

ton, a copy of "Smith's Dictionary of the Bible," in three large octavo vols., beautifully illustrated, price \$15, as an acknowledgment of services rendered by him, as Moderator of Sessions, during the time of their vacancy.

And, on Saturday, the 6th ult., the Second Congregation of Chingua-cousy presented to Mr. Pringle a purse of money as an acknowledgment of similar services rendered by him in similar circumstances.

THAMESFORD.—On the evening of Thursday, the 11th of March, a deputation of the Thamesford congregation waited on their precentor, Mr. Gilbert Telfer, and after partaking of refreshments prepared by the visitors, presented him with a purse containing a valuable sum of money. The gift was accompanied with an address, which was read by the Rev. Mr. Macdonald, expressive of their appreciation of his valuable services rendered to the congregation both as precentor and Session clerk.

It is gratifying to see that the Thamesford people, since the settlement of Mr. Macdonald amongst them, have not decreased in the kindness and liberality which have always characterized them as a congregation. On New Year's night, the members of the Bible class waited on their Pastor, and presented him with a valuable set of cutter robes and other articles.

This is the second token of esteem Mr. Macdonald has received since his settlement last year. Shortly after his ordination, he was visited at the Manse by a company of young ladies and gentlemen, who, in the name of the congregation, presented him with an address and a purse containing the handsome sum of \$150.

In this, and other ways, the people have given evidence of their high esteem for their Minister.

DELAWARE.—A short time ago, the Delaware branch of Mr. Grant's congregation presented him with a comfortable cutter.

MELROSE.—The Congregation of Melrose, lately presented their Pastor, Rev. J. Turnbull, with a handsome new family cutter, as an expression of their regard and esteem.

ST. ANN'S.—We are glad to learn that, at the last meeting of the congregation of St. Ann's, it was resolved to add \$50 per annum to the salary of Rev. J. Malcolm. The people, in addition, have given Mr. Malcolm many valuable tokens of their esteem, and recently sent him firewood for a year, which they also prepared for use.

DUMBARTON.—On the 25th January, the Anniversary of the Sabbath School was held. The attendance was large, and the evening was spent pleasantly. The proceeds of the Sabbath School Mission Box, amounting to \$18, were appropriated—to Mr. Nisbet's Mission School, \$14, and to the Ontario S. S. Missionary Union, \$4.00. One pleasing incident in connection with the Anniversary was the presentation of an address to the Pastor, Rev. A. Kennedy, with an excellent covered carriage, costing \$180. Mr. Kennedy gave a suitable reply. Several addresses were delivered—one, by Dr. Tucker, being on the subject of "Religious Liberty."

MUSKOKA.—The Rev. W. Wright desires to acknowledge the receipt of five pounds sterling, (about \$24.30,) as a donation from R. Macfie, Esq., of Airds, towards the erection of the North and South Falls churches, Muskoka. The churches are both closed in, but the work is now suspended for want of funds. Additional donations will be gratefully received.

A Soiree was held by the Gravenhurst congregation, on the 26th