

RECEPTION OF MINISTERS.

The following ministers of other Churches were received as Ministers of this Church :—

By the Presbytery of Hamilton, on the 12th of July, last year, Thomas Goldsmith, late of the New Connexion Methodist Church; William Hancock, late of the Presbyterian Church of the United States; Samuel Fenton, late of the Congregational Church.

T. Goldsmith
W. Hancock.
S. Fenton.

By the Presbytery of Montreal, Daniel Coussirat, A.M., B.D., French Professor of Theology, Montreal, an ordained minister of the French Reformed Church, on the 4th of August, last year.

D. Coussirat,
A.M., B.D.

By the Presbytery of London, on the 5th of July, last year, John Andrew McDonald, of the Presbytery of New Brunswick, of the Presbyterian Church of the United States.

J. A. Mc.
Donald.

By the Presbytery of Toronto, on the 2nd day of August, last year, Mr. John B. Watt, a minister without charge, of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces; Mr. W. D. Ballantyne, a minister without charge, of the Presbyterian Church in the United States; and Mr. George Haigh, recently a minister of the Primitive Methodist Church.

J. B. Watt.
W. D. Ballantyne.
G. Haigh.

By the Presbytery of Ontario, on the 8th day of November last, Robert McAlpine Thornton, B.A., a licentiate of the Presbytery of Edinburgh, of the United Presbyterian Church in Scotland.

R. M. Thornton,
B.A.

LICENSURE OF STUDENTS.

The following students of Divinity were licensed as Probationers, namely :—

By the Presbytery of Kingston, on the 13th of July, last year, Thomas Ritchie.

S. Students
licensed.

By the Presbytery of Ottawa, on the 30th of August last, J. McDiarmid.

H. H. J. Mc.
Diarmid.

By the Presbytery of Toronto, on the 2d of August, last year, William A. McKay, B.A., and James B. Breckenridge.

W. A. McKay
J. B. Breckenridge.

By the Presbytery of Simcoe, on the 2nd day of August last, Geo. Burnfield, M.A.

Geo. Burnfield,
M.A.

By the Presbytery of London, on the 13th of July last, Peter Wright, and, on the 27th of September, John Baikie.

P. Wright.
J. Baikie.

By the Presbytery of Chatham, on the 5th of July last, John Gray.

J. Gray.

CONGREGATIONS ERECTED.

The following congregations were newly organized, or being disjoined from, or united with, other congregations, were erected into separate charges :—

Congrega-
tions
organized.

In the Presbytery of Guelph, Melville and Bayne Churches, Galt, united under the name of Union Church, Galt, on the 13th of April, last year; Waldemar, formerly Amaranth and South Luther Mission Station, March 14th, in the present year, and, on the same day, Elmira and Hawkesville, previously Mission Stations.

Union Ch.
Galt.

In the Presbytery of Hamilton, Ancaster Village, and Barton Stone Church, erected into a pastoral charge, April 12th, last year.

Waldemar.
Elmira and
Hawkesville.

In the Presbytery of Paris, Willis Church, Blenheim, divided into the two congregations of Drumbo and Princeton.

Ancaster V.
and Barton
Stone Ch.

Drumbo and
Princeton.