

## APPEAL.

Having been requested to ascertain the amount that will be paid by the different churches co-operating for the support of Evangelists for the ensuing year. I have preferred the plan of addressing you through this circular, to that of making a call in person as saving much expense. I trust, beloved brethren, that the cause of Christ lies so near your hearts that but little needs to be said in order to induce you to contribute for that object, which, of all others, has the greatest bearing upon the eternal destiny of the human race—the preaching of the Gospel of God's dear Son in its pure apostolic simplicity, at a time when superstition and infidelity are waging a fierce war upon each other; at a time when sectarianism is stretching every wide-spreading sail for the rapid progress of its gaudy and many colored vessels laden with myriads of responsible souls destined for the eternal judgment; at a time when, in the Providence of God, a door wide and effectual is being opened in so many parts of our country for the introduction of the ancient order of things; at a time when the labours of the Evangelists employed are crowned with such great success, we feel sure, beloved brethren, that no consideration will lead you to withhold your wonted support; nay, that you will, in many neighbourhoods, try to double, if possible, your contributions, that more labourers may be sent to reap the fields already white for the harvest.

Without any delay ascertain in each congregation what amount may be depended on for another year, and send word to Robert Royce, Esq., Treasurer, or John Stewart, Secretary, both at Everton P. O.

Do not forget to come to our Co-operation meeting at Everton, in February, and help to add to the interest of the meeting. We want the statistics of all the churches, and when a messenger cannot be sent, let us hear by letter.

JAMES BLACK,  
Rockwood P. O.

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## NEBUCHADNEZZER.

I see from the October *Adviser* that Bro. SIMON PETER is *compelled* by the *generous* Conductors to spare me, in consequence of my being an *old* veteran, on my reply to Barnabas on Daniel's Chronology, 1st and 2nd Chapters. By comparing Jeremiah xxv. 1st verse, with Daniel i. chap. 1st verse, commentators conclude that Nebuchadnezzar

must have reigned along with his father about two years before he reigned alone, and that that furnishes the key to solve the difficulty. See Scott, Adam Clarke, Doddridge. I have no difficulty to account for such discrepancies.

JAMES BLOAK.

A communication from Bro. Loos justifies me in stating that it is his intention to visit our Province next July. Dorchester, Eramosa, Erin and Toronto, (and Oshawa or Bowmanville if time permitted), were the points named for him to visit last July. If there be no alteration needed in the programme, we must give Bro. Loos timely notice of the day upon which he will be expected in each place; and a notice should be inserted in the *Adviser* and *Banner of the Faith*, so that the brotherhood would be duly-informed.

L.

To A. H., Welland. Thank you. Money received. *Advisers* ordered. Tracts mailed. Hope the *Advisers* are sent right now. If not please let us know.

L.

To C. S. Money received. Books sent. Letter mailed.

L.

To Bro. Black. The obituary you sent for the October number was mislaid, can you furnish another one.

L.

Will Brethren Black and Parkinson please send the matter they furnish for the *Adviser* direct to Norris Black, Toronto. This arrangement will facilitate matters considerably with regard to Bro. B.

K. & L.

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