

NOTICE.

A Meeting of the Home Mission Board for the transaction of business will be held in St. Andrew's Church, New Glasgow, on Wednesday, January 12th, at 11 o'clock.

GEORGE M. GRANT, *Convener.*

SCOTTISH EPISCOPAL SYNOD.

At the annual Synod of the Scottish Episcopal Church, held on Tuesday, a discussion took place among the bishops on the propriety of granting the prayer of a number of petitions asking that a general Synod should be summoned for the purpose of considering whether the privileges of the laity in ecclesiastical administration should not be increased. Bishop Wordsworth was afraid that the laity were going too fast, and referred to an influential correspondent in Ireland, who was staggered at the way in which Church matters were being arranged in Ireland. With the exception of the Primus, who seemed to be in favour of extending the privileges of the laity, all of the Bishops indicated an opinion that such a course would be perilous and dangerous at the present time. On Wednesday, it was resolved to remit the consideration of the question to the Diocesan Synods.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

FOREIGN MISSION SCHEME.

Collected at Farewell meeting with Rev. Mr. Goodwill at St. Matthew's Church, Halifax, N.S.	\$20.00
Col. at St. Matthew's Church, Halifax, N.S., 12th Oct.	178.03
Col. at Richmond, near Halifax.	3.00
From Miss M. McKenzie, Boston, per Rodk. McKenzie.	1.50
From Rev. G. M. Grant, being bal. of sums sent to him to purchase goods for the mission.	9.00
P. McDonald, of Baddeck, per W. G. Pender.	0.50

\$212.03

JAS. J. BREMNER, *Treas.*

Halifax, 10th Nov. 1869.

Col. at McLennan's Mountain, per Rev. Wm. Stewart.	\$15.30
Col. at Campbellton. £6; Flat Lands, £2 10s. = \$34 at 2 per cent prem.	34.68
Broad Cove, C.B., \$14; Angus McPhail, River Dennis, \$50 cts.	14.50
Albion Mines.	9.00
St. John's, Nfld.	38.00
Richmond and North-West Arm, Halifax.	4.50

\$115.98

JAS. J. BREMNER, *Treas.*

Halifax, 4th Dec., 1869.

YOUNG MEN'S SCHEME.

Collection in Greenock Church, St. Andrew's, N.B., by the Rev. P. Keay.	9.48
Col. in Chatham Church, N.B., by Rev. Mr. Wilson.	15.00
Paid John Sutherland, student.	\$100.00

RODRICK MCKENZIE, *Treas.*

Pictou, Oct. 30, 1869.

HOME MISSION FUND.

Miss McKenzie, Lake Uist.	\$6.00
" Dowling, River Inhabitants.	6.22
" Cameron, "	4.50
" McLaughlin "	1.50
" McKinnon, West Bay.	4.68
" Rankin, River Dennis.	2.66
" McAskill, Strait.	5.00
" Skinner, "	3.00
Col. at Baddeck.	14.00

\$47.56

Less P.O.O. 15

\$47.41

GEORGE MCLEAN, *C. Treas.*

Halifax, Dec. 4, 1869.

In last month's acknowledgments of Presbytery Clerk's Fees, W. B. R. John should be credited with \$2 instead of \$5.

CASH RECEIVED FOR "MONTHLY RECORD."

W. Grant, Pembroke, Up. Stewiacke.	\$1.25
Rev. J. Gordon, Almonte, Ont.	2.00
Jas. A. Archibald, Bedford.	0.62½
Rev. F. R. McDonald, Newcastle, N.B.	0.62½
Rev. J. McMillan, Musquodoboit.	2.00
Rev. T. Wilkins, for D. Munro, Woodstock, N.B.	0.50
Rev. J. Currie, Maitland.	0.62½

LETTERS RECEIVED.

W. M., Campbellton, N.B.; W. McP., Orwell Head, P.E.I.; R. McK., Pictou; J. G. C., Portland, N.B.; W. McM., Salt-springs.

W. G. PENDER, *Sec'y.*

Employment Office, Halifax, }
December 4, 1869. }