

The letter in our last dated "Morris, III," was taken from the Banner of the Covenant, and was written by a Missionary of the Reformed Presbyterian Church of the United States, who lately visited this province. We had intended to have inserted it in the Home Mission department, as a suitable acknowledgment of the labors of Mr Clarke, of Amherst in the Home Mission field of Nova Scotia, who, though not of the same Presbyterian body as ourselves, we take pleasure in recognizing as an able and diligent fellow laborer in the cause of Christ. We had prepared a heading for it, but it was unfortunately mislaid, and the printer misunderstood our directions.

#### RECEIPTS FOR REGISTER.

Rev. John Campbell, St. Mary's, £3 2s. 6d.; Robt. Stewart, Rogers Hill, 3s. 3d.; Daniel Cameron, Loch Broon, 7s. 6d.; Thomas McKeen, C. B., 10s.; Rev. R. S. Patterson, Bedeque, P. E. I., 8s. 6d.; Robert Gordon, Casempeque, P. E. I., £1.

And 1s. 6d. each from Mrs. W. Murdoch, John Russell, John Fraser, Mrs Lowden, Mrs Robson, Rev. A. W. Herdman, Jas. Hepburn, Robt. Laird, Joseph McNaught, Mrs. Trieman, John McNaught.

#### FORMS OF BEQUESTS.

Persons desirous of bequeathing property real or personal, for the advancement of Education generally, in connection with the Presbyterian Church of Nova Scotia, are requested to leave it to the "Educational Board of the Presbyterian Church of Nova Scotia," this being the Synod's Incorporated body, for holding all funds intrusted to its management, for all Educational purposes, Classical, Philosophical, and Theological.

"I devise and bequeath to The Educational Board of the Presbyterian Church of Nova Scotia, the sum of—[If in land, describe it,—if in money, name the time when it is to be paid.]

If persons wish to state their object more definitely, they may do so thus:—

"I bequeath to The Educational Board of the Presbyterian Church of Nova Scotia, the sum of—to be applied for the support of the Synod's Theological Seminary, (or) in aid of young men studying for the ministry, as the Synod may direct, (or) for the Theological Professorship Fund.

#### FOR RELIGIOUS OR MISSIONARY PURPOSES.

I hereby bequeath the sum of—Pounds to my Executor [or to some other persons in whom Testator has confidence] to be applied in aid of the funds of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church of Nova Scotia, (or) in aid of the funds of the Board of Home Missions, (or) to assist the congregation of—in erecting a place of worship.

In this way the bequest may be varied or divided to meet the wishes of the Testator.

J. & J. Yorston acknowledge the receipt of the following for the Foreign Mission:—5 parcels Cloth, from Mr Robt. Smith, Truro, and a roll of Cloth from Piedmont and upper end of Barney's River, Merigomish, per Roderick McGregor, Esq., New Glasgow. Pictou, March 21, 1855.

#### FOREIGN MISSIONARY WANTED.

The Board of Foreign Missions having been directed by the Synod to endeavor to secure the services of Two Missionaries to labor in the South Seas, are now prepared to receive applications for that service, from ministers and Licentiates of the Church in Nova Scotia, or the United Presbyterian Church in Scotland, or its branches in the Colonies. Applications to be directed to the Rev. James Bayne, Secretary of the Board, Pictou.

#### BOARDS AND COMMITTEES.

Board of HOME MISSIONS—The Rev'ds. Professor Ross, Patterson, Watson & Walker, and the Presbytery Elders of Green Hill, West River and Primitive Church. Rev George Patterson, Secretary.

Board of FOREIGN MISSIONS—The Rev'ds Baxter, Keir, Roy, Walker, Bayne, Waddell, Watson, and Ebenezer McLeod & Daniel Cameron, West River; Alexander Fraser, Esq., N. Glasgow; John Yorston & J. W. Dawson, Pictou. Rev. James Bayne, Sec.

Educational Board—The Rev'ds Smith, McGregor, Campbell, Ross, Bayne, and Messrs Abram Patterson, Charles D. Hunter, Adam Dickie, Isaac Logan, John D. Christie, James McGregor, John Yorston, Anthony Smith, J. W. Carmichael, and J. D. McDonald. Ex-Officio members, the Moderator and Clerk of Synod for the time being. John McKinlay Esq. Secretary.

Seminary Board—The Professors ex-officio, Rev'ds McCulloch, Bayne, Christie, Mc Gilvray, Watson, G. Patterson, and Daniel Cameron and James McGregor. Rev. Wm. McCulloch, Convener. Rev. J. Watson, Sec.

Committee of Correspondence with Evangelical Churches—The Rev'ds. Patterson, Walker and Bayne. Rev. G. Patterson, Con.

Committee of Enquiry respecting the best locality for the Seminary—The Rev'ds Murdoch, McCulloch, McGregor, G. Patterson, Sedgewick, and James McGregor, Esq.

Committee of Bills and Overtures—for Messrs Roy, Bayne and McGilvray, and James McGregor,—Mr Bayne, Convener.

General Treasurer for all Synodical Funds—Abram Patterson, Esq., Pictou.

Receivers of Contributions to the Schemes of the Church—James McCallum, Esq., P.E. Island, and Robert Smith, merchant, Truro.

General receivers of Goods for the Foreign Mission—J. & J. Yorston, Pictou.

General Agent for the Register, FRANK BEATTIE, Junior, Pictou.