

## THE CHURCH IN CANADA.

## HOME MISSION OF MONTREAL PRESBYTERY.

The Treasurer of the Home Mission Fund for the Presbytery of Montreal acknowledges the following payments:—

March 12, 1859.	
Received from Dundas, being a collection for Missionary services,.....	\$39 00
Received from Beauharnois, being a collection for Missionary services,.....	40 00
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	\$79 00
ARCH. FERGUSON,	Treasurer.

Montreal, 26th March, 1859.

## INDIAN ORPHANAGE AND JUVENILE MISSION.

Already acknowledged,.....	\$304 37
Canadian School.	
Two Ladies at Lachine, per Rev. W. Simpson,.....	3 00
From Rev. Dr. Brooke, Frederickton, N. B.; a few friends in and near Woodstock,.....	3 00
From St. Andrew's Church Sabbath School, Williamstown, per D. J. McLean, Esq.,.....	20 00
From St. Andrew's Church Sabbath School, Hamilton, per G. A. Young, Esq.; a New Year's offering,.....	3 50
From Sabbath School, Ramsay, per Rev. J. McMorine,.....	4 00
Orphanage Scheme.	
From Sabbath School at Lachine, 2nd year of Mary A. Simpson,.....	16 00
From St. Andrew's Church Sabbath School, Kingston, for Esther Munno,.....	16 00
From St. Andrew's Church Sabbath School, Kingston, for Hannah Tooney,.....	16 00
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	\$385 87

JOHN PATON,  
Treasurer.

## FRENCH MISSION.

The Treasurer of the French Mission acknowledges the receipt of the following payments:

March 3rd.	
Received from W. R. Croil, Esq., Onnabruck, being a congregational collection,.....	\$ 6 50
4th.	
Received from William Hamilton, Esq., Ottawa City, being a congregational collection,.....	22 00
Received from Rev. J. S. Sieveright, Melbourne, being a congregational collection,.....	8 00
6th.	
Received from Jos. M. Ross, Esq., Montreal, being a congregational collection in St. Paul's Church,.....	45 50
Received from Rev. James Patterson, Hemmingford, being a congregational collection,.....	6 07½
Received from Rev. J. Anderson, Orms-town, being a congregational collection,.....	8 00
Received from Rev. John Davidson, North Williamsburgh, being a congregational collection,.....	5 00
17th.	
Received from Rev. Robert Neill, Seymour, being a congregational collection,.....	30 00
Received from J. S. Lockhart, Esq., Niagara, being a congregational collection,.....	11 15

25th.	
Received from Rev. D. McDonald, Lochiel, being a congregational collection,.....	6 00
Received from Rev. J. S. Paul, St. Louis de Gonzague, being a congregational collection,.....	2 00
Received from William Gourlie, Esq., Pickering,.....	1 00
Brantford, Congregational collection, per Rev. David Stott.....	2 00
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	\$153 22½

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Treasurer.

Montreal, 26th March, 1859.

## THE JEWISH AND FOREIGN MISSION.

Received by the Treasurer, and hitherto unacknowledged.

Jany. 31.—Collection at Pakenham, per Rev. A. Mann,.....	\$ 6 00
Feb. 28.—Collection in St. Andrew's Church, Montreal, per James Goudie, Esq.,.....	68 00
March 2.—Moiety of a collection for missionary purposes in St. Paul's Church, Montreal, per J. M. Ross, Esq.,.....	45 50
March 11.—Collection at Martintown, per Rev. P. McVicar,.....	14 00
March 17.—Collection at Williamstown, per Rev. P. Watson,.....	13 00
March 18.—Collection at Seymour, per Rev. Robert Neill,.....	30 00
March 24.—Collection at Lochiel, per Rev. D. McDonald,.....	17 00
March 25.—William Gourlie, Pickering, C. W.,.....	1 00
March 26.—Collection at Stirling, per Rev. A. Buchan,.....	10 00
March 29.—Collection at Toronto, per Rev. Dr. Barclay,.....	66 30
March 29.—Collection at Nottawasaga, per Rev. J. Campbell,.....	11 00
March 29.—Collection at Uxbridge, per Rev. J. Cleland,.....	4 00
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	\$285 80

ALEXANDER MORRIS,  
Treasurer.

Montreal, 30th March, 1859.

## UNIVERSITY OF QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

Kingston, 28th Feb., 1859.

The following contributions have been received for the Museum:—

From His Excellency the Governor General, case with specimens of new Canadian coinage.	
From And. Bell, Esq., complete set of specimens from the Carleton Place lead mines; two arrow heads found near Carleton Place; fossil (Endsцерus Proteforme) found near Pakenham.	
From Allan McPherson, Esq., modern silver coins of England, France and Italy; copper coins.	
From Mrs. Greene, N. Y., fruit of Trapa Vicorius, or water-chesnut, used as food in China.	
From Col. Cameron, Garden Island, fine specimens of fossils. Stone chisel formerly used by Indians for skinning deer.	
From Professor Dickson, Queen's College, part of a double-headed shot found on the site of Old Fort Frontenac, Kingston.	

Subscriptions received for the various schemes of the Lay Association of Montreal for 1858:—

Hon. P. McGill,.....	\$10 00
Messrs. Carter, Kingan & Mair,.....	5 00
Messrs. J. & R. Esdaile,.....	6 00

Messrs. Stewart & McIntyre,.....	5 00
Messrs. Kingan & Kinloch,.....	5 00
Messrs. S. Greenshields, Son & Co.,...	12 00
Mr. Joseph M. Ross,.....	5 00
Mr. John Smith,.....	5 00
Mr. Wm. Dow,.....	5 00
Mr. Wm. Edmonstone,.....	5 00
Mr. Andrew Shaw,.....	5 00
Mr. James Dougall,.....	5 00
Mr. Geo. Stephen,.....	4 00
Mr. Walter Benny,.....	4 00
Mr. Wm. Skakel,.....	4 00
Mr. James Hervey,.....	4 00
Mr. James Goudie,.....	4 00
Mr. David Shaw,.....	4 00
Mr. John Fraser,.....	4 00
Mr. Thomas Peck & Co.,.....	3 00
Mr. Thos. Watson,.....	2 00
Mr. Alex. Mitchell,.....	2 00
Mr. George Templeton, ..	2 50
Hon. W. Morris,.....	10 00
Mr. Robert Muir,.....	5 00
Mr. Wm. Stephen,.....	5 00
Mr. Andrew McFarlane,.....	5 00
Mr. James Johnston,.....	5 00
Mr. John Brown,.....	5 00
Mr. Chas. A. Lowe,.....	5 00
Mr. John Dods,.....	5 00
Mr. Andrew Allan,.....	5 00
Mr. J. Frothingham,.....	6 00
Mr. Alex. Morris,.....	4 00
Mr. Wm. Darling,.....	4 00
Mr. M. Ramsay,.....	4 00
Mr. Arch. Ferguson,.....	4 00
Mr. Donald Ross,.....	4 00
Mr. James Mitchell,.....	4 00
Mr. Thos. Morland,.....	4 00
Mr. Geo. Macdonald,.....	3 00
Mrs. And. Dow,.....	2 00
Mr. E. McLennan,.....	2 00
Mr. Robert Leckie,.....	2 00
Mr. R. O. Mann,.....	2 00
Geo. McKenzie,.....	1 00
C. D. Proctor,.....	1 00
James McNab,.....	1 00
Andrew A. Watt,.....	1 00
W. D. Hamilton,.....	1 00
W. C. Menzies,.....	1 00
A. Watt,.....	1 00
W. R. Clarke,.....	1 00
W. McNider,.....	1 00
H. McKay,.....	1 00
A. McPherson,.....	1 00
A Friend,.....	1 00

The subscriptions for 1859 are now being taken up; and, as the Association is in debt, it is hoped that the subscriptions this year will be increased.

## LACHINE SABBATH SCHOOL SOIREE.

A very interesting meeting of the children attending St. Andrew's Church Sabbath School was held on the evening of the 24th ult. The children attending the Episcopal school were present by invitation. Col. Wilgress occupied the chair, and addressed the meeting, more especially mothers, in an earnest manner. The pastor of St. Andrew's gave a brief report of the history and condition of the two schools. Appropriate addresses were delivered by the Rev. W. Simpson to parents, by the Rev. James Patterson of Hemmingford to the children, and by the Rev. W. Snodgrass of Montreal to the teachers. The children sang a number of suitable hymns with excellent effect. During the course of the evening an abundant supply of varied refreshments was