Committee would take this opportunity of saying that they teel it to be their duty, in justice to those who have complied with the rules, to insist upon a collection being forwarded yearly from every mission where the clergyman is connected with the fund. If that most important rule, which provides for a yearly collection, is neglected, it is manifest that the income will be materially affected, and the stability of the fund very greatly endangered. It is hoped that, in future, the Committee will be spared the trouble of

having to require arrears to be forwarded.

The Clergy in their respective missions are requested to use their best endeavours to increase if possible the yearly collections for this object. It is a matter of the deepest regret that the sums remitted as collections are, in several instances, so small, and so entirely out of proportion to the number of church members in the missions. The Committee beg to remark that a much larger capital must be raised before the yearly collections can be dispensed with, or with safety diminished. It is also proper to notice that the rules require a collection to be made from every congregation in the mission. In some cases it would appear that this has not been done. The Committee hope that when the Clergy make their returns they will specify the sums collected in each church in the mission, with a view to their being separately entered in the Treasurer's accounts.—

The following clergymen, having complied with the rules are entitled to expect the benefit of the funds:—

Rev. T. M. Wood Rev. T Boone Rev. M. Blackmore Rev. W. K. White Rev. B. Smith Rev. G. Nicholas Rev. A. Gabriel Rev. Julian Moreton Rev. H. Lind Rev. W. Kirby Rev. E. A. Sall Rev. J. Kingwell Rev. A. Bayly Rev. R. Temple Rev. J. C. Harvey Rev. W. Hoyles