

No doubt a position might be obtained in Queen's Park if the Government were so inclined. But it would require to be a freehold title to satisfy many of the friends of Knox. The property now held is freehold, and the title to it indisputable. As the Presbyterian Church could be no party to an embarrassment of the Government by a deed of gift, the property for a site in the Park must be bought and paid for, so that no opportunity would be afforded to others to plead denominational bias.

Until an offer is made, and the way clearly open for an advantageous removal without expense to the Church, our friends may rest assured that our conservative Board of Management will allow Knox to quietly go on and progress in our present comfortable home.

Here and Away.

\$201,280!

WANTED.—\$20,000 for endowment.

J. W. RAE, '87, accepted call to Acton. Induction takes place August 23.

REV. W. D. BALLANTYNE, Pembroke, has been appointed Principal of Ottawa Ladies' College. His predecessor at Ottawa, S. Woods, M.A., has accepted the principalship of London Collegiate Institute, not a day too soon for the sake of London. Both gentlemen are foremost among educationists.

WHAT has become of the Missionary articles and the Reviews and the rest of the matter sent in for August MONTHLY? Crowded out. Articles and Reviews that will keep through the hot weather are held over and matter of current interest given. Heavy reading will be more acceptable in September. Proportion has to be sacrificed this month.

THE endowment ball is kept rolling. It has now reached the size of \$201,280. Of this amount \$154,434 has been paid. In order to allow for a possible deficiency of—say—10% or 15% the total sum required is about \$220,000. This sum would easily be secured if certain sections, not yet canvassed, yield as they should. There is a little slackness on the part of the local treasurers which needs correction. A strong effort should now be made to raise the \$20,000 that the very modest sum aimed at for endowment may be secured.

THE success attending the efforts to raise \$250,000 additional endowment for Queen's University is meeting with most gratifying success. Kingston has done nobly. Reports of liberal contributions come from other sections in Eastern Ontario. Although we would rather have seen Queen's enter Confederation and take her place in Queen's Park, now, that the decision has been otherwise and Queen's remains in Kingston, we sincerely hope her friends will see their plain duty in the matter of liberal support. Those in Eastern Ontario are bound to do something handsome. With Principal Grant in command there is no fear of failure.

RAISING funds for colleges is quite a business. Rev. W. Burns, agent for Knox, has turned the \$200,000; Principal Grant is on the