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license (which is an Episcopal instrument) it should be rejected. An act authorizing this passed the Nova Scotia legislature, but it was annulled by Government, and the Governor was advised by Lord Bathurst to reject any future bill of the kind. A similar attempt was made last year in Prince Edward Island but was frustrated by Lord Bathurst.

April 9.

To Rev. A. Hamilton (Notes of letters). The following missionaries wanted, 14 in Nova Scotia, 9 in New Brunswick, 4 in Prince Edward Island, 6 in Newfoundland, and 4 in the Bermudas—with the names of the places. Week day work encouraged. Lay reading of necessity. It is common among all Dissenters and even among Roman Catholics. R. Wiggins, John Moody, and M. Desbrisay ready for ordination. Recommends Mr. Wix stationed at Halifax as visiting missionary. Mr. Weeks and Mr. Walker doing well. Mr. Norris wishes to resign. Recommends assistance to Dartmouth in paying for parsonage. School lands at Newport recovered without suit. Favourable compromise for glebe at Weymouth. Mr. Jackson likely to go away.

Another letter of same date. Mr. Griffin's various relations.

Another letter of April 25-28, 1827. Affairs in Prince Edward Island. Parish of St. Paul's divided. Mr. Uniacke properly missionary at St. George's, Halifax.

Private letter at same time. Mentioned arrangements at Cornwallis, Horton, Falmouth, Newport, Springfield, Miramichi. Impropriety of displacing men like Mr. G. Wiggins. Mr. Hayden's perverse conduct. The Attorney General directed to assist in displacing him. The efforts of the Catholics stated. The Popish procession at Fredericton and other matters alluded to. Other minor matters. Another letter to Mr. Hamilton, May 7, respecting St. Eleanor's; the proceedings of J. W. Weeks. Mr. Walker to be ordained and go to Cape Breton, Mr. Moody to be ordained and go to Liverpool. Mr. Richard Wiggins to be ordained. He is wanted both in St. John and at Westfield.

May 22.

To Rev. Dr. Cochran. Respecting the church at Falmouth, and the question of employing Mr. King there.

September 5.

Rev. Jos. Wright to Rev. A. Hamilton. Conditions at Horton. Strong prejudices against Church form of worship; mission of little importance.

September 15-17.

To Rev. A. Hamilton (Notes). Additional grants required for Madras System. Mr. Wix's employment in Halifax pressed. Grant of £100 for Dartmouth. Resignation of Mr. Wright a mistake. Mr. G. Morris' removal to Rawdon proposed. Other less important matters.

Letter, Sept. 29. Mr. Nichols recommended as schoolmaster at Clements. And other matters alluded to.

Letter, Nov. 23. Recommendation that all Society's appointments be temporary. Mr. Desbrisay successful at Margaret's Bay. Mr. Wix very helpful. Mr. William Talbot recommended for school at Liverpool, and Mr. Asa Torrey for Windsor. Archdeacon Best recommends Mr. N. Arnold to go to Sussexvale to assist declining father; Mr. Wright's going to St. John to serve in Free Chapel under Mr. Gray; Mr. Milner's exchange with Dr. Thompson; the appointment of Mr. Legget to school at Springfield. Scovil, Trim-