

They have been permitted again to aid a young gentleman of promise in the prosecution of his studies for the Ministry at King's College, Windsor, and by placing the sum of £30 in his hands for temporary use, until it may be convenient to him to replace it, have enabled him to sustain the expense of education which otherwise would have been too burdensome for his means.

The expenditure for the year which has elapsed between the last annual meeting and the present time, appears to have been as follows, viz :—

For Lay Readers,.....	£67	1	8
Books granted,.....	31	0	0
Do. returned ($\frac{1}{4}$ of remittances)	29	18	1
Churches,.....	75	0	0
Missionary Expenses.....	15	0	0
Mrs. Boyes,.....	15	0	0
Student at Windsor,.....	30	0	0

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Of this sum the grant of £25 to the new Church at Broad Cove has not yet been paid.

INCOME.

In turning to the consideration of the income of the Society, your Committee cannot but express their regret that, neither from the city nor, with one or two exceptions, from the country, are the contributions to its funds such as the general circumstances of the members of the Church, and the importance of the object submitted to them in this Society might warrant the Committee in expecting.

The City of Halifax has contributed during the past year, the sum, inclusive of the £36 taken at the last General Meeting, of £130 2s. 4d. The chief part of this amount has been contributed by those who have been from the first the steady friends of the Society, and it includes many of the pence of the poor, whose contributions bear a nearer resem-