

sacrifice, besides enlisting their sympathies early in the cause of Missions. The Juvenile Mission Committee, as appointed by the General Assembly, consists of the former Board, with the addition of the Rev. A. Wilson; the former members being the Rev. Professor Mc-wat, of Queen's College, G. M. Macdonnell, Esq., and Miss Machar, Kingston, secretary-treasurer. The secretary has already sent copies of the annual report to most, if not all, of the acting ministers of the united Church, and will be happy to furnish any further information which may at any time be desired.

### THE FRENCH EVANGELIZATION SCHEME.

MONTRÉAL, 21st September, 1875.

EDITOR OF THE "RECORD":—DEAR SIR.—Will you kindly grant me a brief space, to plead the cause of French Evangelization? I wish the Church could realize the present exceeding hopefulness of the work. For many long years the various Societies, Catholic and Denominational, have been sowing the seed, but it has been most trying to the faith of both the labourers and their supporters that the harvest hitherto has been comparatively slender. The reaping-time has, however, come at last. Ever since the advent of Mr. Chiniquy at Montreal, last winter, there has been a constant ingathering into Christ's fold from those who had formerly been the devotees of superstition. What in days gone by would be matter at once of wonder and of devout gratitude, the abjuration of Romanism by a single soul, has ceased to astonish us now, here; on the contrary, we expect this result from the efforts put forth—the accession to Protestantism of even priests and nuns is what we can count upon. Russell Hall is filled to its utmost capacity at almost every diet of worship. And what is doing in Montreal is taking place, although on a smaller scale, in other parts of the Province where our missionaries have been labouring. A relentless Ultramontanism, in trying to bind the fetters closer upon its victims, is rather over-doing its part; and thus, with the various ecclesiastical agitations going on, is paving the way for our work. Truly the fields are white unto the harvest. What we want is labourers. Let the Church pray for this cause; but especially let the Church enter in and occupy, when a door so wide and effectual is opened for her. At least \$10,000 is required to overtake our work for this year. And much of this sum is needed at once. Congregations that have made collections will please forward them without delay to the treasurer; and those that have not yet, are earnestly urged to lose no time in making them.

Yours very truly,

ROBERT CAMPBELL, *Vice-Convener.*

### Missionary Intelligence.

#### HOME MISSIONS.—LETTER FROM MR. MCKERACHER.

REV. DR. COCHRANE,

*Convener of the Home Mission Committee.*

PRINCE ARTHUR'S LANDING,

*August 16th, 1875.*

DEAR SIR,—A year having now expired since I entered on my duties in this mission field, I send you this report of the state of our cause up to the 1st instant: