it.? In a few minutes the wife was a our brethren. the first of a series of Sunday evening Temperance the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that corpse. That liquor dealer was an accomplice, November 26, 1875. At 8 o'clock the choir sang "I love to tell the are bad enough for murder unless they first fill

the little that presents itself. "Very few"-says —One Pastor.—The Baptists of Florida cannot power of Jesus' name." Mr. Sankey took his place half ounce of laudanum. After he had received tion of an hour, but as the glorious aggregate of a you that my church is the only one in the State Mr. Moody read a part of the 4th chapter of John. wretched man from the effects of his rash act. lifetime of faithful service. If one cannot lead in that supports a pastor, and my support is not what His utterance is sharp and very rapid, and his Now for his story. As told to a reporter of a

## REVIVAL NOTES.

- The Revival meetings conducted by the Universalists of Brooklyn, are being continued. The recults are said to be satisfactory. We would like to know what the preachers teil the people.

- In St. Catherines, Ontario, revival services are in progress among the various denominations and much good is resulting.

-Mrs. Van Cott (Methodist), has been holding fred persons have professed religion. She is now conducting meetings in New Burgh, N. Y.

- In Brocklyn, the work of revival goes forward with great power in all the churches. Since Mr. Moody's departure, Mr. Needham has been leading some of the evangelistic meetings. In Mr. Beecher's Church, meetings are held every evening.

evangelists, the churches have gone earnestly to work. They seem to be waking up; and, without doubt, a great deal of good will result. The impulse does not seem confined to a single church or denomination. Baptists, Congregationalists, Quaeep and renewed religious effort.

- The eminent christian Quakeress, Miss Sarah Smiley, is preaching and giving Bible readings daily in the Warren Avenue Baptist Church, Bos- Rev. N. L Price, . . . . . ton, and much good is resulting.

- Henry Varley, the English evangelist, i having much success in his labors in England. The power and blessing of God attend his ministry, and many souls are converted.

- In New York City, there is a very general and deep interest in religion. It is reported, that in many of the Churches, special meetings are being Rev. J. McLeod, ... hought that we are not always to live in this cidal undertaking. The rash act is accounted for held, and souls are being saved. A glorious reworld of sin and sorrow. When the sun of pros- by the fact that he had been drinking heavily and tormation, that will affect all classes of society is Rev. Wm. Kinghorn,...

- The Quakers are working earnestly in revival | Rev. Thos. Connor, ... in many places. In New York the work among them becomes more and more interesting, and is gradually permeating that excellent body of -Woodstock has several rumshops, In fact Christians with new spiritual life. A large and hey are to be found in almost every nook and interesting meeting has just closed in Philadelphia, corner of the town. It is not their business to in which the spiritual, progressive Friends seemed

## DENOMINATIONAL

ST. JOHN.—We learn, that eight more converts were baptized last Sunday by Bro. Parsons. -We are glad to learn that Bro. Colpitts is some better than at the last report. He is still very Rev. S. H. Weyman, ..

WOODSTOCK .- Dear Brother McLeod: I am glad Temperance meetings alternately in the three with your request, and are giving us from time to When death has entered our home circle, and churches named, at which meetings there will be time short and interesting accounts of their labors. Licentiate Gorham, ... It is evident, however, that reports are given suddenly taken from our embrace, and we have be presented for signature, binding the signers to much more cheerfully when we are seeing results Rev. E. B. Gray, ..... been almost overwhelmed with grief, have we not abstain from the use of intoxicating drinks as a of our labor in revival interest, than when we are Rev. J. G. McKenzie, heard the voice of that ever abiding Friend, say- beverage, and to assist in every legitimate way in working hard with no apparent success. Perhaps ing, in tones so loving and tender, "Let not your preventing the importation, manufacture, sale or we all consider it humiliating to display before the Rev. J. T. Parsons, ... heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid," etc. use thereof." We hope a great deal of good may public our meanest dress, our weakest effort, or our Rev. G. A. Hartley,... lack of success, in whatever calling we are engag- Rev. R. French, . . . . ed. In our work, God only can give success, and Rev. A. Kinney, ..... North Head, Gr. Manan. we ought to be satisfied to do the little that is as- Rev. T. Vanwart,.... signed to us, and do it well, whether it be the work Rev. Wm. Brown, .... Whitehead, Gr. Manan. on Sunday. A memorial of over 200 pages, with of the sower, the reaper or the gleaner, whether we face the blank ground carrying the seed basket, takes in the above, for the most of the informascattering the seed in hope, awaiting patiently the tion we had to find out as best we could. If the effect of the sunshine, the dew, and the rain from brethren will notify us, we will cheerfully make Archbishop of Dublin and three Episcopal Bishops, heaven, shouting the harvest home as we gather in whatever corrections are required. If any who the golden sheaves, or gleaning unnoticed or un-Primitive Methodist Conference, the Secretary of thought of the scattering spears which would otherthe Wesleyan Conference, and over 2,000 other wise be trampled under foot of man, and destroyclergy. The bill has the support in Parliament of ed by the vicious influence surrounding them. It the entire Irish delegation, and is likely to fail is a question which department of labor demands only from the opposition of English members; and the strongest faith, or the greatest diligence. After it is stated by its advocates to be sustained by all, much depends upon the soil, for we all find nearly the entire body of the people in Ireland, ex- stony hearts, stubborn wills, worldly minds, lustcepting only the liquor-dealers. In three dioceses ful dispositions to contend with, which often renthe shops have been closed on Sunday without act | der our best efforts abortive, and which, if we are of Parliament, owing to the united efforts of the not watchful and prayerful, will lead us to doubt dollars a year, in bringing converts from Europe. and despondency.

This world will never be conquered by " teeble minds," we all need to be "great hearts." But is country. it not a fact 'that there is, after all, comparatively little to discourage the christian worker of to-day when we contrast the present with the past? There is rather everything to encourage. God is evidently marching on with rapid strides toward the to fit it up, and on Friday last it was ready for oc- sing, with the permission of the landlords, a Chris- final conquest of the world, and very soon the time will come, when they that sow, and they that reap, will rejoice together.

Revival intelligence which reaches us every day from various parts is cheering indeed. I wish I could add to the good cheer already given, by re- Bible have been circulated in the last three months, Farman, Marian Douglas, and Holme Maxwe porting an ingathering of souls; but this pleasing and 1,495 of them were sold in eighteen different together with a double paged one, "Silver Lo task is denied me for the present.

This is the beginning of my third year with the church in Woodstock. The first year the Lord library a copy of the Gospel of Luke in Japanese, B. Bartlett, the musical pages by Dr. Tourjee, and gave us a precious season of revival. During the printed at Yokohama. past year the revival interest has been small, though Master. At present the Lord seems to be quickening His people. Our Sabbath congregations are -Rum makes men murderers. The rumseller quite large, and the prayer-meetings increasingly

the murderous potion to any comer. Few men to the Fulton Street Prayer Meeting for prayers daughter of Queen Victoria, is a lay preacher. He they got to land. Meantime the schooner parted in their behalf. Messrs. Moody and Sankey and often preaches in public halls and school-houses, her chains and was carried by the gale up the the band of Christian workers surrounding them, -Just one man. A man went into a drug have been besieged with requests for prayer, from ed and gave out the 101st hymn, "All hail the store in his day Saturday evening, and bought a churches all over the Continent. Following these a contemporary—" are called to do a great amount expect to live long unless they do differently, that at the organ, the choir and the audience joined in it he turned is back to the clerk and deliberately requests, and in answer to the prayers offered, singing this hymn to the grand old familiar tune, swallowed the whole of it. The proprietor of the great and gracious revivals have been experienced. Coronation," and at the close of this hymn the store, seeing what had been done, at once com Believing that the fervent prayers of the faithful and the 'much fruit' required of 'every branch' of his church papers thus:—"We have about 10, Rev. Dr. Newton offered prayer. Several other pelled the nan to take an emetic, which after Christians who read the Intelligences, are as may well be understood, not as the sudden fruimay well be understood, not as ers offered in Fulton Street, and by the Christian workers in Brooklyn, the following request is

The Pastor of the Fredericton Free Baptist | ians to the Lord's table. \* About ten weeks ago I went on the "spree," and I the church to which he ministers, an interest in dented in power and extent, and while praying but at least one prayer that God will baptize the tian duty is because of the coldness of their love, is written or let it alone." Of course we 'took whom all blessings flow," and were dismissed with "Rum has done it all"—brought an intelligent holy of the coldness of their love, has there been success in numbers, but also in body of Humphreys was found in the vessel's babin, young man to poverty and despair, and made of many who bear the name of Christ has waxed Christian character and development,

o'clock, yet as early as 2 o'clock people commenced is his place, and what his responsibility in the precious souls are being lost. Pray that the preachto assemble about the building. The doors were tragedy? What about the "Christian" commu-Spirit: that professing Christians be awakened and closed. The crowd outside continued to increase How long, O Lord, how long shall this work of made earnestly active in the service of Jesus; that until the streets in every direction were packed hell continue to have the sanction of law in Christhe hearts of sinners be so deeply troubled that they may be persuaded to seek Christ. We are The sum of \$65,000 having been raised to erect longing for a great quickening of the church, and a monument of himself, he used the money to a great harvest of souls. And because we know that the Lord hears prayers, we send forth this request; and we send it forth praying that the Lord will incline His people to comply with it.

# MINISTERS AND CHURCHES.

ters and the churches they are serving, as far as employed with advantage and economy in privat we have been able to ascertain. We regret that houses and for lighting furnaces. neetings in Yonkers, N. Y., and about one hun- we have not fuller information in this respect to The late eccentric Marquis of Waterford offered lay before the churches, but the ministers, with railway company £5,000 if they would allow him very few exceptions, have failed to reply to the to witness the exciting spectacle of two engines request made several weeks ago. Of those given dashing into one another at full speed from oppo below seventeen, more than one half, did not re- site directions on the same line; but the compan port, and we were compelled to find out their could not see the matter in a sporting light, and whereabouts as best we could. We would give the offer was respectfully declined. the names of others, but we are not informed . Mrs. General Sherman says the famous diamon either by themselves or from other sources of their which were presented by the Khedive of Egy - In Boston, not waiting for the much sought engagements for the year.

FIRST DISTRICT. Society to care for all the Rev. S. E. Currie, .... Churches in the 1st District not otherwise pro SECOND DISTRICT. Rev. J. Noble, .... Tracey's Mills. Victoria Corner. Rev. J. Perry,.... Lower Brighton. Hartland. Upper Brighton, Rev. G. W. McDonald, Woodstock. Rev. G. T. Hartley, .... Upper Woodstock.

Licentiate DeWier, .... Upper Southampton. Mouth Keswick, Douglas Rev. J. E. Reud ... Hall, Lower Queenst Bear Island 1st and 2nd Nashwaak Fredericton. Has no permanent some other places. We have heard that he is about engaging with the Caverhill Church. FOURTH DISTRICT. Rev. J. Gunter ...

(Tracey Station, Fredericton Junction and South Branch Oromocto, Upper Gagetowa, Licentiate Bubar, ... Upper Hampstead. Rev. R. French, ..... Rev. A. Taylor, .... Hampstead.

Penobsquis, Roachville, Rev. C. T. Phillips, Cornhill, Portage, Petittown, Graves' Settlement. tain, Dover. Norton and some other places we do not know.

It is just possible that there may be some mis-

THINGS IN SHORT METRE [BY PEN AND SCISSORS.]

Newman Hall's tract, entitled "Come to Jesus," has been translated into the Hawaiian language. The Mormons spend two hundred thousand An invitation has been sent to Moody and Sankey from missionaries in India, to visit that

The requests for prayer sent to Mr. Moody's neetings in Brooklyn, have become so numerous that they cannot be read singly, but only describ-

A lady in Philadelphia has taught the infant class in a Sabbath School for forty years, and has Maxwell, besides two or three bright and go only been absent from it two Sabbaths in all that

An unknown donor has made an offer of £10,000 num. a few were converted, and we were not without sterling, for the establishment of a missionary some blessing in our regular meetings, giving us society to conduct missionary work in King Mete-

Yang-Hok Ching-to-Mi is the title of a Chinese Young Men's Christian Association in San Francisco, with a membership of 250. The total Liabilities of insolvents in the United States during the last nine months is stated at

\$131,000,000. One third was in New York

G. W. McDonald. | was not a Christian. Christ in the heart, as well

and the poor people hear him gladly.

refuse to grant it. among the freedman in the Southern States.

New Jersey, called the "United Methodists," takes bound to Philadelphia with a cargo of laths, &c. the Bible for its creed and discipiline, believes, in immersion, and welcomes all orthodox Christ- The crew, with the exception of the cook, a young

less than five couples belonging to two families was no one on board to do it. When the storm were married at the residence of Mr. Nelson Simm- was no one on was no one of was no o ons, by the Rev. F. M. Finn, Methodist Episcopal

the exception of two disputed points.

A new translation of the Bible, by Mrs. Julia E Smith, of Glastenbury, Ct., is to be published by Hartford firm. Miss Smith is said to be the first person who ever made a complete translation criptures without aid.

The Viceroy of Egypt has more regard for the cause of education than he has personal vanity found a public school at Alexandria, thus securin a monument more enduring than brass.

Corn cobs are extensively used in Europe for the lighters. They are at first steeped in hot water containing 2 per cent. of saltpetre, and after being dried at a light temperature, are saturated with 50 per cent. of resinous matter. These lighters As promised, we herewith furnish a list of minis- which are sold at from \$3 to \$4 a thousand, ar

to her daughter, Mrs. Fitch, are still in the Custo House in New York, as it would be altogether to dangerous to remove them while burglars as (Has been sent by the H. M. still probably on the lookout, for them; but the after awhile, when they have been forgotten, the may be safely removed.

An expert in fine penmanship recently manage to write several thousand words on a postal card and the smart country postmaster where it was mailed, thinking this altogether too much writing to be carried around the country for one cent, sen it to the dead-letter office. It was returned win the decision, that it makes go difference how muc a man writes, if he only gets it all on one side the card.

Several years age there was a fashion amor Paris suiciders of jumping from high places, an that mode of self-destruction seems likely to be come popular in this country. Not long ago young man threw himself from the Washingto monument in Baltimore. A few days afterward gagements, but visits peri- woman leaped from a church steeple in New O odically Kingsley and leans. And now a religious maniac has used the Chicago water-works tower for a similar purpos The Jewish World, of London, says that a socie

ty has been formed for the purpose of opening a mercial relations with Abyssinia especial with the kingdom of Sohoa. For many centuri a large number of Jews have been settled in th country, and, from the tenth to the thirteen centuries, it was governed by Jewish kings. T present number of Jews is said to be 200,000, b up to this day only some incoherent intelligenconcerning this most interesting Jewish body he come to our knowledge.

According to London Engineers, a week's we in Birming ham comprises among its various result the manufacture of 14,000,000 pens, 6,000 bed ment, Lower Ridge, New- steads, 7,000 guns, 300,000,000 cut nails, 100,000 000 buttons, 1,000 saddles, 5,000,000 copper bronze coins, 20,000 pair of spectacles, six tons of papier-mache wares, £30,000 worth of jewelry, 4 North River Platform, | 000 miles of iron and steel wire, 10 tons of pins, Lewis Mountain, Wheatons hair-pins and hooks and eyes, 180,000 gre of wood screws, 500 tons of nut and screw bol and spikes, 50 tons of wrought-iron hinges, 3 miles length of wax for vestas (wax matches,) tons of refined metal, 40 tons of German silver, 1 dozen of fenders, 3,500 bellows, 800 tons of bra and copper wares, these, with a multitude of other articles, which are exported to almost all parts

WHO SENT IT ?- We have not yet received a reply to the question of last week about the letter we received containing money but no name. the sender wishes to be credited with the amount he will have to let us know his name.

The many friends of Rev. J. L. Phillip will be glad to learn that his health is steadil

Will our friends make one earnest effort to ach secure at least one new subscriber to the

To CORRESPONDENTS .- Robert Vince: Thank fayors. Will write soon, The Mother's Magazine for December is re

ived. The present number completes Vol. 43. WIDE AWAKE for December is ready. It is da ling with pictures, and displays a tempting tab contents. Besides the serial of child-Young Rick," there are six good stories: "Kim's Lest Whipping," "Tim's Partner," "Sie's Thanksgiving," "The Birds' Harvest," "G of the Frying Pan," and "Five Pounds of Cinn non," by Sophie May, Amanda M. Douglas, M. Farman, Mrs. J. D. Chaplin, M. Quad, and Ho papers, "Birds' Nest Soup," by Ella Roo Church, and "Franklin's Courtships and Marriag by Rev. J. Chaplin, and "The Bears of Bern In Uruguay, South America, 1,460 copies of the by C. G. T. There are poems by Joel Benton, Mis and the Bears," by Chra Doty Bates, with six cap tal illustrations by Mrs. Finley. "Parlor P The American Bible Society has received for its times," by the popular "Amusement Man," Georg the editorial departments, are unusually good th month. D. LOTHROP & Co., BOSTON. \$2.00 per an

ST. JOHN, N. B., DECEMBER 3, 1875.

NEW BRUNSWIC'K-On Surday night about 1 'clock a severe gale sprung up from the South West, and an hour or two later snow began to fall heavily. The storm was very heavy while it last ed, and quite serious damage was done to a por tion of the shipping in the harbor .... The Free man gives the following account of the damage One life was lost. The schr. "Acadia," coal lade which had come into port during the day and was anchored near the Beacon Bar, was struck on the stern by the barque "Brother's Price," and badl injured. The crew took to their boat, which was seriously injured, and with great difficulty succeed harbor, finally sinking just as she came opposite the The Boston Jews have been petitioning that their | South Wharf. She now lies upright with her topchildren may be excused from attending school masts out of water, in an apparently easy position exercises on Saturdays, but the School Committee | The schr. "Wm. Wallace" drove ashore at the Ballast wharf and was consderably damaged. Sh The American and Foreign Bible Society are ap- | was yesterday towed into the Market Slip. Several pointing Bible-readings, colporteurs and distribu- other small vessels felt the severity of the gale, but tors for the Island of San Domingo, in Mexico, and the damage done to them was not very great. The most serious disaster was that which happened to The new branch of Methodism, recently started in the schooner "Emma." The vessel, which was was anchored at the buoys off the Long Wharf. man named Henry Humphreys, had gone ashor A wholesale wedding took place at Meyersburgh, storm from returning, so that when the need came during the evening, and were prevented by the in the township of Seymore, week before last. No for something to be done to save the vessel the moored to the buoys broke, and she was carri Five years have already been devoted to the causing her to capsize when the tide fell, and poor menced, and about noon she was towed to the end A Striking Fact. Forty years ago there were of the Long Wharf where she now lies. The eighteen converts to Christianity in Burmah, and Emma is owned by Samuel Dunham and Wm. In-

and was conveyed to the Dead House. Deceased

inquest and a ver returned.... A. of forgery was fou the first indicimen dictment of the Si day morning Mich and it is feared the at the time of this ties are Italians. Dock street, and fo in his employ, un into the shop, and pute about a breast Bellony had, but w In the wordy disp drawing a knife, one wound cutting fled, Lut was soon .... The Woodstock is prevailing to a la and Madawaska Co and in many cases tween two colored as building, on Saturd named was badly that James Barr wh the hospital, and ha fects of the accident walk about, tell in one of the rooms, an dition. The head pieces of bone were considered doubtful of the Jewett estat McLeod, Esq., was A. Schofield, represe swick, Thomas McL British North Ameri Manager of the Bar pointed inspectors.

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H. Cumberland, for a verdict of " not gu POINT DU CHENE, remely cold here. T a general cargo, for to-day, after three cleared with great d way through half Charlottetown state the ice is making harbor is also closed. Nova Scotta.-Th by vote of the ratepa lish a municipality.

fined \$40 for robbing

Cathedral, Halifax ...

Hamilton, at Brookfie

with 20 tons of hay ...

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Mr. James Logan, at . ed by fire a few ni Halifax struck another mer on Thursday of la less .... The trial of M tling the "Cordelia," jury after a short about guilty, much to the su 202 licensed liquor and well, was found or night of last week .... that Pictou has a wom name is Mrs. Jane St known as "big Jean," Parish of Clyne, Suth youngest child is now spin as well as a young died 17 years ago was was almost as old . . . A on Friday to the Halifa several men were cross Lake, two miles from nacht, broke through. able to render him a drowned. He leaves ---John Quinlan, a w lifax, fell from his car horse fell on him and He leaves a wife and Devereaux, of Cape Carthy, of Ireland, wer dory off the Grand smart women in Nov spatch to the Yarmo tame moose six month ing from a place called distant. They are th different periods, unaid Jane Williams, who w tree for safety by the arrived. Mr. Downs Halifax, is here to take

route for Europe.".... fire to a can of powder and the girl and a your ed.... A despatch to ley is out for Guysboro the new Attorney Gen sidered good. The co important one, as the serious blow to the Loc GENERAL-Advices the lumber trade appea The Ottawa lumberme rise in prices. It is rise is. Advices from that is next to impossi So the Globe says..... has enacted a law whi will plant trees and ma a deduction from his t

planted .... The annu

gloves in France is es dozens of pairs of fire average price being t There are 90,000 perso ry. ... Dr. Walker, of Boston, says that two rapid increase of insa patients to crowd all their utmost capacity. 66 of 104 scholars have term .... The Lewisto Calvin Bumpus of Liv miles from home and and does the chores of that Mrs. George Robin from Eastport, since Fr and was washed away years of age .... A you win, forged a cheque in ell, for \$2,600, and got Bank. The prisonsr, w was betrothed to a m who is in terrible distr her lover. A clerk of on a charge of complic all knowledge of it. giving more trouble A band of Texas State and engaged in comba cans. Four Mexicans cause of this was the di red and fifty stol en cat thieves. . . . Grasshoppe

ance in alarming numb of South Australia.... ed \$150,000 on his dear give him an emetic t trade returns of the I year show that the total and the value of the total value of goods was \$119,618, 675. T 311,382. The imports \$10,230,633, and the e ports by Nova Scotia and the exports \$9,979 duction in the export

than that in the impo