

Book Steward's Department

The Rev. H. PICKARD, D.D., Book Steward. The Rev. T. W. SMITH, Assistant Book Steward. All letters relating to the business of either the Book Room or the Wesleyan Newspaper Office, and all remittances of money for the Wesleyan, as well as for the Book Room should be addressed to the Book Steward and not to the Editor.

But all Books to be noticed, and all communications and advertisements designed for insertion in the Wesleyan, should be addressed to the Editor and not to the Book Steward.

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO REMITTING MONEY.—1.—When sending money for subscribers, say whether old or new, and if new, write out their Post Office address plainly. 2.—See that your remittances are duly acknowledged. A delay of one or two weeks may be caused by the business of this office. After that inquire if they do not appear. 3.—Post Office Orders are always safe, and not very costly. Next to these, is the security of registering letters. Money sent otherwise is at the risk of the sender.

RECEIPTS for "WESLEYAN"

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Rows include: FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPT. 24th, 1879. Rev. H. C. Hatcher for—David Currie, 2.00; Hezekiah Burt 2.00; W. Morris 2.00; Rev. Isaac T. Howe—George Dawson 2.00; John Miller 2.00.

Minutes of Conference for 1879.

Table with 2 columns: Conference Name, Minutes. Rows include: Minutes of the London, the Toronto and the Montreal Conferences, each 26cts; Newfoundland Conference 15; Nova Scotia and the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Conferences, each 10; We have a few Bound Volumes—containing the Minutes of the Three Eastern Conferences, price 75; and also a few others containing the Minutes of all the Six Conferences of the Methodist Church of Canada 1.50.

MINUTE BOOK ROOM. Halifax, N. S., Sept. 5th, 1879. NOTE.—The Minutes of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island for the several Circuits have been sent to the District. If any Circuit Superintendent has not received the supply to the number to which his Circuit is entitled according to the resolution of the Conference—he should apply to his Chairman.

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IN STOCK.

Watson's and Wesley's Sermons, Fletcher's Checks, Biblical Museum, Cyclopaedia of Illustrative Anecdotes, Whedon's Com. on the New Testament, Smith's Bible Dictionary, at a very low figure, Fisher's History of the Reformation, Methodist Family Library, Wesley's Notes on the New Testament, Cruden's Concordance, Steven's History of Methodism, McClintock and Strong's Cyclopaedia, etc., etc.

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TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 31st October, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, six times per week each way, between Bridgewater and Shelburne, under a proposed contract for four years from the 1st January next.

Conveyance to be made in vehicles drawn by not fewer than two horses, containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract, may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Bridgewater, Liverpool and Shelburne, or at the office of the subscriber, CHAS. J. MACDONALD, Post Office Inspector, Halifax, Sept. 19th, 1879.

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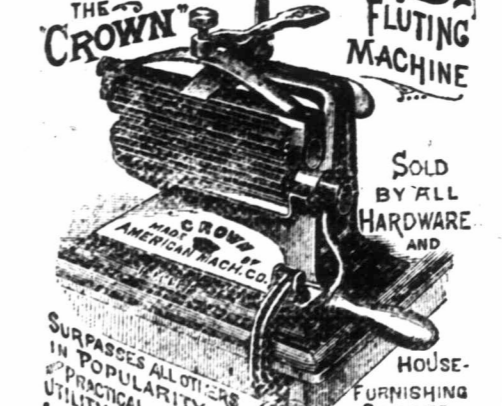
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The books in this List are well worth the attention of readers. Many of them are only slightly soiled. The figures in the first column represent the original price of the books, a number of which were marked when books were sold at a cheaper rate than at present. The prices in the second column are those at which we offer them now. From these and from others not named in the list one or two good Sabbath School Libraries could be supplied. When sending orders please refer to this Advertisement. Six Cents extra must be forwarded with an order for any book to be sent by mail.

Table with 2 columns: Book Title, Price. Rows include: The Patriarchal Age, by Geo. Smith L.L.D. \$3.00; The Book of Prophecy, " " 3.00; Sady's Travels in the East, 2 Vols 2.00; Smith's History of Methodism, Vol 3 2.10; Smith's Local Preachers Manual 1.50; City Road Chapel and its Associations 3.50; The City Road Magazine, 1878 1.80; Cassan's Canon of the Holy Scriptures 1.80; Watson's Sermons, 2 vols., second hand 2.80; Stevens' History of M.E. Church, Vol 2 1.75; Pausan's Lectures and Sermons 3.00; King and Commonwealth, a History of the Great Rebellion 1.50; Farrars Silence and Voices of God 1.75; Mammalia, a popular introduction to Zoological History 2.50; Macduff's Clefts of the Rock 1.65; Wayland's Moral Science 0.90; Miscellany Passages of Scripture 1.00; The Biblical Treasury Vol. 3 & 4 in one 1.35; Methodist Hymn and Tune Book, Canadian 2.02; The Model Preacher by William Taylor 1.20; Sir Thos. F. Buxton, the Christian Statesman 1.00; Memorials of Mr. John Bamford 0.80; Memeir of Rev Henry Lebell 0.80; Life of John H W Hawkins 1.00; Unpublished Remains of Char. Elliott 1.20; Life of James Dixon, D.D 2.25; The Book of Good Deeds 1.50; Picturesque Illustrations of the Bible 0.50; Stimpes in America 1.25; Byways in Palestine 1.00; Sacred Names by G. S. Phillips 1.50; Object and Outline Teaching 1.75; Soulburn's Pursuit of Holiness 0.80; Methodist Constitution and Discipline by Geo. Turner 1.35; Coveper's Task, illustrated by Birket Foster 85c; Bridges Christian Ministry 1.75; Christian Gellert 2.00; The Young Lady of Pleasure 0.50; Christ's Presence in the Gospel History 1.25; John Newton, of Olney; by Rev. J. Bull 1.52; Life of John H W Hawkins, the Earnest Temperance Worker 1.00; Memoir of Stoddard, Missionary to the Nestorians 1.00; Wesley Family, The 1.60; Life and Labors of Gallaudet 1.00; Memorials of F O Keyseil 1.05; Tennent's Sermons 0.80; Heavenward, by Macdonald 1.00; Ministry and Policy of the Christian Church—by Rev. Alfred Barrett 0.75; The Biography of Heman Bangs 1.00; Europe and America in Prophecy 1.00; Caon and Interpretation of the Scriptures 1.00; Companion for the Afflicted 1.05; The Inquisition by W. H. Rule 1.25; Witherspoon on Justification, &c 0.88; The Christmas Tree 1.05; Living in Earnest 0.40; The Testimony of Christ to Christianity 1.10; Maon's Select Memoirs 1.50; Memoir of Timothy Gilbert 0.75; God, the Soul and a Future State 0.80; Parliament in the Play-room by A.L.O.E. 0.95; The Long Holidays 0.95; The Forest Boy—A Sketch of Abraham Lincoln 1.00; The Pulpit Observer for 1859 0.50.

H. PICKARD, Book Steward, Methodist Book Room, Halifax.



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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Secretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for Canal and Lock at St. Anne," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on FRIDAY the 10th DAY OF OCTOBER next, for the construction of a Lock and the formation of approaches to it on the landward side of the present Lock at St. Anne.

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Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms, except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of \$2,000 may accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

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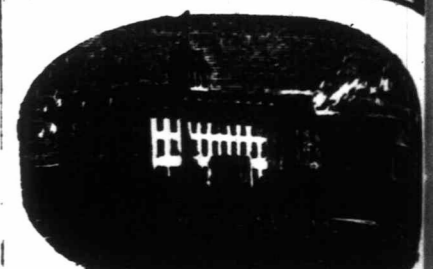
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