

circulated as possible, but a few copies of it, and also of the Sermon alone, may still be had by the friends. The circular instit of publications similar to that under consideration, will be a best way of disseminating light and knowledge amongst the people of this Province, on the evils of ecclesiastical encroachments and priestly domination. But your Committee of King's College remind the members of this Society, that such a circular—if we cannot be maintained without a supply of money. Alas that a small stated contribution from each church in the Province, would afford a sufficient amount for the purpose.

In endeavouring to carry out the objects contemplated in the third Resolution, your Committee, at their meeting on the 10th of October last, instructed the Corresponding Secretary to refer this to the English Baptist Union, in compliance with the spirit of that Resolution, and to enclose a copy of the Report of the Sermon already referred to. Your Committee have extremely an- ingly to regret that this has not been done. They can only suggest the propriety of fresh instructions being given on all active point to their successors in office.

The next Resolution imposing any direct duties on the operation Committee, was that relating to King's College at Toronto. As soon as Parliament was convened, copies of the Petition which was adopted on that subject were forwarded to the next session of the Legislature for presentation to the Legislative Council, and to Mr. J. H. Price, M. P. P., for presentation to the Assembly. Replies were received from these gentlemen, stating their presentation in the respective Houses.

When the bills relating to the amendment of the Charter of King's College were introduced into Parliament, your Committee, as soon as possible, met for their consideration. In the of two Resolutions were passed and immediately forwarded to Montreal, but arrived there long after the measure had been disposed of for the Session. As the measure is one of the great importance, and as it is now fairly before the public with more over, the meeting of Committee at which it was considered was a very small one, your Committee would recommend that the bills be taken into consideration by the Union itself, in Parliament.

We have now arrived at a very important crisis in the history of this Province. A measure is now before the people, which is taking their dearest rights, which much exceeds in the liberal result of its provisions what was generally expected from the measure from whence it emanated. By proper exertions on the part of those who have been hitherto aggrieved, and their representations, that which is beneficial may be carried into effect and that to which we object may be expunged or materially modified. Every thing tends to encourage us in the measure. The delay which, by a combination of influences, was obvious than that by the opponents of the measure, so far from proving disadvantageous, as was by many anticipated, is likely to prove entirely advantageous. Look at the measures which have lately been in some in