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Ministers and Churches.

The congregation of Botany, Kent Bridge and McKay's Corners have called the Rev. J. A. Mustard, B.A.

The Rev. P. II. Hutchinson, lately of Glasgow, Scotland, has been called to St. Andrew's Church, Huntingdon, Que.

Rev. C. B. Pitblado's congregation, West-minister, Winnipeg, raised by a collection on a recent Sunday, \$3,250.

Norval Presbyterian Church anniversary ser-uices were preached last Sunday by Rev. Mungo Fraser. The reverend gentleman lectured on Monday evening on travels in Egypt and Palestine

Dr Lamont, who has been leader Knox Church choir, Listowel, for the past six years, was presented, on his resignation, with a handsome gold headed cane and an address by the members of the choir and a few of his friends.

Rev. Mr. Lockhead, of Mandaumin, has resigned his charge. The pulpit will be preached vacant on February 3rd, by Rev S G Livingsone, of Lucasville, who will be glad to hear from any one wishing to preach before the con-

St. Andrew's congregation, Pakenham, is now considering the erection of a new church. One gentleman, on behalf of the family of which he is the senior, offers the generous sum of \$4,000, and it is said several others of the chagregation will subscribe bandsomely.

The anniversary of Knox Chutch, Harriston, was observed on January 20th. The Rev. Dr. W. E. Waits, of Owen Sound, preached two excellent sermons which were appreciated by large audiences. Dr. Waits gave a splendid lecture on Monday evening following, entitled "The Grandeur of Life." The old tea-meeting was abandoned, never to show up again. The proceeds amounted to the sum of \$250.

The anniversary services of St. Paul's Church, Parkhill, were recently conducted by the Rev J. L. Murray, of Kincardine, who preached most occeptably to large congregations on Sabbath. Mr. Murray on Monday evening lectured on "What I saw in Italy;" presenting vivid impressions in eloquent words of his experience during a holiday trip to Europe. The receipts for the Building Fund have been entirely satisfactors.

iter Prof. MacLaren, of Knox College, preached recently in Chalmers Church, Wood-stock, morning and evening, and was heard with great delight by large congregations. His ser-mons might well be characterized as "logic on fire.' Breadth of view, earnestness of purpose, ogether with great clearness and force of expression, are qualities never absent. His discourses will be long remembered by those who heard

Rev J. A. Macdonald preached at Aylmer and Springfield, lately, and moderated in a unanimous call to the Rev. W. H. Anderson, M. A., B. 10. Mr. Anderson graduated in arts and theology in Scotland. He is a young man of considerable promise. The call will be disposed of at the first meeting of the Presbytery of London, in Knox Church. Mr Murray, of Aylmer, and Mr. Mc-Intyre, of Springfield, will support the call before the Presbytery.

At the close of the prayer-meeting on a late evening, in the Duart Presbyterian Church, Mr. Duncan MacLean and Mr. John Gillies read an address expressive of the kind feeling that exists between the pastor, Rev. Wm. Malcolm Kay, and his people, and, in the name of the congregation, presented him with a beautiful fur overcoat This is but a more public one of the many evidences Mr. Kay has of the congregation's esteem for him and of their appreciation of his services.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper was dis-pensed in St. Andrew's Church, Peterborough, Jan. 20th, the largest number in the history of the congregation communing; 34 new members were admitted. This is a very large number, as 3 months ago 24 were received. A very encouraging feature being the large number both of old and young who united on profession of faith. The very rapid growth of this congregation under the present pastor, the Rev. A. MacWilliams. must be very encouraging to him and his devoted

The Rev. P. T. Hutchinson, M.A., is about to receive a call to St. Andrew's Church, Hunting don, Quebec. It was in this charge that the Rev. J. B. Muir, D.D., labored for twenty years, and resigned about six months ago so as to effect a union of the two congregations in this village. The field is a large and laborious one The number of communicants is between 300 and 400. Mr. Hutchinson is to receive for the first year, St. 000 and manse. The Rev. Dr. Muir preached in St. Audrew's on the 20th ult. His health, which for six months past has not been good, is now greatly improved.

At St. Paul's Church, Montreal, recently, Lord Haddo and Lady Marjorie Gordon, who attended with their parents, partook of the sucrement for the first time. Lord Haddo was confirmed at Harrow school last term, in accordance with the usage and rites of the Church of England; but by his own choice, and with the knowledge and assent of the head master, who prepared him for confirmation, he desired to receive the communion

for the first time in the Presbyterian Church. Their Excellencies' children are thus merely fol-lowing the course adopted in this matter by their parents, who have all their lives been connected with both the Episcopal and the Presbyterian

Rev. J. A. Macdonald, St. Thomas, received word, lately, of the death of Mrs. Macdonald's uncle, Mr. John L. Anderson, Oil City. Mr. Anderson came to Canada some forty years ago, and spent the greater part of his life in higher educational work. He took his Master of Arts' degree in Aberdeen University and afterwards took the LL.D. course and studied theology in the Free Church College, Edinburgh. He taught for many years in Westminister, Delaware and Caradoc, having been at one time principal of the Livingstone Academy. He was a first-class classical scholar and kept up his student habits to the last. Of late he lived with his sister, Mrs. Wm Christian, Oil City, and was secretary-treasurer and representative elder in St. Andrew's Church there. He was formerly elder in the Delaware Church, and for fifty years held office in the Presbyterian Church at Baden which was

The Presbyterian Church at Baden which was begun last summer is now completed, and was opened on Sabbath, 20th inst., the Rev. Dr. McTavish of Toronto preaching morning and evening, and the Rev. Mr. McNair, of Waterloo, in the afternoon. Mr. C. Tate, who had charge of the field during the summer, was also present and took part in the services. Great interest was manifested, especially at the afternoon and evening services, the building, which is a commodious one, being crowded to overflowing. The Church has a fine appearance and is substantially built of white brick. Everything inside is very comfortable, the seats being of the most The Presbyterian Churchat Baden which was wery comfortable, the seats being of the most moder and improved style. As a whole it reflects great credit upon all those connected with the building of it and is an ornament to the village. It is hoped that it may long stand a witness for Him to whose service it was dedicated.

Underwood, one of the sections of Mr. Fitzpatrick's congregation, has been receiving signal marks of the Divine favor, and the heart of the pastor is made glad in reaping the fruit of his labours. After consultation with, and the approval ine pastor is made glad in reaping the fruit of his labours. After consultation with, and the approval of the different members of Session, a series of special meetings was begun in the church by the pastor. After the first week's services, much assistance was rendered by Mr. N. D. McKinnon, a Knox College student, and who is also an efficient elder of the Underwood congregation. His earnest and interesting addresses were very highly appreciated. The meetings were continued for about four weeks. There was no excitement or attempt at sensational methods, but simply the plain preaching of the good old gospel, and prayer, and the singing of gospel hymns. At the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, which was dispensed on a late Sabbath, and at which the pastor was assisted by Rev. John Anderson, of Tiverton, twenty five names were added to the communion roll, twenty-two by profession, and three by certificate. Seven of those coming upon profession also received the rite of baptism.

On the evening of the 17th ult., a very successful

On the evening of the 17th ult., a very successful social was held by the congregation at Crawford, Grey County, for the increase of their Sabbath-Grey County, for the increase of their Sabbath-school library and either purposes. The manner in which it was gotten up, on short notice, and the style in which it was executed, reflects consider-able credit on the youthful committee appointed by the congregation for that purpose. The music was furnished by the choir of the Presbyterian congregation in Durham, and was performed (both the vocal and the instrumental part) to the entire satisfaction of those immediately concerned. entire satisfaction of those immediately concerned, and to the great delight of the large audience—in proof of which they were enthusiastically encored. The church was chartely decorated for the occasion with ever-greens, mottoes, emblems and festoons, largely the work, also, of the congrega-tion. There was a crowd there, but few speakers, yet these gave, though belonging to other congregations, expression to the kindliest feelings towards the congregation, and the success of their undertaking. Refreshments were choice and abundant. There was a smaller gathering the following evening, when the Crawford choir did credit to themselves. The proceeds reached the handsome sum of fifty dollars, which, it is thought, will be amply sufficient for the objects contemplated.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS.

WINNIPEG: At the meeting of St. Andrew's congregation Rev. Joseph Hogg briefly reviewed the work of 1894. Mr. Duncan Sinclair read the report of Session. The present membership is 916. The ordinary revenue was \$4,442.90 as against \$4.741 70 for 1893. The total assets are placed at \$63.734 69 and liabilities at \$43.508.25; excess of assets over liabilities \$20,226.44.

KINGSTON: During the year 44 members were received by the session of Cooke's Church. Using to a special expenditure on account of necessary improvements, the basiness statement showed a slight deficit. During the year the debt on the building had been reduced by \$500, leaving the small sum of \$200 yet to be paid off. The various reports were encouraging. For missions

HRAMPTON: The Presbyterian congregation is flourishing under the pastorate of Rev. Mr. Clark. Nearly \$5,000 was raised during the year for ordinary expenses, missions, etc., incluive of \$1,000 paid on church debt; leaving only \$1,000 yet to be paid on the building which cost \$26,000.

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