

DEAR SIR—I am desirous of republishing two of the sermons of the late Rev. Jno. McLean, A. M., formerly of Richibucto, N. B., and of publishing a third sermon from his manuscript, together with a biographical sketch. This will however depend measurably on the interest taken in the work, and I now request (through your columns) the ministers and ruling elders of the Presbyterian Church in Nova Scotia, P. E. Island, and New Brunswick, to enquire among their people whether any considerable number of copies would be purchased. A list of the copies taken might be made by an elder in each congregation, and forwarded to the Rev. James Waddell, River John; and as this matter is undertaken among other congregations to benefit the widow, probably the letters containing said lists would be post-paid to him.

The biography, three sermons, and a lecture on temperance, will make a small neat volume of 144 pages, and can be afforded at two shillings per copy bound in cloth, or one and sixpence in paper covers—that is, if a subscription list can be obtained which will warrant the preparing of one thousand copies. The sermon on temperance alone is worth one shilling. If those friendly will give me their aid early, I hope (God willing) to have it published and sent to places convenient for subscribers early in summer. If anything is done in any congregation, allow me to request them to do it early.

Respectfully yours,

ALEXANDER BLAIRIE.

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The Presbytery of Pictou will meet for Presbyterian visitation at West River, on Tuesday 11th inst., sermon by the Rev. David Roy, and in Salem Church, for the same purpose on the day following.

Some of our orders for the Register, contain the names of the individual subscribers; we have to request that agents may be appointed in the various sections of congregations, who will undertake the distribution of them.

ERRATA. In our last No. on the first page, second column, toward the foot, for "the Adam of Sin," read "the Man of sin." In the Report of Salem Church, on the last page, the amount raised by the Ladies society, Green Hill, should be £4 10s, instead of £4 1s. 0d. At the close of the paragraph next the foot of the column, for "some of the members have joined in getting out for the frame of a house, with at least £15," read "for him (i. e. their pastor) the frame of a house, worth at least £15.