

Oh! Memory! thy powers,
Revive my pleasures gone,
Bring back the happy hours,
Spent with herself alone:
Bright blissful moments,—mine no more,
But, Oh! I love to think them o'er.

Yet, 'tis a bitter sweet,
A sadly pleasing pain,
A momentary cheat.
That yields my bliss again:
But, Oh! I trust,—life's voyage o'er,—
To meet thee on the peaceful shore!

I long to join thee there,
To wing my flight away,—
Thine ecstasy to share,
In realms of endless day,—
That, freed from sin, I may fulfil
Unweariedly my Saviour's will!

I long with thee to trace,
The dealings of our God,
And sing his sovereign grace,
In yonder bright abode.
Oh! how I long to soar above,
To regions of celestial love!

Hail! happy Sister, hail!
The pangs of death are o'er,—
I too dare cross the vale,
If Jesus go before:
Yes, with my Saviour there to save,
I too will trust the heaven-bound wave!

Till then, farewell! blest Soul,
In Jesus's presence blest:
A few more suns shall roll,
And I shall be at rest,—
Then I shall join thee in the sky,
And with thee spend Eternity!

The following overture, presented by a Session to the Presbytery of Marion, was answered in the negative: "Should a member of a church who has removed without the bounds of the church receive a letter of dismission to another church, who refused to pay his dues to the minister."

All payments are hereafter to be made in Dominion Currency, and all sums paid in old currency will be reckoned accordingly.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

FOREIGN MISSION FUND.

Amount received from Gairloch, including \$10 N. S. Cy. from the Hero of Kurs Orange Lodge, and from J. Hart, Esq., Baddeck, 5s. 1½d. N. S. Cy., being sum collected by Mr. Thos. McLennan, Middle River, C. B., and appropriated by Mr. Brodie to Foreign Mission.....	\$30 00
Col. St. Paul's Church, East Branch, East River.....	13 00
Collection at Earltown, per A. A. McLean, viz:	
British silver \$6.87½, less 2 2-3 per cent.....	\$6.20½
Can. Cy., (20c., 10c. and 5c)....	1.30
Dimes and half dimes, at 8c. and 4c.....	0.44
U. S. Cy., 3c.....	0.02½
Col. at Earltown per Rev. D. MacLae, \$16.25 and \$4.75.....	21 00
Col. at Musquodoboit, per Rev. Mr. McMillan.....	28 71
Col. at St. Matthew's Church, Halifax	240 41
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JAS. J. BREMNER, *Treas.*
Halifax, N. S., 6th Jan., 1872.

YOUNG MEN'S BURSARY FUND.

Rec'd from Cape John Congregation..	\$6 05
JAMES HISLOP, <i>Treas.</i> Pictou, Dec. 30th, 1871.	

PICTOU PRESBYTERY HOME MISSION FUND.

Paid Rev. Mr. McCunn.....	\$40 00
JAMES HISLOP, <i>Treas.</i> Pictou, Dec. 30th, 1871.	

CASH RECEIVED FOR "RECORD:"

Rev. J. Robertson, Tabusintac.....	\$ 8 00
Allan McQuarry, Toney River.....	4 00
A. Robertson, St. John, N. B.....	20 00
D. W. Fraser, Middle River Pictou....	1 00
Concord, New Lairg and Glengarry...	6 50
Donald Stewart, Dalhousie.....	10 00
D. Morrison, Carleton, N. B.....	0 60
Rev. F. Home, Bathurst, N. B.....	5 00
A. Campbell, Broad Cove.....	0 60
James A. Young, Upper Nashwaak...	5 00
D. Munro, Upper Woodstock.....	1 50
Wm. McLean, St. Andrew's, N. B....	4 00
Rev. J. Layton, Teviotdale.....	3 50
James Craig, Kingston.....	1 89
Alex. Ross, Londonderry.....	0 63
Rev. D. McRae, Hopewell.....	2 50
Alex. McKenzie, Wallace.....	6 00
John McKay, Millville, Pictou.....	5 00
Alex. McLean, W. B., River John....	5 00
Rev. Peter Melville, Georgetown, P.E.I.	24 00
Wm. McLeod, North River, Onslow .	5 00
Peter McDougall, Loch Lomond, C.B.	5 00
Halifax:—Capt. John Taylor, J. S. Cunnabell and Mrs Cameron, 63 cts. each.	