

slight tokens of interest in the evangelization of the heathen, by assisting the funds of which other parties had the management, without exercising any right, or possessing any opportunity, to direct or investigate the manner of their expenditure. So they sent the gospel to the heathen, they were not concerned in what country they were

found, nor by what agents their bounty was conveyed. Since the Church has taken up a field of her own, and sent out missionaries from her own bosom, it is not wonderful that her incipient resources have greatly increased. The measures which led to these arrangements will furnish subjects for future "Recollections."

Youth's Department.

[We had prepared an introductory article for the Youth's Department; but have been obliged to defer it till next month.]

TO THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND.

My Dear Young Friends,—

When I last addressed you through the "Eastern Chronicle," (I rejoice that I can now do it through the present "Register," a more appropriate and efficient medium) I concluded by saying, that I hoped soon to have the pleasure of announcing that you had realized the sum necessary to complete the object in view. That time has arrived. I have now the pleasure of announcing that I have no doubt the £100 proposed to put the Marine department of our Mission on a respectable footing, is realized. The unexpected absence of our Treasurer prevents me, at present, from giving the exact sum from each congregation, and the whole amount; but it will not be forgotten. In the meantime I hear of others who, though a little tardy, are still exerting themselves to share in this honourable enterprise; and I think we must give them all ample time and opportunity. Here, at least, there is no room for jealousy; and moderate ambition is commendable. My present impression is, that in this youthful company of owners of our Marine department, Stock will come in to the amount of £130, or perhaps, £150; especially if some, who seem to be halting between two opinions, should decide to allow their children an opportunity of joining in this labour of love and good-works. In this case we must enlarge the number of Shareholders; of which I hope none of you will complain,

as we cannot think of excluding any because some have realized all we asked, before others had an opportunity of joining. Let all come forward, therefore, and unite with this noble young band, who are contributing so handsomely to the cause of the poor heathen in the "Isles of the sea."—When all this is accomplished, I have it in view, and I hope to be able, to place in the possession of every collector, and consequently within the reach of almost every contributor a tangible evidence of his or her proprietorship in the Marine department of our Foreign Mission.

I remain,

My dear young friends,
Yours, &c.,

JOHN I. BAXTER.

Onslow, Dec. 5th, 1849

We observe with much pleasure, that the leading churches in Halifax have entered, with zeal into a project for establishing a Mission among the Micmac Indians of this Province and Prince Edward Island. Want of space prevents us from inserting, in the present No., the proceedings of the meetings which have been held in Halifax. We shall, however, as opportunity offers, report the progress which may be made in this good work.

A list of the Contributions in clothing &c., for the use of the Foreign Mission, and particulars of their shipment, will be given in the next No.

Intending subscribers who wish to receive the work from the commencement, should make early application, as only a small number of extra copies have been printed.