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PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

The next ordinary meeting of this Presbytery is appointed to be held at Oakville, on Tuesday the 15th day of June, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

WILLIAM GREGG, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON.

The next ordinary meeting of this Presbytery will be held in Picton, on Wednesday, 8th of May, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

J. A. THOMSON, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF LONDON.

A special meeting of this Presbytery will be held at London on Tuesday the 15th June, at nine o'clock, A. M.

WILLIAM DOAK, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON.

An adjourned meeting of this Presbytery will be held at Paris, on Tuesday, 11th May, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

J. MIDDLEMISS, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE AND OTTAWA.

The next ordinary meeting of this Presbytery is appointed to be held in Perth, on Tuesday, the 18th May, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

D. WARDROPE, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL.

The next ordinary meeting of this Presbytery will be held at Montreal on the 12th May.

A. F. KEMP, *Pres. Clerk.*

PRESBYTERY OF COBOURG.

The next ordinary meeting of this Presbytery will be held at Cobourg on the 1st Tuesday of May, at 11 A. M.

Session records are ordered to be given in at this meeting.

JAMES BOWIE, *Pres. Clerk.*

TO PRESBYTERY CLERKS.

Presbytery Clerks are earnestly requested to forward to the Rev. W. M. REM, Toronto, the Clerk of the Synod, before the meeting of Synod, which takes place at Hamilton, on Tuesday, 15th June, Rolls of their respective Presbyteries, so that the Synod Roll may be made up at the commencement of the Session.

Presbytery Clerks are also requested to forward to the Synod, the necessary certificates and extracts with reference to such Students of Divinity, as may be proposed for being taken on trials for license.

Presbyteries are also directed to report to the Synod, such congregations as have continued to neglect the stated collections.

Presbyteries are also directed to report specially to the Convener of the College Committee on or before 31st May, with reference to the examination of Students.

Presbytery Clerks are required by the Synod to prepare and forward condensed reports of all cases of license, ordination, induction, deposition and death of ministers, within the bounds of the several Presbyteries during the year.

It is desirable that all Overtures, References, Petitions, and other papers to be laid before the Synod, be forwarded as early as possible, so that the business of the Synod may be properly arranged.

It is requested that each extract, &c., be transcribed on a separate sheet of paper, and that each extract, overture or petition, be written on a full sheet of foolscap or letter paper.

WM. REM, *Synod Clerk.*

THE MEETING OF SYNOD.

Ministers and Elders are respectfully requested to communicate to the undersigned their intention to be present at the meeting of Synod in June next, whereupon the addresses of the families, with whom they are to stay, will be sent to them, thus enabling them to proceed, on their arrival in Hamilton, to the homes at which they are expected.

DAVID INGLIS.

Hamilton, Feb. 23, 1858.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SYNOD.

The Annual Meeting of Synod will take place at Hamilton, and within McNab Str et Church there, on the Tuesday after the second Sabbath of June, being the 15th day of June.

The Synod will be opened as usual, with sermon, at half-past 6 o'clock, p. m.

W. REM, *Synod Clerk.*

CLOSE OF FINANCIAL YEAR.

Ministers and Elders are reminded that the financial year will terminate on the 1st May. All who wish to have their contributions included in the accounts of this year, will please forward them in time.

KNOX COLLEGE—SUBJECTS FOR EXAMINATION.

The subjects for examination will be the same as those given last year. These will be again published in the next number of the Record.

KNOX COLLEGE.

BURSARIES

BURSARIES will be awarded during the session (1858-9) according to the following scheme:—

I. *The John Knox Bursary of £10, for the best Essay on "The internal and experimental evidences of Christianity."*

II. *The George Buchanan Bursary of £10, (founded by Isaac Buchanan, Esq.,) for eminence in Latin and Greek, as proved by examination in the Grammars of both languages; Livy, Book 1st., 50 chapters; Horace, 3rd Book of Odes, Xenophon's Memorabilia, Book 1st.; Herodotus, Pisistratus, and Cyrus, in Col. Maj; Hlad, Book 3rd, 200 lines; Roman Antiquities, and an Exercise in Arnold's Latin Composition.*

A Gaelic Bursary will be open for competition. The subjects will be stated in another number.

The Essays to be given in to the Secretary of the Professors' Court on or before the 1st of December.

The Essays must be correctly and legibly written, with mottoes on the title pages, instead of the names of the authors.

The day of examination to be specified at the opening of College.

A Student who may have obtained any of the above Bursaries, in any former Session, cannot obtain the corresponding Bursary a second time, though he may compete for it and if deserving of it, his merit will be noticed.

By Order of

COLLEGE COMMITTEE.

Toronto, 23rd April, 1858.