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For ONE DOLLAR the INTELLIGEN-CER will be sent to new subscribers from the date of receiving the money till the end of the present year (December 31st,

- Next Tuesday is the Queen's birth-day. The Governor has issued a proclamation making it a public holiday.

his family physician.

- To day (May 20th) is the date fixed for the isissued simultaneously in England and the United

- The Czar of Russia is said to be determined to the statement. preserve the present autocratic form of Government. which is equivalent to saying that he is not very careful to preserve his life.

- Halifax correspondence No. 8 is not on hand severely punished. this week. Bro. Minard's church work was so pressing that he could not prepare the letter. It will probably appear next week. We are glad to hear of his success in the church.

- Some of the papers or news-makers, are just not yet been made "by authority," however. - In the editorial note in this column last week

referring to the batch of Knights prospective, we wrote,-" and the distinction will scarcely be greater." The printers made us say "destruc-

"I have just set up a home of my own, and feel

that your valuable paper (the Intelligencer) will be the plain duty of the Dominion Government to add much to its comfort. I therefore enclose, &c." provide for the argument in favour of the Act. The in that home as in hundreds of others.

box. They have a horror of the jingle of money in the Lord's house on the Lord's day. They think time of this writing, heard when the case will be it unseemly, a sort of desecration. The real trouble heard, or whether any provision has been made for with most of them, perhaps, is that they dislike to the defence of the Act against the assault of its oppart with the cent (they rarely give more) they ponents, but expect to know all about it in a few have to contribute-for appearance sake. -There is nothing that requires so little real

ability as to find fault, whether it be with home, friends, the community, the preacher, the church, or even the whole world, christian and non-christian. All grumblers are not fools, but any fool has ability enough to grumble. Fault-finding might be excusable if it ever made things better. But it never does. It adds to the bitterness of life, of which there is already enough.

what is put down in biographies as the works of the the not distant future. Spirit is the work of the devil. Probably he is right. He might have gone farther and said that a good deal of what is said concerning "the deceased" in the average funeral sermon is considerably aside from the truth, and helps forward the work of the evil one rather than the work of the

set about trying to remove the wrong, being care- If he knows it, would be jealous of himself and This experience of closed doors should never be the King of Kings rests (what is mortal of him) near ful that your effort is made in the spirit of Chris- doubtful of his faithfulness when the avowedly un- allowed any weight, except under the following the old Fort at Presquisle, where in the years gone

- There is an old story of a coloured preacher who allowed his hat to be used for a contribution box. When it came back from its collecting tour in the congregation and was found to have little or nothing in it, the preacher is said to have loudly

The rector of an English Church, dissatisfied with the amount of the collections, took a different course. He had frequently complained that the offerings that God loves them and has provided salvation in means, or evidences whereby a man may be assured were too small, but his complaints effected no im- Christ, that out of Christ there is no salvation, that that it is the will of God that he should preach. provement. On a recent Sunday after the churchwardens had delivered the bags, he emptied the contents and exclaimed, " Not enough! go round again." It is added that the result was very satisfactory.

Like experiment might be tried in many congregations-those for instance which, composed of one hundred or more people, give a collection of sixty cents or thereabouts.

was formally "dedicated" last week. There was O wicked man, thou shalt surely die; if thou dost the presence of the critical Strauss, the versatile and the various churches scattered around in the scripture reading, singing, prayer, and an address. not speak to warn the wicked from his way, that Renan, or the harlequin Ingersoll "according to country districts, he is even now pressed beyond Dr. Cheney, President of Bates College, Rev. Silas wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood the power that worketh in him mightily." He who measure. Only yesterday I heard him say that he the franchise. Cartis, Rev. G. W. Porter and others took part in | will I require at thine hand." the service. A description of the Park says "it has every natural advantage. The land has a good

- The Duke of Argyle who recently left the Mr. Robertson. Nineteenth Century his reasons for differing with to telling Conkling that if Robertson is confirmed tist Church (if I am correctly informed). Bro. they not feel the need of a sacrifice for sin? Ah, them. The fundamental principle on which the the names withdrawn will be presented again, but Shaw's parents are still living. His father is a yes! all their heathen rites and ceremonies point to Duke rests his objections to the Bill is this: "Every if Robertson is rejected other names without refer. deacon of the Baptist Church near his home. He the fact that they feel the need of an atonement of land in Ireland is a measure tending in the right with only four dissenting votes, to deal with the servants, of his own and other denominations. its owner; its head was soon laid on a block and sential elements, and by reducing all owners, more And now there is great excitement. It is supposed of bringing scores of souls to Christ. Until he to the idol.

-Periodically the story of somebody being buried alive floats through the press from end to end of the country. Such stories find many believers, and they greatly alarm some people, awakening fears that they, too, may be buried alive. For the last month or six weeks the statement has been going through the papers that a young woman in a Pennsylvania town was buried alive. The story said that the body having been taken from the grave to be removed to a Western State, where the young woman's parents lived; the discovery was made that she had turned over on her face and clinched her hair with her hands, etc , etc.

Now this story proves to be false. The editor of he N. Y. Observer on seeing the statement wrote mmediately to the Post-master of West Middlesex, the place where the young woman died, and received the following reply :

"In answer to your inquiry of April 30, will say that the report is false in every particular, except | - The ladies, at least those of them who favour was buried on the Saturday following. The snow istry who were never intended for it is, doubtless, exception to this paragraph I would ask him if he health, notwithstanding the heat. female doctors, will be pleased to know that the being very deep at the time, the sexton made a true; some of them honestly, though mistakenly, has not known others who have from the same to another person. The error was discovered the cisely the same position as when buried. Before suing of the Revised New Testament. It will be burial her parents had requested that the body be laid on the right side, which was done.

> sister of the deceased, the undertaker confirming The Observer adds, that every story of the kind

story is guilty of a wanton cruelty, and should be not of God.

-The Rummies are again a little jubilant. Their counsel, Mr. C. W. Weldon of this city, received word from London on Saturday that the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council had consented to hear the case in appeal from the decision now sending the Marquis of Lorne back to England. of the Supreme Court of Canada in the matter of substance, asked by each is: "In what way or by He was also a man of prayer. If ever a man was From the streets of the city he gathered twelve of the They say he will take his departure immediately the Canada Temperance Act. The case will thereafter his Manitoba trip. The announcement has fore be argued before the Judicial Committee, though when is not stated. We are not at all sorry the matter is to come before the highest tribunal, and hope an early decision may be given, whether it confirm or make null and void the Act. Of course, in common with the great host of temperance people in the Dominion, we hope the Act may be sustained, and there is very good reason to believe - Every home needs a religious paper, and will it may be; but if not, it is better to have a definite be better and happier by reason of its visits. One and final decision, though adverse, than to be in who has just begun married life wrote the other uncertainty and constantly assailed with threats

Now that the matter is to be argued it seems to We hope the Intelligencer may do much good Law embodies the will of the people as expressed through their representatives in Parliament; the Government, as representing Parliament and people, — Some people object to the church collection should bear the expense of showing the right of the joying. Of the number of converts baptized by Farm School, were modeled somewhat upon this

Meantime we must urge the friends of temperance not to lose heart. Rummies will try to persuade them, in their peculiar way, that the Law is sure to be "cast overboard." Don't believe them; they know no more about it now than they have known from the first. Let the work go on ; entorce the Law where it is in operation, and bring on an early vote where it has not yet been adopted. Everywhere the cause is prospering as never before: and nothing is surer than that the whole rum crowd - Spurgeon expresses his belief that fully half of sis to be put to flight, utterly demolished, even, in

— It is a doubtful compliment to a minister when is sermons have the warm approval of the godless. t is possible for a minister by his very faithfulness mpress the most godless, and win from them words to succeed in nothing is the alternative. This is man died trusting in the Christ had preached to felt the force of what he said. But when the com- clude that a man is called to preach. For many lived, but he entered into his inheritance when he in collecting pledges to Halifax Mission. Every-- Does something go wrong in your church? It mendations of the godless consist in such phrases as, have failed in every thing they ever undertook, died. It is quite reasonable to suppose that he is not a rare thing. So long as churches are com- "That's about right;" "There is no narrowness and many who have entered the ministry after such might have amassed a good property had he given posed of weak and erring men and women mistakes about that preaching; "That is broad and suited an experience have failed utterly in that. More himself to money making. Strong, physically, will be made, and many things be other than is to the times;" "That's the doctrine we believe, than one congregation has had reason to groan, blessed with good judgment, and a good judge of desirable. Do not expect perfection; you are not it gives us unconverted fellows a chance;" "No when compelled to hear two or three times a week, human nature, he might easily have won success perfect yourself. You should not expect to correct 'straight and-narrow-way' orthodoxy there," etc., or oftener, from an unsuccessful pastor, that "he in the world. But that success is for less noble the wrong by speaking of it in harsh complaint, nor etc., the preaching is of doubtful quality and never would have entered the ministry if the Lord souls; true success builds for eternity. "After by withdrawing from the church. It is better to utility, and the preacher is on dangerous ground. had not shut up every other opening.

good because it tells on the hearts and consciences he will be destitute of an inward assurance. of men, is that which proclaims with no uncertain The Free Baptist Park at Old Orchard Beech warn them from me. When I say unto the wicked, of Him that sent him, could preach without fear in Dr. Phillips. With the care of the Bible school

- The politicians amongst our neighbours are elevation and the trees are magnificent. There is having a nice little quarrel just now. It is a family a hotel site, and two boarding houses are now being squabble, confined wholly to the dominant party, erected. There is a large lot for a denominational the Democrats looking on, doubtless enjoying the head-quarters, and a "Temple Square," where the affair and hoping in some way to profit by it. The ago Rev. J. R. Shaw has passed to his rest. His the Bengali service one in Santali is held for the temple will be built in which all meetings will be of New York. The quarrel came about on this six years of age. The funeral was on the 9th ult. Santals: at four o'clock there are Sabbath schools in felt want, but has been artificially stimulated. But ple will be built soon. It will cost \$4,000 and seat the Senate for configuration of the senat ple will be built soon. It will cost \$4,000 and seat 1,500 people. It will have octagen windows and 1,500 people. It will have octagen windows and was Mr. Robertson for Collector at the Port of New held at Dr. Phillips' house for the English-speaking baboos and others who may wish to come. There will be prettily designed. Cottages will commence to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to spring up on the grounds at once, and there will to be forced to do so by dischard his name withdrawn declaring if it two thousand to twenty-five hundred people, the sary meetings of the Free Baptists will be held at sary meeting to the Free Baptists will be held at sary meeting to the Free Baptists will be held at sary mee sary meetings of the Free Baptists will be held at this place. There will be a meeting the last of next this place. There will be a meeting the last of next this place. There will be a meeting the last of next this place. There will be a meeting the last of next this place. There will be a meeting the last of next this place. There will be a meeting the last of next this place. The ministers present were Revs. Messrs. McDonald, It would take you into a labyrinth to attempt to sense. As one of the noblest Christian workers for temperance and Christianity says: "I see that neither sex can exert the peculiar form of influence stifled with suffocation and sickness, and curses and contract the prevent his confirmation by the Senate. The Present were Revs. Messrs. McDonald, It would take you into a labyrinth to attempt to describe farther the routine of work and the avenues stifled with suffocation and sickness, and curses and July, or the first of August, to continue ten days."

A good many lots have been already sold. We again to continue ten days. "

Conkling's next move was to get the majority of the solution of the arrive service. Bro. McDonald preached which are daily opening for the entrance of light which is natural to the other, and I will not risk the loss of my influence as a woman by seeking the loss of my in A good many lots have been already sold. We hope our brethren may have great enjoyment there.

Being so convenient F. B.'s from "the Provinces Being so convenient F. B.'s from "the Senate to consent to deal with the uncontested an impressive sermon, interspersed with touching reminiscences of their work together as ministers in been patented under the name of electrophone.

But the picture is too horrible to be looked at, and the sound too dreadful to be listened to. This no

every tenant in Ireland (except existing lease-hold- or Conkling? The latter was the ruling spirit of indication and this is so much in consonance with the Oriental character, emigrant steamers on which all these horrors of the ers), indiscriminately, and without the least refer- the Grant administration. President Hayes would year 1863 he commenced to preach. Of his strug- free from the bondage of Hindooism. May they that the charges are believed to be true. had the smallest reason to claim it, a right to sell tempt upon him through his whole term. He tried preach not the gospel," until he yielded to God's the sin of the world."

A CALL TO PREACH.

ief that no man should take upon him the office | fear to tread." and work of the Christian ministry unless he be How often the writer of this article has heard is attached. One can get punkah pulled several plainly called thereto of God. He must, in some him lament his lack of education, as well as conse- hours per day for a few pice. It certainly is a great following day and the body was removed and buried the smaller number, vainly ambitious to secure you it is weakness, and a weakness born of pride,

lest they should be in error. The question,-in good pleasure to give you the kingdom. what means or evidence can a young man be assur- eloquent in prayer, then Bro. Shaw was eloquent. ed that he is called by God to the ministry?" The His prayers were eloquent by reason of their earneditor submits the following observations with the estness, and because a warm heart indited them. hope that they will be helpful to the anxious ones : Slow and hesitating when he rose to speak to men,

to think or feel any thing contrary to it. He who the Most High, talked as one who in secret had has such evidence will never ask this question. ces as to leave no reasonable doubt of its divine of him that stopping at the house of an unconverted

leadings will make a call to the ministry seem so own conversion; the spirit sent the arrow home, marvelous movement attracted visitors from variprobable, that the best judgement will command and although he was a hardened sinner, he slept Dr. Stowe visited his establishment and gave a very that the experiment be made in humble dependence not until he had prayed for himself. Bro. Shaw interesting account, in the educational periodical on divine help.

impulse, which, taking all the circumstances into be large. account, raises a powerful presumption that the suggestion is of God. This is to be carefully discriminated from the good-natured, flippant suggestion | were conversions in all the churches to which he often made a young man who has been fervent in ministered. It was while holding special meetings for a preacher," etc. Such remarks have spoiled death, so that it may be said of him, "He fell like many a good blacksmith, farmer, clerk, or schoolteacher, to make an inefficient preacher.

in the spirit of entire consecration to his gifts, graces, and of his greatest possible usefulness, may lead to the conclusion that he can do more for His love for his brethren was strong and true; he | Conference, Rev. G. M. McDonald, wishes us to If that conclusion strengthens as he grows in grace, "assuredly gather" that it is the will of God that to preach his funeral sermon. "Tell my brethred he should preach.

the truth, and his earnestness in its atterance to all other openings may be shut up. To preach or among his latest atterances. And so the strong one was baptized and welcomed to the church. f commendation and an acknowledgment that they the most uncertain of all grounds on which to con- others. He died rich. He was poor while he

godly pass the word around among their fellows, conditions: (1) Obvious capacity to succeed in by the soldiers of the King marched to the strains concerning him, "Mr. A. is to preach to-morrow, other callings, but inexplicable, providential im- of martial music. come and hear him, he is sure to give us something pediments to entering upon or pursuing them. (2) A widow and child mourn for the affectionate liberal." There are too many who desire "smooth The belief of the church that the brother is called husband and father, and claim the promise of Good words;" the preacher makes a grave mistake who to preach. (3) Marked result of the preaching or to the widow and fatherless; and a daughter in the panders to that desire to the extent of speaking of any spiritual effort which the person inquiring far west will mourn when the news of her father's either more or less than is warranted by the word whether he be called to preach may make. But death reaches her. and heartily expressed his thanks that his hat came of God. The preaching that pleases God and does where these conditions exist, it is improbable that And so, year by year, God calls His workmen

These are the principle modes in which the will the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers. sound the Bible truth that men are sinners and lost, of God is made known. There is no uniform way, he that believeth shall be saved and he that believ- But "how shall they preach except they be sent?" eth not shall be damned. Such, and such only, is The inward conviction that a man is called of God set thee a watchman unto the house of Israel; there- and persuasive. He who ascends the pulpit with which leaves to-morrow (Sunday). fore thou shalt hear the word at my mouth and the assurance that he is about to declare the will First-don't expect many letters just now from is without the assurance may teach, he may declaim, but he cannot preach.

REV. J. R. SHAW.

son and wished his name withdrawn, declaring if it Middle Simonds, to pay the last tribute of respect speaking natives where there a preacher or a devot-

drawing all the New York nominations but that of ing parents. They early dedicated him to God, the Christless souls tossed on this surging, rolling

his holding 'for the best price that can be got'- hard to have Grant renominated for a third term, call, we need not speak; they are known and under-

ter class. New York may, probably will, endorse Those who knew him best loved him best, and those pleased to be questioned concerning any part of the of corruption." Their headquarters he stigmatizes Conkling, but the country at large is evidently in who knew him best knew that he possessed more work, etc. sympathy with the President. The progress of the than ordinary abilities. A man of strong common There were several hail-storms here during the phitheatres where unhappy souls are spiritually pire lies uneasy, little more can be said for the affair will be watched, even outside the U. S., with sense, ready tact, and an intuitive knowledge of month of March; the grass is now beautifully fresh murdered." He singles out for special execration Russian people. Everything is in a state of disquiet interest. It will be a good thing for the Republic- human nature, he only needed proper mental train- and green, but it will not remain so long. The hot the Christ-like work in which some Christian women and uncertainty, not unlike the condition of the an party, and for the whole country, if political ing, to have placed him in the front rank of preach- scorching winds and occasional sand-storms make in Dublin are engaged, known as the Prison Gate bossism" as represented in Conkling gets worsted ers. But that training he lacked, and all his life it necessary now to close the doors quite early in Mission. His language shows how intense and the capital, in all the chief cities, and throughout he felt hampered and trammelled by his deficiencies. the day, and have punkahs moving. As you doubt- virulent is the hatred of the leaders of the Church the provinces. The iron band which for centuries The evangelical denominations agree in the be- where he failed, "For fools will walk where angels curtain attached, suspended across the centre of the of Gospel truth is working.

must feel, in some form, the "Woe is me if I and how he would suffer Jonah's remorse for his the least mental effort is made. I am happy to say that the girl is dead. She died on Thursday and preach not the gospel." That some enter the min- disobedience. If any brother is disposed to take that the members of the mission are in their usual believing themselves in the path of duty, others, cause been led into the same disobedience. I grant in the proper lot. When taken up it was in pre- public position and recognition. It is quite as true, but its cause may in a majority of cases (in these also, that many whom the Lord has really moved days, thank God,) be removed. There are sources to enter the ministry have failed to do so; some of of weakness which cannot be helped or hindered; The above information was given to me by the them have known their duty and, because of the some are hereditary, the sins of the fathers cursing sacrifices demanded, refused to do it; others, deeply the children; some are physical, some are mental, and properly impressed with a sense of the great and others are the effect of adverse circumstances. I tion and excellent sense, His work is discribed in and solemn responsibilities of the office, have in Let us not carry burdens we can lay down since Zion's Herald thus: it has investigated has, like this, turned out to be very timidity shrunk from the work, persuading there are so many we cannot lay down. Those who a pure fabrication. Any one who starts such a themselves that the promptings they have had were were intimately acquainted with Bro. Shaw knew that he was consecrated to the work of his Master. In a recent number of the "Christian Advocate" He was a man of "one book," his Bible was his is an article in answer to questions received at va. daily study and guide, and a retentive memory had He found an old cottage at the Horn, a short distance rious times from young men troubled as to what treasured up many sweet portions of the Word. A from the city, with uncultivated land around it they should do. They think and feel they are favourite passage, and one he frequently quoted From the name of its former proprietor, rather called to preach, but fear to enter upon the work | was, "Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's

strong as to leave no doubt-to make it impossible and in beautiful, scriptural language he addressed a time, with their aid, he built another cottage, for

in Kings and Westmorland Counties, and there prayer or in exhortation, "I guess you are intended | that he contracted the cold which resulted in his a soldier-he died at his post." For nearly two years he was unable to preach; he was anxious to 5. A comprehensive view taken by a Christian get well that he might work for his Master. His sufferings were intense during the last months of his illness, but were borne without murmuring. point unmistakably in another direction, he may sent at his funeral; and requested Bro. McDonald Secretary at once. to be faithful and to love one another; " " I am on 6. It is probable that in the providence of God the rock, the waves do not reach me here," were gracious work in our midst. Last Sunday evening life's fitful fever he sleeps well." This soldier of

home. Let us not forget the injunction to pray

INDIA LETTER.

MIDNAPORE, April 2, 1881. DEAR BRO. McLEOD, - Early this morning I walkthe preaching authorized by the Most High. Any to preach is worth more than all the learning of the ed to the post office and became the happy recipient other "gospel" than this is false and delusive, schools (without it) as a qualification and as a of a number of home letters, among the number lulling men to sleep in their sins and sending them ground of confidence. When such a man speaks yours of Feb. 12th. Perhaps one could live in deceived and unprepared into the presence of the men feel that he has a divine commission. His India without home letters, yet I wouldn't like to is improved. great Judge. "See, thou, O son of man, I have arguments may be defective, but he is convincing try the experiment. Now just a word by the mail

'would like to go up in a balloon to-morrow morning, get rested, and come down in time for Sabbath preaching in Bengali at seven o'clock, A.M., either by In 1880 4,566 registered, but only 1,967 voted. The in the midst of hundreds of young women who live has now gone to his reward. Dr. Bacheler, Dr. Phillips or Jacob Mishra, the Philadelphia press affirms that this is the showing in his presence day and night. If they remove their As announced in the Intelligencer a few weeks native pastor of the church here; at the close of of the official statistics. upon the President checkmated Conkling, by with- Our lamented Bro. Shaw was blessed with pray- to be scarcely more than skimming the surface. O!

ence to the fact whether he has ever acquired it, or not do his bidding and he fought him, and cast con- gles from the time when he felt, "Woe is me if I soon "Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away

readily submitted. He is a strong man of his class, July, 1866, he was ordained at Victoria Corner, C. bath school. We hope to hear a like report from is worth anything. He declares in his recent pasthe distribution of public patronage. But the Pre- The editor of this paper, in a brief reference to mation I can give that will increase the home inter- Dublin. He denounces the Protestant missionarsident is a strong man too, and of another and bet- his death, spoke of his faithfulness as a friend. est in this work I will be glad to give. Will be lies as "unscrupulous men and woman and emissaries

A man of less sensitiveness and of duller perception, just having more assurance, would have succeeded article fan used at home. Here it is a pole with a reveals at the same time how deeply the good leaven of Gospel truth is working.

Nihilism is constantly threatening those in power, and the people generally are manifesting strong of Gospel truth is working.

J. B. HOOPER.

A GOOD WORK.

Dr. John H. Wichern who died in Germany a few weeks ago, did a work, the good effects of which will live forever. He must have been, as is said of him, a man of great personal consecration, eminent devo-He was a theological student, and was ordained

as a missionary in the city of Hamburg. He saw that the surest way of saving the lowest and criminal portion of the community was to rescue the boys her long ago. and girls exposed to an impure moral atmosphe than from its rude appearance, he gave it the afterward memorable title of the "Rauhe Haus." Here wildest little Arabs and took them into the cottage. making them his children, eating with them, study ng with them, and working with them. The effect pon them was wonderful. Without bars or corporal punishment he subdued them, won their love, 1. On some minds the spiritual impression is so on his knees before God his tongue was unloosed, and kept them from running back to the city. After good, it now looks better than ever. a family of girls, and in the progress of years built up a village of children's homes, with chapel, worklearned how to pray. When engaged in revival his shops and schools. He was at the head, also, or 2. Again, the impression, though not overwhelm- days and nights were spent in prayer. In his sleep, the city missions of Germany, and had a practical ing, will recur so often and under such circumstan- even, he frequently audibly prayed. It is related preparatory school for young missionaries of both sexes connected with his institution, these students man, his heart was awakened in the night by the ers and mothers of his families, while preparing for forming the instructors, elder brothers, house-fath-3 In other instances providential openings and sound of prayer; it was an earnest prayer for his their future scenes of labor. The success of his had been praying in his sleep--a prayer born of published by Hon. Henry Barnard of Hartford. 4. Sometimes godly men and women in their and expressive of the anxiety he felt for the soul of Somewhat similar institutions were established in 4. Sometimes godly men and women in their devotions are so impressed that another person is devotions are so impressed that another person is like unconverted man whose hospitality he was entropy of the anxiety he felt for the soul of France and England, and in America. Lancaster bank business the management of the national debt, your mind to such a degree that you will not be nent may be responded to by an inw ard him we have no knowledge, but the number must plan. Mr. Wichern commenced his work in 1833, of the note circulation of the country. Some idea ears, and you find yourself bound hand and foot. and continued in it for nearly half a century. He of the magnitude of that work might be formed A man who is out of business is to be avoided as The last seven years of his ministry were spent follow him while the world stands has now rested from his labors, but his work will when he told them that there were no less than the most dangerous reptile. He lies in wait to in-

DENOMINATIONAL.

HARTLAND, C. Co. - We learn from the Sentinel that the Hartland Free Bapttst Sabbath School held an anniversary meeting on Sabbath, 8th inst. The occasion appears to have been one of consider-

BLANK FORMS. - The Corresponding Secretary of Christ in the ministry than in any other vocation. had ready excuses always for his brethren who were announce that he has this week mailed to the Disprevented from visiting him during his illness. He tricts the blank forms of Reports to be distributed and diminishes in force and certainty as he grows spoke of the strength and comfort Bro. Taylor had by them to the churches. If any District Clerk was the cheapest. The last four years had not been cated to the fourth generation for appointing a cold in the religious life, especially if self-love would given him by his visit, and invited him to be pre- fails to receive the forms he should notify the Cor.

Others are expecting to go forward soon.

May 11, 1881.

I hope my agents in Nova Scotia will be prompt and he could but congratulate the banking comthing depends upon their success. Yours truly, B. MINARD.

PERSONALS. Sir Chas. Tupper is expected in Halifax this week. Sir Leonard Tilley will be acting Premier during he absence of Sir John A. Macdonald.

Jeff. Davis the ex-President of the defunct spend a part of the summer in Canada. Archibald Forbes, the famous war correspondent,

ailed for Fngland a few days ago. He expects to return to America next year, and complete his tour. pastor of the Free Baptist Church, Yarmouth, has | ing place in connection with their respectable estabresigned his charge.

ie leaves for Kingston. Vice Chancellor Blake of Ontario has resigned

is brother, Hon. Edward Blake. Hon. J. H. Crawford, Solicitor General of this

Province, has returned from Boston where he has been since December. It is stated that his health

VOTING WOMEN-A good deal is said about giving women the right to vote. The agitation is confined chiefly to the United States, and does not trouble this country yet. It appears, however, that when the right is granted not many women exercise Three thousand four hundred and sixty-four

women registered as voters in Massachusetts in services." The regular services of the Sabbath are 1879. Of this number only 2,291 actually voted.

SLAVERY .- Again the cry comes from the Upper

Gladstone Government because he differed from his

The names withdrawn include all Mr. Conkling's

The names withdrawn include declares that he has seen a crowd of children, at the very residence of the Governor of that Province, measure which can be prudently and justly taken ence to Conkling's preferences will be sent in. On is a well-to-do farmer, and proverbial for his hospifor sin. Passing a heathen temple one day I saw parties, as we brand cattle, or slit or cut their ears. with a view to increase the number of the Owners Monday the Republican Senators in caucus decided, tality; his house has ever been the home of God's what I supposed was a pet kid being gently led by A steamer with barks in tow were taken for this direction. On the other hand, every measure which Robertson case; thereupon Conkling resigned his Teaching his children to kindly care for and respect with one stroke of a large cleaver the head was are now boasting about their success, and a large raid, and the booty was over 10,000 slaves and a large lot of cattle. The very sodiers engaged in it tends gratuitously to impair or destroy Ownership Senatorship. Platt, another N. Y. Senator, and a God's servants, God honoured him, by calling his severed from the body; the blood was caught in a cattle-park, with thousands of beasts in it, recently altogether, by cutting out of it some of its most es sort of man-Friday to Conkling, also resigned. son to the ministry, and making him the instrument vessel, and, amid the beating of drums, presented established, show the results of the excursion. But or less completely, to the position of mere rent charges, must be a measure tending in the wrong and Platt, which will be, so far as the N. Y. Legis-gave little promise of his future life-work. Blessed said to me. "We are Christians just like your there charges, must be a measure tending in the wrong and Platt, which will be, so far as the N. Y. Legisgave little promise of his future life-work. Blessed said to me, "We are Christians just like you, there regarding the accusations made by those not in the regarding the accusations made by those not in the roung women being utterly ruined before the voyage. direction, not only at the present moment but for lature is concerned, a rebuke of the President. It with the physique of an athlete, excelling in all is no difference." "Do you believe in our Saviour ring, and pretends that nothing now occurs in that young women being utterly ruined before the voyage can conceive that the money spent in them daily all time to come." As contrary to the principle is probable, however, that there will be a warm manly sports he, naturally, was thrown into the babu?" "Yes, I believe Jesus Christ was a good teintory contrary to the laws of humanity. Eyecompany of those who would not help to train him man, nothing more." "Yes, I believe Jesus Christ was a good teiritory contrary to the laws of humanity. Eyegross and gratuitous fabrication, the civilized world witnesses, and especially English officers and trathe Government Land Bill—"to confer by law upon The question is simply who shall rule—Garfield for the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for sin?" "Our prayers are our sacrifice." | vellers, declare that these assurances are all put on for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in the nine-have for effect, especially the indignation, and this is so great sinners are, and whether or not there are any state of the service of Jesus Christ. But in th

There are twenty-six paper mills in Canada. There are twenty-six paper mills in Canada. There are twenty-six paper mills in Canada. The aggregate daily circulation western world may be able to receive and find work is at 3,581,187, and the aggregate annual circulation

all the churches and Sabbath schools. Any infortoral that "an active warfare" is being carried on in by name as "centres of moral pestilence and am-

A MEETING of the General Executive of the Dominion Prohibitory Alliance is to be held in Toway, hear the voice of the Lord calling him away cration, and tell how he had avoided certain places luxury, rather a necessity, in this climate, where route on the 26th inst. The meeting is called to from every other work to that of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat often causes the brain to reel when promote systematic alliance work throughout the intense heat often causes the brain to reel when promote systematic alliance work throughout the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and and (Jonah-like) refuse to obey the voice of God, the intense heat of the minister, and the minister is the minister of t culating general petitions against retrogressive legis- one can divine. lation by Parliament, and other kindred subjects will be considered.

BETTER LATE THAN NOT AT ALL. -Some friends is struggling to free her home from debt. The

Carleton Co. Teachers' Institute is to be held in Woodstock on July 7th and 8th. From the programme issued by the Committee of Management we judge it will be an interesting session.

toria written on the occasion of the worthy man's assassination, which they prize very highly

THE BANK OF ENGLAND. At a banquet given by the Lord Mayor of London

o the Directors of the Bank of England, on the vening of February 28th, Mr Birch, the Governor of the Bank, made some interesting remarks upon the management of that great machine of exchange. The business transacted by the Bank of England 236,500 accounts open in the public funds; that volve some one in a scheme. If encouraged in the the number of bank-notes issued during the last least he will follow up his advances with a presistyear was above 15,250,000, representing a sum of ency that will make it very difficult for you to escape £338,000,000 and a similar amount cancelled, an aclin the end. urate register of each operation being kept, so that any note paid into the bank during the last five years could be produced within a minute or two with information as to the channel through which t had found its way back to the bank, although the thought that the bank was extravagant in cancelling the notes which come in; but the matter had been well considered, and it was calculated that if they for merely boarding attendants at the public schools, were to keep a register of the notes, as it was a or for visiting families whose children so attend. and the autumn of 1878 must be fresh in the mem- is threatened to be withheld from future infants. a very satisfactory position at the time, and the as a means of forcing them to withdraw their child-HALIFAX. - Dear Intelligencer, - We are having a knowledge that they could lend a hand to outraged credit in case of need, might not have been without its influence. From the position he had occupied he naturally watched with anxiety the crisis pro luced by the failure of the City of Glasgow Bank. munity in general upon the admirable manner in which they weathered the storm.

WHAT THE PAPERS SAY.

EMIGRANT SHIP HORRORS.

(Canada Presbyterian.) It is surely the bounden duty of all who have any regard for ordinary decency and civilization, to say othing of Christianity, to do everything in their power to put a stop to those nameless horrors in onnection with female emigration which Miss Southern Confederacy intends, it is reported, to O'Brien has lately been discussing in the Pall Mall Gazette. If such things as she speaks of, or week on a charge of drunkenness. anything like them, are taking place under the shelter of either the English or American flag, it is more than time that the whole world should know, and that an effectual remedy should be applied. No ture will prohibit the black pipe and the cheroot at Rev. Dr. Day, who has for a dozen years been the possibility of anything like what is alleged takshments. But the past has shewn that nameless Prof. Fletcher of the N. B. University is to be been unerringly and unanswerable brought home infamies, which were at first stoutly denied, have presented with a memorial by the students before to very respectable institutions and to those who posed as very high minded and philanthropic individuals. The denials of the steamship companies may be taken for what they are worth, but they canand resumed the practice of law in partnership with not be regarded as any answer to Miss O'Brien's atements. Nor ought they to stay for an hour the most rigid and impartial investigation into the whole | April. facts of the case. What does the lady say? "Between two decks, better lighted than the woman's quarters, was a larger space open from one side of the ship to the other. From either side of

> pended about three feet from the floor. I suppose each of these hammocks would carry about 100 persons. They are made of sail cloth, and being sus pended all around from hooks, were perfectly flat. Narrow strips of sail cloth divided this great bed into berths. These strips of cloth, when the matresses were out, formed divisions abouteight inches high; when the mattresses are in it must be almost level. Now on these beds lie hundreds of men and women. Any man who comes with a women who clothes, they must do so under his eyes. If they move but over the prostrate bodies of her fellow- large majority of whom are teachers.

a long central walk to the outer walks of the ship

were slung with two enormous hammocks, one sus-

the sound too dreadful to be listened to. This no brutal or impure dream, it is the truth. It is a living horror, menacing the lives, honour, and souls doing everything in their power to encourage emi- or blood poisoning. The animal lives but five or gration, and especially the emigration of female ser- six hours. A number of the finest milch cows have vants. If there is anything approaching the state of things described by Miss O'Brien, who would ever think of inducing any decent girl to face such horrors? The Presbyterian speaks of certain good people We have all read of the unutterable abominations who pray with great regularity for the church, but that used to prevail in emigrant vessels crowded with never let an eccasion go by to stick pins in the young women on the long voyage to Australia, but the generality of people have been comforting themselves with the idea that all that belonged to a state of things which had entirely passed away, and righteousness is a patchwork of scalps." especially that the voyage across the Atlantic could now be accomplished, even in the steerage, if not with any great amount of comfort, yet with a toler-

In Ireland, the Christian at Work says, Protes- for all who come; but emigration on the terms and that is, to the highest bidder, unless the owner can but failed. Now he has undertaken to "boss" stood by those who have had like experience, and prayer meeting in the Fredericton Church, and also tant work is making itself felt, if the testimony of under the conditions indicated by Miss O'Brien is object to that bidder on some specified ground Garfield, and is mad because the President has not only by them—the true ministers of the gospel. In of the successful efforts of the children in the Sabthe country from which such immigrants come as

CONDITION OF RUSSIA. (N. Y. Observer.) No country in the world at the present time

exhibits a more deplorable state of things than Rusearth before the breaking out of a volcano. Deep ary plans. The new Czar, without exhibiting any sposition to relax the rigor of the ancient rule, appears to be occupied with plans for his own safety. With great secrecy he has been preparing a fortiin case of personal attack, but he does not seem to Dominion,—The relation between the Provincial be taking counsel or making any provision for the Branches and the Council, and how can all most safety of the people. He is thus putting himself efficiently co-operate, -The action needed to secure | and putting the Government farther and farther the adoption and enforcement of the Canada Tem- away from the sympathies of the nation, and perperance Act,—The best time and methods for cir- the near future. What a day may bring forth no haps preparing for a more disastrous explosion in

The vastness of the Russian Empire is one great source of weakness. The character of the popula tion prevents intelligent consolidation, and when once the spirit of disaffection shall begin to spread, have just presented \$3,000 to the widow of John Its population is spread over an area of more than Brown the hero of Harper's Ferry, whose memory eight millions of square miles, and it is aiming at has been kept fresh in the song, "His soul goes further extension, instead of strengthening its power marching on." The widow lives in California and by wise action. No army would be sufficient to verspread this territory and hold it, without a disosition on the part of the people to sustain the United States ought to have done something for Government. Some change must take place which shall bring the Government and the people nearer ogether and in closer sympathy. If the Czar does TEACHERS' INSTITUTE. - The next meeting of the uot change, some sort of revolution appears inevitthro

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TRAINING OF CHILDREN. (Christian Advocate.)

The training of children is now sadly neglected. Nothing worthy the name of training is seen in JOURNALISTIC.—The Christian Union has donned many families. Neither system, nor obedience, nor a new dress. The old one was good enough for an deferential treatment of superiors is demanded or ordinary paper. The extravagance of a new suit enforced. The most demoralizing books and papers must be taken to indicate prosperity. Always to smoke and soon after to take beer; they are are permitted, and often procured. Boys early learn allowed to go out in the evening, to do as they lease about attending church, to play cards, go to THE FAMILY of the murdered President Lincoln the theater, and to have and spend money without have a four page autograph letter from Queen Vic- having to account for it. This has been going on about twenty years, and the harvest is just coming in. From every four boys left to themselves this way, there may be one who has the making of a man, but two will amount to nothing, and the family is fortunate if the fourth does not turn out to be a drunkard or a thief.

THE IDLE MAN. (The Telescope.)

Beware of an idle man. He is Satan's agent to get you into trouble. He is full of schemes and

SCHOOLS AND PRIESTS (N. Y. Observer.)

How the Romish priests love the public schools in Belgium comes to light by an investigation set register represented 77,000,000 notes, stowed away on foot by government. It appears that the "priests in 14,500 boxes. If stitched end to end these notes | refuse the sacraments to pupils of these schools would extend 12,500 miles. It was generally and their parents; that absolution is refused not only to father and mother, but to grandparents, incles, and aunts; that persons are excom without moments of anxiety to the banking world, schoolmistress objectionable to the priest. Baptism ory of most of them. The Bank of England was in | The last sacrament is withheld from dying parents

THINGS IN SHORT METRE. [BY PEN AND SCISSORS.]

God does not pay off every Saturday night; but he is sure to "settle in full" some day. The son of a man worth half a million dollars was

ecently convicted in New York for burglary. Dr. Sheldon Jackson endorses the statement that the language of the Pima Indians consists of nine words, 10,000 grunts, and innumerable signs.

One of the popular New York clergymen is said to have an income of about five thousand dollars a year from marriage fees.

A son of an ex-President of the United States spent a night in a police station at Washington last

Smoking at the polls is objected to by the Massachusetts women, and the prospect is the Legisla-

Increasing temperance in Scotland is showing its good results. The average daily number in its prisons the first quarter of this year was 2,544 against 3,008 throughout that quarter of last year. A Boston paper says that "May is an unlucky

month for marriages." The other unlucky months are June, July, August, September, October, November, December, January, February, March, and The habit of American girls marrying Italian ounts has slackened up a little of late. A life of following around a hand-organ and passing the tambourine for pennies is not as attractive as formerly.

Boston has proposed a good "notion" to the

Legislature, to authorize judges to exclude all

niners from court-rooms during the trial of criminal or civil cases where they are not required as witlesses or parties. What a noble work, to organize 1,400 Sabbathchools, with 11,000 teachers and 70,000 scholars, and that was the work of Stephen Paxson, the wellis, or calls herself his wife, sleeps as a matter of right known Sunday-school missionary in the West, who

The average salaries of the inferior clergy of the

A remarkably interesting experiment has just been made at Calais and Dover, between which across the Atlantic as from one room to another. A Council Bluffs, Iowa, despatch says a very fatal lisease among cattle has been raging in the sur-

ounding country for several days. The disease is

very contagious, and is pronounced to be anthrax

emigrant steamers on which all these horrors of the middle passage are not to be met with. Wholesale during the year. The aggregate daily circulation

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