198 CONGREGATIONAL COLLEGE.

Decreases have occurred in eight, amounting to \$257, and increases in three, amounting to \$35.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Nine churches subscribed \$183 last year, but, with the exception of Chebogue, they are all absent from this year's list.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Two churches subscribed last year, and two this year.

MANITOBA.

Winnipeg Central, is the sole representative from the Prairie Province this year. Winnipeg Maple Street, Portage la Prairie and Brandon are unreported.

UNITED STATES.

The increase here consists of two donations from old alumni,

The following since the date subsequently; a second list gives tions.

Since 31st

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Per Rev. F Rev. Dr. H T. M. A. W **B**. W Hugh Jas. W. M W. H Geo. ... " I. J. S C. E. B. B. " Robt. " Mage " E. M. " A. W J. W. " T. Ho " Wm. " D. M " Geo.] " J. P. " G. A. " W. H " Geo. 8 " J. C. " Robt. " A. Mc Student Gu \mathbf{Ha} 11 Winnipeg, N 11 Hamilton London Pt. St. Chai Wingham Waterville Calvary, Ki Union Scho Griffintown Henry O'H J. C. Copp.

which it is a great pleasure to acknowledge.

In addition to the loss sustained by Revenue Account from decrease in subscriptions and collections, the grant from the Colonial Missionary Society, which had so long stood at £250 stg., was reduced for the current year to £150, with the notification that next year it would be £75, after which it is to cease entirely. The reduction in the current year, therefore, amounted to about \$480 from that source, which, added to the decrease in subscriptions, makes very nearly \$1,000. With the early knowledge of the reduction of the grant from London, our best efforts were given to keep the controllable expenditure down to the very lowest point, consistent with efficiency; and the debit balance of only \$81 shows that our efforts have not been without success.

As to the coming year, with the certain reduction of \$375 from the Colonial Missionary Society, the Executive must fairly warn the churches that, unless they supply the deficiency, the College must suffer. Some of the churches are doing nobly; others are giving far too sparingly, and some are doing nothing at all for the support of the College. We have endeavored to do our part in showing time and again what is required for the successful carrying on of this work, which is so vital to the interests of all our churches, and once more we make a solemn and earnest appeal to every Congregational church in the Dominion for a generous and hearty response in the coming year.

