

terly Meeting, the fact that nothing is circulated in these parts to counteract the errors referred to, and the possibility that those restless spirits would again agitate the public mind,—overcame the strong objections in the author's mind, and he has consented to publish this work, notwithstanding, its imperfections.

The present little volume is designed for circulation chiefly among the rural churches of the frontier, where they have been most exposed to the incursions of itinerating "Adventists;" and, it is hoped, that while persons of severe criticism might find many faults in it, others may read it to their edification. Numerous and extensive quotations have been introduced, chiefly to place the different points more prominently and forcibly before the reader, and also to excite and promote a more general desire for reading in the country parts of this Province.

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