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- THE work of revival in Boston is going forward gloriously. There is promise of greater success than has attended the labours of the Evangelists in any other City. This, notwithstanding the frequent statements prior to the beginning of the meetings, that the manner of labour of the Evangelists was not at all adapted to Boston, and that the whole undertaking would surely fail. Boston needs the gospel, simply and earnestly preached, and the Lord is making it His power unto the salvation of many. Thousands will be converted.

family ? If not, why not ? Can that home be truly highest and truest prosperity without the aid of This singular feature of Southern Florida is sumply (the 7th ult.), I spent in Kingsley, York County, a Christian home where God is not recognized by what is to them a foreign mission." But it is a shallow lake of vast extent. 'The water is from where I received a kind reception and had a happy the daily assemblies of the members of the house- equally true of our home churches that their only six inches to six feet in depth, and teems with meeting. Surely as iron sharpeneth iron, so does hold to praise the Lord for mercies received, and salvation from effeminacy or their decay lies in a to ask him for more? Some one says, "Blessed is hearty espousal of the cause of missions. Confined the home where the day is consecrated with prayer. | within the narrow circle of home, sympathies grow The neglect of this duty is often the source, and weak, energies slacken; love loses its stronger certainly the indication, of spiritual indifference. stimulant, unselfish devotion; and faith lacks the In the life of the Christian home, there is nothing vindication and confirmation which crowns its that exerts a more salutary influence over child- conquests over barbarism. As the Chinese woman's hood, than the season of family prayer. It is the foot, cramped and confined, renders weak and index of the hope in Christ which dwells in the nerveless her whole physical nature, so the dwarhearts of the parents, and creates an atmosphere fing and narrowing of Christian sympathy and full of religious influence and impression, that will charity enervate the whole character. never be forgotten by those who go from such a home into the work of life. The family altar

should anchor every home with a living faith and trust in God."

has been organized in Belgium for the avowed by illustrating national loyalty, and shows that the State makes it easy of access, and its facilities done in this direction. tants. It is not necessary to state that this Asso- | who profess to love the Lord are many :

HOME CHURCHES.

affords a striking illustration of the words of the Irish potatoes, and oats, are grown with considera- haste to meeting. wise man, "There is that scattereth and yet in. ble profit. The manufacture of turpentine, rosin, creaseth;" and the history of those that have refu. pitch and tar, is quite extensively engaged in. sed to send the good tidings, furnishes an illustra- The immense pine forests afford unsurpassed op-

than is meet, and it tendeth to poverty." In a this business was almost abandoned, but it has recent article in a Missionary Magazine, a writer been revived, and the State will soon take the lead deals with this subject as follows, illustrating his in the production of turpentine and rosin. The BARNES & Co., St. John, or remitted to the Editor, at statements from the experience of churches of his vast quantities of live oak timber of the State i knowledge. It is shown that "churches that used for shipbuilding, and the strongest and have closed their hearts to foreign work, have de- staunchest vessels are built of it. The cedar lined in numbers and strength. You will re- swamps furnish material for the manufacture of nember that Andrew Fuller saved the church at lead pencils, and, I believe, it is here, that Faber, Kettering from declension and extinction by enlist. the celebrated pencil manufacturer, obtains the ing its energies in the foreign field. While they wood for the pencils which bear his name. The forests and swamps contain an abundant worked for self, the Lord did not work with them. Fifty years ago thirty Baptist churches in Mary- supply of deer, wild turkey, quail, and all kinds of and declared themselves opposed to missions, duck and water fowl, and the rivers and lakes are while two alone took a stand in favor of them. stocked with a great variety of fish, and on the The two increased to thousands, while the anti- Gulf coast oysters are very plentiful. The greatmission churches diminished till they now number est objection to a residence in some sections in the seven or eight persons. Thus the Lord of the State is the mosquito, which are very numerous vineyard condemns the faithless owner of the and troublesome, and make hie almost unendur buried talent. Twenty-seven years after its estab- able. Sponges are very abundant, and a large lishment the Sandwich Island Mission must have trade is carried on at Key West in this article. broken up and disbanded, had they not extended Turtle catching on the western coast is quite a their sympathies and efforts to embrace others lucrative employment, and from them is made uary I left home to visit my old friends in Kingsmore destitute. Dr. Anderson, in a lecture on "The Development of Modern Missions," says, "It reans. Dade County has within its limits that brethren DeWare and S. W. Shaw, who are labor-

aquatic grasses and plants. In Orange and Volusis Counties are to be seen numbers of mounds, composed of oyster shells, covered with earth, some being 25 feet in diameter, and frequently the remains of Indians, in a sitting osition, are found embedded in them. The accession to the population of the State

during the past year has been greater than in any previous one, and the result has been a marked effect on its material prosperity, and the State is being rapidly filled up with an intelligent and industrious class of people, who preferred to ex-

LOYALTY TO CHRIST AND THE CHURCH. In a recent article in the Christian Intelligencer, terprising settlements are springing up, and life in this place are calling for help, but under exist-Dr. J. McHolmes stands up for loyalty to one's and activity is observable, where hitherto solitude ing circumstances it is hard to help them, unless by

Jacksonville, Florida, Feb. 2, 1877.

For the Religious Intelligencer.

BOSTON CORRESPONDENCE.

DEAR BRO. McLEOD-Bro. Parsons and I are in

Boston, availing ourselves of the numerous privi-

iges of this city, especially those of attending the

THE TABERNACLE.

State.

purpose of buying up and destroying the "Scrip- important as that is, loyalty to Christ is a still for water communication are unsurpassed. Its nutures and other bad books" circulated by Protes- more sacred obligation. The men and women merous rivers and streams afford excellent facilities for the erection of mills and other manufactories. ciation of Bible-destroyers is composed of Roman In these days when religion is rendered so re- The railroad system of the State is very imperfect

To every thoughtful person, it is plain that is of superior quality, and commands the highest to the enquiry rooms at the close of each meeting. Characteristics. It is not to be of our own securing, but it will come from God. "I will open you the world, and preach the gospe! to every creature," for about 70 cents per gallon. Corn, sweet and thousand men drinking in gospel truth. I must Yours, &c.,

> G. A. HARTLEY. Boston, Mass., Feb. 12, 1877.

DENOMINATIONAL.

MOUTH PRESQUISLE, C. Co.- Dear Bro. McLeodmay be interesting to the many readers of the INTELLIGENCER, to hear that the Lord is blessing the people here. Two weeks ago Bro. S. W. Shaw and myself commenced holding meetings with the church in this place. The Lord has given us and of the maintenance of public worship in the access. The church has been greatly blessed; United States, with the outlays of the people for many backsliders have been reclaimed, and are purposes of business or of pleasure. The county of now taking an active part in the meeting. Last them to the church. The interest is increasing. poses is as high if not higher than in any other The people come to meeting from many miles part of the United States. The value of churches

ing the Lord. We hope the brethren will pray for WILLIAM DEWARE. Mouth Presquile, Feb. 4, 1877.

P. S .- We intend doing what we can for the cost of those city churches is \$62,500. An average NTELLIGENCER.

the delicious turtle soup so much prized by epicu- ley. At Presquisle I spent part of a day with - FAMILY PRAVER.-Do you pray in your is impossible for mission-churches to reach their portion of the State known as the Everglades. ing in that place with profit. Part of Sabbath of the churches, is drawn from the public.

> ing the hospitality and friendship of the brethren, I was glad to know that the church has secured

one and received two into the church. The little church in this place is still living, and trying to hold on the way. In the midst of their prosperity average of about half a dollar a year to each inwas made sad by finding the deacon of the church confined to his bed the most of the time by disease. My prayer is that God may restore him change the ice-bound regions of the North for the again, so he shall be able to meet with the little more genial atmosphere of Florida. New and en- flock by which he is so much beloved. The people - DESTROYING THE BIBLE.-An Association denomination, in a way that we like. He begins reigned supreme. The geographical position of missionary labor. I hope that something may be

> Yours, &c., J. HENDERSON. Kingsley, York County, Feb. 12, 1877.

DONATION .- Dear Brother -- I desire through the INTELLIGENCER to express my thanks to my friends Catholics. The people themselves would not do spectable, and church membership is made so easy, and incomplete, but it is hoped that a few years in Upper Kent, C. C., for a generous donation if, were they not incited thereto by their "ecclesi- large numbers avow themselves to be the followers will witness a great improvement in this direction. given me on the 26th of December. It was the if, were they not incited thereto by their "ecclesi-astical superiors." These latter do not like the whether the mass of those thus professing godli-whether the mass of those thus professing godli-whether the mass of those thus professing godlischools are established, and these are the best evi. tian Baptists here. After a very excellent tea, a so many who call themselves Christians, the in-difference to the claims of the Redeemer which tion of the State is about evenly divided between Smith as Chairman. Bro. Smith presented me on lady who is receiving attentions of a Protestant the whites and blacks, the whites, perhaps, slight. behalf of the donors, with the amount of \$45.00 young man, with a view to matrimony. Thus the troversy of the present day, and the inaction which |y in the majority. While other portions of the in cash, and other valuable articles. After some Romish priesthood is gradually encroaching upon pervades a large proportion of God's people with Southern States have been the theatre of blood. excellent speeches made by the brethren, the com- the rights of the American people. Submission to reference to the overthrow of evil, and the exten- shed and anarchy, Florida has reposed in peace pany retired, feeling it was more blessed to give one demand of theirs only invites further agsion of the Redeemer's kingdom, we are prompted and tranquility, and the sectional feelings and than to receive. Not only have the people supand scarlet fever. Within three months there have ers of Christ loyal to their Lord? There is great lingering animosities growing out of the late war, plied my temporal wants, but have encouraged need of loyal hearts and true who shall rally have, in a great measure, been buried, and the me by their prayers when well nigh discouraged. beneath the banner of the Cross and consecrate situation accepted with that feeling of reconcilia- May I not only ever prove worthy of their esteem Ironclads-8 trigates and 3 corvettes; cruisers-14 Province with an abundant harvest during the themselves to all that is contemplated in this tion, which is so essential to the welfare of the and confidence, but may God bless my labors corvettes and 9 gunboats of the first-class; vessels past year. The blessing thus granted has counter-JOHN A. HUTCHINSON.

sea island, and short staple, are grown; but, the him, and then gets them to work for Christ. The keep back a part of the price. The bringing in of three families have been visited. One hundred latter forms the bulk of the crop. The long staple work is going on. Large numbers of enquirers go the tithes results in a blessing. Please notice its and nine of these will require the permanent as- into consideration the internal arrangement of characteristics. It is not to be of our own securing, but it will come from God. "I will open you the sistance of the association, and seventy-five require Messrs. Tweedie, Barker, Murchie, Flewwelling, what is done by Christian churches for the spread price in the market. The average yield is about Yesterday P. M., the meeting was for ladies only. Windows of heaven." It is not to be given by temporary aid for the winter at least. The aggreof the gospel in heathen lands, is not less a benefit 250 lbs. to the acre. Sugar cane is also grown to Thousands had to leave who could not get in. stint of measure, but in profusion, as the words, gate number of persons embraced in these families Mr. Butler referred to the daily journals printed to themselves. The history of those churches that a considerable extent, and yields from 8 to 10 brls. Last evening it was for men, when other thousands "pour out," strikingly imply. Then it is to be is, so far as known, between six and seven hundred. If the past two years and laid on the table, saying large, since "there shall not be room enough to the past two years and laid on the table, saying they had cost for 200, \$608 per session, while they receive it." Moreover, it is to be certain. God

has promised it as the result of the compliance THIS AND THAT. - It generally takes a Legislature with the condition specified, and his promises are a week or more to get ready to work.... Diphtheria which the daily journals had been secured was not all "yea and amen." Let us bring in the tithes, is in Fredericton. Scarlet fever is prevalent in present, and he moved that they be not furnished and we can safely leave the giving of the blessing the same City.... A young lady who claims to be this session. Resolution passed. with God. Though we may not know the precise the daughter of the late Cardinal Antonelli is form in which it will come, we may rest assured that we are heirs of the thing itself. The tithes in stirring the Vatican by threats to sue for a share which have passed between the Governments of the storehouse and the blessing poured out are in- in her father's estate. Roman celibacy does not bar Nova Scotia and New Brunswick on the subject of separable.

COST OF CHURCHES. [Christian Statesman.]

priests from fathership, especially cardinals.... The a legislative union of the Maritime Province last question raised for discussion in Presbyterian churches of the Scotch rite is whether the canon

service by comparing the actual cost of churches catch the first note with a tuning-fork No money by loan to pay off its public debt, sentence of death has been executed in Belgium Suffolk, Massachusetts, of which Boston constitutes week, I baptized eight happy converts, and added which the relative expenditure for religious pur- justice declared, however, that he would resign his was shown to them by the Dominion Parliament. the largest part, is selected as a community in increase lately of capital crimes. The minister of the duty of the Government to accord the same pondent of the Philadelphia Presbyterian under- the French people, away, on both sides of the river. Others are seek- in this county is estimated at eleven and a quarter millions-the number of the churches being one takes to prove that the Methodist Episcopal hundred and eighty. A large sum ; yet thirty build- Church which claims "to give every church a ings in the city of Boston, used for business pur- minister and every minister a church," has more poses, foot up to a larger aggregate. The average

of your valuable paper that on the last day of Jan- \$24,488,586. A train of cars, five common and one held a Ministers' Convention in Fredericton last of departments. Report was adopted. able and attractive country church costs about the week The Rothschild fortunes amount in the same as a palace car, \$10,000. This support of the aggregate to \$3,400,000,000; they are still making

In a town of Massachusetts the Lyceum course of spent four days in Woodland, where I baptized and even four dollars-the last named being exceptional, of course. The churches in the whole habitant of the United States. There is one other comparison which should not be omitted. The support of heathen worship in the East costs about individual in Siam is three dollars, which, taking into account the difference of wages and personal acome, would be equal to sixty dollars in the United States.

THINGS IN SHORT METRE.

BY PEN AND SCISSORS.

Bad for the young people .- The Catholic Arch shop of New York is carrying the spirit of the Propaganda into the social life of the people. He has issued an order relative to mixed marriages, in which he forbids the parish priests to give absoluOn motion of Mr. Tweedie, a committee to take

they had cost for 200, \$608 per session, while they were of no corresponding benefit. He was sorry the members who had moved the resolution by

Mr. Willis gave notice of an address for copies of all correspondence, telegrams and other papers

Mr. Rogers introduced a bill to alter the time of holding the general sessions in Albert.

Mr. Ryan of Gloucester, a bill to amend the Act Scribner's Monthly has just rendered a valuable against instrumental music forbids the precentor to authorizing the municipality of Gloucester to raise

Mr. Johnson, referring to a resolution on the since 1863. An effort is now making to have the report would be printed in French this session. He subject passed last session, asked if the agricultural death penalty restored, on the ground of a great said that under the resolution he thought it was office rather than allow an execution....A corres-What he asked was a small thing and the right of

The Secretary said he would answer in due

Mr. Tweedie, from the above named committee. reported, recommending that the practice heretovacant churches than the Presbyterian denomina- fore prevailing of the assignment of seats by the mile of equipped railroad in Massachusetts costs | tion. The latter has 1,070 vacant churches, and in sergeant-at-arms to the first applicant shall be con-\$64,584. The total value of railway property in the Methodist minutes 1,376 charges are marked tinued, provided, however, that old members who DEAR BRO. McLEOD,-Let me say to the readers that State is \$165,621,136; of church property "to be supplied.".... Several Methodist Ministers the customery privileges he extended to the here. the customary privileges be extended to the heads

SATURDAY .- A couple of bills were introduced. Mr. Willis gave notice of motion for an address business houses, and that of the railroad, like that money.... Blue covered books begin to circulate praying that in addition to the "detailed stateagain, for Parliament is in Session Was there ments of receipts and payments of the current celve lectures cost, in 1874, \$2,200; the church in ever such a year as this for donations ? And yet year up to the opening of the present session," a the same town cost for a year \$2,700. And when the times are " hard.".... As many as 40,000 are progress or partially completed, on which payments full and particular statement of various works in we come to the "getting up" of a "spectacular" said to have signed the Temperance pledge in con- have been made, and of all allowances for extras in a man's face the countenance of his friend. Enjoy- play at the theatre, the cost of about \$20,000 is nection with the work of Francis Murphy in Pitts- or on account of the department or any public works or services and a detailed account of the sometimes reached. The average price of a seat in church is set down by the writer in Scribner from burgh, Penn., and yet the work goes on....The burgh, Penn., and yet the work goes on....The funded and floating debts of the Province, may be five cents to fourteen for every public Sabbath average attendance at the Moody and Sankey laid before the House. Also, a like notice for the labors of Elder Harris a quarter of his time, service. The price of a concert, theatre or opera, meetings in Boston is put at 10,000.... There are copies of all documents, memoranda of agreement tickets, ranges from fifty cents up to two and three, many serious cases of diphtheria in Truro...Ontario and despatches in any wise relating to or connect-Legislature has a bill before it giving women the ed with the Provincial branch of the Immigration country are presumed to cost, as nearly as may be right to vote at Municipal elections....The bepartment in London or the continued representation of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick in London estimated, twenty millions per annum, or an Conversazione given by the students of the Uni- At 12 o'clock, Mr. Swim, at the request of the versity in Fredericton, on Friday evening last, was mover of the address, Dr. Dow, who was in the very successful Mr. George C. Needham, the Chair, moved the order of the day. Mr. Marshall, revivalist, is conducting meetings in Portland, in the seconder, made a speech, touching various points in the address. He was followed by Mr. Covert, one hundred times as much as the support of re- Maine, with much success.... Special religious the Provincial Secretary, Mr. Burns, ligion in America. The average cost to each meetings are being held at New Vale Colliery and Mr. Willis, Mr. Ryan (Gloucester), the Surveyor Sutherland's River, N. S., and much interest is General, and Mr. Johnson. The address was then being manifested Mr. Needham, the Revivalist. passed without a division. has been asked by the Young Men's Christian As-

MONDAY .- Mr. Willis gave notice of a motion sociation to come on here and hold meetings, as and statements of claims either in connection with before. His reply is favorable, and he will, if ar- the continuance of the grant of \$68,000 a year, or rangements can be made, doubtless come on as soon any other allowance or claim remaining unadjusted. Mr. Beveridge gave notice of a motion for

papers, &c., relating to the claim of James Tibbets for interest due on account of claims reported in his favor in 1869, by a commission composed of The Legislature of New Brunswick was opened Messrs. Harding and Dawson.

on Thursday of last week. At 3 P. M., the Lieutenant the expenditure of the Province the past y Mr. Butler gave notice for detailed statement of Governor and suit arrived. The Speaker and As- still to be made in connection with repairs upon when we see the worldliness which characterizes dences of progress and prosperity. The popula- meeting was organized, with brother William to a Protestant young lady, or to a Catholic young Chamber William to a Protestant young lady, or to a Catholic young Chamber William to a Protestant young lady, or to a Catholic young Chamber. His Honor read the following :-and documents thereto relating. Mr. Tweedle asked the Government if the River SPEECH : du Loup Railroad Company had been authorized Mr. President and Hon. Gentlemen of Legislative Council, to make any surveys of lands in Northumberland Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly, It is with great satisfaction I again meet you in The Secretary replied, in the absence of the general Assembly, that I may have your valuable Surveyor General, that an answer would be given assistance in the preparation and p assage of such shortly. measures as may be deemed necessary for the TUESDAY .- Messrs. McKay, McLeod, Barker, Pickard, Swim, Johnson and Theriault, were appointed a Committee on Agriculture.

- THE meetings in Chicago continue to be Moody and Sankey. All the churches are participating in the gracious work. Many conversions are reported every week.

been as many as 8000 deaths of children. The Times of that city says :

The city is full of grief-" Rachel mourning for | spiritual ensign. her children because they are not." The ample that how great is the present mortality among Christian duty. The Church is Christ's chosen ease among the infants have nearly the deadly force adapted to secure the salvation of men. Upon it of a pestilence.

pal diseases which affect this class are scarlet fever Its agencies and ordinances therefore deserve the and diphtheria, and that the prime cause of their hearty support of God's people, and with loyalty apread and malignancy are bad drainage and im- | and love should they all be cherished and sustainpure air arising from imperfect ventilation.

- BEGIN RIGHT. - To use a common expression, ple of loyalty to the Church finds its truest mana-Moody understands his business-and his business Jestation in loyalty to that particular portion of Zion a real, thorough work in Boston, it must begin are despicable, and must be made to bite the dust. with God's own people; take the ministers and But loyalty to one's own Church because it is a many places where there may be efforts for a re- Jesus. He most efficiently serves the Saviour who vival? If God's people are cold, will sinners be enshrines the Church with which he is connected warmed-if they are indifferent, will sianers be in his inmost soul, and is loyal to its doctrinal stanaroused? God rarely reaches over a cold dead agencies, its religious press, and its whole spirit church to get at the world. Have we not frequent- and life. ly seen that the work of conversion among sinners Happy is that Church that cultivates and mainfessed Christians? Brethren and friends in the to Christ; but not always as loyal as we should be churches, begin the work in your own hearts, and to our Church. Henceforth let us do better and saved."

-OUR INDIANS .- Mr. R. Hutchinson, in the Miramichi Advance, makes a plea in behalf of the Indians. Referring to the fact, that \$600 are given by the Dominion Government tor the benefit of those of Northumberland County, he thinks it is a " disgrace to the Government that so much money should be given for so little benefit; and he adds," without fear of contradiction, that the Indians are more degraded, intellectually, morally, and socially, than they were 50 years ago." A large part of the money appropriated is put into the hands of the priests for their spiritual instruction. But the poor creatures don't seem to profit much by that instruction. Mr. Hutchinson suggests, that "it may be that the spiritual instruction they get, is intended to keep them in misery now in order that they may avoid it hereafter.' To us it is clear that there should be a different and better management of Indian affairs, in this Province at least. The money given for their "spiritual instruction" is about the same as wasted, so far as the Indians are concerned. Mr. H. (referand we agree with him, that "even the, establishthem here or hereafter, and if the Government would, in place of needlessly throwing away \$600. youth, and even those advanced in life-and as no ed of decayed vegetable matter, which, by drammore money is necessary-it would be worth a ing, may be made very fertile. These lands are trial. If the attempt fail, the Governments can

ness are thorougly loyal to their Lord. Indeed. marked by great power since the departure of difference to the claims of the Redeemer which seems to be almost the normal type of much con-- CHICAGO is being devastated by diphtheria to ask with bated breath, are the professed follow-

At the same time, however, loyalty to the Church

statistics given in a late issue of the Times shows is by no means to be ignored as an integral part of children, and demonstrate that the ravages of dis- institution, ordained to promote His glory, and He has set the seal of his unqualified approval, and The conclusions of the article are that the princi- | within it He has centered His most valued interests. ed. Nor is this true alone of the Church Catholic

meetings of those godly and eminently successful and Universal. On the contrary the general princievangelists, Messrs. Moody and Sankey. Presuming that some of your readers would like to hear in Boston, he said : Now "it we are going to have wholly self-contained. Bigotry and sectarianism giving in a plain way, some account of the men and their meetings, as I have seen and enjoyed with God's own people; take the ministers and deacons first, and then go down to the pews." Church of Christ, and constitutes his spiritnal home in other words a healthful, hearty denominational-only. Bro. P. has been here some days longer. The Star asks, "Does not that apply to a good ism is a duty devolved upon every disciple of I may commence by saying, that in which the meetings are held, is a new building dards, its ecclesiastical polity, its benevolent built on Tremont Street for this especial purpose. t seats six thousand; but at nearly every service

there are eight thousand in it. It is admirably ar is in proportion to the work of revival among pro- tains on the part of its members a thoroughly ranged. On the platform, which is raised about loyal temper and disposition. To our country and six feet, are the choir, ministers, and especial

LETTER FROM FLORIDA.

(Special Correspondence of the Religious Intelligencer.) ing in a praise service. Soon the men whom I had so The State of Florida was discovered in 1512, by long been anxious to see, came in. Solemnly, quietly, dear, and without bickering—the profits are enor-confirmed sots! I was appalled and horrified. To ask you to consider whether the system might not very and if so the date or dates when such ada Spaniard named Juan Ponce de Leon, who, im- and unassumingly, they stepped forward to their mous. No legitimate business has such opportunipelled by a romantic fancy, that in the West there places, when both bowed their heads for a mo-existed a fountain whose waters restored the aged ment to God in silent prayer. Mr. Moody an-existed a fountain whose waters restored the aged ment to God in silent prayer. Mr. Moody an-ot curiosity. The curiosity and the passion can be Such are the fruits of rum-selling. to perpetual youth, raised an expedition for that nounced a hymn, commencing "Free from the awakened and stimulated at small cost and in purpose. His search for the immortal spring was | law," requesting the whole audience to unite with | comparative salety. This class affords a better fruitless, and in a conflict with the Indians, he re. the choir in singing the chorus. Mr. Sankey sang market than the older sinners. The latter some ceived a wound which proved mortal, and he died soon after his arrival in Cuba. In 1819, the entire the midst of such surroundings, listening to the the midst of such surroundings, lis ceived a wound which proved mortal, and he died the first verse alone. Every eye was upon himted into the Union as a State, in 1845. It contains not tell you how it sounded or just how I felt. A even your daughters may not be safe. Wherever Court of Indiana has recently decided that if a requirements of the public service. an area of 59,260 square miles, or 37,931,520 acres. strange glowing sensation crept all over me. It business offices, the unrighteous learning is taught formed within a year, it is void unless it is reduced There is, perhaps, no State in the Union, which seemed as though my whole heart was made up of by their corrupt fellows, or by the shameless resents such a variety of soil as Florida. This musical keys, being touched as they had never masters in uncleanness. The awful business of will be admitted, when we take into consideration been touched before. By the time the chorus was we have good reason to know that innocent the fact, that there is scarcely a vegetable product reached, and the multitude of voices sang the advertisements are offered to us, that our young of any section of the country, which cannot be words, "Once for all; oh ! sinner, receive it," my readers may be enticed after they have written for grown here, besides a large list in which Florida streaming eyes required the use of my handker- full information. It seems almost impossible to ring particularly to Northumberland) is of opinion, has the monopoly. There is a great variety of soil: chief. I never expected to hear such singing out. escape being used by infernal agents to sell their material world, and to transmit to the profane took his seat. from the low savannas of the St. John's river, to side of heaven. Mr. Sankey is not a correct singer; satanic wares. Fathers and mothers must look their dovecotes; the unclean birds fill the air. ment of a so-called godless school could not injure the high rolling lands of the interior; from the that is, he does not sing as the music is written, pine lands to the rich hammocks. The finest lands but gives the science of sounds, nevertheless. difficult and hazardous. The law cannot enforce in the State are known as "swamp," "low ham- Others can no more sing with him, than could our itself; there must be more organization against it. divide it, with what the Local Government will mock," and "high hammock" lands. The swamp people sing with old Father Hartt, in the days give, establish a school for educating the Indian lands are the richest in the State. They are form- when he sang the gospel. He is what I call a

MUSICAL ELOCUTIONIST.

among them to their spiritual good. Yours truly, THOS. FITZHERBERT. February 9, 1877.

WAASIS, S. Co .- It is pleasing to hear that the ships-1 ship of the line, 1 sailing frigate, 4 corabors of Rev. D. P. Harris are being blessed in vettes, and 3 brigs, vessel for harbor service-9 Waasis. Last Sabbath he baptized five converts. steam transports, 4 vessels serving as barracks, 5 REV. A. TAYLOR 18 OD a visit to Hampstead. He pilot boats, and 10 vessels for the transport of coal. will probably remain over two Sabbaths.

-----AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

> FOUL THINGS. [The Methodist.]

delicate tasks ever attempted. The scoundrals whom they pursue have the opportunities which

ion. Public opinion has to be approached with uggestions, because a full exposure would excite

It will not surprise any to learn that there is a his salvation depended on it." section of society whose living is made by creating vice. It has always existed, and the field which it

friends and workers; behind these are the enquiry 1. A vicious class, having many varieties, and its trade. His reply was as follows: God will carry it forward in the hearts of the un- not with sectarian selfishness, but with loyal lib- and private rooms. Sitting on this platform, and most numerous portion being characterized by a erality, let us sustain our Church and all connected looking over the vast audience, one sees a sea of wish we had not to say that taking pleasure in counted up the names of forty-four men who had the desirability of holding such an exhibition during faces, which, of itself, makes him feel solemn. unrighteousness of this sort has sometimes charac- all been regular customers of mine, most of them the current year. As I entered the first meeting, the vast choir, num-with such men is to visit an ante room of hell To for years. Thirty-two of these men, to my certain The municipal incorporations already establishone of the roads to fortune. The appetite pays and ten of the remaining twelve were then living efficient administration of local affairs, I would Province in July 1876 and January, 1877, respect-

> satanic wares. Fathers and mothers must look to This devil's trade must be made much more

His voice is powerful, clear, sweet and well ton- them take alarm. Let parents consult and organize dane matters.

tion to a young Catholic who is paying attentions

The German Navy List for 1876, just published, public interest. enumerates the German War navy as follows :--acted to a very considerable extent the unhappy for coast defence-1 iron-clad transport and 5 iron. quences that must otherwise have resulte clad gunboats, 11 torpedo boats, 8 gunboats of the second class, 6 avisos, and two transports ; schoolcommerce, and demands our grateful acknowledg-

During the course of the summer I visited various localities in the Province where I had not previously been since my appointment as Lieutenant Governor. Everywhere I found a loyal and, to all The South Carolina negroes seem to have started

as his present series finish.

THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

a new office-bearer in the church. The Spartanburg Sovereign, a cordial and hearty welcome. Herald says : "The Colored Baptist Church of In accordance with a resolution passed by the Limestone Springs has an official called a 'whip-House of Assembly during the last session of the Legislature, I sent a delegation from my Government to Ottawa to confer with the Dominion Government respecting the continuance to the Province harged with unusual discretion one of the most bent is an old woman about sixty, who wields the lars per annum, and the settlement of the equitable of the special subsidy of sixty-three thousand dolliabilities of the Dominion to the Province upon

Acting under another resolution of the House of regard to the power of the Legislature of the

subject will be laid before you.

remain in such a dreadful, degrading, and murder- with advantage be extended to other counties of vances were received and the amount thereof.

divorce laws, has wiped out the disgraceful statutes,

It is the greatest (we speak advisedly) evil of the mediums, there is nobody to guarantee the spirits. by the Lieuterant Governor, Dr. Dow moved the time-the one to be first and most zealously assail- The name of the guaranteeing spirit is, however, in address in reply thereto, which was seconded by ed. If there be ministers with unclean lips, let itself a tower of strength, and a name familiar for Mr. Marshall, and made the order of the day for

The Provincial Secretary submitted the reports and accounts of the General Public Hospital Mr. Phillips introduced a bill to amend the

from the continued depression in our trade and bill to provide for security of costs in certain cases. General Assessment Act of 1875, and Mr. Austin a Mr. Burns gave notice of a motion for a full and detailed statement showing what the assets and liabilities of the Province were and what the cash balance on hand was on the 8th February inst. ; also a statement of all monies lying at the credit of the appearance, a prosperous population; and from General, or of any department of Government in any Bank, or in hands of any financial agent, or in

tands of any person or persons, corporations, municipalities or counties; also a statement showing the indebtedness of the Province, or Government, or of Receiver General, or any department of Government or of the Province to any Government or to any bank, financial agent, or to any person or persons, corporations, municipalities or counties on the 8th February inst.

Mr. Johnson gave notice that on Friday next he

WEDNESDAY .- After routine, Barker gave notice Assembly, I made application to the Privy Council of motion for petitions of Robt. Morse, late of 104th of the Dominion with the view of obtaining the regiment, and Lawrence Cummings, of New Brunopinion of the judges of the Supreme Court with swick regiment, praying for grants of land.

Austin asked leave to introduce bill to further Province in the withholding of licenses to sell amend the chapter of consolidated statutes relaspirituous liquors. The correspondence upon this ting to County Courts. Mr. Speaker said title was faulty, inasmuch as there are no consolidated

spire confidence in our agricultural resources and might be amended. On motion, Burns, McKenzie, and Ryan (Glouof the Province, I would invite your attention to cester), were added to Agricultural Committee.

Mr. Covert gave notice that he will on Saturday next inquire if the Province has received from the Dominion Government any sum or sums of money,

Mr. Burns gave similar notice of enquiry, whether the Government at any time since the opening of I have given directions that the accounts of the amount then lying at the credit of the Province receipts and expenditures of the past year, and a with the Dominion Government, and understood for the current year up to the opening of the County Railway, and, if so, the date or dates of as being reserved for the construction of the Albert

Railway Company, or given authority to said Company to survey such lands.

Mr. Ryan (Gloucester) presented a petition from Having every confidence in your loyalty and Messrs. John Kerr, Theophilus Desbrisay, D. G. your devotion to the public service, I feel assured McLaughlin and others, in favor of the bill to that your deliberations will tend to the advance- amend the act authorising Gloucester Municipality to raise money by loan to pay the County debt.

Hon. Mr. King introduced a bill to provide for the equity sittings of the Supreme Court in different Counties of the Province.

Mr. Murchie committed a bill to secure the interest of mortgages in insurance real estate; Mr. Mr. Phillips committed a bill to amend the As-

ssment Act of 1875, Mr. Flewwelling in the

After being amended, the bill was agreed to.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

to writing and signed by the parties .- Exchange. The latest thing in Spiritualisim is a diploma issued by the "Spuit Legion" to a chosen medium ment of the public good. conferring upon him the right to " serve as a link Returning to the Assembly Chamber, Mr. Robt.

per,' whose duty is to give a thorough castigation to all parties violating the rules of the church or The Society for the suppression of vice has dis- the proprieties of private life. The present incumrod with a vim that strikes terror to all evil doers. liberty affords to push their netarious enterprises; and the society cannot ireely use the weapons over the shoulders of a young African on Saturday, New Brunswick in regard to these demands may be County. which liberty furuishes to expose the foul corrupt- her whipping is no child's play. She whipped realized at an early day.

four grown persons and children not enumerated, that prurient curiosity upon which the vice-breeders during the past week. The ' whipper' is not resisted, but the stoutest black stands as meekly as it

The Rum-Seller's Work - Meeting with a person,

cultivates is the world. At any point in the life of the other day, who had formerly been engaged in a generation, we shall find two classes of persons : the liquor traffic, I asked him why he left the As Provincial Exhibitions are calculated to in- statutes yet. Motion was withdrawn that title

supply the demands of this appetite for toul food is knowledge, had gone down to a drunkard's grave, ed in some of the counties having been tound to bonds, drafts, cheques, warrants or exchange

ous trade I could not, hence I abandoned it." | the Province. Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly, Indiana once a by-word because of her loose times examine goods; the former grasp them with and divorces are no longer a matter of course in

couraging breach of promise suits. The Supreme strict a regard to economy as is consistent with the Northumberland County for the Riviere du Loup

promise of marriage is by its terms not to be per- Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen,

of union between the material world and the 1mmanifestations from the spirit world." In St. On motion of Mr. Ryan, the Speaker appointed these valuable diplomas. - The Lancet suggests the difficulty that though the spirits guarantee the

sion have soiled their tongues with foul stories, let centuries as one quite busy in meddling with mun-

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen,

Marshall was introduced, and the oath having been administered by Judge Wetmore, Mr. M.

Petersburg there are several mediums possessing Messrs. Ryan (of Albert), Covert, Robinson, Burns, Ryan (Gloucester) in the Chair. Elder, Smith and Swim a committee on public accounts.

The Speaker having read the speech delivered chair. Saturday, at 12 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Fraser, Dr. Dow was made

	then say, we are clear of the blood of these hither-	ures, for the safety of their children. Let teachers con-		chairman of Supply.	On Thursday, Parliament opened with the usual	
	to much neglected subjects of Her Majesty." da. The low hammock lands rank next to the ed, and then he sings with his eyes, his ges	the sider what duties these dangers lay upon their	, Ing annual income of the charities of London	Mr. Marshall was added to the contingent com	ceremonies, The speech of the Governor Concret	
	to much negrected subjects of ther majesty." swamp lands in fertility, and will produce a suc-	The tout beacts will main and the	amounts to nearly twelve and a half millions of	mittee in place of the late Mr. Keans.	is quite rengenty. In it he refers to his	
	Much any interest of a large and alarge and alarge and alarge to be musically informed.	His and our children, if we do not combine to destroy	dollars. Of this large amount nearly two thirds is derived from voluctary contributions, the other	- The Provincial Secretary informed the House	Dritish Columbia; says the surveys of the Decie.	
	in some parts of Scotland by the prevalence of tion after a time. The high hammock lands are many souls and you will not wonder at this	d of them and their evil deeds.		that pursuant to resolutions, passed last session, an	Av. Av. nave been prosecuted with victory themat	
	in some parts of Scotiand by the prevalence of the and the state of th	ub an	for the other of the other	arrangement had been made with Mr D C Smith	the location of the line is not vet complet.	
	epizoetic among horses. So says the S. A. Journal: the most deshable fands in the otate, for the pur-		and being derived from dividends, property or	I III the meantime he would move that a post on the	the suspension and resumption of the Estavitat	
	"Within a period of about ten days it seems to pose of general agriculture, They are covered ache the make the					
	have spread with Sitest rapidity in the city of with many kinds of your of thirder, such as the		e entire revenues of many continental states, tor in-	under the direction of his honor the Speaker. Motion passed.	is being done on canals; to the opening of the In-	
	Edinburgh, in the county of Fife, in the neighbor- loak, hickory ash magnolia mahogany cherry prayer that God may bless the singing to the	good prophet Malachi, "Bring ye in all the tithes,"	stance being nearly double that of the kingdom of	Motion passed.	Consider R. R.; to the creditable exhibition of	
	hood of Leith, and in several other places. In beech, &c., and the surface is high and gently un-	with the promise which attends it, more appropri-	Wurtemberg If to this large our man all all	On motion of Mr. Butler, the Mines Committee was appointed as follows: Messrs. Butler, McKay, Ryan (Albert), Covert and Humphrey.	Canadian products, manufactures, and works of	
	Edinburgh alone more than 500 animals were at-	ate or worthy of consideration than during the	. In artemberg. It to this targe sum were added the	was appointed as follows : Messrs. Butler, McKay,	to effect a settlement of Albition; to the failure	
	fected with it at one time; and though the cases dualing. The one of the produces	opening weeks of the year.	e appropriations to the London poor through poor	Six hundred, covert and Humphrey.	Washington Treats and the Grains under the	
	were few in which it proved fatal, yet a number of crops in a highly renumerative degree. I then gave us one of his sermons, which was	just In seeking to heed the injunction, we shall do	rates and other sources, it is believed that the total	Six hundred copies of the journals were ordered	Washington Treaty; and to further treaty arrange-	
	deaths have been accorded.	is co- well to notice that it was given under the old and	a capenditure in charity within the bounds of the	to be printed.	The speech sense that an tribes of the North West.	
	As was very property expected the breaking out profitable engaged in Dischards will sidd find between the bear the	toria legal dispensation, while we live under a dispense.	great metropolis would be found to exceed twenty- five millions of dollars.	At the opening of the Legislative Council all the members were present except Messrs. Chandler,	The speech says that notwithstanding the loss of	
	of the disease has led to careful enquiries and ex-	but tion designated as the new and spiritual. A tithe	five millione of dollars	members were present except Messrs. Chandler,	our importations the reductions of	
	periments on the part of veterinary surgeons and crop, but the best crops are grown on the high orat ory or eloquence would be disappointed				the current year have gone far to restore the equi-	
	farmers; and in some cases the results described nammock lands. The principal expense connect- those expecting to hear good, old solid for	thful is the state has an amounthing which	A Sad Record. The Brooklyn committee of re-	Mr. Hamilton moved the address, and it was	librium between income and expenditure, though	
	The response and observating, and the still is the machinery used in crushing the I gospel preaching would be gratified Various	s are can promote the cause of the Redeemer.	lief thus sums up the extent of the disaster to	seconded by Mr. Beveridge.	great economy will be still needful to attain this	
	the oninione mental has been all h	him Among the tithes brought in, there will need be	families caused by the first the Dealth and	FRIDAY To enable Contingent and other Com- mittees to meet, the Speaker left the Chair atter	object. Parliament is to be asked to consider this	
	been witnessed in the United States and Canada. One acre of ground will produce about three for the first time. It is not uncommon to	those of self-examination, or the conscious self-	interest outlood by the month the Brooklyn Thratte ;	senting and the state of the black direct	peutebcy of making some change in the Toint Ut-1	
	The first of the first of books of strand when produce about three for the mist time. It is not uncommon to		"Of those who perished, thirty-nine left widows	Poutine until 12 o'clock.	Companies' Act; and the desirability of affording	
	- BEGGARS' MISSIONThe Independent tells of hogsheads of sugar. These lands are very abun- preachers say as they are coming out : "Wh	V he to God, of repentance and sin and of misimproved	who were entirely dependent on the deceased for	AL PILL CONTRACTOR ADDREED	AUDILIONAL SECURILY TO DOLLED FALLSAND OF THE	
	an interesting mission carried on by the English dant, and can be purchased from two to ten dollars is no preacher at all. He us nt a four hundred	dol- opportunities, and the proper confession of the	their support. Four left widows alone entirely destitute. Twenty-two left widowed mothers with	dollars for station of all of all of all of all of all	rance companies. A measure will be submitted	
	Baptists among the beggars of Rome-a very nu- per acre. About one half of the State is heavily lar man." In one sense that is just what I thm	k of same; of quickened faith in God, in man, and in		neivilege of franking for the session; that the	concerning the navigation of the great Inland	
	merous class in the city of rich ecclesiastics. "A timbered with yellow pine. Its manufacture and Mr. Moody. Judging him from his work,	the instrumentalities which God has ordained,	abildron who looked elmost evolusies and with	members that the Correspondence be allowed to	waters; one to provide for the permanent prosecu	
	a state of the sta	especially prayer and the preached word; of conse.			NUL UI THE MEDIUMINI SHEVPUT AND TON THE	
	room has been engaged in Trastevere, on the Tiber, where two meetings a week are held. The beg- gars are provided with shelter, and thus feel them- with most of the and it finds a ready market, and, in the years to come, Florida will supply the markets of the world with most of the and it finds a ready market of the world preach the gospel. He is not only doing a	oours cration with all the completeness and fullness of	taken away for their sustenance. Eight left	trank telegrams for members on public business only; that C. A. Wood be engaged to do the neces	ment of the weights and measures act, and the	
	where two meetings a week are held. The beg- and it muss a ready market, and, in the years to of such a man. He is a man of God, anoint	d to meaning which the want suggests, and of service.				
	gars are provided with shelter, and thus feel them- acives under obligations to receive religious in with most of the vellow pine consumed. It sells work in winning south to Christ, but he must	great In harmony with the church of God, and, at the	away by the flames, and who are now entirely de-	each issue of the several newspapers withlight of	amend and consolidate the laws relating to cus-	
	reives under obligations to receive religions in. I with most of the vellow blue consumed. It sells I work in winning souls to Christ, but he must	alan same time, varied and stantaucous, in addition	I nondont up on the charity of stars	the Province be ordered for the use of the House	toms.	
	struction at the hands of their benefactors They at the mills for from ten to eighteen dollars new do a great weak in modifying modern and	to all these titles, we would not neglect to mention	sisters and brothers who had depended on them.	the Province be ordered for the use of the House. The committee also reported that pursuant to a	Guthrie and Richard moved and seconded ad-	1
	learn Scripture verses and listen to exhortations. They thousand. There is much land in the State- At a recent meeting, in response to the question, especially in the eastern part—which is poor and ness as it appears to me lies largely in his all	the tithe of material substance which is required	i sisters and biothers who had depended on them,	The committee also reported that pursuant to a resolution of the House last session, a quantity of	dress in reply to speech. Nine new members took	
	At a recent meeting, in response to the question, especially in the eastern part, which is pointed, poweran add a triptural. Insy	reat under the new dispensation, as well as under the	B routh-nac houng men desurched tett bateuts mpo	stationery had been imported for the nea of the	unert seats,	
	At a recent meeting, in response to the question, especially in the eastern part-which is poor and ness as it appears to me lies largely in his all how many sere willing to give up the priest and sterile and thereadd of the second sterile and thereadd of the second sterile and the second sterile a	onity old. Together they constitute " meat" in God's	s had learned to lean on them in their declining	House, and they recommended that the bill there- for, amounting to \$418.08 he naid	The Premier presented the general report of the	
	Their as their haviour 170 answared Vos and thousands of acres of swamps which i to plan and to execute his plans in worl	cing. I house, as onerings complete and satisfactory. The	vears and on whose and their families mainly de	for, amounting to \$418.08, he naid	department of public works.	
	and 70 professed conversion. Many of these beg- are considered irrectaimable. In the eastern and He is a	and the De brought 10. A part will not	pended for existence. Eleven widows who are	After dianer the Clerk appound that the	The report of the public works department	
	gars are from country towns, to which they return northern portions of the State, the raising of cot-	have I cought thee " To have many door enisted	about to become mothers are numbered among	Speaker was unavoidably absent, and that the chairman of supply would take the chair	day for the greating of	
	in the spring and find work. I ton is the staple production. The long staple, or He gets ministers and every live worker and	und dearth come who Ananias and Sapphira-like	about to become mothers, are numbered among	chairman of supply would take the chair.	ter, N. B.	
	a set bei stad als with the	lend a domain and uno' tenenter may helberto.TEC		Dr. Dow then took the chair.	The carnings of the Intercolonial share	
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