

J. & J. Yorston acknowledge the receipt of the following articles for the Foreign Mission, 37 yards Flannel from Ladies of New Annan, per Rev. James Waddell.

The piece of flannel acknowledged in last Register, as delivered by Mr McPherson from James Carmichael Esq., was a gift from the Ladies of West Branch East River.

FOREIGN MISSIONARY WANTED.

The Board of Foreign Missions having been directed by the Synod to endeavor to secure the services of another Missionary 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, Pictou, the Secretary of the Board.

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES.

Board of Home Missions—

Rev. Messrs. McCulloch, Watson, E. Ross, and Honeyman, with the Presbytery Elder of Truro and Upper Londonderry, three to form a quorum. Mr McCulloch, Secretary.

Board of Foreign Missions—

Rev. Messrs. Baxter, Keir, Roy, Walker, Bayne, Waddell, G. Patterson, and Messrs. Ebenezer McLeod, and Daniel Cameron of West River, Alexander Fraser, of New Glasgow, John Yorston and J. W. Dawson, Pictou. Mr Bayne, Secretary.

Educational Board—

Rev. Messrs. Murdoch, Smith, McGregor, Campbell, Ross, Bayne; and Abram Patterson, Charles D. Hunter, Adam Dickie, Isaac Logan, John D. Christie, James McGregor, John Yorston, and John McKinlay, Esquires. Ex-Officio member, the Moderator and Clerk of Synod for the time being. Mr Bayne, Sec.

Seminary Board—

The Professors ex-officio, Rev. Messrs. McCulloch, Bayne, Christie, McGillivray, Watson, G. Patterson, and Messrs. Daniel Cameron and James McGregor. Mr McCulloch, Convener. Mr Bayne, Secretary.

Committee of Bills and Overtures.

Rev. Messrs. Bayne, Roy, and McGillivray, and Mr James McGregor. Mr Bayne, Convener.

Committee of Correspondence with Evangelical Churches—

Rev. Messrs. Patterson, Walker, and Bayne. Mr Patterson, Convener.

Committee of Enquiry respecting the best locality for the Seminary—

Rev. Messrs. Murdoch, McCulloch, McGregor, G. Patterson, and James McGregor.

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

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James McCallum, Esq., P. E. I., and Robert Smith, Merchant, Truro.

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

Publisher and General Agent for the Register—John D. McDonald.

RECEIPTS FOR THE REGISTER.

For 1853.—From Thomas Mudie, 1s 3d.; from A. Larkins, Cascumpeque 1s 3d.; from J. W. Dawson, 1s 3d.; from Mrs McColl, Guysboro, 2s 6d.; from Miss Geddie 1s 3d.; from John Foster 1s 3d.; from James Forsyth, Cascumpeque, 5s.; from Simon Archibald 1s 3d.; from Halifax Congregation, £2 10s.

For 1852.—From Halifax Congregation, 10s. From Miss Geddie 1s 3d.

The Presbytery of Pictou will meet at Salem Church, Green Hill, on Tuesday, January 18th, at 11 o'clock.

A special meeting of the Board of Foreign Missions will be held at Green Hill, on Wednesday, 19th inst. A full attendance of members is urgently requested.

The Treasurer of the Mission Education Fund begs leave to intimate that after remitting to Walthamstow, the amount due at the close of the past year, only £4 remain in fund; and as payment ought to be made in advance, it is hoped that those who design to contribute will do so as speedily as possible. The sum necessary for the half-yearly instalment, is £15 currency.

The Collection taken in Prince Street Church, 16th ult., on behalf of the poor of the Congregation, amounted to £6 5s 1½d.

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.