

PRESENTATION.—A few days ago Rev. Geo. Coull was the recipient from the people of Sutherland's River, of an address and a handsome pocket book containing the handsome sum of \$60.00, as a token of their appreciation of his services in connection with the Weekly Bible Class. It is worthy of remark that members of other congregations there, besides Mr. Coull's, took an active part in making up the present. This is a pleasing circumstance. We may also mention that a short time ago Mr. Coull received from his congregation in New Glasgow a substantial gift of \$150.00.

BIBLE SOCIETY.—Mr. Russell, the zealous agent of the B. and F. Bible Society, is following out a long course of appointments in New Brunswick, and is every where welcomed as an Evangelist as well as Bible Agent. Half a century hence many who are now little children will trace their decision for Christ to his simple, earnest and powerful narrative and appeal.

SABBATH BREAKING.—In Halifax a "Company" has been engaged in getting up "Sunday Excursions" by steamboat. The enterprise does not appear to be successful, though it has been diligently advertised in the secular newspapers.

REV. R. H. MUIR, of Dalmeny, Scotland, and **Rev. David Playfair**, of Abercorn, have made a short visit to these Provinces. Mr. Muir is Convener of the Church of Scotland's Colonial Committee.

At a social gathering at Mount Stewart lately \$500 were raised for the enlarging and renewing of the Presbyterian Church there.

NOTICES AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

NOTICE.

The Synod of the Maritime Provinces will meet (D. V.) in St. Andrew's Church, St. John, N. B., on Tuesday, the 5th October, at 7 o'clock, p. m. Sermon by Rev. R. Sedgwick, Moderator. Clerks of Presbyteries are requested to forward to the undersigned, revised Rolls of Presbyteries, with notices of all changes affecting the Roll of Synod, which have occurred since the meeting for organization at Montreal, ten days previous to the meeting of Synod.

As no Committee on Synodical Business has yet been appointed, the Clerk of Synod will take charge of any papers involving business to come before Synod, that may be transmitted to him.

ALEX. FALCONER, *Synod Clerk.*

The Treasurer of the Synod of the Maritime Provinces of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, acknowledges receipt of the following sums during the past month:

FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

Acknowledged already.....	\$593 20
Collections on the occasion of the visits of Rev. J. Fraser Campbell:	
At Chatham.....	\$35 75
" Nappan.....	1 70
" Douglstown.....	4 55
" Knox Church, Pictou, and Carriboo River.	61 50
At St. Andrew's & Prince St.	50 43
" A friend in Prince St. Ch.	13 73
" Durham.....	7 41
" Green Hill.....	17 00
" Hopewell.....	22 50
" New Glasgow.....	40 38
" Earltown.....	10 52
" River John.....	51 61
" Oxford.....	15 53
" Pugwash.....	10 20
" Middle River, C. B.....	17 14
	359 95
Cove Head, per J. G. McCallum....	20 00
Coldstream cong., per Rev. J. Layton	5 00
Kempton Section.	3 00
Mooseland, col. Miss Maggie Jackson	5 45
Upper Londonderry, per R. Morrison	11 00
Stewiacke, per Rev. E. Grant, half yr	11 00
Middle Stewiacke, per G. H. Bates..	12 25
French River, per Rev. A. P. Miller.	5 03

Total \$1025 88

DAYS PRING AND MISSION SCHOOLS.

Acknowledged already.....	\$149 57
Youth's Missionary Society, Maitland, per Rev. L. G. McNeill.....	27 10
Ladies' Society, United Church, New Glasgow, at disposal of Mr. Grant..	20 00
French River:	
Collected by Miss Margaret J. Fraser, 15 names.....	2 45
Collected by Miss Christy A. Turner, 15 names.....	2 77
Collected by Miss Margaret McD. Grant, 10 names.....	1 97
	7 19

Total \$203 86

FOR SUPPORT OF MR. J. A. MACDONALD, MISSIONARY TEACHER.

Acknowledged in last number.....	\$37 50
Truro Young Men's Class, Dr. McCulloch.....	13 00
Mrs. Slade, Truro.....	1 00
Ladies of St James' Church, N. G....	12 50
" " Economy.....	12 50
" " Poplar Grove.....	12 50
Ladies Society, Springville.....	6 25
Ladies of United Church, N. G.....	12 50

Total \$107 75

HOME MISSIONS.

Acknowledged already.....	\$512 89
Cove Head.....	15 00
Carleton, N. S., per Rev. J. C. Meek.	9 00
Coldstream cong., Kempton Section..	3 87
Musquodoboit Harbour.....	5 00