

we look over our extensive fields, some ripening to the harvest, and others lying waste, our prayer is that the Lord of the harvest may send forth laborers into his vineyard.

And shall we not all, as stewards of God's gracious gifts, concentrate our energies on this Home Mission work, and consecrate our denominational wealth to the service and glory of our heavenly king—the Lord Jesus Christ?

All which is respectfully submitted,

EDWARD HICKSON.

*Corresponding Secretary of the H. M. Board.*

P. S.—With regret we record the fact that on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1877, the books of our Recording Secretary and Treasurer were burned up in the great fire of Saint John.

### COPY OF MEMORANDUM.

Received on account Infirm Ministers' Fund,.....	\$213 02	
Paid out,.....	117 00	
		\$96 02
Sabbath Schools, Received,.....	\$80 52	
"    "    Paid out,.....	65 00	
		15 52
Home Missions, Received,.....	680 98	
"    "    Paid out,.....	540 16	
		140 82
		\$252 36
Ministerial Education, Received,.....	162 38	
"    "    Paid out,.....	264 59	
	Overdrawn,.....	162 21
May, 1877. Balance in Treasurer's hands,.....	\$ 90 15	
	J. H. HARDING, <i>Treasurer.</i>	
Saint John, N. B., May, 1877.		

### SUPPLEMENTARY.

New Brunswick Baptist Home Missionary Society in  
Account with J. H. Harding, Treasurer.

1877.	Dr.	
June 17.	To paid—Rev. Wm. M. Edwards,.....	\$12 50
	"    Bro. James Goodwin,.....	50 00
	"    "    Hanes' African Church,.....	6 00
	"    "    Daniel Burt,.....	9 10
	Balance carried down,.....	112 34
1877.	Cr.	\$189 94
May 31.	By balance of account at date,.....	\$90 15
	"    Leinster street Church,.....	49 79
	"    Germain Street Church,.....	42 00
	"    C. D. Everett and wife from Temple Baptist Church,.....	8 00
		\$189 94

J. H. HARDING, *Treasurer.*

Saint John, N. B., June 17, 1877.