

Have we been taught of God the spirit-stirring character of our times ; and his will respecting his servants and his household in such times ?—Which do we better know, the state of the crops or the state of the Churches ? The whiteness of the fields to the forthcoming harvest of the Province, or the ripeness of the world for the sickle of the Gospel Ministry ? Let us conscientiously review all our public invocations of the heart-searching God on these themes, of late, with Matt. xvi. 1—12 before us. As Ministers and Churches, we teach individual and younger Christians *the truth* of the doctrine and efficacy of Prayer when they find us wary in asking, watchful that we receive, and economical in improving, all our spiritual blessings. We attempt to teach *falsehoods* to them and all men, in the Divine name, when we call them around us to pray for a kingdom of light and righteousness, in an ignorant, unrighteous, or careless spirit. We teach them that in such a spirit we have fellowship with God, which we have not ; that we are walking in the light when we are walking in darkness ; and that we have hope in God, where we can have none. The Lord make all the Churches to know that *He searcheth the reins and hearts* !

#### ACCOUNT OF MONEY RECEIVED AT THE ASSOCIATION.

Fredericton Church,	£0 15 0
Wickham do.	1 0 0
New Canaan do.	0 6 10
King's Clear do.	0 10 0
Andover do.	0 10 0
Hillsborough do.	0 15 0
African do. (King's Clear,)	0 2 9
Prince William do.	1 0 0
2d Springfield do.	0 14 7
Dorchester do.	0 5 0
Hepewell do.	0 13 7
Canning do.	0 15 0
Greenwich do.	0 5 3
Norton do.	0 1 8
2d Hampton do.	0 2 0
St. Stephen's Mite Society,	1 10 0
Norton Mite Society,	0 2 0

Deduct for bad money, &c. &c.

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