ia different parts of the colony, harmoniously ing something written by the Reformer him-regard to any of us that all opportunities may 93,137 tons Red and White Pine Timber : and successfully.

Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, has been He read, and read, and understood what he probation. graciously pleased to favour this colony with read. After finishing the Introduction, he sive property for sale, with the avowed inten-

wretch who happens to displease him, though come into this colony, where they find a refuge from his oppressions; and multitudes more are said to be only waiting the opportunity of slipping safely over the boundary. He is of course very much vexed at this diminution of his subjects; but like Bunyan's giant, SUGGESTIONS FOR THE NEW-YEAR he can only bite his nails and fiercely grin at those whom he has no power to molest. The Zulu nation, as you are aware, lies North East of this colony, the Tugela River being the boundary between the two countries. Twenty-five years ago the Zulu nation was exceedingly powerful, and spread terror througheall South Eastern Africa: but now it Umpandi is hated by the people of this colony, and by many of his own subjects; thousands would rejoice in his death, and feel that a great nuisance had been removed from this part of the world. Missionaries have more than once of greater improvement this year. We desire New, similar conflicts with passion and sense; tried to settle in his country, but he gives to commend one thought to the consideration similar temptations without and within, similar temptations without and within similar temptations within the similar temptations within the similar temptation within the similar temptati throwing away his life by staying there contrary to his orders. Many people, both black and white, have heretofore been in the practice of visiting his country for the purposes of trade; but he has lately expelled all traders from his domitions, and (it is said) has sta-result from doubting this. Decision and retioned spies along the Tugela to inform him solution cannot be sustained without believing only see no better time but never again, all if any have file temerity to enter. He keeps it. an immense number of women in his harem. though he acknowledges no one as a wife.-Silently, one by one, the women disappear, and their place is supplied by others. But what becomes of them? Give to clubs and seldom or never lessen: and especially is this spears a tongue, and they will tell a tale of the case in regard to breaking off our natural horrors almost surpassing human belief. But courses and confirmed habits to pursue a life of why are these victims of his lust also made the godliness. Those who have effected this, and victims of his sword?. Because he wishes to leave no issue, and have no competitors of his power.

POWER OF AN OLD BABLE.

a letter of one of Dr. Pinkerton's correspon- course will never lead to the kingdom; the dents in Germany :---

Memel, came home to dinner one day, and will it be to retrace our steps, every one of said to his wife : "You must not be astonished which in returning is to be wet with the tears to see a very large Bible brought into the of repentance. Indeed considering whose house this afternoon; I have been buying it at administration we are under how can we auction. In passing through the street I per-doubt? The administration of God is one of ceived some young men laughing aloud at the perfect wisdom and justice which does not alfoolish idea of expecting any one to bid for an low amendment or improvement. If we could old Bible. The want of respect vexed me, find a duty enjoined without adequate means and I stepped forward and offered a good price; for executing it, or one that was unseasonable, no one else bidding, I naturally am become that might better be deferred, then we have the proprietor of the Bible : but I have had the found a just occasion for neglect and disobesatisfaction to see these young men withdraw, dience; but it is at the expense of the wisdom ashamed of their jokes at the expense of God's and justice of Jehovah, and before we impeach Holy Word."

The large volume came to the house, and fallibility, and for weeks was found in the way of every per- It is God who has endowed us with our seson in the dining-room, where it had been de-veral abilities, it is He who has ordered our vaposited. It could never find a convenient ricus conditions, and it is He also who apcorner, and no one thought of opening it.

proprietor discovered that Luther's Introduct monize. If children are exhorted to seek valuable edition of the Bible, with commenta- are exhorted to embrace the present moment,

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Woe betide the into the hearts of perishing sinners.

CHERRICHAN VISITOR.

NAINT JOHN, FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1850.

for serving and obeying God.

Procrastination and neglect must inevitably

Experience we think establishes this fact. We know that until the mind is resolved upon an immediate commencement of any difficult undertaking occasions of procrastination those who for years have only been resolving upon it are equally aware of this; obstacles and difficulties do not lessen. If this great work ever was done or ever will be, it will be by " breaking off" (the scripture phraseology is peculiarly expressive) "breaking off our The following pleasing incident is given in sins and turning unto God." The natural further we proceed in it, the further we go out In 1823, my eldest brother, a merchant in of the way and the more difficult and tedious these we had better consider well our own

points us our duties; and we may be sure At last one of the younger brothers of the therefore that these will most perfectly hartion to the Epistle to the Romans had been the Lord early-to remember their Creator in printed before that Epistle, and that the work the days of their youth, it is because these are contained many other explanations, taken the most seasonable times, and the best confrom the writings of Luther and others. It sequences will ensue : "That they smay rewas in fact, not the Word of God alone, but a joice and be glad all their days." So if men ries for the use of families. Luther's name and do with their might what their hands find first attracted the attention of the young man, to do, it is because there never will be a more

a certain degree of self-government. A Co-read the epistle to the Romans: his eyes were perfect practicability of the present. We may 5,062,000 superficial feet : 1,326,000 feet of lonial Legislative body has been appointed, opened to the leading truths of revealed reli- at all times find some who are happy in the Boards. with limited power to pass and execute laws. gion-sin, law, grace, holiness, &c., and the service of God; in the darkest and most trying | Shipped in 1843:-125,974 tone Pine All these laws are to be revised, and such as young man, who had often before endeavored times there are those who remain faithful, and 8,531 tons Birch : 1,386 tons Spruce: 93, are not liked, will be annulled by the Home to read the Bible, and wondered how little he these how many or how few-soever they may 061,000 superficial feet Deals: 6,742,500 Government. I am sorry to say, that three of understood of its holy contents, had now found be are God's witness against all the rest, that superficial feet Railway Sleepers: 1,283,400 our enterprizing and wealthy merchants, (bro- the key to the Divine Volume. He likewise is, their obedience and service prove concluseet Boards. thers,) have taken the gold fever, and there is understood that it had now become his duty sively that obedience and service at these every reason to fear they will soon be carried to spread the knowledge of that Book in the times are practicable, and those who excused New Books just received and for sale themselves on account of difficulties acted at the Depository .- Ollendorff's Method of He went to Konigsberg, and commenced without a good reason, for others show they teaching to read, write, and speak the French tion of seeking to increase their fortune in the laborious study of German theology under were all surmountable. We shall thus always and Spanish languages, without Master. the late Dr. Olshausen, and has ever since find that what discouragements and difficulties, These works are of great and deserved reputa-Umpandi "the great black king" of the looked back to that most wonderful event, as what arguments and incentives, what helps tion, and to those whose means or circumstan-Zulus, is as big a scoundrel as ever. He the beginning of many a blessing that has since and hindrances "have been are now, and ces will not allow the regular aid of a teacher; seems to have inherited all the cruelty of his by his preaching in various countries and lan-what is to be, hath already been ?" this was re-they will be found to be the very best of their predecessors, Chaka and Dingan, without their guages, been brought by the Word of God marked by the wise man and left on record. class. They combine to a great extent the If we have hitherto had a good and sufficient Grammar, Dictionary, and Phrase-book We will only allude to one fact more, that excuse for living in sin and disobedience we Price of the French volume, 6s. 3d.; of the by ignorance or accident; as the tyrant claims eight young men, who belonged to his small may despair of ever seeing that convenient Spanish, which is considerably larger, 7s. Ud. and exercises the right to butcher offenders, congregation at Strasburg, are now preparing season of which so many times we have fondly burn their kraals, and plunder their cattle.— for the Gospel ministry as missionaries in dreampt. He who has deceived us in times for Pastors, Sabbath-school teachers, and for second teachers, and the second teachers teachers, and the second teachers teachers the second teachers teachers. past will still be practising his deceits, and his whole object will be secured and our souls form, with new type and additional matter. ruined if he can hold us observing the winds We have sold very many copies of this valueand watching the clouds, and neglecting to ble book, and would now call a more general sow till the seed time is past. If we were under attention to one of the best helps to the Bible a human administration we might expect it to for Teachers and Parents with which we are vary; Experience would be constantly teach-Resolutions adopted under unusual impulating wisdom, and improvements might be antises, and without the deep conviction of our cipated both in the laws and in the manner of MACAUBAY'S HISTORY OF ENGLAND AND own feebleness and fickleness cannot be ex- enforcing them; but now we must look for no LAMARTINE'S HISTORY OF THE REVOLUTION pected to result in much good: this however new thing under the sun; that is, in the way of IN FRANCE, 1848 .- A new lot of these popul should not discourage the honest and consci- improvements, which shall make duties dess, lar histories. Winter evenings may now at a entions from making resolutions. Though re- or crossas lighter, or encouragements more very cheap rate be made to contribute to the solutions alone effect little, a man without re. powerful. Hence the bible is the book for all happiness and improvement of old and young. solution will accomplish still less. Our ages and all nations. The unconverted man Each, in paper covers, Is. 3d. per vol. 2 wels. is fast crumbling to pieces, and retains little Churches it is to be presumed have generally finds as true a representation of all his object bound, Macaulay, 5s.; Lamartine, 4s. 6d. observed the annual season for special prayer, tions, all his prejudices, all the suggestions of as recommended by our Associations, and it is his mind and heart as thought they had been ration of sketches and skeletons of Sermons. to be presumed that some, and we hope many drawn with a particular reference techniself. Price, 13s. of our readers, regretting their lack of service Christians too, find a copy of their own, expethe past year, are hoping and desiring a year rience related in the bible, Old Testament or of our friends as of vital importance, and that lar afflictious, similar trials; in fine, in all is this: The present time is as favorable a these respects times change not for the better; time as we can ever reasonably expect to have but on the other hand every evil habit of single dulgence or neglect is confirmed by continuance, and if ever therefore we would hope to amend, we should do so now ; we shall not things considered, one so favourable.

If these matters shall be thus regarded, and a suitable resolution made under Divine aid, we shall confidently expect that in tendering to our readers the courtesies of the season they will amount to more than wishes, and that with many 1859 will prove a happy year.

OUR DEPUTATION TO ENGLAND .- We learn by last mail that our brethren were very successfully prosecuting their labour in Liverpool; they had not up to that date laboured elsewhere. The amount of £120 sterling was forwarded by them to the Treasurer of the College, Rev. John Chase. We hope they may say the sentiments advanced by your corresthus succeed in other places.

has baptized 70 or upwards. Brother Bur-

prevails through that vicinity. We would be dus sustained to the primitive churches?bourhoods. It is a good custom-" I will tell among the ministry of that age? you what He bath done."

THE ECLIPSE: or Ruin of the Lovely by Extract of a Letter to the Editor from Rev. Bavid Strong Drink .- This neat little pamphlet from the press of J. & A. M'Millan, has been laid upon our table, which we find to be a Temperance Tale, by our respected bro. Rev. J. D. Casewell. This nice little offering to leading brethren would do their duty as they of Temperance, and we hope may contribute to the extension of that, most excellent order. It is a Track of 16 pages; price 3d. For sale by J. & A. M'Millan, and at the Depository. The this secret y wastern

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Correspondence.

FOR THE CHRISTIAN WISITOR.

MR. EDITOR, Without attempting to gainpondent " Levi," even if I were able to do so, as he appears to have swept from the arena of The Revival at Yarmouth, we under- Gospel order, all the Ministers in our connexion. stand, continues and extends. Brother Reed who at the time of their ordination were not appointed to the Pastorate of some Church, tou's church also, is sharing in this refresh- or who have not been able to sustain that re-A protracted meeting was in progress at inform us what relation Timothy and Titus, Digby Joggins, last week. The spirit of revival Barnabus and Silas, Aristarchus and Secunmuch obliged if our brethren in these favoured Were these ancient brethren who occupied places would communicate for the comfort and such a prominent position in the establishment encouragement of those at a distance, the par- of the Apostolic Churches Pasters of any of ticulars of the work in their respective neighthem? If not, what position did they occupy GAIUS.

- beandmine Erandal.

"I am sorry that you are so poorly sustained in the circulation of the 'Visitor,' and ought it would not be the case. If all our Ministers would circulate this paper in their respective congregations, its benefits would be felt in their own souls, the advantages in reading it would not only assist them in preaching, but their hearers in improving under that preaching, both in understanding and practice. I have several times met this objection in pleading the cause of the paper, that it would