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AND NOW-WHAT?

The Conference at Constantinople on the Eastern Question has come to an end, nothing having been accomplished. The English and Russian representatives left Constantinople early this week. The Turks would not accept any proposition made for the settlement of the difficulties, considering them all beneath the dignity of Turkey to accept. They seem to consider the interference of European powers unnecessary and quite offensive. "War rather than interference," "Death rather than dishonour," were the cries of the Grand Turkish Council. The chief men are not blind to the difficulties and risks of the attitude assumed by them; but they appear resolute, even stubborn, much more so than any one supposed they were capable of being. What is to be cannot be divined with any certainty. It would appear at first glance that war is inevitable. Yet it may be avoided. We have an impression that Russia is not over-anxious to fight; and if there is any way out of the trouble compatible with their ideas of honour, without a resort to arms, both Russia and Turkey will gladly avail themselves of it.

RUM DID IT.

gation shows that woman and child were driven | The young man stepped aside to make room for a from their poor home by a drunken husband and | couple of young men who just then entered, and father. In a wretched tenement house are found | the bar-keeper waited upon them very politely. two children, one frozen to death, the other, a girl The other had stood by silent and sullen, and of twelve, starving to death. An investigation when they had finished he walked up to the barshows that the mother had gone off on a drunken keeper, and thus addressed him : "Six years ago, ren to perish. One young man stabs another on are, I was a man with fair prospects. Now, at the board a steamer in the harbour; the evidence at age of twenty-eight, I am a wreck, body and the examination shows that the quarrel was caus- mind. You led me to drink. In this room I ed by rum. Three brothers were sent to the Peni- formed the habit that has been my ruin. Now sell ed were committed under the influence of rum. I shall soon be out of the way; there is no hope

" If it had not been for that I would not be here!" | were ignorant of this the case would be different.

than the one of last week, have occurred; but who persist engaging in it, are bad men. none had the effect of opening the eyes of the people to the fact that they were harbouring and nourishing a monster whose delight is in deeds of blood. Men have there died of rum, and everybody knew it, yet the survivors drank on as though nothing had happened. Many young men were known to be forming drinking habits, but the community did not seem to see the danger and ruin that must ensue. Now it is said that the whole village and the country about it are excited over shed,-a life has been taken; and the people cry children fatherless, their home utterly desolated. Quigley is in a murderer's cell. Taylor is charged with being accessory to the murder. The friends of both the latter are in an agony of suffering be- calculating, or careless in his work. By the spiritcause of the charges against them. These are sad | ual qualification alone does he feel its vast importthings; and the crime is one to stir the indigna- ance, groan under the burden, and cry out, Who tion of the community in which it was perpetrat- is sufficient for these things? Under this sense of ed. Yet there is a danger that the cause of all the greatness of the work and his own need, he this will be overlooked by many. Of the miserable seeks for all possible helps. He cries to God. He victim, Tierney, we are told that he has time and leaves himself to be used by the Spirit. He comes ing from the use of intoxicants, but would as often and important sense he is the organ of the Spirit be overcome when thrown into drinking society, in preaching the Gospel. or when visiting a place where rum was sold. It A young man of but little more than twenty-years. struck his fellow dead, Not a quarrelsome word. not a blow would have been struck on that day

----WHITEWASHING RUM-SELLERS. "It is wrong to term McLean's bar-room a gin-mill

dyed Quigley's hands and soul with the blood of

his brother. Rum did it all! Accursed rum!

McLean is a first-class man, and is always considered such. Nothing should be said against him. He had in-structed the bar-keeper to give the party no liquor." committed. The paragraph quoted, was, we prea grievious mistake when he undertakes to shield the rum-seller from any share in the bloody deed. One would suppose from the above paragraph, that almost if not quite as great a wrong had been done in calling the bar-room, in which the deed of cago blood was committed, a "gin-mill," as was done a fine record surely! Do they ever think?

peaceable;" though we confess ourselves unable to imagine by what course of reasoning they have | Moody in a recent sermon said: succeeded in persuading themselves to that effect. He is, as is every other rum-seller, a bad man. No he Office of Messrs. Barnes & Co., 58 Prince William erishes whole families, debauches and brutalizes All Exchanges should be addressed Religious should be said against them. They may appear to have some good qualities, but they are bad at heart, and wholly, devilishly selfish, else they would not for the sake of filthy lucre, deliberately destroy young men, darken and demolish happy widows and worse, and children orphans and worse, and make men rush eagerly to commit crimes at sober moments. Every rumseller is necessarily a bad and dangerous man. And the more good

> langerous he is. rumseller who always endeavors to wear a pleas ant exterior, uses no rough language, is not quarhe surly, swearing, fighting fellow, who keeps the next door rum shop. The reasons are obvious.

ione even by some well meaning temperance men. They do not know what they do. Because a man | says :as succeeded in making money by destroying the nings that are dearest to the human heart, and stant aim to induce others to do, is he to be calld " a good fellow," " a first-class man?" But it s said, "He had instructed his-bar-keeper to give the parties no more liquor." Virtuous man! Why such instruction? Some had been given them; why not give them more? Did he see the quarrel brewing, or was their money all gone? When has a hornble thing occurred that rum After selling them enough to make them drunk, had nothing to do with? A man lies down on the and fill them with the murder spirit, what a meriroad and dies. An investigation shows that when torious thing to refuse them more! It is of such last seen alive he was drunk. A man goes home, men, it is frequently said "they are respectable and begins beating his wife; his son interferes to rum sellers," for they do not sell to everybody; protect his mother, and the father strikes him a they won't sell to drunken men. But they will dozen blows with a hatchet, and only desists when sell to men till they become drunkards. And he is a mangled corpse. An investigation shows which is worse, to sell to those who are already far that the father was crazy with drink. A woman gone in the downward course, or to those who are a branch of the christian church, we exhort them wanders through the streets in the freezing cold of just beginning? Here is an illustration. A young a January night, bearing in her arms a babe. man entered a tavern, and called for a drink. "No," When taken to the station by the police, the babe said the bar-keeper, "you have had delirium Berwick camp ground, with uncovered head, at is tound to be dead-frezen to death. An investi- tremens once, and I cannot sell you any more."

spree, had been absent for days, leaving her child- at their age, I stood where these young men now tentiary; the crimes for which they are imprison- | me a few glasses more and your work will be done!

respect and confidence, who deliberately lure your Instances similar to these, in greater or less de- | sons to disgrace and death?

bree borrifying, might be cited indefinitely. They | We do not desire to take an extreme position on occur every day. And now Sussex has had its any question. But we have a deep, strong convictragedy. The only wonder is that, with so much | tion that the time has come when the truth should rum-selling, it has escaped till now. Drunken be taught that rum-selling is a business altogether quarrels and crimes of various kinds, less bloody | evil, full of curses and death; and that the men

EDITORIAL NOTES AND COMMENTS.

- MINISTERIAL QUALIFICATION. - Here is an imortant utterance from Zion's Herald, which is deserving the attention of all who would be good min-

Men are not born ministers. They are qualified or this high vocation. These qualifications are experience of affairs have a place in this preparation. With all these furnishings, however, a minout against the shedder of blood. It was a ter- ister would be but poorly qualified to tell the story rible crime, one to make a community shudder of salvation. The most important part of a minis-Tierney was slain. His wife is widowed, his ter's outfit is the spiritual furnishing, the renewed heart, the indwelling of the Spirit, the divine

With only natural endowments, he is cool and

Natural endowments and human acquirements is not possible that Quigley was born a murderer. are valued in a minister only when anointed and imbued by the Spirit. Without this, his light is darkness. He is a blind guide. He is an unsympathetic medium through which no gracious influences can be conveyed to the benighted and circular: "If you write for sermons let me know learned, had never "appeared in print" before, I perishing souls of men. In seeking, then, a preparation for the ministry, do not forget the school of Christ. You will learn more here than anywhere had there been no rum drinking, and there would else An hour of consecration and of communion have been no drinking had there been no "gin with God will do more for you as a minister than mill" in Sussex. Rum murdered Tierney. Rum a month of training in the schools. Do the one,

doing a good work. Its second annual meeting right line, from Santipore, we chose to divide the shall, so far as stands in my power, make amends the donation party is highly appreciated. The above appeared in some of the daily papers | the past year, 193 cases had been prosecuted, 223 | tidings by the way.

under the ministry of Moody and Sankey, in Chi- January,

the Adams Express Company near Arkron, O., and in the striking dead of Tierney. Murder-mill a telegraph operator named Benizer was accused of the aged invalid, and having learned to read, and came to life, struggling all the weary years between means of sending to a premature and unbonored could not be again put in jeopardy for the crime from the darkness and degradation of heatherism, grave, one person annually. Those of them who for perjury for the false testimony which he had really very pleasing. In conversation with Dainmi. have been many years engaged in the traffic, have given in his own favor on the former trial, and was tainly very pleasing. In conversation with Dainmi,

first-class man," "a good citizen," "quiet and the case without a parallel in all his experience. Here is another and somewhat similar case. Mr.

been preaching on this subject, a young man came men who would otherwise be good, and incites top of him. I called one of our business men to All Communications for insertion should be ad being urged, that "nothing should be said against" that inquirer had stolen money while in his employ dressed, Rev. Joseph McLeod, Box 81, Fredericton, N. B. such men, there is a needs be that everything several years before. The poor fellow confessed his crime then and there. His old employer knelt in prayer with him, and he rose up saved, rejoicing in pardon both from God and man."

- - Dr. Phillips delivered an exceedingly interesting lecture on Judia, in Fredericton City Hall, nomes, break the hearts of parents, make wives on Thursday evening of last week. For an hour and a-half, the Doctor held the attention of his audience, as he told of the size of British India, the thought of which they would shudder in their the character of the country, the people; their habits and customs, &c.

- MRS. MERRITT.-We regretted very much to ualities he may seem to have, the worse and more hear of the death of the wife of Rev. B. Merritt the announcement of which was made last week. The man who sells rum in a gin palace is a hun- Bro. Merritt must feel deeply under so great a bedred fold a worse and more dangerous man than reavement. The hearty sympathy of all who know he who sells in a seven by nine room under ground. him, in which we join, will be felt for him and The man who never drinks himself, or, if at all, many prayers will be offered in his behalf. Better

The tashion of eulogizing certain rumsellers is is no Church, and that the place while increasing their way; while two, who, for a time, appeared uite general. There is danger in it. And it is in population, is "decreasing in godliness." Re- very promising, have died. ferring to the Berwick Camp Meeting, the "curate"

and young men assemble to spend several nights ecause he refrains from doing what it is his con- together. They sleep in sheds erected among the tion, as well as have sacrificed property to a large version, four of whom were baptized to-day by buy them. This is what the villagers call religion, and naturally there are many unbelievers. Woulto God many more were among the faithful!"

The Wesleyan administers a deserved castigation o the writer of the letter thus:

Every allowance must be made, we suppose, for ritualistic teeth, too much should not be expected. We overlook his weakness of judgment. But what shall be said of the slanders he thus pubishes, respecting villages which give him a home, preast for the crime of writing, and the sin of pubthe Methodists of Berwick are turning religion in- prayers of fellow Christians.

How the Church Chronicle came to allow such a letter place in its columns is quite as strange as that any one could write it. Is it to be inferred that the Chronicle sympathizes with such opinions of dissenting Christians.

-PREPARED.-Messrs. Moody and Sankey were not able to begin meetings in Boston as soon as was expected. They are to begin next Sabbath

tion was first distinctly carried on between Boston | anxious to contribute their quota to science.

vest sermons can be had for 1s. 6d. each; sermons gates, yesterday about noon.

OUR INDIA LETTER.

A PAROCHIAL VISIT.

convicted and sentenced to three years' imprison- I have been much encouraged to hope that she has

Of McLean we know nothing more than that he ment in the penitentiary. It is not strange that given her heart to Christ, and really knows some land, who is in the hall yonder drinking and sells rum. That is enough. He may, by some under such circumstances the judge should have thing of the sweetness of divine love. Her father the progress of this institution down to the pre- Church, New Glasgow, has had his salary raised gambling. She waits here hour after hour, and to have had her heart touched by a Saviour's love. sure, but none the less important. The condition of the women here is still a bad I never preach restitution but some one who one, as scarcely one of them is able to leave her hears me makes restitution, and that shows that house to attend worship with her husband. Many The Religious Intelligencer is published weekly, at good man will engage in a business that impov- God owns his truth. The other night, after I had of the houses are without a door—a mat hung up doing duty for a door. The wife must stay at McLeod: I am always glad to read reports of the meetings in those cities early in December, and The Rev. George Brown, a Wesleyan missionary, home as watch-dog. Even when the house has a labours of my brethren. I should have reported off now the band of reformers number 10,000. The reports that he saw women roasting the leg and men to deeds of violence and blood. Instead of it talk with him, and it was the very man from whom door, it may be without a lock, and hence unsafe times myself; but hope my failure to do so will be overflow meetings occupy eight or ten churches, thigh of a man who had been killed in a fight. from our service yesterday in this manner! What we greatly need here, is a good faithful couple to C. Co. I found the cause of God very low. After In the United States over \$300,000,000 worth of men and women. Cannibalism seemed to be settle, and both husband and wife engage in earnest some prayer and labour revival began, and the work of church property is exempt from taxation.... common throughout the islands, not as a religious among Christians and Hindus, and for this we must baptized and added to the Rockland Church. Six in England and Scotland over a year, has returned natives assured the missionary that the accounts aim. The halls of a school house are partly raised; others took part with us in our meetings, but did to this country. He says the work begun by heretofore published of a race of tailed human and the prospect is, that the Hindus will now be not go forward in the ordinance of baptism. Bro. Moody and Sankey is increasing in extent. At one beings were true, and were certain that these glad to send their children, once a teacher is ready | Price is the pastor of the church and I left the | meeting he saw 1,500 men rise at once for prayers | strange creatures were not monkeys. to commence work in the new house. A number work in his hards. of the neighbors have also intimated their willing moderately, is a hundred fold more to be feared in his beneal. The people here would seem alacommunity than the fellow who gets drunk him helped of Him; and in this time of severe trial he have been bentized. About all the people here would seem alone. The bride was Mrs. Catherine Lawson, of Fayette County, Ky, who will be pinety years old next. The people here would seem alone. The bride was Mrs. Catherine Lawson, of Fayette County, Ky, who will be pinety years old next. a community than the fellow who gets drunk himhelped of Him; and in this time of severe trial, he have been baptized. About all the people on the County, Ky., who will be ninety years old next Three," "A Boy and his kittens have been baptized. About all the people on the County, Ky., who will be ninety years old next Three," "A Nut to Crack;" the "Second Advengion in any form. But it is something to see that - A CURATE GONE MAD. - A letter from "the idolatry has so far lost its hold on the minds of Lord's people, that this work may go forward. relsome, and is ready to oblige his neighbour, is a Rectory, Kentville," signed by "J. L. Keating, the masses. There certainly appears to be evifar greater scourge and curse to a community than Curate in charge of the District Parish," appears dence that the good leaven is permeating the masin the Church Chronicle. The letter is to the effect ses of the people. Several of our former inquirers

> The three perverts, who three years ago, hastily broke caste, and as hastily drew back, still reside "The Methodists have annually a fair near the nere-neither Hindu or Christian. They must McLeod .- I have been holding meetings in this place, on which occasion large numbers of girls have suffered greatly from their anomalous posi- place for a few days. Some have professed conforest trees, and John Wesley gives up praying on extent, in their truitless attempt to get themselves Bro. Shaw. These and some others are to unite Sunday afternoons to sell sweets and liquors, or to reinstated in caste. What the end will be, no one with the Church.

can of course tell. now to gather in their harvest. Coolies, who work- affected. Pray for us. Yours &c. ed for them formerly, refuse to do so now, that he immaturity of Mr. Keating. Of a lad just don- they have become Christians. They are, very proping his ecclesiastical petticoats and cutting his bably, put up to this, by interested parties, who hope to make something out of such a case. I have, to-day, written to the Eaja on their behalf, the donors of the Bible :and may have to apply to the English Magistrate be a spark of latent indignation in the Episcopal avowed neutrality of the Government on the subject of religion; petty rulers, especially in a venerable Episcopal clergyman was seen on the himself a Christian. This kind of selfish, wicked teem, and therefore comes an apostolic stripling to all but affirm that | converts, who greatly need the sympathy and |

> J. PHILLIPS. Babaigadia, Nov. 27, 1876.

OUR WASHING TON LETTER.

That burning planet in the Swan-A visit to the U. S. (From our regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 17, 1877. (28th inst). The delay need not be looked upon the constellation of the Swan has set the astronogelists will find a large body of prepared men, ed in that remote star are the same as those to love, and also that you may be more successful in ready to co-operate with them in hearty labors. which our own planet was subjected while in a winning souls to Christ. That this happy issue They will be surrounded by those whose hearts gaseous state, and before it assumed its solid form. winning sours to Christ. That this happy issue may be realized is the earnest wish of your brehave been greatly drawn out in prayer in their Be this as it may, the fact remains that phe- thren in Christ. behalf, and whose faith and hope have been re- nomena of an extraordinary nature have recently freshed by the protracted preliminary services been observed in the celestial spheres, which are Miller, T. F. Tracey, W. J. Webb, A. E. Hartley, out to the New Britain, New Ireland, and Duke of which have been held. The Sun of Righteousness now the subject of diligent inquiry and examina- L. B. Clark, J. Peterson, John Barrett, C. W. Esterhas already risen above the horizon in the East | tion in almost every astronomical observatory in | brooks, J. Warrington, Eben Esterbrooks, E. Coswith healing under His wings, and the sanctuaries the world. Not that these phenomena are of a man, E Tracey, A. Esterbrooks, C. A. West, J. W. recent occurrence, for it probably took the light Page, J. F. Adams, J. W. Adams, and Wm. E. some thousands of years to travel from that dis-- WHAT NEXT? -Of inventions there is no end. | tant planet to the earth; but it is not until now | Many useless things and a few useful ones. A very that (in that particular instance) they have been carious one is now reported. It is in the talking observed and studied, and nowhere with greater kind address and unanimous vote of the church, line. The Christian World says: - " Prof. A. Gra- interest than at the United States Naval Observa- inducting me to its pastorate. I accept the rela- and to work without intermission twelve bours in ham Bell, Professor of Vocal Physiology in Bos- tory, here in Washington. That Observatory being ton University, has invented an instrument by the only "national" institution of the kind in the among you, I am convinced of the purity of the which talking can be heard a distance of two United States, it is not to be wondered at that its motives that prompted it, as well as the cheerful

tended to Portland, and thence back to Salem, a on "Camp Hill," despite the rain and slush. The sympathy, assures me that by the help of the Most what has been done in the way of repressing Prodistance of two hundred miles. The instrument | day was anything but favourable; dark, dreary, constructed for a much shorter distance failed in and dismal; and even at night the heavens were can conquer difficulties, and he assured of prosmaking the conversation distinct, whilst it was clouded, so that there was not the remotest chance perity. I am somewhat acquainted with my weakof getting a glimpse at that coveted star. How- nesses and my inability to perform anght the du--Sermons for Sale.—The supplying of ready-correspondents (not even those of the N. Y. Herald, inefficiency, and induce me to believe, that the ever, seeing that some of the usually enterprising ties of this large pastorate; but your animating highly commended by eminent clergymen." Har- deposited safe and sound in the mud before its prayers may be heard for the future. I ardently

missions, same price. Farewell discourses are to ask some questions in regard to the phenomena a large success may attend our labours in this where they will be used, to avoid sending to the concluded to make a thorough investigation. For curious to say, while almost every possible subject, nation's capital has been written up at some time, Collina and Keirstead Mountain, whose pastor he whom are from the United States. Learning that our aged Bro. Paulbehira, of this ception; which is probably owing to the fact that Gibbon, and made him a generous donation, every American ought to take a pride, and will at the donation on Saturday, 13th inst. Those in his meritorious work. children had been rescued and placed in homes, We find our friend weak, but convalescent, and endeavor, in the course of two or three letters, to who were able to be present did generously, pre-

To "begin with the beginning," then, the so

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is one who has asked for baptism, but her poor sent day, and of the work that has been accom- \$100, which makes it now \$1,000, with a free meeting, takes him home without a word of reignorant mother, quite unable to read, seems never plished there, quietly and unostentationsly, to be manse.... Bishop Strossmayer, of Hungary, has proach."

DENOMINATIONAL

After Conference in October, I went to Windsor, members are the living results of foreign missions. ing. In another he counted thirty-five jaw bones

On leaving Windsor I felt a strong desire to visit have been for thirty-five years. A man may ride help to aid in roofing the house. At the large this place (Long Reach). Though the cause was on horseback, or a wagon may be driven through True Blue," by Lucia Chase Bell, a stirring Minneweekly market here on Saturday, we had a quiet low, and no regular services were being held, the tracts of country heretofore impassible within the sota winter story. Mr. Wm. M. F. Round follows hearing. During the three hours, myself and the brethren had erected a neat and comfortable house memory of man.... There was a wedding in Lexnative brethren, here at the market, we heard no of worship. I began holding meetings the first ington, Ky., on New Year's Day, the circumstances has a very funny experience in trying to see Queen Victoria. Wrs. Whiten's expulsite norm. "Little plea for the gods, and no objections to the gospel. Sabbath in January. Religious interest has deep-This was very unusual, and all the more so, as ened and spread. The old Church is very much many years to come. The bridegroom was Dr. page drawing from the pencil of Miss L. B. Humph-Brahmans came and heard, and then walked away revived, union is restored, and a good revival is in Joseph G. Chinn, of Lexington, who was a soldier rev. There are many other short stories and poems, They appear very indifferent to the subject of reli-Reach were at the baptism, and it was a solemn May. The pair are wounderfully well preserved, ture of Miltiades Peterkin Paul." The first of the season. I desire very much the prayers of the and do not appear to be more than sixty years old. promised "Flossy and Bossy" Stories relates to

I am sorry to say that I have found the INTELLI-GENCER in only two families here. I never felt the that in the village of about a thousand souls, there have been to see us, and talk of the obstacles in introduce it to the people, and though money is scarce I think I will get some subscribers. Yours &c.,

Greenwich, K. Co., Jan. 15, 1877.

I leave to-day for Snider Mountain, K. Co., to labourers to carry on their cultivation, and just this place next week, and hope to see more good of the brief war between Turkey and Servia. S. GORHAM. Pollett River, Jan. 19, 1877.

MR. EDITOR, - Will you please spare space in and the people he is striving to convert? If there at Midnapore, on the subject, notwithstanding the your valuable paper, that I may convey my sincere and humble thanks to the people of Apohaqui and vicinity, who met at my residence last evening, and presented me a valuable Bible, accompanied with There have been about 70,000 different insects coldrawings by the author, who describes the agency back villages, find means for a large amount of ar address. For the last few years I have been Really this is a pretty pass! Oftener than once, breaks away from their old connection, and avows do not consider myself worthy of this token of establishment. least breathing a benediction. And now there opposition and oppression, are sorely felt by weak tion to work more faithfully in the Master's cause I hope I may be enabled to be faithful, and eventupper and better residence where dissensions enter ot, to mar our happiness.

Yours truly, ROBERT WILLIAMS. Apohaqui, King's Co., Jan. 16, 1877. ADDRESS PRESENTED TO THE REV. A. TAYLOR community worshipping here, we the undersigned officers and brethren of the church, extend to you the hand of fellowship, and cheerfully receive The recent discovery of an "exploded" planet in you as a minister of Christ. We most heartily Fred. May and James Gordon Bennett fight a duel.

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Fred. May and James Gordon Bennett fight a due welcome you to our joys, and to our sorrows, to increasing in interest and spiritual power. Christ- it appears that most of the eminent astronomers of Christ. But, dear brother, we do not forget that tentiary, to serve a sentence of twenty years each.

There is not a man to-day engaged in the rum and in earnest to enter upon active personal efforts opine that we are in immediate danger, and that that we are all workers together in the vineyard of a set of singers who speak their words in a way Holding a glass of liquor in his manacled hand, traffic, who does not know that his business is sure in the Master's vineyard around them. Already if such a calamity should happen, it will probably cur common Lord. Therefore, we trust by the one of them, before putting it to his lips, said, to cause ruin to those who patronize him. If they there is a revived condition throughout the Church. be some 8,000,000 years before it occurs; and a grace of God, we shall be able to labor, that this blessing may be seened. In conclusion, deep bree A man lies in prison awaiting the day of his execu
The wide spread and powerful reformation which is the wide-spread and powerful reformation which is the wide-spread and powerful reformation which is tronomer and scientist, Professor Parkhurst) think the wide-spread and powerful reformation which is tronomer and scientist, Professor Parkhurst) think the wide-spread and powerful reformation which is tronomer and scientist, Professor Parkhurst) think the wide-spread and powerful reformation which is tronomer and scientist, Professor Parkhurst) think the wide-spread and powerful reformation which is the wide-spread and powerful reformatio

REPLY. - Dear Brethren -- Allow me to express the sense of gratitude and obligation I am under hundred miles. By actual experiment a conversa- officers take a special interest in the matter, and are anxiety that led to its formation. I enter upon this relation with many fears, and consider th for November 30th, the day of intercession for Before arriving, it had been my purpose simply church may be built up in its most holy faith; and

Tracey's Mills, Carleton Co., Jan. 17, 1877.

L. B. | an income of \$200,000 a year....Portugal has | Real cannibals have been discovered by mission-

.. The swamps in Louisiana are drier than they

THINGS IN SHORT METRE.

[BY PEN AND SCISSORS.] Sound travels at the rate of about thirteen miles would go 480 times round the world, while sound

was going a distance of thirteen miles! Germany, twelve years ago, had no Sunday eighty thousand scholars-a large or small number, a great deal of practical physiology. "A Dolls' according as one looks back or forward.

Three tons of clothing have thus far been sent to the field by the London Servian Relief Committee. There are said to be more than 250,000 refugees in Our friends here still have difficulty in obtaining fill my appointments there. Intend to return to a state of nearly complete destitution—the result

The English revisers of the Old Testament have held forty-one sessions. They have carried their Rangeley Lakes." The article is full of pictures revision as far as Ezekiel xliv. 14. The English and deals with a region new to the general public. ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The following speaks for revisers of the New Testament have held sixty-five The second part of General McClellan's "Winter itself, and is alike honorable to Bro. Williams and sessions. At their last meeting they reached the on the Nile" contains a well-written description of sixth chapter of Hebrews.

about the same number of fishes. Agassız estimated the number of vertebrated animals at 20,000. lected and classified in various museums, of reptiles, of insects in the fertilization of flowers, and tells

A good suggestion .- A contemporary suggest that to our prayers for the increase of the minstry may well be added prayer for the improvement | with Sir Julius Benedict," by Kate Field, containually meet the dear people of this place in that of the ministry, and also prayer for a greater regard for the ministry, that they may be more high. (with scores, hitherto unpublished), by Nena Sturly esteemed in love for their work's sake. Where do all the pins go? has long been an inter-

esting question, but the inquiry as to whence they the Bible?" by Tryon Edwards. Naval Observatory, an Institution that has escaped notice by the Press—"Camp Hill," the "Greenwich" of the United States—Beginning of an interesting Sketch,

ON HIS INDUCTION TO THE PASTORATE OF THE F. C. BAPTIST CHURCH, TRACEY'S MILLS, CARLETON Co., N. B.—Dear Brother—In behalf of the church and \$1,100.000, while the pins produced in the United come is equally so. The manufacture of pins in \$1,100,000, while the pins produced in the United B., and others. States annually weigh 1,120,000 pounds. The deaf mute, the Rev. Henry W. Syle, recently ordained by Bishop Stevens of Pennsylvania to the

> the administration of the Lord's Supper. give the belping hand, for we are fully persuaded, should have a large organ or a quartette choir, or that we are all workers together in the vineyard of a set of singers who should have a large organ or a quartette choir, or the flews and the gress.

> > Several chapels have been erected, and the natives, although to a large extent cannibal, have so far

We can easily write a trillion thus: 1,000,000,000, tion thus formed, in the same spirit in which it is a day, he would require to count a trillion 6,944,-444 days, or 19,325 years, 319 days.

change being effected in the policy of the Govern-

parish matters, keeping only one servant.

A recent list of missionaries, published in China, pails, buckets, &c., which look well. Instead of Donation.—Rev. E. B. Gray has been on a visit gives thirty different organizations at work, and being made as in the old way out of a number of from the capital down to the dog-pond, in the to Kings County, and while there his friends at almost two hundred ordained evangelists, 99 of staves they are sawed in one stave from the tree,

Rev. Mr. McAll, is meeting with good success. place, had been ill of fever, we left home on the it is so disagreeable and difficult of access, especial amounting to \$22.35. This kindness on the part He has just opened his nineteenth place of meeting —CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.—The New York So
CRUELTY TO CHILDR ciety for the prosecution of cruelty to children is Babaizadia is not more than fifteen miles, in a may be the cause of this unjustifiable neglect, I kindness of Mr. Gibbon in opening his house for tricts of Paris, four hundred and fifty workmen of the North and exported over the E. & attend twice a week regularly, and listen with N. A. Railway to Boston in great quantities. In was recently held, and the report of the Secretary distance and spend one night on the way, and thus for the slight thus thrown involuntarily, doubt. Donation.—The cold and bad roads kept many deep attention to the Christian addresses delivered fact, the season is now at its height. The Intershowed that the society had not been idle. During secure the opportunity of preaching the glad less,) upon a great national institution, in which of the friends of Rev. B. Colpitts from being present by the evangelists who co-operate with Mr. McAll

same, written by some Sussex correspondent of the stage and presented to the audience. It is further increase. Two men have renewed their in the south-west part of Washington, known as him in pleasant places, it donations mean anything. papers in which it appeared. Who the writer is papers in which it appeared. Who the writer is doing.

This name was attributed to the stage and presented to zeal. Several others, less forward, but not less encouraging, we hope, may be ready to go forward in
by the American army, as a camping ground, in
the years 1813 and 1814. * * * * *
had provided a sumptuous tea, to which, of course

| Suggests the destitution and hopelssness that by the American army, as a camping ground, in abounds in some quarters, but how slight a terror imprisonment is to those who have little to live for outside of prison walls. Mere confinement is —Some of the Fruits—The following is told as baptism ere long. We have, therefore, deterred lustrating the effect of the work of the Lord, the baptism until our next visit, some time in long and interesting one; but time and space for long and interesting one; but time and space fo outside of prison walls. Mere confinement is and Hon. Robert Young have gone on a delegation Inder the ministry of Moody and Sankey, in Chilago:

About a year ago there was a beavy robbery of the Adams Express Company near Arkron O and the Company near Arkron O

Fort Massey Church, Halifax. They have just in friend in an undertone, "holds Mrs. ____. She dteting a paragraph copied from an exchange, that. creased the salary of their pastor, Rev. Dr. Burns, comes here every night almost, to wait for her hus- a man named Hartt was burned to death in his

4,000,000 Catholics, and scarcely any Protestants. aries on the islands of New Britain and New Ire-... A wonderful temperance revival is going on land, off the northeast coast of New Guinea. These in Pittsburgh and Allegheny City. Mr. Francis natives are nude savages of the Oriental negro Long Reach, Greenwich, K. C.—Dear. Bro. Murphy, a well-known temperance speaker, began type, who live more like beasts than human beings. which are crowded nightly... 500,000 church In another hut smoke dried human flesh was hang-

christian work, going from house to house, both spread. Seven were converted, and seven were Major Cole, the evangelist, who has been laboring rite, but as an ordinary means of subsistence. The

Uncle Martin's Wig." Flossy and Bossy are truly" girls, the little daughters of a "truly" minister, and everything told in these stories really

Two papers in this number will attract especial attention. The "Poet's Home Series, No. VII., in a minute, or 1,125 feet in a second of time. Light gives a portrait of Edgar Fawcett, and the article by Mrs. Fannie Roper Feudge, "My Visit to the Birthplace of the Siamese Twins." The serials, Quinnebasset Girls," by Sophie May, and " Goodfor-Nothing Polly," by Ella Farman, are capital. Schools; now it has over twelve hundred, with over In "Daughter and I." our girls will be sure to learn Fair," illustrated by three engravings, is sure to be ead by every little girl in the country Only \$2.60 per annum. D. Lothrop & Co.,

SCRIBNER FOR FEBRUARY. - The February Scribner opens with the third of the "occasional papers on out door sports" announced by the editors in the November number. The writer is Edward the passage of the Cataracts, with sketches and ctures of Nubian life. A third illustrated paper There are 5,000 well-known species of birds, and is sympathetic study by E. S. Nadal, of that delightful writer, "White, of Selborne." There is also a popular science article on " The Microscope why it is unhealthy to keep flowers in a bedroom at night. The two serials are continued each with

Of the unillustrated papers, we note " A Morning ing reminiscences of Weber, Beethoven and Paganini; "Traditional Music of the French Pyrences" gis; "Farragut in Mobile Bay," by Henry Baldwin, an eye-witness, who denies that the admiral was lashed to the rigging; "How do I know what is The poetry of the number is by Charles de Kay,

M. M. D., Laura W. Johnson, Natalie Sieboth, Dr. Holland's "Topics of the Time" are entitled Protestant Vaticanism," "National pride," and "The Romance and Retribution of Crime;" "The Old Cabinet" has " an Essay suggested by Shakthe other departments are about as usual.

have their place near the pulpit, where they can ted to the vacancy in the representation of this City face the congregation, and be near the minister. in the Local Legislature, and there being no op-A new mission has been undertaken by the Metho. position, he was elected by acclamation ... The dists of Australasia. Under the lead of Rev. G. Globe says: Since the heavy snow, hunting parties Brown, a party of about a dozen missionaries and in Nackawick, York Co., have killed three moose E. W. Miller S. J. Smith, J. W. Fitzherbert, Ira teachers—natives of Fiji and Samoa—have gone and a caribou, trapped eight foxes, besides catching immense quantities of rabbits. There is excellent York Islands, and have entered upon their work. sport all around this district... The St. Croix Courier says it is understood that the Catholic: schools of Milltown "have come in under the law." ... The Minister of Marine, says the Freeman, has issued orders that fishing with bag nets be prohibit. ed in Bathurst harbor. This he has done when he was satisfied by the representations made from

many quarters that fishing in that way must destroy the fishery in a very short time.... Teams. are kept busily employed in hauling stones from If the Protestants of Spain had any hope of any About 75 tons a day are upon an average, hauled and Salem, a distance of sixteen miles by the use It was this reflection that caused your correspon- reaching; but your kind address, extending such have been disappointed. That body, after a long few weeks ago by jumping from high windows, discussion, has adopted a resolution approving have since fully recovered.... The following are High, we may be certain of success. I shall surely testantism. It is gratifying to know that the attendance on Protestant services has increased, Act 38th Victoria, Chapter 9, "An Act relating to trespasses to lands and other property of the Crown, Benjamin F. Wetmore, and Thomas Anderson, This is the last year's work record of a Concord Esqs., to be Justices of the Peace for the County of made sermons is quite a business in England. World, Tribune, or Sun), located at the national Lord who has hitherto sustained us, will still 53; guests at tea, 69; at breakfast, 38; at dinner, and also an Issuer of Marriage Licenses, for the Established Church ministers are the chief patrons capital, had thought it worth their while to visit give us grace to help in time of need. It will be 47; lodged, 39; number of calls made, 494; reof the sermon-selling establishment. A circular sent to clergymen announces: "Sermons, plain, strlk-view of accertaining their opinion on the subject, and I may assure you in their behalf, that it will covering 1287½ pages. She has also read 90 books Herbert from the Commission of the Peace for the victim, Tierney, we are told that he has time and against his appetite for strong again struggled against his appetite for strong and I may assure you in their behalf, that it will covering 1287½ pages. She has also read 90 books be their greatest joy to see and labor for the adams are written in clear taking a carriage (the Observatory cannot be appeared for the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. The Lord has the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. The Lord has the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. The Lord has the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. The Lord has the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. The Lord has the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. The Lord has the commission of the Peace for the vancement of the cause of God. the clergy. These sermons are written in clear taking a carriage (the Observatory cannot be appeared by the cause of God. The Lord has her own sewing, attending to her marketing and the sale of liquor in York County is \$100 per year, and tavern license \$80, for 1877 The Sentinel In 1825 China was virtually locked against all ap- says: Messrs. W. H. & G. Stickney are about proach by the missionary, as such, and at that time entering upon a new branch of manufacturing inthere was not a laborer on its soil. The ratio of dustry, at Grafton, C. Co. It is the manufacturing dearer—in fact, can not be had for less than 2s. 6d. in the Swan constellation; but finding so much of pastorate. Earnestly desiring an interest in your conversions is now rapidly increasing. Thus the of wooden ware, by what is called the one stave The advertiser puts in a caution at the end of the interest to be seen there, which, as I afterwards Lord Jesus, and your brother in gospel bonds,

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thus rendering the articles more strong and durable, or other, the Observatory seems to remain an ex- had formerly been, met at the house of Mr. Thos. The evangelistic work in Paris, organized by the and enabling them to be manufactured at a lower price than by the old method. The Messrs. Stuckney expect to have their manufactory in runnin g of this freight, but receives the greater amount at in cornection with reports of the Spassex murder.

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McLean's bar-room is the place where the trag The New York Observer gives an indication in the heaviest shipmates, it not the heaviest, from East. had been rescued by the Society were called upon last, and the prospect seems encouraging for a last week in this city seventy lars distributed among the fishermen, some of one persons were, at their own request, committed whom have made high wages in this occupation.

gation in to discuss with the Nova Scotia Government the financial condition of the respective flourish under a treatment that is doubtless wel- Provinces, and to arrange some plan of action would be a more appropriate name. Every rumshop is that; though every murder produced by
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fluence of Moody's preaching to the aged man, during his fluence of Moody's preaching to the aged man, during his fluence of the aged man, during his fl sent instance. Careful statistics prove that each and confessed that he was guilty of the crime with the modest gateway leading into the interior, the large forwarded by the E. & Darents and therefore strongly attached to him the word of fine the word of him the word of rum-shop causes the death of at least one person which he had been charged. He immediately rewhich he had been charged. He immediately reare being forwarded to the Maine Legislature, now "Come here," he whispered, "and I will show you lot of about half the quantity came down the in session.... Rev. Dr. Maclise (Presbyterian), and something." It was a hack drawn up near the Intercolonial, for the same destination.... Mr. Fred Rev. W. P. Everett (Baptist), are holding Union curb, the driver and horse of which seemed asleep. Moore writes to the Telegraph from Morrs Camp, Meetings Hard times do not seem to affect the "Well," I asked. "That hack," continued my No. 9, Range third, Presque Isle Stream, contra-