

MINUTES

OF THE

THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL CONFERENCE

OF THE

Canadian Wesleyan Methodist

NEW CONNEXION CHURCH,

HELD AT

NORTHPORT, PRINCE EDWARD,

COMMENCING JUNE 1ST, ENDING JUNE 9TH, 1859.

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1	1855	Hill R.
1	1857	Holmes
1	1858	Hall H.
1	1859	Hamilto

ALPHABETICAL LIST
OF
MINISTERS AND THEIR RESIDENCES,

WITH THE YEAR IN WHICH EACH MINISTER COMMENCED TRAVELLING, THE PERIOD OF HIS APPOINTMENT IN THE CIRCUIT IN WHICH HE NOW LABORS, AND ALSO HIS POST OFFICE ADDRESS.

Years on Circuit.	When began to travel.	MINISTERS AND THEIR RESIDENCES.
4	1850	Adkins T. O., super., <i>Hope</i> , Bewdley P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Auld D., <i>Hope</i> , Bewdley P. O., C. W.
	1831	Brennan J., super., Hamilton P. O., C. W.
1	1834	Bell J., <i>Malahide</i> , Aylmer P. O., C. W.
2	1849	Bettes D., <i>Cayuga</i> , Cayuga P. O., C. W.
3	1850	Baskerville, J., <i>Adelaide</i> , Strathroy P. O., C. W.
1	1853	Birks W., <i>Owen Sound</i> , Owen Sound P. O., C. W.
2	1855	Bain J., <i>Bolton</i> , South Bolton P. O., C. E.
2	1856	Brown G., <i>Ancaster</i> , Dundas P. O., C. W.
1	1844	Bothwell W., <i>Caledonia</i> , Seneca P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Bailey, G. A., <i>Lindsay</i> , Lindsay P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Boyd R. W., Galt P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Brown E. F., <i>Talbotville</i> , Talbotville P. O., C. W.
	1829	Cope C., Local Elder, <i>Ancaster</i> , Copetown P. O., C. W.
	1830	Cole T., Local Elder, <i>Brock</i> , Cannington P. O., C. W.
1	1844	Caswell James, <i>Goderich</i> , Goderich P. O., C. W.
1	1848	Curry C., super., <i>Morris</i> , Bellmore P. O., C. W.
1	1852	Crawford J., <i>Walkertown</i> , Walkertown P. O., C. W.
4	1853	Clark A., <i>Elizabethtown</i> , North Augusta P. O., C. W.
1	1856	Clingman J., <i>Colchester</i> , Harrow P. O., Essex C. W.
1	1859	Cleaver J., <i>Waterford</i> , Waterford P. O., C. W.
1	1857	Dempsey A. F., <i>Drummond</i> , Port Elmsley P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Dunlop Robert, <i>Durham</i> , Bentnick P. O., C. W.
1	1858	England J., <i>Oxford</i> , Oxford Mills P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Follick J., "Clark," Kendall P. O., C. W.
	1834	Garry R., <i>Drummond</i> , Port Elmsley P. O., C. W.
2		Gear J., Local Elder, <i>Dunham Flatte</i> P. O., C. E.
1	1842	Goldsmith T., <i>Aurora</i> , Aurora P. O., C. W.
1	1849	Gundy W., <i>Louth</i> , St. Catherines P. O., C. W.
1		Gaddis J., <i>Ayton</i> , Ayton P. O., C. W.
1	1853	Gundy S. B., <i>Hamilton</i> , Hamilton P. O., C. W.
1	1858	Glass W., <i>Port Milford</i> , Port Milford P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Gundy J., <i>Goderich</i> , Goderich P. O., C. W.
	1833	Haney J., Local Elder, <i>Malahide</i> , Aylmer P. O., C. W.
1	1843	Haynes F., super., <i>Ancaster</i> , Ancaster P. O., C. W.
1	1844	Histon J., <i>Arthur</i> , Mount Forest P. O., C. W.
2	1844	Haigh B., <i>Bayham</i> , Straffordville P. O., C. W.
1	1854	Hill J., <i>Trafalgar</i> , Hornby P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Hill R. N., "Crosby," Delta P. O., C. W.
1	1857	Holmes E., <i>Pennville</i> , Lloytown P. O., C. W.
1	1858	Hall H., <i>New Hope</i> , Preston P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Hamilton T., <i>Mallorytown</i> , Mallorytown P. O., C. W.

Years on Circuit.	When began to travel.	MINISTERS AND THEIR RESIDENCES.
1	1847	Jefferis T. M., <i>Nassagaweya</i> , Nassagaweya P. O., C. W. Kimbal H. N., Local Elder, Dunham Flatte P. O., C. E.
1	1849	Kershaw J. B., <i>Blanshard</i> , St. Marys P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Kershaw E., <i>Arran</i> , Arkwright P. O., C. W.
2	1856	Leach J., <i>London</i> , London P. O., C. W.
3	1830	McClure Wm., Montreal P. O., C. E., Box 224. Martin W., Local Elder, Nassagaweya P. O., C. W. Marshal J., Elizabethtown, Local Elder.
3	1850	McAllister J., <i>Nelson</i> , Kilbride P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Miller J. A., super., <i>Middleton</i> , Delhi P. O., C. W.
1	1856	McGuire J., <i>London North</i> , Birr P. O., C. W.
1	1857	McKelvey C., <i>Yorkville</i> , Yorkville, P. O., C. W.
3		Ogden T., <i>Marlborough</i> , North Gower P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Orr John, "Nissouri," Thamesford P. O., C. W.
1	1841	Power F. E., super., "Dunham," North Sutton P. O., C. E.
2	1847	Preston W., "Brock," Pefferlaw P. O., C. W.
1	1857	Paintin R., "Brock," Pefferlaw P. O., C. W.
1	1858	Peck J., "Kitley," Frankville P. O., C. W.
5	1830	Robinson J. H., "London," London P. O., C. W.
	1830	Reld J., Local Elder, "Caledon," Mono Center P. O., C. W.
	1837	Rump T., sup'd., "Pelham," St. Catherines P. O., C. W.
	1840	Robinson W., super'd., "Manvers," Lifford P. O., C. W.
2	1846	Rolston D. D., "Manvers," Lifford P. O., C. W.
3	1846	Reid T., "Caledon," Erin P. O., C. W. Ramage W., super., "Waterford," Simcoe P. O., C. W.
1	1857	Rogers J., "Montreal," Montreal P. O., C. E.
1	1857	Redyoff R., "Manvers," Lifford P. O., C. W.
1	1858	Rawson J., "Holland," Chatsworth P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Richardson G., "Nelson," Kilbride P. O., C. W.
1	1830	Seymour J., "Melbourn," Melbourn P. O., C. W.
1	1841	Simpson J., "Dunham," Churchville P. O., C. E.
1	1848	Shuttleworth J., "London," London P. O., C. W.
1	1850	Savage D., "Cavan," Cavan P. O., C. W.
1	1850	Shaw J., "Milton," Milton P. O., C. W.
1	1853	Scott J., super., "London North," London P. O., C. W.
1	1857	Shaw C., "Dunham," Churchville P. O., C. E.
1	1857	Seymour J. C., "Middleton," Delhi P. O., C. W.
1	1853	Tindal W., "London North," Birr P. O., C. W.
1	1848	Tyler R. J., "Hullet," Clinton P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Taylor G., "Caledon," Erin P. O., C. W.
3	1852	Vining J. E., "Barton," Bartonville P. O., C. W.
	1833	Warren J. C., "Lansdown," Gananoque P. O., C. W.
1	1834	Wilkinson J., "Pelham," Fenwick P. O., C. W.
2	1843	Wilkinson H., "Dereham," Dereham P. O., C. W.
1	1843	Weaver F. G., "Norwich," Otterville P. O., C. W.
1	1844	Williams E., "Prince Edward," Picton P. O., C. W.
2	1849	Watts J. C., "Waterford," Waterford P. O., C. W.
1	1850	Whitcomb O., "Lansdown," Lansdown P. O., C. W.
1	1853	Webb W., "Howard," Thamesville P. O., C. W.
1	1855	Williams W., "Toronto," Toronto P. O., C. W.
2	1854	Walker J., "Morris & Grey," Dingle P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Wilson J., "Southampton," Saugeen P. O., C. W.
1	1859	Willemott W., Lake Erie Mission, Dunville P. O., C. W.

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held at Toronto
Northport,

Toronto.....
Milton.....
Aurora.....
Pennville.....
Trafalgar.....
Caledon.....
Brock.....
Yorkville.....

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Galt.....
New Hope.....
Cayuga.....
Caledonia.....
Lake Erie Missi

London.....
London North.....
Howard.....
Blanshard.....

MINUTES, &c.

According to appointment of the Annual Conference, held at Toronto, June 2, 1858, the Conference met at Northport, on Wednesday, June 1, 1859.

QUESTION 1.

Who compose the Present Conference?

ANSWER.

TORONTO DISTRICT.

Toronto.....	J. Shuttleworth, J. Withrow.
Milton.....	J. Caswell, J. Brownridge.
Aurora.....	T. Goldsmith, W. Cane.
Pennville.....	J. Hill, W. Wilson.
Trafalgar.....	T. M. Jefferis, J. Reid.
Caledon.....	T. Reid, J. Simeon.
Brock.....	W. Preston, G. St. John.
Yorkville.....	J. C. Seymour, jr.

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

Hamilton.....	D. Savage.
Ancaster.....	E. Williams, J. Waugh.
Welland Canal.....	S. B. Gundy, D. Gregory.
Barton.....	J. E. Vining, H. Hammon.
Nassagaweya.....	J. Wilkinson, J. Youart.
Nelson.....	J. McAllister, P. B. Zimmerman.
Galt.....	
New Hope.....	J. Bell, S. Washburn.
Cayuga.....	G. Husband.
Caledonia.....	
Lake Erie Mission.....	W. Gundy.

LONDON DISTRICT.

London.....	J. H. Robinson, T. Heman.
London North.....	J. Scott.
Howard.....	J. Seymour, W. Latimer.
Blanshard.....	J. B. Kershaw.

<i>Goderich and Clinton</i>	E. Kershaw, J. Thompson.
<i>Ekfrid</i>	
<i>Morris</i>	By letter.
<i>Grey</i>	J. Walker, R. Walker.
<i>Nissouri</i>	G. A. Bailey.
<i>Colchester</i>	By letter.

WATERFORD DISTRICT.

<i>Waterford</i>	J. C. Watts, J. Eddy.
<i>St. Thomas</i>	W. Bothwell.
<i>Malahide</i>	W. Webb, J. Will.
<i>Middleton</i>	J. A. Miller, W. Doyle.
<i>Bayham</i>	By letter.
<i>Dereham</i>	H. Wilkinson, E. F. Brown.
<i>Norwich</i>	E. Holmes, P. B. Johnston.

CAVAN DISTRICT.

<i>Cavan</i>	R. N. Hill, W. Berry.
<i>Manvers</i>	D. D. Rolston, M. McAllister.
<i>Hope</i>	W. Tindall, B. Hallstead.
<i>Port Milford</i>	A. F. Dempsey, W. Isaacs.
<i>Prince Edward</i>	J. Simpson, B. Ferguson.
<i>Clarke</i>	R. Paintin, T. McLean.

JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.

<i>Lansdown</i>	O. Whitcombe, R. Latimer.
<i>Elizabethtown</i>	A. Clark.
<i>Crosby</i>	W. Birks, J. Cannon.
<i>Oxford</i>	J. Peck, T. Dunlop.
<i>Drummond</i>	J. England, H. Cullen.
<i>Marlborough</i>	T. Ogden.

MONTREAL DISTRICT.

<i>Montreal</i>	W. M'Clure, R. Irwin.
<i>Dunham</i>	
<i>Bolton</i>	J. Bayne.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.

<i>Arthur</i>	D. Auld.
<i>Holland</i>	J. McGuire.
<i>Durham</i>	J. Gaddis.
<i>Owen Sound</i>	J. Histon.
<i>Southampton</i>	J. Follick, W. Dodd.
<i>Arran</i>	J. Crawford, B. Burns.
<i>Eatonville</i>	

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ANSWER.—One

CONNEXIONAL OFFICERS.

J. H. ROBINSON..... *Superintendent of Missions.*
 W. M'CLURE..... *Assistant do.*
 T. LOTTRIDGE..... *Treasurer.*
 J. C. WATTS..... *Financial Secretary.*

The following brethren, being Local Elders, were entitled to a seat in the Conference, of whom only R. Garry was present:—

T. Cole, C. Cope, J. Gear, H. N. Kimball, I. Haney, W. Martin, A. Smith, R. Garry, J. Reid, J. Marshall.

QUESTION 2.—*Have the characters of the Ministers been examined?*

ANSWER.—They have, according to rule.

QUESTION 3.—*What Preachers have been received into full Connexion?*

ANSWER.—W. Birks, R. N. Hill, J. Bain, J. Follick, E. Kershaw, and D. Auld.

QUESTION 4.—*Who have been ordained Elders?*

ANSWER.—E. Holmes, G. Brown, J. Leach, D. Auld, J. Follick, G. A. Bailey, J. England, A. F. Dempsey, and E. Kershaw.

QUESTION 5.—*Who remain on trial?*

ANSWER.—J. McGuire, G. Brown, J. Leach, (who have travelled three years); C. McKelvey, A. F. Dempsey, C. Shaw, J. Rogers, E. Holmes, J. Seymour, jr., R. Redyoff, R. Paintin, (who have travelled two years); H. Hall, J. England, J. Rawson, and R. J. Tyler, (who have travelled one year).

QUESTION 6.—*Who are received on trial?*

ANSWER.—George Taylor, George Richardson, W. Willmott, J. Orr, E. F. Brown, J. Cleaver, T. Hamilton, A. Dunlop, John Wilson, J. Gundy, and R. W. Boyd.

QUESTION 7.—*Who have located this year?*

ANSWER.—C. Curry, J. Scott, J. A. Miller.

QUESTION 8.—*Who has been expelled?*

ANSWER.—W. Barnett.

QUESTION 9.—*What Chapels have been built during the year, or are now in course of erection?*

ANSWER.—Twelve built; twenty-two building.

QUESTION 10.—*What Parsonages?*

ANSWER.—One built; one building.

QUESTION 11.—How are the Preachers stationed this year? ANS.—In the following order:

TORONTO DISTRICT.

- Toronto..... W. Williams. *70*
- Milton..... J. Shaw. *10*
- Aurora..... T. Goldsmith.
- Pennville..... E. Holmes, (to be ordained).
- Trafalgar..... J. Hill.
- Caledon..... T. Reid, G. Taylor. *25*
- Brock..... W. Preston, R. Paintin. *35*
- Yorkville..... C. McKelvey. *15*

T. GOLDSMITH, CHAIRMAN.

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

- Hamilton..... S. B. Gundy. *395.00*
- Ancaster..... Geo. Brown, (to be ordained).
- Louth..... W. Gundy. *22.00*
- Pelham..... Jno. Wilkinson. *20*
- Barton..... J. E. Vining. *10.00*
- Nassagarweya..... T. M. Jefferis. *10.00*
- Nelson..... J. McAllister, Geo. Richardson.
- Galt..... R. W. Boyd, (under superintendence of S. B. Gundy). *10.00*
- New Hope..... H. Hall, (under superintendence of T. M. Jefferis). *20*
- Cayuga..... D. Bettes. *20.00*
- Caledonia..... W. Bothwell. *10.00*
- Lake Erie Mission..... W. Willimott, (under superintendence of W. Gundy). *20*

J. WILKINSON, CHAIRMAN.

LONDON DISTRICT.

- London..... J. Shuttleworth, J. Leach, (to be ordained). *30.00*
- London North..... W. Tindall, J. McGuire. *10.00*
- Melbourne..... J. Seymour, sen. *10.00*
- Talbotville..... E. F. Brown, (under superintendence of J. H. Robinson). *15.00*
- Howard..... W. Webb. *10.00*
- Blanshard..... J. B. Kershaw. *10.00*
- Adelaide..... J. Baskerville. *20.00*

Nissouri of Colchester

Goderich. Morris and Hullet. Ayton

Waterford. Malahide. Middleton. Bayham. Dereham. Norwich.

Cavan. Manvers. Clarke. Lindsay. Hope. Port Milford. Prince Edward

Lansdown. Elizabethtown. Crosby. Kitley. Oxford. Drummond. Marlborough. Mallorytown.

MINUTES.

Nissouri..... J. Orr, (under superintendence
of J. H. Robinson).
Colchester..... S. B. Clingman.
J. H. ROBINSON, CHAIRMAN.

GODERICH DISTRICT.

Goderich..... J. Caswell, J. Gundy.
Morris and Grey..... J. Walker, and supply.
Hullet..... R. J. Tyler.
Ayton..... J. Gaddis.
J. CASWELL, CHAIRMAN.

WATERFORD DISTRICT.

Waterford..... J. C. Watts, J. Cleaver.
Malahide..... James Bell.
Middleton..... J. C. Seymour, (under super-
tendence of J. A. Miller),
Bayham..... B. Haighs.
Dereham..... H. Wilkinson.
Norwich..... F. G. Weaver.
H. WILKINSON, CHAIRMAN.

CAVAN DISTRICT.

Cavan..... D. Savage.
Manvers..... D. D. Rolston, R. Reddyoff.
Clarke..... J. Follick.
Lindsay..... G. A. Bailey.
Hope..... D. Auld.
Port Milford..... W. Glass.
Prince Edward..... E. Williams.
D. D. ROLSTON, CHAIRMAN.

JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.

Lansdown..... O. Whitcombe.
Elizabethtown..... A. Clark.
Crosby..... R. N. Hill.
Kitley..... J. Peck, (under superintend-
ence of R. N. Hill).
Oxford..... J. England, (to be ordained).
Drummond..... A. F. Dempsey, (to be or-
dained).
Marlborough..... T. Ogden.
Mallorytown..... T. Hamilton.
O. WHITCOMBE, CHAIRMAN.

MONTREAL DISTRICT.

Montreal..... W. M'Clure, J. Rogers,
 Dunham..... J. Simpson, C. Shaw.
 Bolton..... J. Bain.

W. M'CLURE, CHAIRMAN.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.

Arthur..... J. Histon.
 Holland..... J. Rawson, one to be sent,
 (under superintendence of W. Birks).
 Durham..... R. Dunlop.
 Owen Sound..... W. Birks.
 Southampton..... Jno. Wilson.
 Arran..... E. Kershaw.
 Walkertown..... J. Crawford.

J. HISTON, CHAIRMAN.

SUPERNUMERARY MINISTERS.

J. Brennan..... Hamilton.
 F. Haynes..... Ancaster.
 T. Rump..... Pelham.
 J. Scott..... London.
 C. Curry..... Morris.
 W. Ramage..... Middleton.
 J. A. Miller..... Middleton.
 W. Robinson..... Manvers.
 T. O. Adkins..... Hope.
 J. C. Warren..... Lansdown.
 F. E. Powers..... Dunham.

CONNEXIONAL OFFICERS FOR 1859-60.

J. H. ROBINSON..... Superintendent of Missions.
 W. M'CLURE..... Assistant do.
 H. WILKINSON..... President of Conference.
 T. GOLDSMITH..... Clerk of Conference.
 T. LOTTRIDGE..... Treasurer of Connexion.
 J. C. WATTS..... Financial Secretary.

CIRCUITS.

Ancaster,		
Arran		
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Ekfrid,		
Elizabethtown,		
Galt,		
Goderich & Clinton		
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Hamilton,		
Holland,		
Howard,		
Hope,		
London,		
London North,		
Lansdown,		
Lake Erie Mission		
Montreal,		
Malahide,		
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Mariborough,		
Morris,		
Middleton,		
Milton,		
Nissouri,		
Nassagaweya,		
Norwich,		
New Hope,		
Selson,		
Owen Sound,		
Stord,		
Prince Edward,		
Pennville,		
Port Milford,		
St. Thomas,		
Southampton,		
Toronto,		
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Welland Canal,		
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STATE OF THE CONNEXION.

CIRCUITS.

CIRCUITS.	Chapels.	Do. Building.	Parsonages.	Do. Building.	Classes.	Congregations.	Cir't Preachers.	L'cal Preach'rs.	Members.	On Trial.	Mem'rs of Con- gregations.	Deaths.	Removals.	Sunday Scho'ls.	S. S. Scholars.	S. S. Teachers.
Ancaster,	4	3	1		8	9	2	3	271	17	950	3	35	4	230	28
Afran	1	1			8	9	1	2	79	44	175		4	1		
Arthur,	3				5	5	1	1	112	13	320		10		30	3
Aurora,	2				4	3	1		84	16			6	1		
Barton,	3		1		6	7	1		137	18	440	1	2	4	125	21
Bayham,	1				6	8	1	4	100	9	370	2	1	2	50	11
Blanshard,	4		1		6	7	1	1	100	6	550	2	3	3		
Brock,	4		1		2	7	1		190	50	670	2	3	3		
Bolton,	3		1		2	7	1		47	3	465	1	3	2	100	9
Cavan,					12	12	1	3	192	21	585		13	4	154	16
Caledon,	5	1	1		10	10	2	4	127	27	630		4	3	105	17
Cayuga,	2	1	1		6	10	1	2	75	9	700	2	6	6		
Crosby,	3				3	2	1	4	213	6	1015	5	17	2	100	10
Colchester,	3		1		3	6	1		45	2	75	1	1	2	60	6
Caledonia,		2			6	9	1	1	60	10	550	1	2	2	70	10
Drummond,	1				8	9	1	5	161	15	580		1	1	30	7
Dunham,	2		1		15	18	2	1	151	6	360	8	1	1	20	4
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RESOLUTIONS OF CONFERENCE.

I. That the Rev. H. Wilkinson preside over the deliberations of this Conference.

II. That the Rev. T. Goldsmith be Clerk of Conference.

III. That the Rev. W. Tindall be Recording Secretary.

IV. That the Rev. D. Savage be Conference Reporter.

V. That the Rev. W. Robinson, being present, be invited to take a seat in this Conference, as an honorary member.

VI. That the Rev. J. C. Warren be invited to take a seat in this Conference as an honorary member.

VII. That the Rev. J. Shaw be invited to take a seat in this Conference as an honorary member.

VIII. That the 25th Resolution of the last Conference (by an appeal to the Quarterly Conferences of the Connexion being sustained) be thenceforth a law of the Connexion.

IX. That Bro. Miller having received medical advice to the effect that a continuance of active itinerant labor would endanger his life, this Conference allows him a supernumerary relation for the ensuing year.

XI. That the Welland Canal Circuit be divided; all the appointments south of the Mountain to be called the Pelham Circuit, all north of the Mountain to be called the Louth Circuit.

XII. That the Clark part of the Manvers Circuit be set off, and called the Clark Circuit.

XIII. That the Opps part of the Manvers Circuit be cut off, and form a new Circuit, to be called the Lindsey Circuit.

XIV. That the resolution of last Conference respecting the division of the Lansdown Circuit be practically carried out this year.

XV. That the Crosby Circuit be divided in the following manner:—The Kitley Appointments to form a new Circuit, named the Kitley Circuit, all the remaining Appointments to constitute the Crosby Circuit.

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XVI. That the Durham Circuit be divided, the town line between Brant and Bentinck being the dividing line; all the Appointments west of the line to form a new Circuit, to be called the Walkerton-Circuit, all the Appointments east to retain the name of Durham Circuit.

XVII. That we deem it inexpedient at present to divide the Dunham Circuit.

XVIII. That Eatonville be retained on our minutes, to be supplied as the Stationing Committee may be able.

XIX. That the Ekfrid Circuit be divided, and that a new Circuit be formed, to be named the Melbourne Circuit—the other part to be called the Adelaide Circuit.

XX. That any wilful or careless inattention to the completion of Conference accounts shall be subject to the full penalty in said cases.

XXI. That the St. Thomas Circuit be detached from the Waterford District, and united with the London District; also that the name of the Circuit be changed to Talbotville.

XXII. That the following brethren be the Stationing Committee:—Revs. W. McClure and J. C. Watts, with W. Latimer, J. Eddy, and M. McAllister.

XXIII. That, henceforth, the salary of a *married* probationer be £50 per annum, exclusive of horse-shoeing, horse feed, travelling expenses, fire-wood and house rent.

XXIV. That the Conference having been informed that Brother T. Goldsmith is preparing a Manual of the C. W. Methodist N. Connexion Church, would encourage him to proceed in the work with as much dispatch as due care in its preparation demands, and that it be submitted to the Publishing Committee for publication.

XXV. That, in view of the continued and increasing use of tobacco in various forms amongst the ministers and members of our community, and feeling deeply convinced that the habit is unnecessary, wasteful, and seriously pernicious in its effects, both on body and mind, we earnestly urge on all associated with us, in church-fellowship, and especially on our junior preachers, the duty of discountenancing it in every quarter, both by example and precept.

XXVI. That, from a deep sense of the evils resulting from the traffic in alcoholic drinks, this Conference reiterates its former sentiments on the temperance question, and would recommend all our members to adhere strictly to the principles of total abstinence.

This Conference having listened to a memorial from the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance, C. W., it was resolved:—

XXVII. That we regard the use (or rather abuse) of alcoholic liquors as the most gigantic evil of the day—whose ravages are to be found in the shattered intellect and diseased body of the individual—in the squalor and wretchedness of the domestic circle—in our prisons and penitentiaries,—and, sweeping beyond the cottage of the poor and the prison of the convict, has invaded the mansions of the rich, our colleges and universities, our halls of legislature, and regarded not the sanctity of our pulpits, but has blasted and ruined some of the brightest intellects that have graced our pulpits, our platforms, and our Legislative Halls;—and, considering this evil to be a legitimate subject for civil legislation, we would urge upon all our Ministers and Churches the solemn duty of seeking to arrest this evil, not only by precept and example, but also in every constitutional way to seek its extermination by legal prohibition.

XXVIII. That this Conference accept with pleasure the Connexional Chart forwarded by the Rev. S. B. Gundy, as a present from the Rev. T. Rump to this Conference—and on returning thanks to Bro. Rump for the same, would pray that he may be long spared among us, and that his declining years may be peaceful and happy.

XXIX. That, in consideration of the continued and shameful desecration of the Lord's Day by Railways, Heads of Government, Post Office Departments, Incorporate bodies, &c., this Conference would express its strong disapprobation of such procedure, and would beg to direct the attention of the proper authorities to these things, that, as a people, we may, "Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy."

XXX. That the thanks of this Conference be presented to the Rev. W. McClure, for his trouble in procuring passes from the Grand Trunk authorities, for the Ministers and Delegates of our Churches.

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XXXI. That the thanks of this Conference be presented to the Grand Trunk Railway Directors, for the courtesy with which they have furnished passes to the Members of this Conference.

XXXII. That the Rev. J. Shuttleworth write the Address to the English Conference next year.

XXXIII. That the Rev. J. Shaw write the address to the Church in Canada next year.

XXXIV. That the President of the Conference, the General Superintendent, and Messrs. O. Blake, J. Plummer, and Dr. Salter be the Annual Committee for the ensuing year.

XXXV. That this Conference recommends the formation of Ministerial Associations for mutual improvement in all our Districts; such Associations to hold their meetings in connection with our District Meetings, and to secure, as far as practicable, uniformity of plan and operation in the matter, the General Superintendent be respectfully requested to draft and publish in the *Evangelical Witness*, a constitution, which, in its leading features, and perhaps in its fuller details, may commend itself for general adoption throughout the Connexion.

XXXVI. That this Conference, having heard the appeal of the Montreal Circuit respecting the support of the junior preacher in that city, resolves that its laws and usages, with regard to grants are uniform, and cannot be departed from in this case: at the same time the Conference will do all in its power, consistent with its means, to help the Montreal Circuit to maintain their preacher.

XXXVII. That this Conference would record its devout thanks to ALMIGHTY GOD for the abundant success with which He has crowned our efforts, as a Connexion, during the past year; and that, as Ministers and representatives of this branch of His Church, we would, in humble dependence upon the Spirit of His Grace, give ourselves to renewed exertion in the great work of turning men from sin to holiness, and in the prosecution of all those appointed plans by which the world is yet to be won to Christ. An enquiry having been made whether a Quarterly Meeting can apply Missionary Moneys in payment of preachers' Salaries, resolved,—

XXXVIII. That this Conference would express its strongest disapprobation of such a practice as a misapplication of funds which are solicited, and given for General Mission purposes.

XXXIX. That the best thanks of this Conference be given to our friends in North Port, for their generous hospitality in providing for the comfortable accommodation of our Conference members.

XL. That the thanks of this Conference be given to our Treasurer, T. Lottridge, Esq., for his valuable services during the past year, and that he be re-appointed.

XLI. That the thanks of this Conference be presented to the Rev. J. C. Watts, for his valuable services as Financial Secretary to the Connexion during the past year, and that he be re-appointed.

BENEFICENT FUND.

XLII. 1. That the public collections for the Beneficent Fund shall be discontinued; and instead thereof a collection shall be taken up in all our congregations, in the month of July, each year, for a fund now to be established, to be called "*The Contingent Fund*;" the amount of which shall be promptly remitted to the General Superintendent of Missions, to enable him to make payments.

2. That the Beneficent Fund shall be sustained, as in England, by private subscriptions, to be collected by the Ministers, not later than the month of March, in each year; all subscriptions over 50 cents, to be published annually in the Minutes.

"EVANGELICAL WITNESS."

XLIII. 1. That the best thanks of this Conference be given to our worthy Editor, the Rev. J. H. Robinson, for the very efficient service he has rendered in conducting the *Evangelical Witness* during the past year, and that he be re-appointed.

2. That the thanks of this Conference be presented to the Publishing Committee of the past year, and that they be re-appointed.

3. That the *Evangelical Witness* be continued, as at present, for the ensuing year.

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MISSION FUND.

XLIV. The income of the Mission Fund having again fallen off, and there being another deficiency in the payment of grants, it is indispensibly necessary to prevent a recurrence of this painful result; therefore, it is resolved:—

1. That the grants of the present year shall not exceed the sum of £1350.

2. That, as the Conference believes that more money may be ought to be collected for this fund, it is resolved to establish Juvenile Missionary Auxilliary Societies on all our Circuits, having their own meetings and collectors; and that the efforts of these societies be made in each year not later than the month of September; cards and books to be provided and sent to the Circuits.

3. That the Stationing Committee shall still further extend the plan initiated last Conference of giving no grants to some Circuits, and of diminishing grants to others, that our Mission Funds may thus be applied to their legitimate objects, by assisting mission stations only, and extending the work into the more necessitous parts of the country.

4. That the Superintendent of Missions, in meeting the Christmas payments, shall pay cash so far as the funds allow, the balance of claims for the first half year to be made up by notes on himself, maturing at the following Conference.

5. That the financial officers apply the Mission Funds in hand at the present Conference as follows:—They shall pay eighty cents on the dollar for the present year, and the last year's deficiency in the following manner—first, by charging to the deficiency account all unpaid subscriptions to the "press;" secondly, all unpaid subscriptions to the Beneficent Society, and the balance in a note of hand on our General Superintendent, redeemable at the next Conference, with interest at 7 per cent.*

CHAPEL FUND.

XLV. That the income of this fund being so entirely inadequate to meet the claims made upon it, and being also

* This last clause it is found impossible at present to carry out. The state of the fund will not bear this charge of interest, and the question is reserved for the re-consideration of the next Conference. It is also deemed advisable to make the notes payable at a bank, that they may be more easily negotiated.

so deeply involved in debt, no further grants be made except those already sanctioned, until the fund is better supported, and its embarrassments liquidated.

2. That a grant of \$50 towards the purchase of a chapel in Erin village, and a grant of \$40 towards the erection of a chapel in Colchester, be sanctioned by the present Conference.

3. That, for this purpose, the income from the Circuits ought to be increased from its present merely nominal amount to at least six cents per member, and that this be the amount expected from the Circuits the next year.

4. That the only possible plan of meeting the present claims on the Chapel Fund is, that the funds of the Beneficent Society be allowed to accumulate, and placed at the disposal of the Chapel Fund, on such security as that fund will be able to give, and that, by a system of retrenchment and increased income, the Chapel Fund redeem itself from its present embarrassments.

5. That the grant to St. Thomas parsonage be cancelled.

6. That the grant to Carrick chapel be transferred to Walkerton.

7. That the grant to Ainley chapel be cancelled.

8. That the grant to Lewis chapel, Walkerton Circuit, be cancelled.

9. That the grant to Aylmer chapel be suspended.

10. That the Mission Fund pay annually to the Chapel Fund the sum of £30, till the present liabilities are discharged.

11. That this Conference returns thanks to Bro. McClure and the Montreal friends for the service they have rendered us in securing a model deed for our chapel and parsonage property in Eastern Canada, and accords to them the sum of £2 10s. to assist them in defraying their expenses in the matter.

12. That the Conference sincerely regrets its inability, at present, to meet the expectations of the friends in Arran, in the matter of a grant towards the erection of church property on that mission; from the fact that all their available funds are absorbed to meet the claims of a similar character, previously granted.

13. That this Conference deeply regrets its inability to afford at present any relief to the Northport chapel, at the same time they would sincerely sympathise with Bro. John

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Lazier in the oppressive pecuniary responsibilities in which it involves him, and hopes at some future time to be able favorably to entertain the matter.

14. That, while the Conference sympathises with Bro. Adkins in the pecuniary responsibilities in which he has been involved, in relation to the Bewdley chapel, and are sorry that we have no funds at our disposal, yet we hope at some future time we may be able to favorably entertain the matter.

15. That the Rev. J. H. Robinson be re-appointed the Treasurer and Secretary of the Chapel Fund.

XLVI. That the thanks of the Conference be given to our President for the efficient manner in which he has conducted the business of this Conference.

XLVII. That the thanks of this Conference be presented to the Secretaries for the faithful discharge of their onerous duties.

XLVIII. That our next Conference be held at Copetown, Ancaster Circuit, on the first Wednesday in June, 1860, at 10, a. m.

H. WILKINSON, PRESIDENT.
T. GOLDSMITH, CLERK.

ADDRESS

TO THE

MEMBERS OF THE CANADIAN WESLEYAN
METHODIST NEW CONNEXION CHURCH.

DEARLY BELOVED IN THE LORD,—Through the kindness of a gracious providence, we, the ministers and lay representatives of our beloved church have been permitted to meet again in our annual assembly; and, according to custom and duty, to send you our greetings; and, in doing so, we would adopt the salutation of Paul to the church at Ephesus—"Peace be to the brethren, and love, with faith from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ."

During the past year we have been called to sustain a few severe trials in the removal from our militant ranks of several beloved friends, whose piety and zeal in years gone by, have done much to sustain those divine and scriptural principles of doctrine and discipline peculiar to our branch of the Christian church, and for which they and others now living have contended during years of trial and persecution.

The past year has been one of unusual toil, occasioned by great revivals upon almost every Circuit; and, in consequence of extraordinary efforts by the brethren, one or more of them has been obliged to desist from laboring for a while, but are now recovered, and are ready once more to enter upon another year's services, resolved not to relax their exertions in a cause so glorious, so long as the Lord favors them with such signal tokens of his approbation. May the Head of the church bless both preachers and people in their united efforts to save souls, and make their labors a thousand times more successful.

It may be expected, dear brethren, that we feel somewhat elated when hearing of the success of our labors in every portion of the field, and we feel assured that for such abundant additions to our ranks you will unite with us in devout thanksgiving to our heavenly Father. The increase during the past Conference year is the large number of 1278; and this increase we regard as a special indication of the smile of Providence upon the united Connexion in Canada, and as a pledge of future prosperity.

We think there has never been a time in our ecclesiastical history when true Christians were called upon more urgently to resist the innovations of that hydra-monster, Popery, and its

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consequent evils—priestcraft and Puseyism on the one hand, and the aggressions of intemperance upon the other. The former dreadful error, and the latter malignant evil, are advancing and spreading in every direction, and under every variety of garb. Look at the movements of popery when covered with the thin veil of Puseyism, a system of error not confined to one church only, but has its apologists and votaries in other churches than that of Rome—a system rightly defined by Bro. W. McClure as “popery without a pope.” We have but to remove the mask, and the seven headed monster, the mother of harlots, stands confessed before us. Look at intemperance, does not every day’s experience and observation teach us that the vending, selling, and use of intoxicating draughts, are the fruitful sources of the weekly increase of the darkest deeds of crime—murders, rapine, robbery, poverty and pauperism, and that the vending and sale of intoxicating drinks should not only be prohibited, but be made a crime according to law? We cannot regard those errors and evils, dear brethren, in any other light but as being fearfully ominous, and as furnishing cause for the greatest alarm. The alarm notes ought to be sounded, the watchword should be raised—“To your tents, O Israel!” and prepare for the battle—

Stand to your arms, the foe is nigh,
The powers of hell surround.

While we feel grateful to God for past favors, we cannot regard our work as being done, or that we may sit down at our ease. The fact is, we have only commenced, and if we determine to hold the ground already occupied, the work we have undertaken must be strengthened and matured, and new aggressions must be made. “The field is the world,” although our operations are confined to Canada, and a more interesting portion of the moral field cannot be contemplated. Perhaps there is no country in the world so young as Canada which promises a better remuneration for the labor bestowed. This statement is clearly borne out by the experience of the past two years; for not only our Church but other Churches have been favored with revivals of religion, and in several settlements conversions have taken place in almost every house. The past two years, therefore, will form an epoch in the religious history of Canada; and if the different sections of the Christian Church cultivate towards each other sentiments and feelings of friendliness and brotherly affection, and try to emulate each other in the great business of saving souls, we feel assured that those monster evils to which we referred will soon be crushed,

And Antichrist on every shore,
Fall from his throne, to rise no more.

After great revivals, it is not an uncommon thing that there be a relapse. This, however, is not necessary, and may be avoided, if ministers and members be faithful to their duty. The great danger is of persons concluding that so much has been done during special services that they may safely take their ease for a while—and hence they often neglect the ordinary mean, and give an opportunity to the enemy to sow his tares, and in a little time the Church is as cold and as dead as it was before the work began. Now the effect of special efforts should ever be to give life and vigor to the ordinary means of grace.

Beloved brethren, let us never forget that this world is a world of stern realities—a state of probation. Our future happiness or misery depends upon the manner in which our time is spent in this world.

For man or woman, for youth or maiden, the Christian life is a grand enterprise. It involves self-renunciation—sacrifices of which the cross is a perpetual symbol. Its ways, though excellent, are often steep, rough and narrow. Only when preachers find this out, and draw a clear, sharp line between the truth and holiness of the true church, and an easy-going worldliness, does the word of Jesus become the great reality of life, so precious as to need no external commendation.

A work which might fill an angel's mind is before us, and the glory of the future shall be commensurate with our triumphs and usefulness here. Canada is to be evangelized—the church is to accomplish this—each individual has to act his part in the theatre of life, which, if performed faithfully, will, in the future of Canada, tell for the weal of unborn millions.

We need, therefore, but remind you, dear brethren, that the gospel is the instrumental means for bringing a lost world to the feet of Jesus, and that any act upon your part which would in a greater or less degree prevent its accomplishment, may not only be detrimental to your own present well-being, but may also prove ruinous to the present and future destinies of our fellow men. And is it not painful to contemplate, and much more to experience, the embarrassments of faithful ministers, caused by inadequate support from those who are benefitted by their labors? They plant and prune, others eat the fruit. Then let it never be said that you, dear brethren, refuse to sustain those who labor in word and in doctrine. It is written, "The laborer is worthy of his hire."

We would also exhort our leaders and stewards to increased activity and diligence in attending to their several duties. Our leaders, especially, should endeavour to realize their responsibilities. Souls are committed to their care. The prosperity of the church very much depends upon the manner in which they perform their duties. We hope, dear brethren, it is not too much for us to say we cannot fully express our deep solicitude

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on your account. Make the Bible your Directory and the Throne of Grace your *refuge and your home*. Be faithful and punctual in your attendance on the ordinance of the sanctuary, and especially class meetings, which have ever been the bulwark of Methodism. We never met with any person who faithfully attended those blessed means but gave evidence of their being the most pious and useful members of the Church, and who, according to their abilities, support all its institutions better than others. It is not, however, an address like this, but a life of experience that will adequately acquaint you with the benefit of Class Meetings; therefore the best refutation we can give to those objections sometimes raised against them is, the experience of all those who have tried those means, and who have declared a thousand times that they are the most precious means of Grace they ever enjoyed. Hence, let nothing but absolute unavoidable necessity prevent you from attending Class Meetings; as those who are most punctual in their attendance are persons who make rapid progress in the divine life, both in knowledge and holiness.

Now, dear brethren, in conclusion, we commend you to God and the Word of His Grace, which alone is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among the sanctified.

H. WILKINSON, *President*.
T. GOLDSMITH, *Clerk*.

ADDRESS OF THE CANADIAN CONFERENCE, TO THE ENGLISH CONFERENCE.

DEARLY BELOVED FATHERS AND BRETHREN:—Through the mercy of God we are once more permitted to assemble in our Annual Conference. And in accordance with our usual custom, we desire to send you our most cordial greetings. The past year has been one of severe pecuniary depression, and hence a decline in our funds, especially our Missionary Fund. Still, there is abundant cause for gratitude to Almighty God. Our fields of labour have been generally refreshed with gracious outpourings of the Holy Spirit. We have never been able to chronicle so large an increase to our membership. 1,278 precious souls have been added to our churches, and 596 remain on trial. What hath God wrought? To His Adorable Name be all the praise.

Our ministerial ranks have been augmented by the addition of 11; some of whom are very promising young men. 12 chapels have been erected, and several are in course of erection.

We have peace and harmony in all our borders; and, reflecting on the prosperity of the past year, we can assuredly say the Most High hath helped us. Our prospects for the future are very cheering; fields of usefulness are opening to us on every hand,—

The vineyard of the Lord before his labourers lies.
And, lo, we see the great reward that waits us in the skies.

Our present Conference has been characterized by unusual power, descending from on high, and while worshipping the Great Eternal, we have been greatly blessed and comforted. Our esteemed and valued Superintendent, Rev. J. H. Robinson, by his unwearied and well-directed efforts for our prosperity, continues to receive, without reserve, our affection and confidence. Under his able superintendence, the *Evangelical Witness* has obtained high celebrity, and is now one of the most useful and best family and religious papers in Canada. Our Assistant Superintendent, Rev. W. McClure, is equally esteemed by us; his wise counsels and deep interest in our cause render him very valuable indeed; we pray that the great head of the Church may spare those brethren long to us to counsel and help us forward in so glorious a work.

We are, dear fathers and brethren, every year more fully convinced of your cordial affection for and interest in us; and ours is not abated for you. We are one in doctrine, government, and affection, and mountains rise and oceans roll to sever us in vain.

Finally, brethren, farewell. May the God of Love and Peace be with you.

H. WILKINSON, *President.*
T. GOLDSMITH, *Clerk.*

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To receipt
Conference, 1
To last in
the late Mr. S
loaned to this
Circuit Collect
Milton, 11s
18s 9d; Penn
Trafalgar 5s 11
don, 7s 6d;
11d,
Hamilton, 9
caster, 15s; W
al, 26s 11d; I
11½d; Nassag
6d; Nelson, 29
2s 1½d; New
5½d; Cayuga
Lake Erie, 5s...
London, 50s
North, 2s 10½d;
10s 1d; Blansha
Ekfrid, 12s 6d...
Waterford, 9s
botville; 3s 8d; 1
16s 8d; Middlet
Bayham, 6s 10
wich, 7s 6d,
Hope, 14s 4d; P
ford, 4s 2½; P
ward, 2s,
Laasdowny, 5s
bethtown, 7s 10½
by, 23s 9d; Oxford
Drummond, 12s 8½
borough, 6s,
Montreal, 34s 10
ham, 15s 10½; Bol
4d,
Arthur, 2s 7d; Du
7s 6d; Owen Sour
3d; Arran, 2s,
Donation from S. Sc
Esq., Northport, ...
Grant from Engla
Do. Canada Mission
By grants cancelle
Conference, 1859, viz
St. Thomas Parsonag
Ainley chapel,
Lewis chapel,
Aylmer chapel (susp.
Per Rev. J. Histon,
Owen Sound Chapel, ..
Balance due the Tr
urer,

LONDON, June, 1

GENERAL STATEMENT OF CHAPEL & PARSONAGE FUND,
1859.

Dr.

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	£	S.	D.		£	S.	D.
To receipts of fund to Conference, 1857,.....	1683	19	0½	Grants to Conference, 1858,.....	2364	8	3½
To last instalment of the late Mr. Sour's legacy, loaned to this fund,.....	75	7	7	By balance credited last year as loan from Beneficent Fund, but not received,.....	50	17	7½
Circuit Collections, 1859: Milton, 11s 5d; Aurora, 18s 9d; Pennville, 7s 6d; Trafalgar 5s 11½d; Caledon, 7s 6d; Brock, 11s 11d,.....	3	3	0½	By Grants at Conference 1859, viz.: Colchester chapel,.....	10	0	0
Hamilton, 9s 11; Ancaster, 15s; Welland Canal, 26s 11d; Barton, 12s 11½d; Nassagaweya, 10s 6d; Nelson, 29s 7d; Galt, 2s 1½d; New Hope, 11s 5½d; Cayuga, 2s 6d; Lake Erie, 5s,.....	6	5	11½	Erin village do,.....	12	10	0
London, 50s; London North, 2s 10½d; Howard, 10s 1d; Blanshard, 10s 6d; Ekfrid, 12s 6d,.....	4	5	11½	By paid Rev. J. Simpson, for expenses connected with Owen Sound deed,...	2	10	0
Waterford, 9s 9d; Talbotville; 3s 8d; Malahide, 16s 8d; Middleton, 25s; Bayham, 6s 10d; Norwich, 7s 6d,.....	3	2	7	Rev. J. Gaddis, registering deed,.....	8	9	
Hope, 14s 4d; Port Milford, 4s 2½; Prince Edward, 2s,.....	1	0	6½	Rev. A. Clarke, do,.....	1	0	0
Lausdown, 5s; Elizabethtown, 7s 10½d; Crosby, 23s 9d; Oxford, 8s 0½; Drummond, 12s 8½; Mariborough, 6s,.....	2	3	4½	By debt on Goderich chapel, assumed by this fund,.....	407	12	11
Montreal, 34s 10d; Dunham, 15s 10½; Bolton, 5s 4d,.....	2	16	0½	By interest paid on Southampton chapel,.....	10	8	0
Arthur, 2s 7d; Durham, 7s 6d; Owen Sound, 7s 3d; Arran, 2s,.....	19	4		By paid in purchase of St. Marys chapel,.....	150	0	0
Donation from S. Solmes, Esq., Northport,.....	10	0		Deed and other expenses of ditto,.....	2	3	9
Grant from England,...	150	0	0	Interest on balance due, viz.: £243, 6s 8d at 6 per cent.,.....	14	12	0
Do. Canada Mission fund	30	0	0	£750 at 10 per cent.,...	75	0	0
By grants cancelled by Conference, 1859, viz.: St. Thomas Parsonage,...	30	0	0	By paid Rev. W. Birks, travelling expenses to London on Goderich chapel business,.....	3	0	0
Ainley chapel,.....	10	0	0				
Lewis chapel,.....	3	10	0				
Aylmer chapel (susp.),...	25	0	0				
Per Rev. J. Histon, for Owen Sound Chapel,.....	5	0					
Balance due the Treasurer,.....	1072	2	10½				
	3104	11	4				
					3104	11	4

J. H. ROBINSON, Treasurer.

LONDON, June, 1859.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE PATERNAL FUND.

1859.

Dr.

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	£	S.	D.		£	S.	D.
To balance from last year,		8	8½	By paid claimants:—			
Annual Grant from Mission Fund,	30	0	0	Rev. J. Caswell, £3	5	0	
Circuit Collections:—				" W. Birks, ..	15	0	
Toronto,	£0	19	10½	" O. Whitcomb	15	0	
Milton,	1	1	3	" J. Bask'rville	10	0	
Aurora,	1	2	6	" D. Savage, ..	2	5	0
Pennville,		8	6	" R. N. Hill, ..	15	0	
Trafalgar,		8	9	" T. Reid,	15	0	
Caledon,		8	9	" F.G. Weaver	3	15	0
Brock,		14	7	" J. A. Miller, ..	1	10	0
Hamilton,		11	7	" J. Gaddis, ..	1	10	0
Ancaster,	1	6	8	" C. Curry, ..	5	5	0
Welland Canal, ..	1	1	8	" J. Simpson, ..	2	5	0
Barton,		13	7	" J. Scott,	1	10	0
Nassagaweya, ..		13	11½	" D. Bettes, ...	2	0	0
Nelson,	1	15	10½	" T.M. Jefferis	3	10	0
Galt,		3	6	" W. Preston, ..	4	15	0
New Hope,		9	7½	" B. Haigh, ..	2	5	0
Cayuga,	1	0	0	" J.B.K.'rhasw	3	0	0
Lake Erie Cir't.		5	0	" D.D. Rolston	2	15	0
London,	2	8	2	" T. Goldsmith	2	15	0
London North,		7	6	" J. Bell,	2	15	0
Howard,		16	6	" A. Clarke, ..	1	10	0
Blanshard,		5	6	" J. C. Watts,	15	0	
Ekfrid,		12	6	" W. Webb, ..	1	10	0
Nissouri,		5	5	" J. Shuttleworth,	15	0	
Waterford,	1	15	7½	Rev. J. Crawford	15	0	
St. Thomas,		5	0	" J. McAllister	15	0	
Malahide,		13	0	" J. Hill,	15	0	
Middleton,		2	5	" S.B. Gundy,	15	0	
Bayham,		11	0½	" W. Glass, ..	15	0	
Dereham,		5	5				
Norwich,		7	8	Rev. J. C. Watts, error last year,		19	1½
Manvers,		2	6	Rev. W. Preston, do.		5	0
Hope,		11	8				
Port Milford, ..		14	2½				
Prince Edward		4	6				
Lansdown,		15	0				
Elizabethtown,		9	11				
Crosby,	1	6	9				
Oxford,		8	4½				
Drummond, ..		11	8½				
Marlborough, ..		8	4				
Montreal,	1	11	3½				
Bolton,		5	4½				
Arthur,		7	9½				
Holland,		2	9				
Owen Sound, ..		6	4½				
Arran,		2	6				
		30	10 5½	Balance in hand,		2	0 0½
		60	19 2			60	19 2
To Balance in hand,		2	0 0½				

J. C. WATTS, Financial Secretary.

NORTHPORT, JUDE, 1859.

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Balance of year ..
 Securities
 Preacher's
 Rev D Sav
 " S B G
 " J B Ke
 " N C G
 " J Casw
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 " J Walke
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 " J McAlli
 " T Ogden
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 " W Tinda
 " J Scott (
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 " W Birks
 " C Curry (
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 " E Kersha
 " T Goldsmi
 " J Hill (2
 " H Wilkins
 " J Simpson
 " T Reid ..
 " J Baskervi
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 " R N Hill ..
 " J Histon (2
 " J E Vining
 " D Auld ..
 " A Clarke (2
 " D Bettes (2
 " J Gaddis (2
 " J C Watts ..
 " W Webb ..
 " Jas Seymou
 " C Shaw ..
 " G Brown ..
 " W Williams
 " J Leach (3 y
 " R J Tyler ..
 " G A Bailey (2
 " J Rogers ..
 " W Bothwell
 " E Holmes ..
 " R Paintin
 " A Dempsey
 " R Redyoff ..
 " J England
 " J Rawson ..
 " J C Seymour
 " C McKelvey (2
 " J Peek (2 year

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GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE BENEFICENT FUND. 1859.

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	£	S.	D.		£	S.	D.
Balance on hand from last year	115	10	5½				
Securities on hand	1003	0	3	Rev J C Warren's annuity	9	4	6
Preacher's Subscriptions:				Mrs Shilton's annuity	14	5	0
Rev D Savage (1 year)	1	5	0	Rev T Rump's annuity	18	0	0
" S B Gundy	1	5	0	Mrs Hale's annuity	19	10	0
" J B Kershaw (1 year)	1	0	0	By notes cancelled:			
" N C Gowan (1858)	1	0	0	T Rump	13	2	6
" J Caswell	1	5	0	Securities on hand	989	17	9
" W McClure	1	5	0	Loaned Mission Fund, 1858	114	18	5
" T M Jefferis							
" E Williams							
" J Wilkinson (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J Bell	1	5	0				
" J Walker (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J A Miller (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J McAllister	1	5	0				
" T Ogden	1	5	0				
" W Gundy	1	5	0				
" W Tindall	1	6	0				
" J Scott (2 years)	2	10	0				
" W Preston (2 years)	2	10	0				
" W Birks (2 years)	2	10	0				
" C Curry (1858)	1	5	0				
" F G Weaver (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J A Follick (2 years)	2	0	0				
" E Kershaw	1	5	0				
" T Goldsmith	1	5	0				
" J Hill (2 years)	2	0	0				
" H Wilkinson	1	5	0				
" J Simpson (2 years)	2	10	0				
" T Reid	1	5	0				
" J Baskerville	1	5	0				
" D D Rolston	1	5	0				
" R N Hill	1	5	0				
" J Histon (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J E Vining (2 years)	2	10	0				
" D Auld	1	0	0				
" A Clarke (2 years)	2	10	0				
" D Bettes (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J Gaddis (2 years)	2	10	0				
" J C Watts	1	5	0				
" W Webb	1	5	0				
" Jas Seymour							
" C Shaw							
" G Brown							
" W Williams (1858)	1	0	0				
" J Leach (3 years)	3	0	0				
" R J Tyler							
" G A Bailey (2 years)	2	0	0				
" J Rogers	1	0	0				
" W Bothwell							
" E Holmes	1	0	0				
" R Paintin	2	0	0				
" A Dempsey	1	0	0				
" R Redyoff							
" J England							
" J Rawson							
" J C Seymour							
" C McKelvey (2 years)	2	0	0				
" J Peck (2 years)	2	10	0				
Forward	1196	6	8½	Forward	1178	18	2

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Secretary.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE BENEFICENT FUND.—Con'
1859.

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	£	S.	D.		£	S.	D.
Brought up - - - -	1196	6	8½	Brought up - - - -	1178	18	2
Interest on unpaid liabilities.							
Rev D Savage (2 years) ..		12	9½				
" J Caswell (2 years) ..	1	8	0				
" W McClure (2 years) ..	2	0	0				
" J-Bell (2 years)		9	6				
" J A Miller (2 years) ..		14	5				
" J McAllister (2 years) ..		12	9½				
" W Gundy (2 years) ..	2	8	0				
" W Tindall (2 years) ..		9	0				
" W Preston (2 years) ..	1	8	0				
" C Curry (2 years) ..	1	4	0				
" F G Weaver (2 years) ..	2	0	0				
" T Goldsmith (1 year) ..	1	9	1				
" H Wilkinson (2 years) ..	1	1	9				
" J Simpson (2 years) ..		14	5				
" J Baskerville (2 yrs.) ..		16	0				
" D D Rolston (2 years) ..	1	8	0				
" J E Vining (2 years) ..		12	0				
" J Gaddis (2 years) ..	1	8	0				
" W Webb* (2 years) ..		4	0				
" W Williams (2 years) ..		13	0				
	21	12	9				
CIRCUIT SUBSCRIPTIONS.							
Toronto		14	7				
Milton							
Aurora	1	1	1½				
Pennville		10	0				
Trafalgar		6	10				
Caledon		7	6				
Brock		7	5				
Hamilton		19	0				
Ancaster		10	0				
Welland Canal	1	7	4				
Barton		12	11½				
Nassagaweya		11	11				
Nelson	2	0	6½				
Galt		5	0				
New Hope		17	2				
Cayuga		6	8½				
Caledonia							
Lake Lrie Mission		7	0				
London	1	0	0				
London North		2	6				
Howard	1	0	4				
Blanshard							
Goderich and Clinton ..							
Ekfrid							
Morris		4	6				
Grey							
Nissouri							
Colchester							
Waterford	1	16	1				
St. Thomas		4	0				
Malahide		12	9				
Middleton		2	0				
Bayham		6	5				
Forward,	16	13	8	Forward,	1178	18	2

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Brought up	
Circ't sub'tio	
Dereham	
Norwich	
Cavan	
Manvers	
Hope	
Port Milford	
Prince Edward	
Lansdown	
Elizabethtown	
Crcsby	
Oxford	
Drummond	
Marlborough	
Montreal	
Dunham	
Bolton	
Arthur	
Holland	
Durham	
Owen Sound	
Southampton	
Arran	
Surplus of travel	
ses, subscribe	
sengers from	
to Belleville.	
Interest on Mo	
(£150) - - - -	
Interest on Mo	
(£35) - - - -	
Interest on Mo	
(£130) - - - -	
Interest on Mo	
(£300) - - - -	
Interest on Mo	
(£100) - - - -	
Interest on Note	
(£100) - - - -	
Interest on Note	
(£25) - - - -	
Interest on Note	
(£16 5s) - - - -	
Interest on Note	
(£25) - - - -	
Repaid—being a	
over-credited las	
in Simpson's and H	
notes	
Paid by Rev J Seym	
Interest paid by	
Rump on note	
Total Receipts, ..	

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GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE BENEFICENT FUND.—CON. 1859.

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		£	S.	D.			£	S.	D.
Brought up		1234	13	1½	Brought up		1178	18	2
Circ't sub'tions brought up		16	13	8					
Dereham									
Norwich			8	7					
Cavan			9	7					
Manvers			2	6					
Hope			14	0					
Port Milford			13	6½					
Prince Edward			4	6					
Lansdown			5	0					
Elizabethtown			6	8					
Crcsby		2	6	0					
Oxford			7	8					
Drummond			12	3½					
Marlborough			7	0					
Montreal		1	10	4½					
Dunham			7	6					
Bolton			5	6					
Arthur			10	7					
Holland									
Durham									
Owen Sound			7	5½					
Southampton									
Arran			2	6					
Surplus of traveling expenses, subscribed by passengers from Northport to Belleville		1	1	0					
Interest on Mortgage A (£150)		27	15	11					
Interest on Mortgage B (£35)		12	0	0					
Interest on Mortgage C (£130)		10	8	0					
Interest on Mortgage D (£300)		24	0	0					
Interest on Mortgage E (£100)		8	0	0					
Interest on Note No. 1 (£100)		8	0	0					
Interest on Note No. 2 (£25)									
Interest on Note No. 3 (£16 5s)									
Interest on Note No. 4 (£25)		2	0	0					
Repaid—being amount over-credited last year in Simpson's and Haigh's notes		19	0	0					
Paid by Rev J Seymour		30	0	0					
Interest paid by Rev T Rump on note		1	1	0	Balance		181	6	2½
		114	9	0					
Total Receipts,		1360	4	4½			1360	4	4½

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J. C. WATTS, Financial Secretary.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND.

1859.

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Amounts received from the Circuits.		£ S. D.	Payments.	£ S. D.
TORONTO DISTRICT.			TORONTO DISTRICT.	
Toronto,.....	10 8 0		J Shuttleworth,.....	60 0 0
Milton,.....	27 16 9		J Caswell,.....	7 19 8
Aurora,.....	25 16 8		J Hill,.....	24 0 0
Pennville,.....	22 12 3		T M Jeffers,.....	12 0 0
Trafalgar,.....	13 17 3		T Reid,.....	21 0 0
Caledon,.....	30 7 4		W Glass,.....	7 0 0
Brock,.....	24 15 6½		W Preston,.....	32 0 0
	155 13 9½			163 19 8
HAMILTON DISTRICT.			HAMILTON DISTRICT.	
Hamilton,.....	10 0 0		D Savage,.....	12 0 0
Ancaster,.....	32 12 6		S B Gundy,.....	10 0 0
Welland Canal,.....	32 3 4½		J E Vining,.....	12 0 0
Barton,.....	28 9 2		J Wilkinson,.....	12 0 0
Nassagaweya,.....	16 12 4		J McAllister,.....	12 0 0
Nelson,.....	50 17 4		W Williams,.....	12 0 0
Galt,.....	3 9 6½		J Bell,.....	12 0 0
New Hope,.....	2 15 0		D Bettes,.....	28 0 0
Cayuga,.....	11 12 9½		F G Weaver,.....	34 10 0
Caledonia,.....	10 13 0		W Gundy,.....	28 0 0
Lake Erie Mission,.....	16 0 6			
	215 5 6½		LONDON DISTRICT.	172 10 0
LONDON DISTRICT.			J Scott,.....	16 0 0
London,.....	65 11 1		J Seymour,.....	24 0 0
London North,.....	11 12 9		J B Kershaw,.....	28 0 0
Howard,.....	10 4 6		E Kershaw,.....	33 0 0
Blanshard,.....	18 6 9		W B Rowe,.....	3 0 0
Goderich and Clinton,...	6 3 9		J Baskerville,.....	18 0 0
Ekfrid,.....	25 5 0		W Western, [trav. ex. £3],	9 0 0
Morris,.....	3 13 3		C Curry,.....	40 0 0
Grey,.....	5 10 0		J Walker,.....	36 0 0
Nissouri,.....	14 12 7		G A Bailey,.....	12 0 0
			S G Clingman,.....	20 0 0
	160 19 8		WATERFORD DISTRICT.	239 0 0
WATERFORD DISTRICT.			W Bothwell,.....	28 0 0
Waterford,.....	33 0 0		W Webb,.....	30 0 0
St. Thomas,.....	5 18 7		J A Miller,.....	24 0 0
Malahide,.....	15 4 3		B Haigh,.....	33 0 0
Middleton,.....	13 2 9		H Wilkinson,.....	24 0 0
Bayham,.....	10 6 1½			
Dereham,.....	16 5 9			
Norwich,.....	12 8 9			
	106 6 2½			139 0 0

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CAVAN DISTRICT.	
Cavan,.....	
Manvers,.....	
Hope,.....	
Port Milford,.....	
Prince Edward,.....	
JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.	
Lansdown,.....	
Elizabethtown,.....	
Crosby,.....	
Oxford,.....	
Drummond,.....	
Marlborough,.....	
MONTREAL DISTRICT.	
Montreal,.....	
Danham,.....	
Bolton,.....	
OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.	
Arthur,.....	
Holland,.....	
Durham,.....	
Owen Sound,.....	
Southampton,.....	
Arran,.....	
Total receipts from circuits,.....	
Rev R N Hill and family,.....	
Grant from the p. Connexion per Superintendent,.....	

GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND.—CON.

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£	S.	D.
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	£	S.	D.
CAVAN DISTRICT.			
Cavan,.....	24	5	8
Manvers,.....	44	5	8
Hope,.....	17	0	1
Port Milford,.....	12	3	0
Prince Edward,.....	13	11	9
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JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.			
111	6	2	
Lansdown,.....	27	3	8
Elizabethtown,.....	20	0	5
Crosby,.....	45	11	8
Oxford,.....	16	16	6
Drummond,.....	18	6	3
Marlborough,.....	16	1	5
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MONTREAL DISTRICT.			
143	19	11	
Montreal,.....	36	8	9
Danham,.....	13	17	6
Bolton,.....	6	8	0
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OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.			
56	14	3	
Arthur,.....	7	2	4½
Holland,.....	10	0	0
Durham,.....	8	2	6
Owen Sound,.....	13	9	5
Southampton,.....	13	5	9
Arran,.....	6	0	0
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58	0	0½	
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Total receipts from Cir-	1008	5	7
cuits,.....	1	0	0
Rev R N Hill and family, ..	521	10	0
Grant from the parent			
Connexion per Superin-			
tendent,.....			
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1530	15	7	

	£	S.	D.
CAVAN DISTRICT.			
W Tindal,.....	34	10	0
J Simpson,.....	32	0	0
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JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.			
66	10	0	
O Whitcombe, - - -	15	0	0
A Clarke, - - -	32	0	0
W Birks [trav. ex. £10],	28	0	0
R Redyoff, [trav. ex. £3],	9	0	0
H Hall, - - -	5	0	0
J Peck, - - -	28	0	0
J England, [trav'g. exp.,			
£2, 10s.], - - -	30	0	0
T Ogden, - - -	28	0	0
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MONTREAL DISTRICT.			
175	0	0	
Montreal, - - -	64	0	0
W Barnett, - - -	21	0	0
J Bain, [trav. ex. £6], -	30	0	0
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OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.			
115	0	0	
D Auld, - - -	8	0	0
J Maguire, - - -	24	0	0
J Gaddis, - - -	45	0	0
J Rawson, [trav. ex. £5],	20	0	0
J Histon, - - -	56	0	0
J Follick, - - -	24	0	0
J Crawford, - - -	32	0	0
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203	0	0	
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Annual grant to Paternal			
Fund, - - -	30	0	0
Do. to Chapel Fund, - -	30	0	0
Repaid on Connexional			
loan, - - -	25	18	10
Mr Baskerville's trav. ex.			
[omitted last year], -	7	10	0
Balance due Mr Simeon			
last year, - - -	1	15	0
Conference expenses, -	15	0	
Supply for Dunham, [Pow-			
ers], - - -	5	12	6
Rev W Birks, overpaid			
last year, - - -	1	2	0
Do. exp. to Southampton,			
Assistant Superintendent's			
expenses for 1859, - -	5	10	0
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108	13	4	

GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND.—Con.

1859.

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		£ S. D.			£ S. D.
Brought up	- - - -	1530 15 7	Brought up	- - - -	108 13 4
			Grant for furniture to Elizabethtown Circuit, [by order of Conference]		7 10 0
			Financial Secretary's ex- penses to Conference,		2 6 3
			Treasurer's expenses to Conference, - - - -		2 10 0
			J B Kershaw's expenses to Goderich, - - - -		17 6
			Printing Mission report,		30 0 0
			Printing tickets, - - - -		3 0 0
			Postages, - - - -		12 10 0
			Expenses of Annual Com- mittee, - - - -		4 17 6
			Publishing Committee, -		1 5 0
			Printing Circulars, - -		12 6
			Printing lists of members' forms, - - - -		2 10 0
			Bank interest, - - - -		12 15 0
			Carriage of parcels, - -		1 7 6
			Stationery, Acc't Books,		2 10 0
			Paid C McKelvey for half year's grant, - - - -		3 0 0
			Telegraph Messages, - -		10 0
			Balance, - - - -		54 1 4
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		1530 15 7			1530 15 7

J. C. WATTS, *Financial Secretary.*

TORONTO, June, 1859.