

NOTICES, ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, &c.

HOME MISSION.

STATE OF FUNDS.—The ordinary Fund of the Home Mission Board is at present in an exhausted state. A small grant of money has already been made, which there are not funds on hand to meet; and other demands will arise from time to time which cannot be deferred till the meeting of Synod. Treasurers of congregations and Missionary Associations are therefore requested to forward Home Mission contributions to the Synod's Treasurer, Mr Abram Patterson, Pictou, without delay, that the Board may be kept free of embarrassment, from want of funds, in transacting the business entrusted to them for the next half-year.

By order,

A. MCKNIGHT,

Convener Home Mission Board.

HOME MISSION BOARD.

I have to request a meeting of the Home Mission Board on the last Wednesday of January, in Poplar Grove Church, at 8 o'clock, evening. The list of members will be found in another column.

ALEXANDER MCKNIGHT,

Convener.

NOTICE.—The Presbytery of Halifax will meet in Poplar Grove Church, Halifax, on Wednesday, the 30th January, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Agents and subscribers in arrears for the *Christian Instructor* and *Register* are requested to make immediate payment, as the money is now imperatively demanded. Mr James Patterson still acts as Agent in settling up all outstanding accounts, to whom it is requested that remittances be forwarded without delay.

The Treasurer of Synod begs leave to intimate that moneys for any of the Funds of the Church will be received by Mr Howard Primrose, in Pictou, who will also pay drafts drawn by the Secretaries of the various Boards.

Moneys received by the Treasurer from 5th October to 20th December, 1860.

FOREIGN MISSION.

Collection at Moose River, South Shore, 18s 3d; James Rieker, Quoddy, 1s 3d; per Rev J. Waddell	£1 0 0
Ladies Penny-a-week Society, Primitive Church, New Glasgow	3 0 0
J W Barss, Esq, Wolfville, per Rev P G McGregor	1 0 0
Religious Society Salem Church, Green Hill	5 2 6
Windsor—to meet extra expenses of Mr Geddie's children	5 0 0
P Peebles, Esq, Quebec, do	1 0 0

Tatamagouche congregation for Demirdesh building fund	10 10 7½
Collection at a Missionary Meeting, Durham, West River	1 3 9
West River congregation, per Rev George Roddick	7 13 3
Mr William Hogg's subscription, per Rev J Bayne	10 0
Half of collection Barrington, Clyde River, &c, per Mr W R Framo	2 14 10
Do do for expense Mr Geddie's children, per do	2 14 10
Mr J Hardy, Newcastle, Miramichi	1 0 0
Ladies' Miss'y Soc, Tatamagouche	10 0 0
Antigonish	6 6 6
Legacy of the late W Matheson, Esq	250 0 0

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Ladies' Penny-a-week Society Primitive Church, New Glasgow	3 0 0
Antigonish	1 5 2½
Legacy late Wm Matheson, Esq	200 0 0

SEMINARY.

East Branch East River, Mr McGilvery's congregation	2 7 7
Antigonish	2 10 7

SYNOD FUND.

E B East River, Rev A McGilvery	0 19 7
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FREE CHURCH SYNOD FUND.

[The following list of collections was forwarded by the Rev William Duff for insertion in the *Free Church Record* for November, but left out from want of space.]

New Glasgow, June 21, 1860.

Grand River (James Ross)	£1 16 8
Baddeck (Kenneth McKenzie)	3 0 6
Cornwallis, North (Wm Murray)	2 7 1½
Do West (Alex W McKay)	1 0 0
Bridgewater (Howard D. Steele)	19 0
Lunenburg	1 18 3½
Earltown and West Branch	2 0 0
Charlottetown (George Sutherland)	1 4 0
Woodville (D McNeil)	13 5
New London and Scotch Settlement	2 5 0
Murray Harbour	1 10 0
Brown's Creek	2 10 0

Pictou, 3rd October, 1860.

Donald Morrison, Strathalbyn	£1 18 8
Lunenburg	2 10 0
B River and B Mountain	£5 1 6½
Less expenses	11 6 5
Lochaber	2 0 0
Dartmouth	1 11 10½

James Patterson acknowledges receipt of the following sums on account of the *Register* and *Instructor* for 1860:—

John B Dickie	£0 5 0
Charles Sterns	2 6
G A Blanchard	10 0
W H Waddell	5 0
Rev George M Clarke	4 15 6
Daniel Murphy	5 0
Abram H Patterson	1 1 3
S S McKean	1 17 6
Rev John McKinnon	3 0 0
Rev George Christie	2 5 0