

rown which will erewhile yield an abundant harvest, and cause that moral wilderness to rejoice and blossom as the rose. And every one contributed in the name of the Lord, with the view of enabling the Herald of the Truth to visit these localities, shall in no wise lose its reward.

Subjoined is a statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of this Fund for the past year.

RECEIPTS.

PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX.	
Chalmers' Church	£6 0 0
Cornwallis	4 0 0
Dartmouth	1 4 4
Goodwood, (Station)	13 9½
Lunenburg	3 13 2
St. John's, Newfoundland	10 6 2
Bermuda	6 5 0
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	£32 2 5½

PRESBYTERY OF PICTOU.

New Glasgow Female Missionary Association:—	
Miss Ann Cameron	£4 8 6
Miss Helen Fraser	3 2 7
Miss Ann Rankin	10 0
Mrs. Roche	2 13 8½
Miss Ann Grant	1 11 11
New Glasgow Collection	3 0 0
Wallace	10 1
Gulf Shore	1 14 0
Cove	6 4
Earltown	2 13 0
Rogers Hill	1 7 0
Back Shore	11 0
Pictou	1 11 3
Gairloch	12 0
New London, P.E.I.	1 1 10
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	£25 13 2½

PRESBYTERY OF CAPE BRETON.

Cow Bay, Mira, and Catalone	£2 5 0
Middle River	1 0 0
Lake Ainslie	7 6
Big Baddeck	3 4
Little Baddeck	7 9½
Sydney Mines	2 15 6
St. Georges Channel	1 5 6
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	£8 4 7½

SUM TOTAL.

Presbytery of Halifax	£32 2 5½
Presbytery of Pictou	25 13 2½
Presbytery of Cape Breton	8 4 7½
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	£66 0 3½

EXPENDITURE.

Mr. Gow, Catechist, Lunenburg	£20 0 0
Rev. A. Munro, travelling expenses from New Brunswick to Prince Edward's Island	5 0 0
Rev. A. Sutherland, travelling expenses	5 8 0
Rev. J. Munro, travelling ex-	

penses	4 10 0
Messrs. Malcolm McLeod, and Angus Bethune, arrears for previous year	2 0 0
Printing Circulars, &c	2 0 0
Rev. Mr. Forbes, Missionary	20 0 0
Mr. D. Ross, Catechist, Cow Bay, C.B.	6 0 0
Balance on hand	1 2 3½
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	£66 0 3½

ALEXANDER FORRESTER.

Convener.

FREE PRESBYTERY OF HALIFAX.

This Court met here on the 3rd. current. A letter was read from the Rev. Adam S. Muir declining the Call to the congregation at St. John's, Newfoundland.

A letter was read from Messrs. Duncan McColl and Samuel S. F. Frith, on behalf of the Congregation at Bermuda, intimating that it was expected that Mr. Adam would leave that charge for Britain about the end of March or the beginning of April, in the expectation of being absent for about six months; and expressing an earnest desire that the Presbytery would send supply in time to reach Bermuda before Mr. Adam's departure. In the absence of Messrs. Romans and Duff, the Presbytery found themselves unable to grant supply for the present: but agreed to hold an early meeting, in order to come to some definite conclusion on the subject.

Professor King, as interim Moderator of the Kirk-Session of Dartmouth, laid before the Presbytery the annual statement of the financial affairs of that congregation.

The Presbytery appointed that the financial Statements from the other congregations and Stations within the bounds should be given in at next meeting.

After having appointed supplies for the two intermediate Sabbaths, and a committee to confer with parties connected with the Stations to the east of Dartmouth; the Presbytery adjourned to the 17th current.

The Presbytery met again on the 17th. agreeably to adjournment.

A communication was read from the Rev. James Adam intimating that the Colonial Committee of the Free Church of Scotland had engaged to send out the Rev. Mr. McLaren for the supply of Bermuda; and that it was expected he might arrive there early in May. Mr. Adam, however, still thought that it would be useful if a minister were sent from Halifax to Bermuda for a month or six weeks. He intimated also that if Mr. Forrester were sent, he himself would take charge of Chalmers' Church in exchange.—Mr. Forrester, in consequence, was appointed to proceed to Bermuda.

It was agreed that, after the close of the current session of College, Mr. George Sutherland, student in divinity, should for som,