## THE WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

The next meeting of this Association will (D.V.) be held in the Congregational Church, Garafraxa, on Thursday, March 2nd, at 2 o'clock; when the following appointments may be fulfilled, Sermon, Rev. T. Pullar primary; W. H. Allworth, secondary.

Essays, Rev. W. H. Allworth, -" Perseverance of the Saints;"

Rev. E. C. W. McColl,—"The Immortality of the soul, abstractly considered:"

Rev. J. A. R. Dickson,—"A good Minister of Jesus Christ;"

Rev. William Hay,—Exposition of 1 Cor. 3, 9-15.

Common Plan, 1 Peter 1 c. 2 v.—" Elect according to the foreknowledge

of God the Father, &c;"

We trust that there will be a large attendance of Ministers and delegates. Last meeting was on all sides pronounced pleasant and profitable. May there, through the blessing of God, go forth from this one mighty and quickening influences that will tell for good in all our Churches. Let the brethren remember the meeting before God; His blessing maketh rich.

N. B. Brethren having G. W. R. half fare tickets will find it cheapest

using them. They are requested to come by the morning train to Fergus, and to send notice of their intention to Bro. Barker two weeks before the

meeting.

JAMES A. R. DICKSON, Secretary Treasurer.

London, January 9th 1871.

Canada Cong. Missionary Society, and Cong. College, B. N. A.—Dear Mr. Editor.—I have no other method of promptly acknowledging what follows, except through your Columns.

"W. C." Cayuga, for Canada Congregational Missionary Society, \$10.

Widows' mite I think from Listowel, for the College, \$1.

HENRY WILKES.

Montreal January 20th, 1871.

Congregational College of B. N. A.—The following sums have been received during the current month, and are hereby acknowledged :-

Toronto, on account	\$90	00
Stouffville		50
Cowansville.		00
Albion		00

\$119 50

GEORGE CORNISH,

Secretary.

Montreal, Jan. 24th, 1871.

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.—Received since last announcement:— Stouffville Church .....

J. C. BARTON,

Treasurer Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Montreal 20th January, 1871.