

From the Rev. William Allan, M. A., Minister of Tannadice.

MANSE OF TANNADICE, 9th APRIL, 1857.

Understanding that the Revd. John Milne, M. A., has it in view to offer himself as a candidate of Hebrew and Biblical Criticism, I have much pleasure in bearing my testimony in his favor. Mr. Milne has been known to me from youth upward. I consider him eminently qualified for such an appointment as that to which he now aspires.

Mr. Milne possesses superior natural endowments which have been most assiduously cultivated. I know that he is most conscientious and faithful in the discharge of every duty which he undertakes. He is a person of irreproachable moral character and obliging disposition. Seeing that his heart is in his work, and that he has bestowed special attention on studies connected with the subject of Scripture interpretation, I cannot doubt that success would, under the blessing of God, attend his exertions.

(Signed,)

WILLIAM ALLAN, M. A.,
Minister of Tannadice.

From Mr. William Skelton.

This is to certify that Mr. Milne has held the situation of Assistant Classical and Mathematical Teacher in my School for the last twelve months, during which time his uniform good conduct merited my highest commendation. His experience and qualifications render him a very efficient instructor, and I have no hesitation in saying that he would be an acquisition to any establishment in which his services may be required.

(Signed,)

WILLIAM SKELTON.

Bruch Hall School, July 10th, 1850.

From College of Preceptors.

COLLEGE OF PRECEPTORS, 28 BLOOMSBURY SQUARE, }
London, June 27th, 1850.

This is to certify that Mr. John Milne has been carefully examined in the Latin and Greek Classics, and we, the undersigned, hereby award him a Certificate of the second grade, attesting an extensive knowledge of those subjects.

(Signed,)

JAMES WHARTON, M. A.

RICHARD WILSON, D. D., Dean.

JOHN PARKER, Secretary.

From Magistrates of Forfar.

We the undersigned Magistrates of Forfar, do hereby certify that Mr. John Milne, son of Mr. James Milne, manufacturer in Forfar, taught in the Public Schools here for about six months in the year 1844—that his teaching has given universal satisfaction to the Parents of the Scholars, and that from the aptness for teaching which he then displayed, connected with his subsequent experience, we have no doubt of his being an efficient teacher. We further certify that Mr. Milne is a native of Forfar—that we have known him from his infancy—that his conduct has on all occasions, up to this time, been highly praiseworthy. We also certify that he is the child of religious parents, and that his father has been for more than thirty years a respected Elder of the Church of Scotland. Witness our hands at Forfar, this fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight years.

(Signed,)

WILLIAM POTTER, Provost,
JOHN FYFE, Bailie,
JAMES CRAIK, Junr., Bailie.

From Rev.

The Revd. John History and Bible has asked me for be of little use to He has been for s of Dundee, which of becoming acqu to know that his teaching in Queen highest testimony persevering and I devote himself w office to which h I should rejoice Queen's College, (Signe

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