

Prayer is the means the Great Head of the Church has appointed to call down his blessing; and even when God has promised to bless, he says, "I will be inquired of by the House of Israel that I may do it for them."

NOTICES, ACKNOWLEDGMENTS, &c.

The Theological Hall,

OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF THE LOWER PROVINCES, WILL BE OPENED ON THE FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, AT HALF-PAST 7 O'CLOCK.

Professor of Systematic Theology, including Apologetics,—REV. A. MCKNIGHT.

Professor of Church History,—REV. A. MCKNIGHT.

Professor of Hebrew,—REV. JOHN CURRIE.
Professor of Exegesis and Biblical Literature,
REV. JOHN CURRIE.

The following Bursaries and prizes are offered:

I. BY PROFESSOR MCKNIGHT.—For the best examination in Barrow's Introduction to the Bible, parts II. and III., by Students of the third year, forty dollars. Examination at the commencement of the term. The work named is on sale at the British American Book Store, Halifax N.S.

II. BY C. D. HUNTER, Esq., Halifax.—Forty dollars will be available from the Hunter bursary fund shortly after the opening of the Session, and will be given for the best examination by first and second year Students on the same portions of the same book. Examination conducted at the same time.

III. BY THOMAS BAYNE, Esq., Halifax.—For the best examination in New Testament Greek, \$25, second prize \$15. Open to all the Students. Examination at commencement. Portions selected from 1 Epistle to Timothy to the end of the New Testament.

IV. BY C. S. MCCURDY of New Glasgow.—Forty dollars for the best examination in Hebrew, at the close of the Session. First prize \$25, second \$15.

V. BY THE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS.—Forty dollars each, to one or more Students preparing for the Gospel ministry in the Lower Provinces, and able to speak the Gaelic language.

VI. THE MATHESON BURSARY.—Sixty dollars, being interest of bequest of the late Mrs. Wm. Matheson of West River, Pictou, to be applied to aid Students for the Christian Ministry, at the discretion of the Board of Superintendence.

By order of the Board,

P. G. MCGREGOR, Sec'y.

Halifax, 7th September, 1871.

ANY Student, not a graduate, wishing admission to the Theological Hall, at its approaching session, and desirous of being examined by the "Board of Examiners" for Nova Scotia, will please give notice to the

Board, at an early day, that arrangements may be made for conducting the examination.
ALEX. FALCONER, Con.

The Treasurer acknowledges the receipt of the following sums during the past month:

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Cape North, C. B.....	\$6.00
Calvin Church, St. John.....	52.00
Dartmouth.....	53.17
Friend of Missions, Stellarton.....	4.87
A Lady, per Rev. J. Thompson, Nova Scotia Cy.....	\$2.00
A member, do., do.....	2.00
Mrs. Wm. McCabe, do., do.....	1.00 4.87
Edward Joyce, Stellarton, N.S.....	20.00 19.47
Ladies Society, Churchville.....	9.65
Mrs. Charles Fraser, Fish Pools.....	3.40
St. John's Ch., Ilfx., Juv. Miss'y Association for Coolie School, Iere.....	10.00
John Tupper, for Mr. Murray.....	1.00
Master Jas. G. Webster, Yarmouth, for Coolie Mission.....	1.13

"DAYSPRING."

Col. by Miss Margaret Henderson, Ch'Town Royalty.....	£6 8s. 3d. \$21.38
Sabbath School, W. Point and Brae.....	4 9s. 3d. 14.85
Sabbath School, Cape North.....	15.57
Col. in Central Ch., W. River:	
David Crockett.....	\$3.25
Jas. A. Thompson.....	3.22
Lavinia Forbes.....	2.00
R. H. McCabe.....	2.87
John and Mary Denoon.....	3.00
George Ross.....	2.13

N. S.....\$16.47 16.03

HOME MISSIONS.

Richmond, per Rev. S. Houston.....	\$15.00
Mabou.....N. S.....	\$6.18
Middle River, ".....	40.00
Malagawatch, ".....	8.16 53.68
Lady, per Rev. J. Thompson, N.S.....	2.00
Wm. McLeod, ".....	1.00 2.92

SUPPLEMENTARY FUND.

Lady, per Rev. J. Thompson, N.S.....	\$2.00
Wm. McLeod, ".....	0.50 2.44

MINISTERIAL EDUCATION.

Dividend from B. N. A.....	\$165.00
Do., do., Building Soc., \$252, N.S.....	245.28
Interest from Prov. debentures, \$180.....	175.20
Dividend from Union Bank.....	48.00
Do. do. Peoples' Bank for March, N. S. \$80.....	77.87
Do. do. do. September.....	80.00
J. Knox Church, Pictou, per Rev. A. Ross.....	20.75
Primitive Church, N.G.....	61.24

ACADIA MISSION.

A friend, New Glasgow.....	\$10.00
MISSION BUILDINGS AT ST. ANNES, KANEAKEE.	

Friend in Cape Breton, per F. D. Corbett.....	\$2.90
Friend, Halifax.....	2.00
Friend of Missions, Stellarton, \$4 N.S.....	3.89
Alexander Grant, Westville.....	2.00
Malcolm McLeod, Big Hill, Baddeck.....	2.00