

regret on my part. The first is to leave the Board when it is in debt; the second is the circumstances that compel me to give up the work; and the third is that I have not done more in the interest of Home Missions.

We know not what the future holds for the cause in these provinces, but we hope that success will attend our efforts in the cause of Christ. "Let us quit ourselves like men and be strong."

Appended are financial and statistical statement for the year. J. S. FLAGLOR, Secretary.

St. John, N. B., August 5th, 1898.

Place.	Preacher.	Days.	Sermons.	Cost.	ADDITIONS.		Total.
					B'przd	Others	
Halifax	T. H. Blenus	283	90	\$199 50	4	6	29
Elmsdale	do	4	3	..	..	..	10
do	W. F. Shaw	45	15	..	..	..	19
Pictou	do	365	119	166 62	5	7	29
Main Street, St. John	R. E. Stevens	365	104	125 00	3	8	29
Summersville	J. C. B. Appel	150	40	45 00	1	1	29
Mascarene	F. C. Ford	30	35	20 00	..	..	29
Deer Island	W. H. Harding	10	10	*56 00	..	..	29
	J. A. Lord	1248	520	\$612 12	..	..	29

\*Travelling expenses to Annual Meeting.

Statement showing amounts contributed and places from which received for the years ending July 31st, 1897 and 1898.

	1897.	1898.
Milton	\$38 32	\$17 90
Do. Sunday-school	5 00	..
Do. Y. P. S. C. E.	5 97	..
Do. for Queens Co.	..	45 00
Halifax	25 00	21 00
Cornwallis	10 00	31 75
Westport	33 00	28 00
Do. Young People's M. S.	3 00	8 00
Tiverton	10 00	9 50
Do. Woman's M. S.	4 05	..
Do. Young People's M. S.	2 00	3 00
Southville	2 00	4 00
Kempt	..	4 30
South Range	18 00	11 00
Do. Mission Band	4 00	..
Shubenacadie	8 94	..
West Gore	20 00	12 00
Pictou	29 00	20 00
Gulliver's Cove	26 00	..
River John	12 00	7 00
Nova Scotia Individuals	6 06	3 00
P. E. Island do.	12 00	..
New Brunswick do.	..	0 50
United States do.	10 00	19 50
St. John, Coburg St. S. S.	58 37	35 46
Do. do. Mission Band	52 71	49 05
Do. do. Individuals	6 00	23 00
Do. Main Street do.	10 00	23 00
Do. do. Woman's Aid	6 33	10 50
Do. do. Y. P. S. of C. E.	..	4 00
Do. do. Sunday-school	15 21	10 90
Mascarene	..	3 50
Lctetc.	..	3 00

	1897	1898.
Leonardville	7 00	8 00
Lord's Cove	38 00	42 49
Profits from CHRISTIAN	33 00	51 86
Annual Meeting—West Gore and Leonardville	72 62	*99 75
	\$596 58	\$609 96

and \$59.73 for "Tent," making \$159.48 collected at Leonardville.

Examined and find the within correct. J. W. FORD, T. S. LOCKWOOD, { Auditors.

On motion the report was adopted. The treasurer's report was then presented :

HOME MISSION FUND

1897

Receipts.

Aug. 1. Balance on hand	\$ 19 23
Cash received from J. S. Flaglor	630 10
	\$549 33

Expended

Paid T. H. Blenus, Halifax	\$199 50
R. E. Stevens, Pictou	166 62
J. C. B. Appel, Main Street St. John	125 00
F. C. Ford, Summersville	45 00
J. S. Flaglor, Postage	5 17
Annual Meeting, "	1 00
	542 29

Balance on hand Aug. 1, '98... \$ 7 04

Amounts due for June and July.

R. E. Stevens, Pictou	\$ 33 34
W. F. Shaw, Halifax	31 50
J. C. B. Appel, Main Street, St. John	25 00
	\$ 89 84

Cash bal on hand	\$ 7 04
Due by Board	\$ 82 80

TENT FUND.

Receipts.

Cash received from J. S. Flaglor	\$118 23
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Expended.

Paid for Tent	\$100 00
" Insurance Policy	2 00
" Postage	50
	102 50

Bal. on hand Aug. 1, '98... \$ 15 73

P. E. ISLAND FUND.

Cash received from J. S. Flaglor	\$ 45 53
(all of which is in hand.)	

EVANGELISTS' FUND.

Receipts.

Cash received from J. S. Flaglor	\$ 79 86
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Expended.

J. A. Lord's travelling expenses	\$ 56 00
W. H. Harding, at Mascarene	20 00
	76 00

Bal. on hand Aug. 1, '98... \$ 3 86

G. F. BARNES, Treasurer.

This report was also adopted by the meeting.

The financial report of the churches of Pictou, N. S., and St. John, N. B., are as follows :

Your missionary desires to submit the following report :

Received for services in Pictou, since Aug. '97:

From American Board	\$209 32
" Provincial H. M. Board	166 62
" Pictou Mission	174 40
Total	\$550 34

In addition Pictou has provided for incidental and running expenses,

Baptistry (about)	\$ 72 00
Protracted meeting	30 50
Contributed to Foreign Missions (March collections)	50 00
To Foreign Missions (Ladies' Auxiliary)	17 27
To American H. M. S (May collections)	9 73
Provincial Missions (including contributions at conventions)	21 63
Tent fund	27 00
	22 00

Besides private donations to various objects, such as "Crawford Jubilee Fund," and Halifax Building Fund," etc

R. E. STEVENS, Minister. We beg to report favorably on the above account. J. M. FORD, T. S. LOCKWOOD,

Financial report of the Christian Church, Main Street, St. John, N. B., August, 1897-August, 1898 :

Received.

Collections	\$ 611 81
Individual contributions to Home Missions	26 00
Ladies' Aid Society	172 60
Y. P. S. C. E.	8 00
Coburg St. Ladies' Mis'ary Aid Society	174 00
" " Sunday School	15 00
N. S. and N. B. Home Mission Band	125 00
	\$1,132 41

Paid.

Minister	\$ 641 65
Rcut	156 00
Care of Hall	35 80
Missions, Foreign	39 79
" Home	48 40
Bibles and S. S. Supplies	11 10
S. S. Library	21 00
Repairs of organ and Incidentals	16 80
Ladies' Aid Furnishing Fund	160 00
Cash in Hand	1 87
	\$1,132 41

Building Fund.

Receipts	\$135 40
Paid on Building Plans	\$118 40
Balance in Hand	17 00
	\$135 40

The report of the secretary-treasurer of the Good Literature Committee was next called for. We give it here :

REPORT OF SECRETARY-TREASURER To the Disciples of Christ of the Provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick :

The Secretary-Treasurer of your Committee on Literature respectfully submits the following report :

Receipts.

Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1897 (date last report)	\$ 10 82
Subscription	1 00
Received from sale of books and tracts, and subscription to Standard	161 60
Total Receipts	\$173 42

Expenditure.

Paid Christian Pub Co.	\$ 98 73
" Standard	30 21
" Henry Carson	5 00
" Postage and M. Orders	2 21
" Duty	11 03
" Freight and Carriage	4 63
" Railway Charges	0 50
" G. Manifold, Invoice for Customs	0 25
Total Expenditure	\$152 56
Balance on hand	\$ 20 86