

Presbyterian Church, and up to the last day of his life promoted in every way possible its temporal and spiritual interests. The duty of private communion with God was never neglected by him, while the sacred social religion of the family was regularly maintained, amid all the changes and inconveniences connected with the early settlement of this country. We have also been informed, that it was with Mr. Waddell and the late Mr. Matheson of Whitby, that the union of the two Churches now forming the Canada Presbyterian Church, was first mooted.

From the singular amiability and geniality of his disposition, the consistency of his conduct in all the relations of life, and his faithfulness to duty, and firmness in defence of the truth, associated as these were with an unobtrusive and modest bearing, Mr. Waddell received the spontaneous offering of respect and love from all with whom he came into contact. Naturally of a sound constitution, and temperate and orderly in all his habits, Mr. Waddell arrived at the good age of eighty-eight years and nine months; death came to him through mere natural decay, without any active disease. He looked on death as simply a transition from the Church on earth to a full introduction into the sacred services of the Church in Heaven. His mental faculties remained clear to the last, while his memory in particular retained its wonted power. His last utterance was, "My flesh and my heart faileth, but *God* is the strength of my heart, and my *portion* for ever." "After he had served his own generation by the will of God, he fell on sleep" on the 28th of April, 1871. His end was peace.

## ACCOUNTS OF THE CHURCH.

*From 1st May, 1870, to 30th April, 1871, as audited for presentation to Synod.*

### KNOX COLLEGE—1870-71.

#### RECEIPTS.

|                                                                       | \$    | cts. | \$    | cts. |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------|-------|------|
| Amount received from all sources .....                                |       |      | 6,928 | 14   |
| EXPENDITURE.                                                          |       |      |       |      |
| Amount due at beginning of year .....                                 | 167   | 76   |       |      |
| Paid on account of salaries .....                                     | 5,769 | 35   |       |      |
| " to Mrs. Willing—fuel, light and attendance .....                    | 250   | 00   |       |      |
| " accounts for repairs, &c. ....                                      | 50    | 88   |       |      |
| " for Library .....                                                   | 75    | 65   |       |      |
| " Printing and Advertising .....                                      | 8     | 00   |       |      |
| " Insurance .....                                                     | 103   | 20   |       |      |
| " Interest on Mortgage on Building .....                              | 151   | 41   |       |      |
| " " for advances for ordinary expenditure .....                       | 80    | 00   |       |      |
| " Proportion of charges common to all the Schemes of the Church ..... | 190   | 00   |       |      |
| Balance .....                                                         | 81    | 89   |       |      |
|                                                                       |       |      | 6,928 | 14   |
| Amount at Cr. as above .....                                          | 81    | 89   |       |      |
| Due at date .....                                                     | 695   | 02   |       |      |
| Total amount of debt on ordinary Fund being .....                     | 613   | 13   |       |      |
| Total amount of debt on ordinary Fund on 1st May, 1870, was .....     | 831   | 03   |       |      |
| Less this year by .....                                               | 217   | 90   |       |      |