

be over one hundred families, Scotch and English, in Cape North, warmly attached to the Church of Scotland. Here, all that is necessary to that end is a missionary with the divine blessing on his labors.

Before I left, there was a meeting of the leaders in the congregations, held to appoint trustees to superintend the erection of a church, in which, it is possible, they can assemble some time next summer. After presenting a round sum to the missionary who had come so far, they said, to look after them and their affairs, they made also a small collection, amounting only to £10, for the Home Mission, but which would have been larger, but for many of the young men being away at the fishing all over the Bay of St. Lawrence. They pray for a deputation from the Presbytery of Pictou, if possible, next September. Meantime, let us pray that the instruction already given may be blessed to them, and so be made the power of God to their salvation. Amen.

J. G.

*Broad Cove, October 12th, 1865.*

### Canada.

**ST. PAUL'S MONTREAL.**—The late John McLean, Esq., long resident in Montreal, and a staunch adherent of St. Paul's, bequeathed to the Congregation the sum of one hundred pounds, to be applied to the extinction of the debt on the Church.

The arrival of the Rev. Dr. Jenkins, the respected pastor of this congregation, will be gratifying to his many friends. The Reverend gentleman has now resumed his duties.

**THE VERY REV. PRINCIPAL SNODGRASS, D. D.**—The Principal of Queen's College has returned from Scotland, where he has lost no opportunity of giving information of the real position of Canada and our Church, both of which are too often misunderstood, even among the best informed.

**QUEEN'S COLLEGE.**—The twenty-fourth session was publicly opened on Wednesday, the 4th of October, in the Convocation Hall, at 3 p. m. when an address was delivered by the Rev. Professor Williamson. The Class-work in Arts and Medicine commenced on the following day. The Divinity Hall will be opened on the first Wednesday of November.

### Religious Intelligence.

**JAMAICA.**—The *U. P. Record* for September, presents the following statistics:—"Out of a population of 431,248, 127,978 attend religious worship. The children in the colony attending any day or evening school are 26,270. More than half the population of Jamaica are still nominally heathen. It is true much has been done, many missionaries and ministers labor among the people; but still it is as true that thousands of the population do not avail themselves of the gospel, though placed within their reach. There are 200 ministers and missionaries in the island: Church of England, 90; Wesleyans, 28; United Methodists, 6; Baptists, 28; Methodist Association, 3; London Missionary Society, 8; Moravian, 14; Catholics, 5; Jews, 1; United Presbyterian, 20; American Mission, 5.

These 200 ministers divide among them something less than 800 people each, whereas, if reaching the whole population, each would have a charge of over 2200 souls.

**IN MEMORIAM.**—A touching discourse, on the death of Miss Jane Chisholm, delivered by the Rev. S. McGregor, of W. B. E. River, and dedicated to the young of his congregation, is now in press, and will be ready for sale at the book-stores in a few days.

### Account of Monies received for the Lay Association, and paid to James Fraser, Jr., Esquire, New Glasgow. 1865

April 13—By Cash from Miss Crichton and Miss Gouriev,	£1 10 0
April 25—Cash received from Roderick McKenzie (Rod. K's son), col. W. Branch River Junn,	4 14 5d
May 8—Cash from Miss Sarah Gordon, Pictou Town,	1 13 6
May 25—Cash received from W. Gordon, Esq., collected by Miss Ross, Loch Broom— G. McKay, 7id.; Mrs. McKay, 7id.; D. Matheson, 7id.; Mrs. Matheson, 7id.; Mr. Ferguson, 1s. 3d.; Mrs. Ferguson, 1s. 3d.; Flora Ross, 7id.; Ann Ross, 7id.; Janet Ross, 7id.; Mrs. McLeod, 7id.;	0 7 6
July 25—Miss Crichton and Miss McDonald, Pictou Town,	0 16 0
Aug. 25—Miss Cameron, Scotch Hill, per W. Gordon, Esq.,	0 11 6
Aug. 28—Miss Grant and Miss M. Robertson, Cape John congregation, per Hugh McLeod, Esquire,	0 19 2
Aug. 28—Cash received Miss McDonald and J. McLeod, Cape John congregation,	0 9 4d
Sept. 12—Cash received from Miss Ross, Middle River, per Master W. Gordon,	0 5 0
Oct. 3—Cash from John McKenzie, Spring Point,	1 2 6
	£12 8 0

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To Cheque enclosed to James Fraser, Esq. N. G., \$49.60. £12 8 0  
**JOHN CRERAR,**  
 Treasurer Lay Association, Pictou Branch.  
*Pictou, 31st October, 1865.*

### SCHEMES OF THE CHURCH.

1865	
YOUNG MEN'S SCHEME.	
Oct.—Roger's Hill Congregation,	£2 5 0
Collection Tatamagouche River,	0 8 3
	£2 13 2
Total,	
1865	
HOME MISSION.	
Oct.—Cash Gairloch congregation,	£3 9 0
1864	SYNOD FUND.
Oct.—St. Paul's Church Congregation, Truro,	£1 0 0
	W. GORDON, Treasurer.
	<i>Pictou, October 29th, 1865.</i>