TEMPERANCE NOTES.

-The Fredericton Cold Water Army is getting

along finely. The membership is increasing at

every meeting. At the meeting last Saturday

by-and-bye. Success to this and every movement

-For the benefits of license as opposed to pro-

-Some people see the business of liquor-making

and selling in its true light. The following inci-

dent related by the Temperance Advocate turnishes

a gratifying indication of the spread of light. A

with commendation, an incident of recent date in

a town of that State, wherein a young man, who

s a distiller and wealthy, asked of a young lady

the liberty to visit her with a view to marriage.

Her reply was; "No, sir; I can never accept the

visits of a gentleman engaged in the business that

you are engaged in. I have nothing else against

you, but that is enough." If all women would

thus emphatically pronounce their verdict of dis-

approval against the infamous business, the day of

made the appointment.

seat of Christ, as one reason why I am lost.'

- In Switzerland even the Total Abstinence

-Prohibition does prohibit, all denials of in-

rrespondent of a Tennessee paper mentions,

to save the young from the destroyer.

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REV. J. L. PHILLIPS.

Our readers all will be glad to learn that the health of Rev. J. L. Phillips, Foreign Missionary of hopes during his stay in America to rapidly recruit, so that on his return to his chosen field of inst., he says :- " I am feeling so much better that I hope to attend your October meetings."....The brethren are all looking forward to his being with us then. May the Lord speedily restore him to his old health and vigor.

THE PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

the various matters in connection with the question of Prohibition, and to come to a definite conclusion as to the means most calculated to further promote the object so greatly desired. The Convention has been suggested by a joint committee of the Senate and House of Commons, the com mittee having issued a call in which is set forth the action already taken by Parliament, and the reasons why a Convention, in which every part of the Dominion shall be represented, is thought ne cessary now. The committee very properly calls attention to the fact that the consideration extended by the House of Commons on several occasions to those favorable to the Prohibitory Liquor Law, distinctly shows that though it is possible immediate legislation may not be granted, yet the sympathy of the House is decidedly with the moveto be appointed to visit the United States, to report | and the genuine. upon the operation of Prohibitory Liquor Lawsabolished the sale of liquor within the precincts House of Commons, and on the 31st March last of 25 to 17.

all the temperance organizations the executive of Haight, Higbee, and Klingen Smith were plotting and such others as may in any way either occupy or be elected in a representative capacity, shall constitute the Convention.

ledge of the question entitle their opinions to considerable weight.

It is scarcely possible to over-estimate the impor- and the jury were unable to agree. It is reported tance of the Convention. Every part of the Do- that they stood nine for acquittal, and three for minion should be represented by the wisest and conviction; one Gentile and two Mormons for conmost influential men. Upon the decision of the viction. meeting will very greatly depend the success of further agitation in favour of prohibition. The future action of Parliament when the question is action resolved upon by the Convention. Friends of temperance and prohibition all over the land rally of men, full of zeal and wisdom, and that

ROMANISM IN THE ESTABLISHED

CHURCH Mr. Gladstone has done good service as against the audacious assumptions of authority by the Pope and his missions, for which the Protestant Mayor Stokley, Chief of Police Jones, and several world will be always grateful. But he is evidently mistaken in his expressed estimate of the number and strength of the Romanizers in the ranks of the clergy of the Established Church. A West | be a home for the pastor, provided by the Church of England paper has recently let some light on or Churches. The Religious Herald urging this, matters hitherto attempted to be kept secret, by points out some of the benefits which the Church publishing what is called the "Intercession Paper," a monthly circular issued in connection with "The Confraternity of the Blessed Sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ." This publication con- of his salary, whose payment will be sure. It offers like drawing water from a deep well. In fact, the to feel a little badly about this new movement. stead of being a mere handful, form a network accepting the pastorate. Who would not prefer to rise in a vacuum to a given point, so the weight covering the whole of England, while upon the settling among a people that have provided a of duty and all the force of sympathy are impolist of "priests" there are the names of clergymen tion with the guild, and who will hardly care to

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I tainty of renting a home must be encountered?

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I that in order to get water out of a great many tanta, and thrust his hand forward, when he too was bitten. Both then screamed, who have found it politic to conceal their connecnals, with all their names attached, for the en- minister and his family. They feel a delight in it. lightenment of the respective communities in make it comfortable. It is soon adorned with vines and shrubs, and shade trees. The with vines and shrubs, and shade trees. The do if we only keep them running afterwards.

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It is not always so easy to deal. Prior to their projection they enjoyed few religious private the little boys in her arms and hastened to the little boys in her arms are little boys in he lightenment of the respective communities in aim to make it comfortable. It is soon adorned gy each day is devoted to prayers for a specific object; and amongst the objects is included prayer ject; and amongst the objects is included prayer to have in the bitter beverage can be seen anywhere, nor the corpulent image of Gambrinus sutting astride of a supposition beer kee. The tenberg, and of thirty-two other persons. The avoid some slight inconvenience, He will ponder are not easily expressed. They are only known to from some of the neighboring towns—Aurora, for prayers of the associates are desired for the con- well his steps before he abandons an abode sur- him who learns by expressed. They tinual progress of the knowledge of eucharistic trath and ritual, and their vindication in the

men are numerous, influential, resolute in spirit, The RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCER is published weekly, at unscrupulous; and it is their determination to the Office of Messrs. Barnes & Co., 58 Prince William | carry England back from the Protestantism which | they loathe to the superstitions and the despotism

EDITORIAL NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Bill introduced by Mr. Solomon for the abolition of to me is all fresh. the ecclesiastical establishment has been passed by the Cape Parliament. At the first division on the the New Brunswick Free Baptist Foreign Mission | it is impossible to praise Mr. Solomon too highly. | and appointed time, and there to meet our dear Society, is improving. Long and arduous labors For years he suffered an amount of obloquy which friends waiting for us, we have little time to notice, in India have worn him down greatly, but he it is impossible for new arrivals in the colony to other than by a passing glance, the changes and the Liberation Society, at a recent meeting, adoplabor he may be fully able for the important work | ted a resolution warmly congratulating Mr. Solothere to be done.... He is now resting in Pascoag, mon on the issue of his able and persevering labors, various proportions, reminding one of the prim-Rhode Island. In a note from there on the 5th and expressing the hope that it will stimulate to fresh exertions the advocates of religious equality in the colonies which have not yet adopted the pocy of disestablishment.

- CHRISTIAN WORK .- The members of Mr. Moo dy's Chicago church are much like himself, great workers. They all find something to do. Then, besides, it is said that six Bible workers are constantly employed by it who go from house to house There is to be held in Montreal, on the 15th Sep- expounding the Scriptures, so as to direct all to tember, a Convention of the friends of Temper- Jesus Christ as the great Saviour of mankind. ance and Prohibition, to take into consideration | The men employed visit saloons, and are much encouraged. This is a good work.

> another band of converts was baptized, and one of lover of nature, the "sublime and the beautiful," these was the fruits of the departed brother's half- it bears the deep impress of the handiwork of God. day ministry. "In the morning sow the seed, and in the evening withhold not thy hand."

ment. As proof the House readily agreed on two Bank of British North America in circulation. ton, and thence to Victoria Corner, C. Co., where separate occasions to the appointment of commit- They are said to be well executed, requiring close I renewed old acquaintances and formed a num-

- THE MOUNTAIN MEADOW MASSACRE.-The of the House, and passed a Prohibitory Liquor trial in this case is proceeding slowly. Brigham twenty four. I called also to see father Gunter, Law for the Northwest territories. The Senate Young has been called as a witness, but at latest city but in other places—the persons to whom is with Brother Carpenter and family. Bro. C. was has taken even more advanced ground than the advices was said to be too sick to attend. He feet firmly pressing the rock. The innovatious, ought to be sick. The defence has begun. An affirmed the principle of Prohibition on a division | exchange says the plea in defence is that the emigrants, by their own misconduct at Corn Creek, the hospitality of a number of the friends, making It is pointed out, also, that while these favour- so enraged the Indians that they sent runners able indications are very encouraging there are ahead, gathering help from other tribes, till at the several matters on which differences of opinion | Meadow they numbered 400 or 500; that the may exist, and that it is desirable to take some | whites did sell supplies to the emigrants and treatsteps by which differences may be reconciled and ed them well; that Lee held no military or church the whole temperance force of the country be office, but was simply a farmer to the Indians; united on one common basis..... In order that the | that on the grounds he tried to protect the emimeeting may possess as much weight and influence grants, and wept when the massacre was proas possible it is designed that members of both | posed; that not Lee, but William Rotement, went Houses of the Dominion Parliament, and members | with the flag of truce, and Lee went to the corral. of the Local Legislatures of all the Provinces, and stayed there two hours, believing the treaty together with the clergy of all denominations, bona fide; that while in the emigrants' corral, through fear of death at the hands of the indians, who threatened that if they did not help to kill the emigrants, they would kill them. The idea of It is also intended to invite Gov. Dingley, of Bishop Lee, weeping over the proposed slaughter Maine, and other distinguished men, whose know- will be received in many quarters with broad

Later reports say that the trial is concluded,

an ex-Roman Catholic priest, having some months ago renounced the Church. One evening last week he lectured in Philadelphia, the scene of his labors while a priest. He had an audience of about wickedness of many of the Romish priests, por. to impart the deep things of science and morality my coffin; for I wish to offer it at the Judgment should resolve to make the meeting a success, truly traying the system of the priesthood as corrupt. to his countrymen and to the world. country. As no official circulars are to be address- The methods of the chief of the Church in getting ing and dangerous to the best interests of society. ed to different religious and temperance organiza- and appropriating money, and their habits of detions asking for the appointment of delegates, bauchery, without fear or favor. He declared that these organizations should at once make ready to the charge of embezzling funds made against him be represented. We hope there may be a grand at the time of his refusal to observe the usages of the Church were trumped up for the occasion, and were utterly groundless, and that he had been secretly offered \$10,000 if he would return to his allegiance to the Church authorities. During the delivery of the lecture there was great excitement among Roman Catholics present. At its conclu sion Gerdemann was escorted to his carriage by policemen. A cleaver was taken from one man in the crowd, and a pistol from another.

- Parsonages .- On every circuit there should derives from the possessession of a a parsonage:

"A good parsonage will greatly assist a church

n obtaining a pastor. It will be an important part must have its weight in deciding the question of

surrounded by so many comforts. -THE BOYS AND THE "GODS."-We find reportpending suits; for the restoration of the daily eu- ed from a village near Koiapoor, India, a curious It is there we learn the sweetest songs of nature; charist throughout England, and of "the primitive result of the teaching of the second commandment. the very earth seems friendly and the trees welcustom of reserving the Blessed Sacrament for the The boys of the school became eager to test the come us. The boys of the school became eager to test the come us. sick and dying;" for the increase of early and fast- power of idols, whether they could defend them. score of years pass through the mind in a moment. ing communions; for over-ruling "the co-opera- selves or not. They commenced work on an idol We care not to talk; but as in the thunder-storm tion of heretics and schismatics in the revision of outside the village with no temple built over it. we love to be still. Now we are content to listen reporter that not a pauper is known to exist among Classes. No intelligent Christian will dispute the the Holy Scriptures to the manifestation of the First they pushed it over, and then they pelted it to the silent voice that through association speaks, like them; nor a person requiring any assistance from the contrary amount to a man the Master. truth;" for the rulers of the State, that they may nominate bishops favorable to "Catholic truth," ing no harm from their adventure, they proceeded to make to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment, and ere long the village to widen their experiment. and so on. We cannot say that this secret paper | awoke to the fact that a dozen or more gods in the tells us anything that we did not already know, suburbs had been broken to pieces, and even the unless it be that it has added a few names to the | chief god, Bhairoola, had been afflicted with syntong roll of Romanizing clergy already known; but it will help to confirm the accurate impression but it will help to confirm the accurate impression the school, while the teacher vainly protested that a victim of intemperance, and expelled from the rum curse. Brahmin proprietor demanded the breaking up of the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at Midland, and in the people at Midland, and in the people at Midland, and in the evening at the people at which has already been made on the minds of the he had encouraged no acts of violence, but simply we hope to impress the young with a higher idea his diocese, but now reformed, lectured at Terre they emit. Thus trained, they will best be qualigeneral public that the State supported Church, had taught the vanity of idols. The villagers of God and of the realities of life. with which the people are by law identified, and to part with the teacher of their boys. Meanwhile, which presumes to call itself National, is honey- the unharmed children form elements of teaching

combed throughout with rank Romanism. These | beyond the Brahmin's power of suppression.

A VACATION AT HOME.

There is more than one way or one place to spend a vacation, each having its advantages and bay was calm, and all anticipated a pleasant day, ration, is about as pleasant, if not as profitable, as | through the day, but before the sun had disapany other under the sun. Of course, many a ro- peared beyond the west it had about all left us, mantic young man or woman will not agree with and the great ses, stretching away out of sight, - RELIGIOUS EQUALITY .- The battle for religious equality at the Cape of Good Hope, has at | me in this statement, and I shall not stop to argue | was silent and comparatively at rest. As we left | last been crowned with victory. It was begun, the point with them, or to question their love our native land and dear brethren at home it was says an English paper, twenty years ago, and has for home, but will simply say a few things con- with the natural feeling of sadness, but withal, disbeen conducted with varying fortune till now the cerning my experience of a vacation at home, which tance to the thoughtful, only draws more tightly

LEAVING HOME AND A BIT OF WHAT I SAW. give finer music. Our mission, brethren, is one Having been voted a few weeks vacation, by the of work, not idleness; it is one, not of our own subject Mr. Solomon was followed by only some generous people to whom I minister, I determined choosing, but the choice of Him who has called us ten or twelve members. As time went on the par- to improve the opportunity and spend the time at to our work, and wherever we are may we be about ty gained strength in the country and in the Parli- home in N. B. In due time (July 5), my family and our Master's business. The rest up among the anament, till, in 1861, at the instance of his friends. I took passage on board the City of Portland, and gels will come soon enough. Mr. Solomon formulated his proposals in the Bill after a comparatively pleasant journey were in which, after fourteen years of struggle, has now sight of the old city that I formed such a love for passed both Houses of Parliament. For the spirit, when a boy, viz.: St. John. And now that we are ability, and perseverance which he has displayed auxious to reach our destination at the expected inderstand, and difficult for colonists themselves at | improvements apparent. One thing, however, present to realize. The executive committee of worthy of mention we will here notice: as we steamed up the harbor it was surprising to see the almost numberless masts and spars of vessels of eval forest. This fact, however, is not a new one, but old, and indicates the growth and commerce of the Province.

> ST. JOHN RIVER AND ITS SCENERY. doubtless the world could not contain all that access to some of the vile liquor of the dram-shops might be written. On its bosom and along its and drank enough to set them crazy drunk or

naked eye for miles can compute the number of they could reach." Very often we hear of very acres in a given field or farm, the probable pro- similar cases in Christian New Brunswick, which duct of the growing crop, and the real value of all, | is also blessed (?) with a license system. it has its variety and affords him ground for exer--Christian Labor not in vain.-It is written cise. To the mechanic, clerk, or business man your labor "shall not be in vain in the Lord." An imprisoned within the walls of a city life, and ncident recently published shows that the good longing for a single day or week of country air, seed is not sown for nought. Among the converts | it is unequalled. To the scientist, wishing to study paptized at a missionary station in Burmah about | the shrub and flower, the oak and pine, the fishes year ago was one very zealous disciple. In the and birds, the winding stream or the massive afternoon of the day on which he was baptized he grandeur of the rocks, it offers abundant facilities. went down to the river and preached to the boat- To the poet, writing a volume in a sentence, it men. On that night he was seized with a disease presents smiling banks and peaceful lakes, variewhich terminated his life in a few days. Recently gated landscapes and glowing sunsets. To the

HOW I FOUND SOME OF THE BRETHREN.

Having spent a few days with some of our near -Beware !- There are counterfeit bills of the relatives, on the Grand Lake, I went to Frederic- its abandonment would be greatly hastened. usual, hard at work, looking well, full of patience him. At Victoria Corner and vicinity I shared our home for the most part with brother Perry and family. I was greatly pleased to find brother Perry engaged in his true calling-winning souls to Christ. His eyes have not grown dim yet, nor has his natural strength or zeal abated. He is doing a great work for the Lord and for his peoole. I was also favored to see a number of other brethren and fellow laborers in that place -that beautiful and favored spot where divines are born, live and radiate. I met among the rest Christ. It was my privilege also during my stay intemperance, but who had been an earnest laborer horse and carriage-a horse, by the way, somewhat | died recently of delirium tremens. About half an | ter does not allow sound to take the place of mat- with me. I have tried to be sober, and lead a prosper him. Yours, of twelve miles to hear the speaker, and we were of our church who signed a petition for license to considerable increase of salary. We are glad to are doing what they can. abundantly repaid. May the good Lord give to be given to that traffic which has been my destroy- learn the above facts. Both the church and Bro. 3000; and the report says he "boldly exposed the him health and long spare his life to unfold and er, and place it on my breast when I am put into McDonald are to be congratulated.

KIND WORDS AND KIND DEEDS. Having ended the Sabbath's work at Lower Brighton, I was kindly received and entertained for the night by one of the leading brethren of the place, whose name I am unable to recall, but who will not soon be forgotten. One act of his especially I will here mention. After being cared for by his hospitable family, and receiving many words that gave cheer, courage and hope, I was made the recipient of-I think I am safe in saying -the last dollar in the house. This I regarded beyond the common course of things in most places, especially in places like the one mentioned, where there is abundance. The gift was doubly valuable to me. It was unexpected, cheerfully given; and on the one hand it was an expression of sympathy and love not easily estimated; while, on the other, it was a benefit objectively, that my threadbare clothing indicated as practicable. It s well to remember that kind words and beneficent acts do not cost a great deal when they are the spontaneous overflowings of a full heart; but when self reigns and the soul is shrivelled, it is to him and his family a home, and it it is neat, analogy is still more striking. As the pressure of the They ought to be ashamed of themselves. atmosphere on the water will only cause the latter tasteful dwelling for their pastor, than in a neightent to raise a man to benevolence, if self, like the Here is an instance of the benefits of prohibition. borhood where all the conveniences and uncerborhood where all the conveniences and uncerwell, is too deep. And then it is well to notice
The town of Batavia in Illinois has 3,000 inhabito lead them into that fittul, spasmodic zeal for
said he wasn't afraid, and thrust his hand forward,
Magistrate Tapley.....The City of St. John, comlittle less than if they held it in fee simple. They you would get the pure benevolence out of them this is equally so in the case of some men, i. e., it

to prayer for the repose of the souls of a priest associate, four other priests, and forty-one other persociate, four other priests, and forty-one other persociate, four other priests, and forty-one other perof God which cause the hearts of all to cleave to it as the dearest part on earth. A pastor will not | ings that come to the child, and the memories that | greatest curiosity and amazement. This spectacle for the repose of the souls of those lost in the Got- leave such a home through mere fickleness, or to cluster round us when we visit the home of youth

"Transformed the very landscape seems to be; It is the same, yet not the same to me."

"Let it be ever so humble, There's no place like home."

On Sabbath morning I endeavored to speak to __Not even the pulpit is safe from the rum curse, the people at Midland, and in the evening at The Rev. J. J. Talbot, once an Episcopal clergyman, ity to the image of Christ, just as certainly as the official at the head of the Money Order Depart. Monday I left for St. John, and Wednesday following from his address :-

wine is a mocker, and that nothing is proof against THE TRIP AND REMINISCENCE. he seductive siren. The mightiest and greatest Wednesday morning was a little foggy, and the itellects of the world are blasted by her stratagems It found me in the ranks of those who press to disadvantages. But among them all that spent at as it was thought the fog would rise in a few hours, battle for the right. I stood up nobly and freely, home, among old friends, after a period of sepa- which was realized in part. There was some fog and my soul knew no burden. But the destroyer came, clothed in the splendor of the sunlight-in

beauty that bewildered my senses and polluted my "But you ask me how this ruin was wrought. ernal delusion that moderate drinking was benecial, came the habit of drinking wine at joyous casions. I kept on; I fell; I laid aside the the tension of friendship, the vibrations of which bound will. I tell you, once put on the chain of rong drink, and you may flee to the uttermost parts of the earth, as I did, and the anger of God will follow you. I came home after years of wan- quite a number of Baptists stepped over the and the serpent of - still feasted on my quiver-

· For five days and nights I lay at the gates of hell. But He was pleased to drag me forth from the presence of the ghosts with whom I held such awful converse. I can now survey the field, and measure the losses. The prime of my life was Young Men's Christian Association hall in Lonwasted. I had a high office, and an unspotted | don. character. This demon of wine dragged me down, and a drunkard's life was mine. I had means, but afternoon there was a good attendance for the my riches fled. I had a beautiful home, but the holiday season, when many children are out of demon entered, and the light taded from its halls. town. A grand public demonstration is to be held I had beautiful children, but this monster took their dimpled hands in his, and led them to the

"I had a wife, whom to know was to love. To night she sits in misery, while I wander restless over the earth. I had a mother, whose chief pride hibition read the following. They license liquor | was my life, but the thunderbolt struck her too selling in Connecticut. A recent number of the Years of work in the cause of right may give back to these arms my loving wife. But, O! what joy Hartford Times reports that " on Tuesday there when I clasp in another world the hand of mother. were seen on a wharf in that city no fewer than six- And thus I stood, and thus I stand to-day, a hus-Much has been said and written about the pla- teen children, between the ages of four and eight band without a wife, a father without a child-all d waters of the St. John, and its scenery; but years, all drunk!" They had, it is said, obtained swallowed up in the fearful maelstrom of drink. "I stand with scarce a friend on earth! Oh drink of that bitter cup, and then ask me if I can paint in too high colors the picture of my despair banks are treasures for the richest minds. To the helplesss. "Some," it is added, "were weakly ask me it I hate the agent of my ruin! Hate it farmer, or to any lover of the soil, who with the trying to stab each other with such weapons as I hate the whole damning traffic! I would to God that every distillery in the nation were in flames. I would write on the skies, in letters black as their smoke, 'woe, woe to him that putteth the bottle to his neighbor's lips!"

DENOMINATIONAL.

some time since we pledged ourselves to report to each other through the INTELLIGENCER. I left tor who bears the name and title of the Rev home on the 24th of July, and spent the following | Phebe A. Hanaford. She was formerly pastor of the Sabbath in Kingsley, York Co., where I found the First Universalist Church in New Haven, Conn church in a healthy condition. They enjoy occa | She is apparently about forty years of age, is a sional visits from Elder Kinghorn, which are high- fluent speaker, and is said to give great attention s appreciated. Monday, the 26th, I went by train to her pastoral duties. to Welsford, where I found friends who conveyed me boto Jerusalem. The church in this latter night with Brother McKenzie, who lives in Jeru- has not yet accepted it. -Every little while facts are brought to light salem. He and his family are well. After being tees on the question,—recommended Commissions observation to detect the difference between them ber of new ones. I found brother McLeod, as ing between not a few of the policemen and the way to Long Island. Stepping down to the wharf which seem to prove that there is an understand- refreshed and rested Brother McK. sent me on my um-sellers, by which the latter are pretty well as the steamer Star was landing I had the pleasure and hope. He does not govern himself by the ten shielded from the penalties provided to be visited of meeting with Bro. Taylor, on his return from hour system, but often toils twenty hours out of upon the violators of the law. The whole police visiting the churches at the Washademoak Lake. system needs reconstruction. Not only in this Crossing the river I had the pleasure of taking tea entrusted the administration of the laws, act as kind enough to take his horse and buggy, and changes, and isms of the day -none of these move though they were in full sympathy with the grog- drive me to Shannon Settlement, which is about shop keepers. In a report of the action of the ten miles. The church in Shannon has the care of Portland Police Committee it is stated that it was | Elder French a part of his time. In this place and urged against the appointment of one Wood to the Henderson Settlement, I met a cordial reception. police force that he kept a liquor store. The ob- In them I spent a few days and held some meetection was met by the assertion that the license | ings, but because of people being engaged making was taken out in his son's name, hence the man was bay I found it difficult to labour with profit during not debarred from serving as a policeman. It was the week; so I left for home. On my way up I rot denied that he is the real proprietor of the rum | stopped at Millville where I attended one meeting. shop. Such action is a disgrace to the men who The church in this place very much needs labour: and I was sorry I could not stay with them longer. The following morning I went to Northhampton, -Here is something for some professing Chris- where I met with Bro. H. Hagerman. The day brother Colpitts, and was with bim at two services tians to read. We emphasize "professing," be- following Bro. H. drove me some twenty-five miles appearance in the marshy districts between the on the Sabbath. These services were fraught with cause we very much question the genuineness of the to North Lake. In this place God has blessed Tigris and Euphrates rivers. It is the old-fashion Brother H. to see a glorious revival, and three ed plague, which, under the name of black death, people, and God has given him a large inheritance For this treat I was chiefly indebted to the kind- the traffic as a means of protection to himself and Sacrament last Sabbath. It was a season long to be ness of brother Perry, who furnished me with his others, like himself, easily subject to temptation, remembered. The congregations were large and at tentive, and heard so as to eternally live. Last Moneccentric" in his manner. In regard to the lec- hour before he died reason returned, and he was self to study, to shew himself a workman that delphia's homlier but more substantial work. ture, it is evident to any just critic, that Mr. Fos- calm. To his pastor be said, 'you know how it is need not be ashamed. I hope that God will

CURRENT TOPICS.

ause has secured a foothold. A late Geneva paper TRAINING YOUNG CONVERTS. nentions that " the first teetotal meeting in Switzerland was held on Tuesday last in the village of ing the prst year with considerable addition to in Bristol. Mr. Taylor, it is reported, is not an midnight on Friday night. The family was dis-Souvillier, in the Bernese Jura." It was held in a their membership. Every such ingathering of "emotional" preacher, but appeals to the underschool-room, which " was well filled by a most at- precious souls into the fold of Christ lays an addi- standing and conscience. tentive audience." The speaker was a Mr. Thomas tional responsibility on pastors and churches. Are Major G. W. Ingalls, a Baptist missionary agent, immediately.... Senator Murhead's bark Queen Richardson, a Good Templar, who advocated total these converts to remain stable and grow in grace reports that at the late General Council of Indians of Hearts, went from Chatham to Glasgow, disabstinence from all kinds of intoxicating liquors as and usefulness? Or will some of the at Okmulgee, where twenty nine wild tribes said: charged cargo there, took in ballast, and was back the only mode of saving drunkards, and " of pre- class of persons described by Christ who " have no " We want preachers who will have meetings and to the former place in just two months. ... The venting the acquisition of intemperate habits by root in themselves, and so endue but for a time?" Sunday schools for us; who can instruct and teach Sessions of Westmorland met on Saturday, and the sober." The village pastor, M. Arnold Bovet, It is surely all-important that means should be us the words of the great spirit." Major Ingalls appointed valuators. There was no opposition. signed the pledge "for six months, as a trial-in adapted for the development in every one of them was personally importuned to secure missionaaies Martin Dowling, Adam Tait and Josiah Anderson which he was supported by his wife." Two others of a strong beautiful Christian character which (Baptists of course) to labor among these Indians. were chosen. Mr. Dowling is chairman.... The are mentioned as having signed the pledge; and shall commend the gospel to the attention and The other day a minister offered prayer at the election for the Local Legislature in Albert County others are expected to follow. May the good acceptance of those who are without. The Canawork thus inaugurated in Switzerland increase and | dian Baptist says :

No doubt there are many young converts in re-Certain Americans who are good Christians, gard to whose stability no fears need be entertaintotal abstainers and all that sort of thing at home, but who think they must drink wines when travel- Sabbath Schools, their minds became well stored said." I was't praying to you," quickly responded ing in Switzerland and other parts of Europe, "be- with Bible truths, and their lives were morally cor- the parson. cause the water is so bad, you know," will be likely | rect before the date of their decision for Christ, The clear duty of pastor and church to them is to urge upon them the importance of growth in

"There is one other thing which Batavia may where, nor the corpulent image of Gambrinus sitled to declare themselves on the Lord's side. If set down a boiler of hot water, into which the and whose trial last week resulted in the disagreefinished work of Christ, then all is well. But they must be reminded of the necessity of continuously s never seen, except when a drunkard is imported

More than this, it is alleged that a man cannot which to rest. obtain a prescription unless he is a civizen in good In every case where a revival has been enjoyed, "So it is no wonder that the town is so quiet the people of the town own the houses they live new members may be taught the way of the Lord in, are free from debts of all kinds, and are abundantly able to make a good living."

new members may be taught the way of the Lord more perfectly. For if they are to grow in grace, it can only be as they grow in the knowledge of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Such knowledge of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. fied to do work for the Master, not indeed by all Haute, Ind., a few days since. We extract the doing the same thing, but by each doing that for took passage on board the New York for home. to say that every experience of my life is that prayer ascends from all.

THINGS IN SHORT METRE. BY PEN AND SCISSORS.

A committee of prominent Baptists report that there are probably 500 Baptist churches, in Ker tucky, who have no Sunday school.

One hundred and fifteen missionaries have gone First, by prescribed stimulants. Then, in that in- Massachusetts, eighteen of them from the last two graduating classes.

- The quantity of iron to be used in the construchabiliments of Him that did only good, and tion of the Centennial buildings will aggregate wandered forth at the bidding of my own spell- about 6000 tons, of which more than five-sixths will be wrought.

At Prof. Swing's last communion in Chicago, dering. At last the demon of delirium seized me bounds and communed with the Presbyterian church, for the first time in their lives.

A few gentlemen, while breaktasting with Mr (4raham, a former Member of Parliament, July 20th opened a subscription with \$125,000, to build

A Call from Canada declined by the American Preachers.-Messrs. Moody and Sankey have declined to accept the invitation of the Evangelical Alliance of Montreal to visit the city in connection with the revival movement. Thirty years ago there were but six known na-

tive Christians in China, and not until the Elgin treaty in 1860 were missionaries allowed to enter clusive of native pastors settled in the empire.

Quakers move who will stand still?

"Uncle Bob" of the Western Methodist has been asked a hard question, and answers it excellently. He says: "My opinion has been asked about sending to Roman Catholic schools. Well, that depends upon circumstances. If the parents wish The News and the Press. their children to become Roman Catholics it is a capital idea. Nine times out of ten they will REV. J. McLEOD, -- Dear Brother: I remember

The Congregation in Jersey City have a lady pas

There seems to be great confusion in the newspapers about Brother Fulton and the Hanson place ecjoys the pastoral care of Elder Merritt a Place Baptist Church. As near as we can make it quarter of his time; and his services are highly out the matter stands in this way. The people is to succeed to the office, in the Customs Departappreciated. I had the pleasure of spending one have sent in Brother Fulton's resignation, but he ment in St. Stephen, recently rendered vacant by

entry into the Russian Church.

necessary to their comfort. An old and very unwelcome visitant has made its

result of his work is the means of leading many to man of rare talent, but of inherited tendency to labour. Bro. H. still lives in the affections of the twenty nye millions of people. twenty-nve millions of people. to hear a lecture on temperance by Prof. Foster. for the temperance cause, and had striven to banish meetings in these churches, and administered the centre, has no rival save London. Its manufactures exceed in value those of any other city in the

world, that one excepted. Even the costly proday we started for home. Bro. H. is giving him- ducts of Parisian skill do not equal in value Phila- Mr. James M. F. Whiting, of this city, was upset A missicnary in China gives the following rapid | could be rendered he perished. The lad was only

ing, from premise to conclusion, if he would see it But I have one request to make of you: I want which it was resolved to retain his services for an18 strong and active. Roman Catholicism is at the Bazaar. He had it in his possession at 9 in its weightiest bearing. We drove the distance you to get a copy of the names of those members other year; and it was also voted to give him a making strong progress. Protestant missiona ries o'clock and on looking for it a few minutes later The Rev. William Taylor, of California, who a professional pickpocket.... The Local Governcame over from India to assist Messrs. Moody and | ment will offer a reward of \$500 for such informa-Sankey, has been holding special services in Bris- tion as will lead to the apprehension and convic-

tol, England. His congregation have numbered as tion of the person who attempted to shoot John many as 4,000 persons. Upwards of 1,000 tickets Blake, at Miramichi, some weeks ago.... An atcontaining the names of inquirers have been sent tempt was made to enter the house of Coun. Quin-A great many churches have been blessed dur- to the ministers of the various places of worship ton, on the Manawagonish road, Lancaster, about

laying of a corner-stone. A brisk young reporter Tuesday, 24th, polling day, on Saturday, 28th, bustled up and said: "I wish you would give and declaration day, on Tuesday, 31st....It is me the manuscript of that prayer?" "I never write out my prayers," said the preacher. "Well," said the reporter, "I couldn't hear a word you on his work in October, but Dr. Waddell will con-

Iowa, a few days ago. There were three children, fired from a revolver in the hand of some unknown Scriptural knowledge, and to direct the outflow the oldest being five years, two of whom went to person. He was not seriously burt.....James and operations of their spiritual life into such the barn to find hens' nests. They found one, and Harris, S. E. Stevens, and Samuel T. Strang, Esqrs., its development, and contribute to its strength and crawled to it, and one of them thrust his hand forstability. With a solid basis of gospel instruction, ward to get the eggs, when he quickly withdrew Sitting Magistrates for the Town of Portland durtheir warm heart, and fervent piety, are less likely it, saying the old hen had bitten him. The other ing absence, by sickness or otherwise, of Police But there is another class of converts about whom which quickly brought their mother to the spot, chased by the managing owner, Mr. Lunt, for they have been taught by the Spirit of God the ex-babe had fallen. In thirty minutes all her children ment of the jury, was put on trial again on Wed-

REV. MR. WILLIAMS, pastor of the Sheffield, Suncleaving unto the Lord with full purpose of heart. bury Co., Congregational Church, has received and They must be taught to regard humility and a de- accepted a call to the pastorate of a Congregational instance. And it is also stated upon the very best of true conversion. The most fervent religious of true conversion accepted a can to the pastorate of a Congregational Church in Montreal. During the years of Bro. Wilauthority that a dram cannot be obtained from any feeling can prove its genuineness only by passing liams' residence and labours in Sheffield he has enof the drug stores, not a drop of liquer in any into Christian character, and that character must deared himself to a large circle of friends and fellow have a foundation of Scriptural intelligence on christians. It will be no easy matter to supply, either in point of ability or singleness of purpose as a we would advise the formation of classes for the Christian teacher, the vacancy made by his reinstruction of young converts. They may be call- moval. The people to whom he goes to minister and peaceful and thritty. In all this place of 3,000 inhabitants, it was positively stated to a Times of them cannot be traced diare fortunate in having secured his services; and 000 inhabitants, it was positively stated to a Times

Associations, Converts' Meetings, or simply Bible

reporter that not a pauper is known to exist among

Classes No intelligent Christian will dispute the

ment in Ottawa, a remittance of one dollar, with subjected to considerable annoyance through the

Every one that owes the INTELLIGENCER anything, and there are a good many who do, ought to pay at once.

The M. W. Grand Lodge of British Templars will hold its Annual Meeting in New Glasgow, N. S., the last Friday in August. All the to foreign lands from Mt. Holyoke Seminary, Provinces of the Dominion are expected to be well represented, and the session will doubtless be an

> The Convention of Y. M. C. Associations of the Maritime Provinces is to meet at Pictou

Sunday Evening Temperance Meetings are being introduced into Halifax. We are glad; and wish that in every city, town and village in the Dominion such meetings might be held at the close of the religious services.

Mr. Geo. Slipp, of Hampstead, knows how to cultivate strawberries, and also have growing in his orchard the richest, ripest cherries, as we know by actual trial of them. We are indebted to Mr. J. J. Fox for samples.

Rev. G. F. Currie, (Baptist) now located in Andover, V. Co., has accepted an appointment as missionary to the Teloogoos. He will probably leave for Cocanada, India, some time this year.

Plain Directions for the Care of the Sick, the country. There are now 200 missionaries ex- and Recipes for Sick People; -and Plain Directions for Accidents, Emergencies and Poisons,-are the The Quakers have long been declining in numb- titles of two books distributed to its policy holders and zeal; but recent reports show that the ers by the Mutual Insurance Company of New York. English branch is growing. They are increasing The first has seventy-two pages, the other 126 in numbers, and are taking steps towards evangeli- pages, and both contain very valuable suggestions. zation. It will soon thunder all round. When the The Company offers to furnish them gratuitously on application.

> The first Annual Catalogue of the Southern Illinois Normal University is received,

ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 13, 1875.

New Brunswick .- The Dominion Foundry, Sackville, is offered for sale.... The plaster mill in Hillsboro has suspended operations for the present owing to the prevailing dullness....Dr. J. T. Steeves has been appointed Superintendent of the Lunatic asylum, to be under the supervision of Dr. Waddell, who will reside in the Institution until May next. It is also reported that Mr. Andrew McVey will supersede Mr. Graham as storekeeper or clerk in the Asylum.....Mr. Arthur Hill the decease of the late Mr. H. Hutton Eight An exchange says that "renting a church pew miles of Elgin Branch Railway are ready for track-Joesn't interfere with the privilege of cheating and laying. The remaining six miles will be ready in a w weeks. The Company hope to have the trains Very true, and we might add, the right to occupy | running on it in November..... It is reported that church pew, even in our most fashionable sanctu- Dorchester will be selected as the site for the aries, gives no right to occupy a mansion in Penitentiary.... The Carleton Sentinel understands that owing to a failure on the part of the An ecclesiastical question of some importance in inhabitants of the places interested on the Amerithe Greek Church has been settled by the elevation | can side of the line, to substantiate their engageof a secular priest-who had been married-to the ments with the Company, work on the Branch of episcopate. By an imperial decree to the Arch- the N. B. Rulroad up the Aroostook river has priest, Marce Popiel of the United Greek Church, been suspended. We have not come into possession was made Orthodox Bishop of Lubin upon his of all the facts, but the general rumor as given is, we believe, correct. The surveyors withdrawn In the new Presbyterian church of the Puritans, from the above are, we likewise learn, now giving Harlem, N. Y., there is a room at the side of the their attention to a continuation of the main pulpit, where invalids may hear the sermon and line above the Aroostook toward Grand Falls. In join in the service, and yet be entirely secluded | this connection we note that the steamer that from view, and be able to assume any position went up laden with portions of the bridge at Andover was unable to go further than the Bumfrau, where she unloaded, and her work will be completed by tow-boats. Work on the abutments of this bridge is being pushed forward vigorously ... It is rumored that there is a case of small

pox at Joe's Point, near St. Andrews.... A fine origantine of 240 tons called the Maud was launched from the shipyard of J. Murphy, Tatamagouch, on Wednesday last The News says that on Friday afternoon a sad drowning accident occurred on the Kennebecasis, near Passekeag from a canoe in the river, and before assistance ter. In the case of this lecture, as in the case of Christian life. I have failed. My appetite was Woodstock.—A friend informs us that during religions in that country. Buddhism is making throws his parents into the deepest affliction.... any logical and well-prepared discourse, the hear- too strong; the temptation was too great. There the absence of the pastor, on a visit to Grand no progress. Mohammedanism is at a discount On Friday night Mr. W. Reading had his gold - More Revelations.—Father Gerdemann is er must follow it from the beginning to the endis no hope now. I am dying, and going to hell. Manan, the Woodstock Church held a meeting at because of its rebellious tendencies. Confucianism watch taken from his pocket while in the crowd it was gone. The theft was no doubt the work of Quinton fired a pistol at the marauder, who fled understood, we believe, that the new superintentinue in charge until May Benj. Forrest, while sitting at the door of his boarding house at Chat-A remarkable incident occurred near Viroqua, ham, last week, was struck in the leg by a bullet

nesday : the jury found him guilty. He was sentenced to seven years in the Penientiary.... The Telegraph says it is reported that the "army worm" has appeared at Sussex, and was destroya forged check, to the amount of \$1964, on the firm of S. Jones & Co., of this city. The charges against her in Boston number somewhere about bear pursued Mrs. Kennedy's sheep a few days ago at South Richmond, Carleton Co., to within a few a request that be would spend it as he thought fit wholesale and systematic character of the sheep stealing carried on in that vicinity. Between last Monday I left for St. John, and Wednesday following from his address:

morning bade our St. John friends good-bye, and "Though the words choke me, I am here to night Lord's work, while one spirit animates all, and one Lord's work, while one spirit animates all, and one Lord's work, while one spirit animates all, and one Lord's work, while one spirit animates all, and one Lord's work, while one spirit animates all, and one by the thieves, and eleven of his best sheep stolenThe pasture w

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