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### PRESBYTERY OF COBOURG.

The Presbytery of Cobourg will meet at Cobourg, on the 8th instant.

J. W. SMITH, Pres. Clerk.

### PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

An Adjourned Meeting of the Presbytery of Toronto will be held in the usual place on the second Wednesday of July, at noon.

And the next Ordinary Meeting, on the first Wednesday of September.

### SYNOD'S HOME MISSION COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Home Mission Committee of the Synod, will be held in the Library of Knox's College, on the 9th inst., at four o'clock, p. m. A full attendance is requested. See names of members on page 132.

The Agency Committee will meet in the same place at 7 o'clock, p. m. See names on page 134.  
ALEX. GALE, Convener.

### RESERVES AND RECTORIES.

The Synod's Committee on the above, will please meet in the Library of Knox's College, on July 9th, at ten a. m. See names on page 133.  
ROBT. BURNS, Convener.

### COLLECTION FOR THE FRENCH CANADIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

By appointment of Synod, this Collection is to be taken up throughout the Church on the third Sabbath of July. Ministers, Missionaries, and Catechists supplying the different Congregations and Mission Stations, are expected to give due notice of the collection, and to press its object upon the attention of the people. Success has already attended the labours of the Society; and the continued success of the cause which it has been established to promote, depends the

liberty, as well civil as religious, of our country. Funds are required not for any narrow sectarian object, but for the advancement of sound Protestantism, in opposition to soul-enthalling and soul-ruining error. Evangelical Christians generally can cordially co-operate in this great work. It is a sort of Evangelical Alliance, where, forgetting denominational distinctions, different churches meet in harmonious action.

The Presbyterian Church of Canada has already manifested a deep interest in this undertaking, and will not now relax her efforts, when the grand enemy is becoming daily more audacious, and when the day of victory is approaching. The duty of the churches is plain—the event is with God; and the ground of confidence is, that the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.

### ABSTRACT OF THE REPORT OF THE SYNOD'S HOME MISSION COMMITTEE, FOR 1850-51, READ IN SYNOD, AT KINGSTON, JUNE, 1851.

The first part of the report narrates the proceedings of the Committee during the year—referring at the outset to the lamented death of the Rev. Mr. Robb, of Hamilton, who had been appointed Convener of the Committee by the Synod in the beginning of June, 1850, and who was removed by death early in the month of July thereafter. In regard to this melancholy event, the report proceeds as follows:—

On the 26th of the same month, a meeting of the Committee was held in Hamilton, at which the following minute was adopted:—The Committee at this their first meeting since the death of the Convener, agree to record their high sense of his valuable services to the cause of the Home Mission, and in humble submission to the will of God, their deep sorrow for the loss which the Church has sustained, in being deprived of his able services and excellent counsels, and their sympathy with his wife and family in their bereavement." To this brief and simple memorial, your Committee deem it superfluous to add anything on the present occasion, being fully persuaded that the removal of this faithful and devoted minister of Christ has been deeply felt and deplored by his brethren, and throughout the Church, and that his memory will be long and affectionately cherished by many among us. The high estimate which Mr. Robb entertained of the Home Mission, and the ardor and zeal with which he devoted himself to it from the very commencement of his career amongst us, were strongly manifested in the presence of the Synod on all suitable occasions, and will, no doubt, be affecting and solemnly recalled by many at this season. But now, perhaps, can we

fully appreciate the indefatigable diligence, the warm-hearted earnestness and sound judgment with which he performed the duties devolved on him by the Synod in regard to this scheme, as those who acted with him more immediately in conducting the business of the Home Mission Committee, and by them, accordingly, the loss of his counsels and services has been felt with peculiar keenness. May the Great Head of the Church teach us by His Spirit, individually, and, as a Church, to hear and understand the voice of the *rod*, thus suddenly and severely applied—stirring us up, at once, to the exercise of meek submission under His mighty hand—of renewed diligence in His service, while it is yet day with us—and of a more entire and habitual reliance on Himself, apart from all means and agents, for the advancement of the cause which is His own.

The Rev. Gilbert Johnston's appointment to take a general superintendance of the Synod's Home Missionary operations, under the direction of the several Presbyteries, is next adverted to— together with Mr. Johnston's subsequent acceptance of a call in Scotland, and an explanation, with reference to the resolutions adopted by the Committee on this subject in October last, to the effect that they were at that period, without any information to lead them to suppose that Mr. Johnston himself had changed his mind in regard to his Canadian appointment, or that he was concurring in the invidious steps respecting the call to him. The report goes on to state that, at the April meeting of the Committee, twenty-five missionaries, preachers, and catechists, had been distributed among the several Presbyteries, and that Mr. Samuel Kedey, student, had been assigned to the Students' Missionary Association, at their request, with a view to his employment among the French Roman Catholic population, in room of the Rev. John Black, with the recommendation that Mr. Kedey should be stationed at Metis for the summer. The Committee agreed also at this meeting, to recommend to the Synod some clear and authoritative deliverance, so limiting the demands of the Presbyteries on the services of student missionaries, as that ample time should be left at their disposal, for the prosecution of their studies. The Report next refers to a communication from the Rev. Mr. McClure, of Londonderry, as Chairman of the Directors of the Colonial Mission of the Presbyterian Church of Ireland, announcing the appointment of several additional missionaries for Canada.

In the second section of the Report a sketch is presented of the extent and condition of the Synod's Home Mission field, drawn principally from the Reports of Presbyteries, laid before the Committee at the distribution of missionaries in April last. Beginning with

1. The Presbytery of Montreal, the Report proceeds thus—

In contemplating the field of our Home Mission, our attention is immediately attracted to the eastern section of the United Province, as exhibiting an extent of religious destitution far greater than any other portion of the bounds of the Church; aggravated, moreover, by circumstances peculiar to Canada East, and especially by the immense preponderance of the French Roman Catholic population over the Protestant, and the strength and influence of the Romish Hierarchy there. The eastern division of the Province, constituting heretofore Lower Canada, contains a large body of Presbyterians decidedly picking connection with our church, and desiring to enjoy at our hands the ministrations of the word and sacraments, and therefore forming an important part of the sacred trust which the great Head of the Church has committed to us. The simple fact that in this vast territory with its numerous population, and all its peculiar religious necessities and claims, we have only been able to set up for the purpose of spiritual superintendance and effort, one Presbytery, comprising only five settled ministers, may serve to convey a sufficiently vivid impression of the utter disproportion existing between the religious wants of this portion of the country, and the supplies which we have extended to it. Nor, indeed, does the foregoing statement give a just exhibition of the destitution of Canada East, for it must be remembered that this single Presbytery embraces within its bounds an extensive and populous section of Canada West; where two out of its five ministers are settled, leaving only three for the superintendance of the whole territory, and population formerly constituting Lower Canada. In the report presented by this Presbytery, nineteen stations or rather clusters of stations are enumerated, and more or less fully described as looking to this Church for the ordinances of religion.—Twelve of these are situated on the south side of the St. Lawrence, four on the north, and three in Canada West. The vacant congregations in Montreal and Quebec, are not, of course, included in this list. There seems to be reason to suspect that the above mentioned enumeration will be found defective and below the truth, when the Presbytery shall have made a more complete survey or inspection of its bounds; but taking the statement as it is presented by the Presbytery and giving due attention to the information furnished respecting the several localities, eight of these stations seem to have arrived at such a stage of strength and maturity as to be prepared to call and sustain settled pastors, making, with the addition of Quebec and Montreal, ten congregations in this Presbytery in which ministers are urgently required and could be planted with a fair prospect of success. The eleven other missionary districts, or rather preaching stations comprised by them severally, are in various stages of advancement, as to numbers and organization, but all of them are looking to us for help and possess strong claims on our attention and care, and not a few of them would soon become settled charges could the Synod extend to them, for a time, the services of discreet, faithful and devoted missionaries.

Metis, the most remote and perhaps the most necessitous of them all, is a signiory on the banks of the St. Lawrence, some 200 miles below Quebec. Having come into the possession of a Scotchman nearly forty years ago, a considerable number of Scotch families were induced to settle upon it, for whose religious interests no stated provision has ever been made, and who, for a long time, were wholly neglected. At a great distance from any other portion of the Protestant population and exposed in this isolated situation to the influence of Popery on all sides, with no evangelical ministrations to stay them, it is hardly possible to conceive of a state of things more unfavourable to the maintenance of even a nominal Protestantism, especially among the children and

descendants of the original settlers. But by the good hand of God sustaining, not only has the outward form been preserved, but, to some extent, the power of true religion has been all along manifested amongst them, and an ardent desire is still prevalent to obtain the regular ministrations of the word and sacraments in connexion with the Church of their fathers. In proof of this they offer to guarantee to a minister the sum of £15 in money, per an., and to find him a house with fire-wood and provisions. The peculiar interest attaching to this locality and its people, will be at once felt by every member of the Synod, and it is with great satisfaction your Committee again refer to the stationing of Mr. Samuel Keddy amongst them, for the present summer, under the circumstances already adverted to. Having a considerable command of the French language, it is hoped that Mr. Keddy, who is a person of a mild, yet zealous and thoroughly evangelical spirit, will be instrumental, through the divine blessing, both in strengthening the influence of Protestantism, and true religion, among the Presbyterian settlers, and in extending it among the French Canadian population around them. Upon the whole no room is left for doubt, as it appears to your Committee, but that the religious destitution existing in this section of the Church, is much more extensive than that of any other portion of our bounds, and that it is urgently required of the Synod to put forth, and that without delay, some adequate efforts for its relief. This claim, he it observed, is altogether independent of the duty of this Church, to seek by all available Scriptural means, the enlightenment and emancipation of the great mass of French Canadian Roman Catholics, who are our fellow-subjects, part and parcel of our social and political system, and with whom, in the providence of God, our social and civil interests are intimately bound up. It may, perhaps, be questioned whether the Synod ought not to apply itself more directly and vigorously to the evangelization of this great section of our population, than it has done heretofore. But, however that question may be decided, it is manifestly our duty to do our utmost to nourish and strengthen the existing Protestantism of Canada East, by planting and sustaining some adequate number of faithful ministers and missionaries in that region. By such means, a powerful and most satisfactory influence would be brought to bear in all quarters on the surrounding masses of Popery, through the growth and extension of spiritual religion in our congregations and stations, and the consequent practical exhibition of its good and happy fruits, in the view of their Roman Catholic neighbours.

In the distribution of missionaries arranged by the Committee in April, five only could be assigned to this Presbytery, with justice to other claims. In addition to these, however, who with one exception, are Theological Students, and can only continue their services for five or six months, the Presbytery has within its bounds three ordained missionaries, whose labours are almost constantly given to one particular locality each, viz. the Rev. Messrs. Gordon, Swinton, and Cameron.

2. The Presbytery of Brockville comes next in order. Its bounds are, as compared with most of the other Presbyteries, small, including a territory of some twenty-five or thirty miles square, which, moreover, has been long settled, and which, therefore, presents but a limited field for missionary operations. In this Presbytery, however, there are four stations of considerable importance; two of which, it is understood, would unitly form a suitable pastoral charge.

3. The Presbytery of Perth. Its bounds lie immediately in the rear of those of Brockville, and thus comprehend the more newly settled portion of that section of the country. In the Record for May, there is an interesting report of the Home Mission of this Presbytery, but want of room prevents us from inserting it here. We can only state that there are four important congregations vacant in this Presbytery; besides an extensive missionary field lying on both sides of the Ottawa, above and below Bytown.

4. The Presbytery of Kingston next claims attention, and we regret that the report from it is not more full. The following statements, however, will give some idea of the extent and condition of the Home Mission Field in this quarter:—

The Kingston Presbytery, as at present constituted, reaches from the rear of Gananoque, to the rear of Belleville. It contains seven regular charges, and ten Mission Stations. The latter come more immediately within the range of the Presbyterial Home Mission. There are five in the vicinity of Kingston, one in Napanee, one in the Township of Hiller, and three in Madoc.—Till the month of May last, we had four additional in the Townships of Huntingdon and Tyendinaga, in the rear of Belleville. But these have been formed into a distinct ministerial charge and taken off our hands by the settlement over them of our esteemed brother, the Rev. Andrew Hudson. Napanee is represented as a station of much importance, and, as affording, at present, a promising field for the labours of a missionary with the prospect of becoming, at no distant period, a regular pastoral charge, in connection with one or two stations in Camden or Sheffield.—The Township of Madoc, thirty or forty miles in rear of Belleville, seems still more important and promising, possessing, as it already does, about one hundred Presbyterian families, among whom, it is stated, there is a goodly number of men of devoted piety, and more than ordinary intelligence. They make the strongest representations as to the extent of their spiritual necessities, and their anxiety to secure the services of one or two missionaries—with a view to a permanent settlement—and they have two churches in progress of erection. The minister who communicates these particulars, which are founded upon his personal observation and knowledge, speaks in the highest terms also of the physical and material resources of Madoc; the soil, according to his report, being admirably adapted for the growth of the staple crops of the country, and abounding at the same time with valuable minerals. The Morrison Iron Works are situated in this neighbourhood, and the whole surrounding district teems with the ore. So that as soon as capital and skill are brought effectually to bear on these resources, Madoc must necessarily become one of the richest and most influential townships in the Province.

5. The Presbytery of Cobourg have the following missionary districts and stations under their care:

1. Darlington, ready for a settled pastor, and anxious to obtain one as soon as possible. Mr. John Smith is supplying here with a fair prospect of usefulness. There are two congregations connected, about eight miles apart, with good churches at both places, though the congregations are not large.

2. Percy and Alnwick. These places are about twenty miles from the front and nine miles apart. The only supply they have ever had has been occasional visits by the ministers of the Presbytery, until this year, when Mr. McIlfarick has been sent to them, and we hope they will be supplied, at least, every alternate Sabbath, for the summer. They have commenced, by a subscription of about £30, to assist the Presbytery in paying the salary of the missionary.

There are about twenty Presbyterian families at Percy, and fifteen at Alnwick, besides a number of others who attend the service.

3. Cartwright and Manvers, like Percy, are about twenty miles from the front. The former has been for some time connected with Darlington, and had occasional visits of the missionary supplying there. But these places are anxious to unite and obtain the services of a stated minister. They are about to build a church in each of the Townships, which will be about eight miles apart. They engage to pay £75 per annum, which is

highly creditable in them, as a commencement, considering that they have never had ordinances dispensed among them with any regularity.

4. **Norwood and Dummer.** These stations are still more remote, and have never had any regular supply. The Presbytery have arranged to grant them a part of the labors of Mr. McIlpatrick.

There are other smaller settlements of Presbyterians within the bounds of the Presbytery visited occasionally, but not organized as regular stations.

6. **The Presbytery of Toronto.**—In regard to this Presbytery, the Report states—

That there are within the bounds of this Presbytery not fewer than twelve Missionary districts, each of considerable territorial extent, and most of them comprehending several separate stations. Of these, too, a large proportion may be confidently pronounced ripe for pastoral settlement, such as Whitty, Brock and Reach, Thorah and Eldon, with places adjoining, West Gwillimbury, Vaughan and King, Nassagaweya, Acton, with places adjoining, and Boston and Union Churches in Esqueping—would constitute at least seven pastoral charges—in each of which, it is believed, the people are sufficiently numerous to require an immediate settlement, and to sustain a Minister in comfort. Most of them, indeed, are at this moment earnestly looking out for preachers or ministers whom they may call. Mono, St. Vincent, Nottawasaga, Floe, Essa, Tecumseth, and other places, whose circumstances are less fully known, would make up five or six additional Missionary districts, which, although none of their various stations may be so far advanced as those first enumerated, would yet afford ample and constant employment for at least five Missionaries throughout the year.

7. **The Presbytery of Hamilton Reports**—

There are two vacant congregations within the bounds of the Presbytery, for which it has been the duty of the Home Mission Committee to provide supply—one of these is

**Niagara**—vacant by the death of Mr. Harris. The other vacant congregation is **Caledonia**, with which are associated the two stations of Oneida and Allan Settlement, (otherwise called the 6th concession of Ancaster.)

Passing from vacant congregations to mission stations, the Committee have to report, that most encouraging prospects are held out in regard to **Woolwich, New Aberdeen, and Doune Mills.** The first of these places has been supplied with preaching formerly; sometimes with a good measure of success, and sometimes otherwise.—It has now for the first time, been conjoined with the other stations mentioned; and Mr. John Alexander, a student who has completed his curriculum at Knox's College, has been sent to labour in that sphere. At Woolwich, the congregations attending him have been so large, that admittance could not always be obtained into the place of worship. As to New Aberdeen and Doune Mills, which are about three miles apart, each of these stations supply a congregation of between one hundred and one hundred and fifty.

Another District to which Missionary labor has been directed, is that of **Dunville and Welland Port.** During winter, these places were left unsupplied, but at the termination of the College Session, Mr. Porterfield, who had been supplying Niagara, being relieved by Mr. Maclaren, was sent to them.

Another extensive and important Missionary District, is that comprising the range of settlements on the Owen Sound Road, from the Township of Arthur to the limits of Mr. McKinnon's charge, at Sydenham, a distance of upwards of fifty miles, which is rapidly settling. To this vast region, which contains a considerable Gaelic population, Mr. McMillan was appointed at the close of the College Session.

Another station, is that of **West Flamboro'**, where the Rev. Mr. Wardrope has been laboring

for a series of years, and from which he has made formal application to the Presbytery of Hamilton to be relieved, in consequence of advancing years and infirmities.

The large, populous, and wealthy District of Niagara, forming one of the oldest settlements in the province, has not escaped the attention of the Presbytery as a most important field for missionary operations—although for want of suitable laborers, little or nothing has been done for it. Two or three missionaries of our church would be required to cultivate this field. It may also be stated, that St. Catharines and Thorah are two important stations in this District, formerly occupied as a pastoral charge, and the Presbytery hope, that by the blessing of God, they may be enabled, at no distant period, to plant an efficient minister there.

8. **The Presbytery of London,** says their report, now numbers 12 settled ministers, the majority of whom have only of late been inducted to their charges; and it might be supposed that the Mission Stations had thus been nearly supplied, or converted into regular pastoral charges. However, it is not so, for still there are nine principal Mission Stations, besides several smaller ones, and we have no doubt that these smaller ones will soon become large congregations, if now properly visited, supplied, and watched over by the Church. At present, let us bring only the large stations before your committee, viz.—1. Aldboro', and three or four surrounding Townships. 2. Caradoc, a very interesting and promising station. 3. The London Road Station, a large congregation—English and Gaelic speaking people.—4. Woodstock, a Gaelic congregation. 5. St. Andrews. 6. Bienheim. 7. Burford. 8. Ashfield, near Goderich. 9. Kincardine. In all these places, so far as we can judge, there are, taken together, not less than eight hundred Presbyterian families, perhaps we should be nearer the truth, by taking them at one thousand families.

The Presbytery, at the meeting in January, agreed to ask for six Preachers or Catechists from the Home Mission Committee,—two of whom, at least, must have a knowledge of the Gaelic language, for there is a decided majority of families in the stations that can receive no benefit from instruction in any other tongue. The mix of emigrants and others to Ashfield and Kincardine, is almost incredible—chiefly Highlanders—and we cannot press too earnestly on your Committee the necessity of sending a Gaelic-speaking Missionary among these people.

The Presbyterial report thus concludes its urgent appeal for a supply of Missionaries.

Look at our nine principal stations,—at our thousand Presbyterian families in danger of sinking into immorality and irreligion—look at them, so scattered,—some on the banks of Lake Erie, some on the banks of Lake Huron—some near the Grand River and others near Lake St. Clair,—look at all this, and we are sure you will do what you can for them who are ready to perish.

The suggestions contained in the report must be reserved for our next number.

#### REPORT OF THE MISSION TO THE COLOURED POPULATION.—JUNE 11th, 1851.

It now becomes my duty to lay before the Synod an account of the Mission to the coloured population during the past year, our present circumstances, and future prospects.

In the record of our missionary work, while much will be found for praise and thanksgiving to God, very much will be found for humiliation and self abasement to ourselves. In the darkest trials and discouragements, however, it is a ground of encouragement "that God's purpose will be accomplished,"—that his kingdom shall come—and his will be done in earth as it is in heaven, and that the great end in view will be

attained; "not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit saith the Lord of Hosts." On this truth we can rest with perfect confidence, however weak and feeble the agent may be, the advancement of Christ's kingdom is certain.

The field of missionary labour on which we have entered is new, and, of course, we have not the experience of others to guide us. As might be expected many difficulties have occurred to hinder our progress, which we did not anticipate; still we have reason to rejoice that our course has been onward, and to thank God for the measure of success which has already attended our efforts.

In the last Annual Report we stated that the Mission was established in the Township of Raleigh, on a tract of land purchased by the Elgin Association, for the settlement of coloured persons of approved moral character. That Association has been confounded with the Synod's Mission, but these two are distinct and have separate functions. The object of the Elgin Association is to provide a home for coloured persons of good character, and improve their social condition, the Association is incorporated by Act of Parliament, and its functions are purely secular. The object of the Mission is to supply those coloured families with the means of grace, and their children with a Christian education.—The Synod, as such, has no connection with the Elgin Association. During the past year the attendance at church has been steady and on the increase, varying from 100 to 150, according to the state of the roads. The audience hear the word with attention, and for some months past, especially in the Bible-class, there appears a spirit of earnest inquiry among some of its members, which, we trust, is a token for good, and hope it will end with the blessing of God's Spirit in bringing the inquirers to a saving knowledge of the truth. One of the persons thus awakened has been coming to the Mission Station weekly, during the past two months, for spiritual instruction.

The day school in connection with the Mission has been in operation twelve months, under the charge at present of Mr. John Murray, a Student of Knox's College, Toronto. We opened at first with sixteen scholars; these have gradually increased until they now reach to fifty-six. A number of these, however, are white. In January last, the Trustees of the district school could not procure a qualified teacher. They asked permission to send their children to ours, which was immediately granted. Since that time there has been none but ours in operation in the district. This sudden increase of scholars has called for enlarged accommodation; the house which we formerly occupied had answered the two fold purpose of a church and school house. During the winter we put another of hewed logs, 26 feet square; it was finished in May and the school opened in it in June. This building together with the seating and fitting up of our church, increased considerably our facilities. But these have, in a great measure, been met by the contributions of friends in the United States.

The Sabbath School has also increased in numbers during the last year; the attendance varies from between thirty and forty according to the state of the roads. We felt for some time the want of a Sabbath School Library and suitable books for the scholars attending the day school to read. This want has, in a great measure, been supplied through the efforts of Dr. Willis, who raised ten pounds in Glasgow, which has been laid out in forming the nucleus of a Library for the day school. Several donations of books have been received from friends of the Mission for the same purpose. Among these I may mention, one from the Bible and Tract Society's Depository, Montreal, and in particular a very handsome Library has been received for the Sabbath School, from the ladies of Allegheny City; also five splendid Missionary Maps for the use of the Sabbath School and Bible-class. These books have been read with great interest by the

scholars; some reading three or four of the smaller volumes weekly. We would still gladly receive contributions, and donations of books both for the day school and congregational libraries. In the day school we hope shortly to form a class of African youths, with the view of preparing them for a collegiate course. We have a number of promising talents. With the Divine blessing attending the religious training of these youths, a powerful agency for good will be raised up for Africa. In reviewing our labours for the past year we would acknowledge with gratitude the kindness of our Heavenly Father which has been so abundantly manifested towards us. Encouraged by the visible tokens of success which has already attended our humble efforts, let us go on with greater zeal in the work. Although it is the day of small things, yet we trust in the end our labour will not be in vain in the Lord.

WM KING.

Contributions or donations of books for the Mission, may be left with James Gibb, Esq., Quebec, John Redpath, Esq., Montreal, Rev. R. F. Burns, Kingston, John Burns, Esq., Toronto, D. McLellan, Esq., Hamilton, John Fraser, Esq., London, or the Rev. W. King, Chatham, C.W.

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLERGY RESERVES AND RECTORIES.

KINGSTON, June 10, 1851.

The Committee of last Synod met this day, and agreed to the following report:—

On the rise of last Synod, the Committee having drawn up the petition to the House of Assembly, in terms of the resolutions of Synod—had it duly presented to the House, by the Hon. James H. Price, the mover of the "resolutions" of Assembly, on the subject of the Clergy Reserves.—It is a matter of regret that similar petitions were not presented from congregations, as recommended by the Synod, but this may be ascribed to the shortness of the time that elapsed between the rising of the Synod and the passing of Mr. Price's resolutions.

As no other public movement was in the course of being made in the Province, your Committee waited anxiously to hear of the issue of the transmission of Mr. Price's resolutions to the Government at home, and they have pleasure in reporting to the Synod, that the Home Government have pledged themselves to respond favourably to the prayer of their resolutions, by making the re-investment of the final settlement of the Reserve question, in the local Legislature, a government measure.

Your Committee would recommend that this Synod will be pleased to renew the declaration of last year, as confirmed and illustrated by events that have since occurred, and by the present aspect of things in the Province, specially in regard to the prevalence of Popery, and kindred systems of error.

They further recommend the re-appointment of the Committee, with additions, and instruct them to seek an interview with the Heads of the Provincial Government, and with His Excellency the Governor General, with the view of pressing on them the necessity of the question of the Rectories being included along with that of the Reserves, and of the immediate adjustment of both by Legislative enactments.

They further recommend that the Committee should be instructed to co-operate with other churches and other bodies, in any public measures that may be proposed for the successful prosecution of the great object in view.

ROBT. BURNS, Convener.

**CREDULOUS OR DESIGNING.**—Cardinal Wiseman recently asserted that the nails, crown of thorns, and other material relics of the passion now possessed by his church, are the undoubted originals, and are worthy of the veneration of the faithful.

**TO CORRESPONDENTS.**—The Communications of the Rev. Thomas Lorenz, A Presbyterian; I. M., and Notes on the 17th Psalm, have been received—some of them are in type.

All communications connected with the Record to be addressed to JOHN BURNS, Esq., Knox's College, Toronto.

## The Record.

TORONTO, JULY, 1851.

### THE ACCOUNTS OF THE CHURCH.

The discrepancy between the particular accounts and the tabular statement, is to be accounted for by the former having been cited in 1850 in the beginning of June, whilst the latter was left open up to the time of the Record going to press. This will not hereafter occur, the Synod having adopted the recommendation of the Committee on Finance that "as the accounts be closed on the 31st of May, and printed ready to be put into the hands of members at the meeting of Synod."

The contributions to the French Canadian Missionary Society, will be found defective in the table, those only having been reported that passed through the hands of the compiler. It is scarcely possible to report accurately the amount contributed by the Presbyterian Church of Canada to this object, inasmuch as many of the contributions are mixed up with those of other denominations. None of the collections made by Mr. Back are in the table.

### MEETING OF SYNOD.

The Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada met on the 4th June, in Brock Street Church, Kingston, and was opened with sermon by the Rev. Wm. Reid, A. M., of Picton, the Moderator, from I Sam. iv. 13.—"His heart trembled for the ark of God."

The Rev. Robert Boyd, A. M., of Prescott was unanimously elected Moderator for the ensuing year.

The first day was chiefly occupied in appointing Committees and in devotional exercises.—The Rev. William Rutoul, A. M., resigned the Clerkship of the Synod, and the thanks of the Synod were tendered to him for the faithful and efficient manner in which he had discharged the duties of the office.

The Rev. Wm. Reid and John Burns, Esq., were appointed conjoint clerks of Synod, Mr. Reid to be specially charged with keeping the minutes of Synod and Commission, and Mr. Burns with conducting the business of the Synod and enrolling the minutes: Mr. Burns' services in this department to be taken as part of his agency work, and the salary of Mr. Reid to be Twenty pounds per annum.

There were in attendance forty-five ministers and twenty-nine elders. In several instances congregations availed themselves of the law of the Synod authorising them to elect elders from other sessions. This accounts, to some extent, for the larger attendance of elders than at former Synods. But we believe this pleasing feature

may be ascribed in a greater degree to the increasing interest which congregations are taking in the business of the Church as subservient to her prosperity. At no former Synod have the elders taken so prominent part in the proceedings, and we believe, on the whole, that the business was conducted satisfactorily to all parties.—An excellent spirit pervaded the Assembly.

The Moderator presided with mildness, but with a becoming firmness, and certainly displayed considerable tact in restraining irrelevant speaking. As usual a portion of time was set apart specially for devotional exercises, and invoking the Divine blessing upon the proceedings of the Court, every morning.

On Thursday, the Rev. Mr. Gale, Convener of the Home Mission Committee, read a very interesting report of the state and prospects of the Synod's Home Mission, of which we have given an abridgement in this number.

When it was

*Resolved*, That the Report be received and approved—that the cordial thanks of the Synod be tendered to Mr. Gale, the Convener, for the great attention which he, amidst many other public calls on his time and labour, has bestowed on this most important department of the Synod's exertions, and in regard to the recommendations of the Committee, that the Synod adopt the same and instruct the Committee to be appointed to use their best exertions in carrying them out; that the Committee be so instructed to print in the Record, or in such other form as they shall see fit, the Report, or portion of the same, for the information of the members of the Church generally.

The Home Mission Committee of Synod was appointed as follows, viz.—

The Moderator, M. Young, Mr. Caynes, Dr. Burns, Dr. Willis, Mr. Gale, Mr. Ure, Mr. Lowry, Mr. J. M. Roger, Mr. McLeod, Mr. Smith, Mr. Gregg, Mr. R. F. Burns, Mr. McMurray, Mr. Gray, Mr. Duncan, Mr. Wardrop, Mr. Rutoul, Mr. Black, Mr. Donald McKenzie, Mr. Scott, ministers; and Mr. Davidson, Mr. Fisher, Mr. McHutch, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Brodie, Dr. Dickson, Mr. R. Smith, Dr. Edmondson, Dr. Macagan, Mr. Redpath, Mr. McLellan, elders.

The Rev. Dr. Willis, Convener, read the Report of the College Committee, which was approved. We shall endeavour to make room for an abstract of it in an early number.

The Rev. John McLachlan, late of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, was received as a minister of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, and the law of Synod requiring ministers, in such circumstances, to continue in the missionary field for a year, was suspended in his case, on the ground of his previously prolonged and excellent services as a Missionary.

Leave was granted to the Presbytery of London to take Mr. Duncan McQuar, Student in Divinity, on trials for license; the Presbytery of Hamilton, Mr. John Alexander; the Presbytery of Toronto, Mr. Donald Fraser, A. M., and Mr. J. Chesnut; the Presbytery of Cobourg, Mr. John Smith, and Mr. John McIlfatrick; and the Presbytery of Montreal, Mr. Duncan McDiarmid.

An Overture from the Presbytery of Hamilton, in regard to salaries of Missionaries and Catechists, was taken up, and after reasoning, it was remitted to the Home Mission Committee, to fix uniform salaries.

On Friday the 6th, the Report on the Widows' Fund Scheme, was given in and read by John Burns, Esq., on behalf of the Committee, when it was moved by Dr. Burns, seconded by the Hon. John Macdonald, elder for Gananoque, and agreed, that,

The Synod having heard the Report of the Committee on a Widows' Fund, and thereafter the statements made by Mr Fisher, one of the members of Committee, express their cordial satisfaction in the movements of the Committee, and return them grateful thanks for the attention they have paid to this matter; approve of the object and general principles of the scheme as submitted, and particularly of the proposal to raise a sum of not less than £2000 as the foundation of the scheme; re-appoint the Committee with a few additions from different districts of the Church; instruct them to meet forthwith and draw up and print a statement of the plan, for the information of the Presbyteries and the public, in the view of active measures being taken without delay; and recommend that on the special report of the Committee being brought before the Synod on an early day, a subscription be commenced among the members of Synod in aid of the proposed fund; recommend also the modification of the plan so as to embrace fatherless children as well as widows.

This motion being carried; it was afterwards resolved, on the Committee's recommendation, that the scheme should embrace the children as well as the widows of deceased ministers, and that the following scale of rates be adopted, viz:

- 1. Each Widow, per annum ... £25
- 2. Each child under 14; the Widow being alive..... 5
- 3. Each child under 14, there being no widow..... 10

With the understanding that the sum to be allowed each family shall not exceed £40 per annum, and that it be left to the discretion of the Committee of management to fix, under this limitation, the actual amount which the funds of the scheme will allow; and that in case the Committee shall fix on a lower amount than £40, the distribution to widows and children shall be made in the above proportion.

It was further agreed that on the payment of the Harris Fund, amounting to about £260, into the hands of the Treasurer of the Widows' Fund, Mrs. Harris and her children shall be placed on the Fund on the same footing as the widows and children of any other deceased ministers.

The Synod also instructed the Committee to take such means as they may think best to diffuse information and excite an interest in behalf of the scheme, and enjoined Presbyteries to take steps for promoting liberal contributions to the fund.

The Report of the Committee on the Clergy Reserves and Rectories was called for, and given in by Dr. Burns, who read the same. It was moved and seconded,

That the Report be received and adopted—that the Committee be re-appointed with additional names; and that they be instructed to adopt active and energetic measures for bringing the sentiments and feelings of this Church to bear on the Provincial and Imperial Legislatures, and that they otherwise act in the premises according to the terms of the resolution of last year.

The following amendment was proposed by the Rev. John McMurray, seconded by Mr. James Breakenridge:—

That inasmuch as the subject of the Clergy Reserves and Rectories is a political question, it would be unwise in this Church as a Church, to take any step in the matter, thus mixing itself up with the party politics now agitating the mind of the Province.

The Roll was called and votes marked, when forty voted for Dr. Burns' motion and two for Mr. McMurray's amendment. Dr. Burns' motion was declared to be carried, and the Synod resolved accordingly.

The following are the names of the members of Committee now named by the Synod:—

Dr. Burns, Convener, Dr. Willis, Professor Hanson, Mr. Gale, Mr. Rintoul, Mr. Wightman, Mr. Young, Hamilton, Mr. Boyd, Markham, ministers; Messrs. John Redpath, John Fisher, D. McLellan, Wm. Heron, John McMurrich, Jas. Shaw, John Burns, elders.

Dr. Willis, on behalf of the Committee on the Standards, appointed at last Synod, reported that no meeting of the Committee had been held, although, as Convener, he had called meetings.—After lengthened conference it was agreed that the Committee appointed last year, with the addition of Dr. Burns, Mr. Wardhope, and Mr. Gregg, ministers; and Mr. Brodie, Mr. Blain, and Mr. Heron, elders; forthwith meet and prepare an explanatory note to be appended to the formula, and report such note to the Synod on an early day.

An Overture from the Presbytery of Hamilton in regard to Students signing the Confession of Faith, was remitted to the Committee on the Standards.

The Rev. Mr. Gale, at an after diet, gave in a report from the Committee on the Standards, which, after being fully discussed, it was agreed to transmit to Presbyteries for their consideration.

Reports from Presbyteries in regard to the Commission of Synod having been called for and read, it was agreed

That the Commission should be continued, and that during the year there should be one ordinary meeting of Commission at Toronto, on the third Wednesday of October, at twelve o'clock, noon: The Commission to be composed of the Moderator and Clerks of Synod, Mr. Mackenzie, Mr. McColl, Mr. Scott, Mr. Bayne, Mr. Strake, Mr. Young, Dr. Burns, Dr. Willis, Mr. Gale, Mr. Lowry, Mr. Roger, Mr. McLeod, Mr. Smith, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Gregg, Mr. R. F. Burns, Mr. Smart, Mr. Gezzie, Mr. McMurray, Mr. Wardhope, Mr. P. Gray, Mr. Duncan, Mr. Rintoul, Mr. Henry, Mr. Black, ministers; Mr. John Fraser, Mr. D. Fraser, Mr. A. Smith, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Davidson, Mr. McLellan, Mr. McMurrich, Mr. W. Clark, Mr. W. Leslie, Mr. Hartstone, Mr. Brodie, Mr. Mr. Donald McKae, Hon John McDonald, Dr. Dickson, Mr. Keith, Mr. Emberson, Mr. Breakenridge, Mr. Millan, Mr. R. Smith, Mr. John Dure, Mr. N. Stewart, Dr. McLagan, Mr. John Redpath, and Mr. Hettrick, elders.

The Committee on the Book of Discipline, appointed at a former Synod, was re-appointed and enjoined to report at next Synod.

Presbyteries were enjoined not to require the labours of Students in Divinity in supplying vacant charges, more frequently than once in six weeks during the winter; and that only, except in extreme cases, the senior Students be called on for such services.

On Monday evening Mr. Gale, Dr. Burns, and

Mr. King, delivered interesting addresses on the extent, importance, and claims of the Home Mission Field, the Red River Settlement, and the spiritual condition of the coloured population of the Mission at Buxton, Raleigh.

Mr. Burns read the report of the Committee on the Ecclesiastical and Missionary Record, which was approved of, and the thanks of the Synod tendered to the Committee, and especially to Mr. Burns, for his valuable services in conducting that periodical.

The Committee was re-appointed with the addition of Mr. Ure, minister. In terms of the Report it was agreed to continue the Record in its present form, and to recommend to Presbyteries to take means for promoting its circulation throughout their bounds.

The Committee on Statistics reported through Mr. Gregg. The report, the substance of which we have given elsewhere, was adopted, and ministers and congregations who had failed to send returns, were enjoined to forward them forthwith to Mr. Burns, in order that a full statistical table may be published.

Mr. Shaw, convener of the Committee on Finance, gave in the report of that Committee, and of the Committee on Synodical collections. The same having been read, was unanimously adopted, and in terms thereof, the Synod appointed four Synodical collections during the year, viz: for

- 1. French Can. Mis. Society on 3rd Sab. of July.
- 2. Ministers Widows' Fund, on 3rd. Sab. of Oct.
- 3. Synod Fund, on 3rd Sabbath of January.
- 4. For. Mis. F. Ch. of Scotland, 3rd Sab. of April.

The Synod further enjoined Presbyteries to keep up efficiently the Presbyterial Home Mission Funds, and authorised the Synod's Home Mission Committee to assess upon the several Presbyteries such amounts as may be required for the proportion of agency expenses chargeable upon this department; and further instructed Presbyteries, that at the first meeting after the day appointed for any of the aforesaid collections, a statement shall be called for, as to whether the collection has been made in all the congregations within the bounds of the Presbytery; and that in the event of no collection having been made in any case, the reason shall be asked, and the Presbytery shall record in their minutes whether or not they deem the reason satisfactory.

It was resolved, that the next meeting of Synod be held at Kingston, on the second Wednesday of June.

An Overture, submitted by Mr. McMurray, in favour of a Centual Missionary Fund was rejected.

The Rev. Mr Rintoul, on behalf of the Executive Committee, of the French Canadian Missionary Society, tendered grateful thanks for the deep and effective interest hitherto taken by the Synod in the great object the Society has in view, and solicited the renewal of the Synod's appointment of a general collection in aid of the Society's funds, during the course of the year. Whereupon the Synod unanimously agreed to commend this object to the prayers and liberality of the Church.

The Synod took up an Overture on the subject of the spiritual destitution of the country, and the expediency of applying for probationers from Scotland; and agreed to remit the same to the Home Mission Committee, with instructions to use their best efforts to carry out the object of the Overture.



The report of the Committee on the Mission to the Coloured population, was given in and read by Mr. King. It was agreed to receive and approve of the report, and express the high sense entertained by the Synod of Mr. King's faithful and disinterested services in superintending the Mission.

The Moderator accordingly tendered the thanks of the Synod to Mr. King.

The Synod resolved that henceforth the Mission to the Coloured population be under the charge of the Home Mission Committee, whose duty it shall be to provide and apportion the necessary funds for the Mission by the assistance and co-operation of the various Presbyteries.

Dr. Willis brought before the Synod an Overture on the subject of Slavery in the United States, and was heard in support of it. It was agreed to sustain the Overture, and a Committee was appointed to carry out the views indicated in certain resolutions, which were adopted on the subject.

The Report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance was read by Dr. Burns, Convener, when it was unanimously agreed

That the Report be received and approved of; and in respect, at once to the vast importance to the spiritual and temporal welfare of the community, of Sabbath sanctification, the need of greatly increased exertions for promoting this object and the special encouragement found at present for labouring in this cause, as these have been detailed in the Report; that the Synod renew the appointment of the Committee with instructions to them to continue to direct their attention to the various forms of Sabbath desecration prevalent in the Province; and prosecute every competent measure for the removal of these; specially to call forth the sentiments of congregations in the way of petitioning the Legislature for the repression of Sabbath desecration in the Post Office and Canal departments, and also as they shall see fit, to correspond and co-operate with the Associations happily formed in some of the principal cities of the Province, for promoting the sanctification of the Sabbath.

The Synod further, always recognising that the Divine Word is the primary fountain of all just views respecting any branch of human obligation, recommend ministers to expound to their people from time to time the doctrine of Scripture respecting the privileges and the obligations of the Lord's Day; and the Synod also recommend sessions to be faithful and astute in applying the discipline of the Church, in any case in which the members of the church may be found violating the Lord's Day or countenancing the violation of it. The committee is as follows:

Robt. F. Burns, Convener, Dr. Burns, Dr. Willis, Mr. Rintoul, Mr. Gale, Mr. McGregor, Mr. Gordon, Mr. McMurray, Mr. Gregg, Mr. Reid, ministers; Dr. Dickson, Mr. Redpath, Mr. J. Shaw, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Keith, Mr. Gibson, elders.

Mr. Gale, Convener, gave in the report of the Agency Committee. The Synod having considered this report and the reports of Presbyteries on the sustentation of the ministry, *Resolved*,

1st That there do not appear at present any grounds of encouragement for this Synod to renew the proposal of a scheme for the common support of the ministry of this Church.

2nd. That this important subject be committed again to Presbyteries with an earnest recommendation that if they have not already done so, they forthwith take effective steps to obtain regular periodical returns (quarterly if possible) of the amounts of stipend paid to the several ministers, together with annual returns of the number of

members and stated adherents in each congregation within their bounds.

3rd. That for the more efficient management of this business, it is recommended that each Presbytery at their first meeting after the close of Synod, nominate a Presbyterial Sustentation Board, consisting of seven members residing at or near the Presbytery seat, not more than two of whom shall be ministers, the rest being either elders, deacons, or members of the church, together with a representative from each congregation within the bounds of the Presbytery, and that this Board, under the inspection of the Presbytery, shall be charged with the care of the sustentation of the ministry, and of seeing that the engagements of congregations for the support of their ministers be duly implemented, reporting their proceedings from time to time to the Presbytery.

4th. That the General Agency Committee be re-appointed with instructions and authority to superintend and direct the services of the Agent of the Church, to correspond with Presbyteries and the Presbyterial Boards, aforesaid, in all matters pertaining to the sustentation of the ministry, and the schemes of the Church, and to obtain from them full reports on all the points heretofore specified, as also with respect to the pecuniary support of the schemes of the Church generally.

5th. That the Agency Committee be instructed to continue to direct their special attention to the subject of the sustentation of the ministry, and having due regard to the reports and suggestions which may be communicated to them as before provided, to mature their views on this subject, and to submit them to the Synod at its next meeting.

Agency Committee, the Moderator, Dr. Burns, Dr. Willis, Mr. Gale, Mr. Young, Mr. McLeod, Mr. Wigham, Mr. Ure, ministers; Mr. McMurrich, James Shaw, Mr. Spreull, Mr. Leask, Mr. John Kay, Mr. Fisher, Mr. McLellan, Mr. Brodie, John Laidlaw, Andrew McGlashan; Mr. Gale, Convener.

The Report of the Committee on the case of the congregation at Caledonia, was given in, read and adopted. Messrs. Esson, Rintoul, Gordon, and Quin, ministers; and Mr. Duff, elder, dissented; as also Messrs. Wardrope, Duncan, and Scott.

#### STATISTICS.

The Committee on Statistics, (Rev. W. Gregg Convener,) reported that the Presbyteries of Montreal, Perth, and Colouarg had given in reports very fully and carefully drawn up.

Kingston and Hamilton Presbyteries sent similar returns, only one congregation in each having failed to report, viz., Brock-street Church, Kingston, and Knox's Church, Galt.

In the Presbytery of Toronto, three congregations had neglected to send returns, viz., Barrie, Caledon and Chinguacousy.

In the Presbytery of London, no returns appeared from North Easthope, Tuckersmith, and Stratford.

In the Presbytery of Brockville, the congregation of Prescott alone reported. There were no returns from Brockville, Spencerville, and South Gower, nor any of the vacant congregations within the bounds of the Presbytery.

The Committee recommend the publication of the Statistical Table, as drawn up by Mr. Burns, Agent for the Church.

The Synod unanimously agreed to record their thanks to the Office-bearers and Trustees of the Brock Street Church, Kingston, for the accommodation kindly afforded to the Synod during the

present session; and, to the friends in Kingston, for the hospitality received by the ministers and elders during the present session.

The business being finished, the Moderator briefly addressed the Synod, and after prayer and singing the 133rd Psalm, announced that the Synod would meet in Kingston, and within Chalmers Church there, on the second Wednesday of June, 1852, at eleven o'clock, A. M. The Synod was then closed with the blessing.

#### THE REV. GEORGE FAXTON YOUNG, HAMILTON.

We have great pleasure in copying the following certificate, affording as it does, an additional evidence of the respect and esteem in which this deservedly popular and gifted minister, is held by those who know him best.

The lady who conferred this token of regard upon Mr. Young, has been removed from the scenes of time, and no doubt took this method of testifying her appreciation of one, by whose prayers and counsel she had profited in the prospect of dissolution, as one most agreeable to him.

"This is to certify that Rev. George Faxton Young, Hamilton, U. C., has been constituted, by the contribution of One Hundred Dollars, by request of Mrs. McQueston, an Honorary Director for life of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church. U. S."

(Signed)

WALTER LOWRIE, Sec'y.

THE LIFE AND TIMES OF CALVIN THE GREAT REFORMER: By PAUL HENRY, D.D., of Berlin—translated by Dr. Stebbing—2 vols., vol. 1, pp. 519. CARTER & BROTHERS, New York, and D. McLELLAN, Hamilton.

It is only in these later times that the historian has begun to do justice to the worth and solid merits of Calvin—a man who has left the impress of a gigantic mind upon the reformed church. "We now look for justice to the greatness of his genius"—nor look we in vain. Dr. Henry's work will make him known. With a conscientious regard to truth, we have here exhibited not only the genius and works of the great reformer, but the man whose practical life was a commentary upon those sound and scriptural views of the truth of God, of which he was the champion. The work is very creditably got up, and the moderate price will make it accessible to general readers.

LAYS OF THE KIRK AND COVENANT: By Mrs. MENTEATH. CARTER & BROTHERS, New York, and D. McLELLAN, Hamilton; pp. 245.

LETTERS TO MY PUPILS: By Mrs. STOURNEY. CARTER & BROTHERS, New York, and D. McLELLAN, Hamilton; pp. 341.

MIDNIGHT MELODIES: By Rev. OCTAVIUS WINSLOW. CARTER & BROTHERS, New York, and D. McLELLAN, Hamilton.

Our space does not allow us to do more than acknowledge the receipt of these interesting volumes, to which we shall have pleasure in referring more particularly in another number.

Statement of Contributions to the various Schemes of the Church, for the years 1849-50 and 1850-51.

NAMES OF CONGREGATIONS AND MISSION STATIONS.	KNOX'S COLLEGE.		SYNOD FUND.		SYNOD'S HOME MISSION.		FRENCH CANADIAN MISSION.		FOREIGN MISSIONS.		TOTAL FOR TWO YEARS.	
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Woodstock (English)	8 0 0	2 0 0	.....	1 4 3	.....	.....	2 10 4	1 11 5	.....	.....	8 0 0	6 7 8
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Port Sarnia	28 0 10	31 0 1	5 0 0	3 0 0	.....	.....	5 5 0	0 5 0	8 10 0	.....	52 15 10	42 10 1
Plympton	2 5 0	.....	.....	0 10 0	.....	.....	2 0 0	.....	.....	.....	2 0 0	0 5 0
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Tuckersmith	5 2 6	3 7 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 15 0	.....	.....	5 2 6	4 2 6
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Chatham	2 10 0	2 10 0	.....	0 17 6	.....	.....	2 5 0	2 12 6	.....	.....	4 15 0	7 0 0
Tilbury	3 0 0	12 6 8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 5 0	.....	.....	3 0 0	6 5 0
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Hamilton	75 0 0	65 0 0	.....	10 0 0	.....	.....	9 9 0	4 10 0	2 15 0	2 10 0	57 4 0	77 10 0
Galt	5 10 0	6 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	10 10 0
Pergus	5 16 10½	23 14 6	2 10 0	4 5 0	3 15 0	.....	6 15 0	9 12 2	.....	.....	18 12 6	36 11 8
Dundas and Ancaster	1 12 6	2 0 6½	0 4 7	1 1 9	0 10 4½	.....	0 11 3	1 6 6	.....	.....	5 5 9½	2 18 3
West Flamborough	4 13 9	4 6 3	0 5 10	.....	0 1 0	.....	0 10 0	0 13 5	1 12 6	.....	14 9 5½	4 13 9½
Wellington Square	3 8 9	3 18 1½	0 7 2	.....	0 8 9	.....	0 8 9	0 18 5	.....	.....	.....	5 5 0½
Waterdown	1 6 10½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 7 11½
Cummingsville	2 8 9	2 9 4½	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 7 0	1 10 0	.....	.....	1 15 7½	7 9 4½
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Birnook	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Saldfleet	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dunville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jarvis	12 2 9	9 5 7	0 16 2	.....	2 1 3	2 1 10½	.....	2 5 0	.....	.....	1 3 9	2 5 0
Ayr	10 8 3	.....	.....	1 3 4½	2 13 3	2 16 10½	.....	1 8 9	.....	.....	16 10 2	12 16 2½
Port Dover	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Simcoe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vittoria	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Puelinch	3 9 6	4 1 3	1 10 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 6 4	6 15 9
Thorold	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Guelph	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sydenham	.....	.....	0 13 9	0 11 10½	2 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lake Shore	.....	.....	0 14 0	0 9 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Walpole	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

PRESBYTERY OF LONDON.

PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON.



Statement of Contributions to the various Schemes of the Church, for the years 1849-50 and 1850-51.

NAMES OF CONGREGATIONS AND MISSION STATIONS.	KNOX'S COLLEGE.		SYNOD FUND.		SYNOD'S HOME MISSION-FRENCH CANADIAN MISSION.		FOREIGN MISSIONS.		TOTAL FOR TWO YEARS.	
	1849-50.	1850-51.	1849-50.	1850-51.	1849-50.	1850-51.	1849-50.	1850-51.	1849-50.	1850-51.
Toronto .....	123 18 9	104 17 6	17 0 0	10 0 0	15 5 0	15 0 0	33 0 0	33 0 0	30 10 0	30 10 0
Calcutta East .....	1 15 7 3	1 0 0	0 9 0	0 12 6	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 15 1	0 15 1	0 15 1	0 15 1
Calcutta West .....	3 9 4 3	2 14 4 3	1 1 6	0 15 0	1 4 3	1 4 3	4 15 0	4 15 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
Chungking Free Temple Ch.	6 10 1	3 1 3 3	0 7 6	0 11 5	0 12 8	1 5 0	2 11 15	1 3 10	0 17 6	0 17 6
East Toronto Township .....	5 0 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 11 0	0 12 4	1 0 0	1 17 10	1 15 10	1 7 2	1 7 2
Esqueving Union Church .....	3 6 3	2 10 0	1 2 0	0 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	0 17 6	0 13 12	4 15 0	4 15 0
Do Norval .....	5 10 0	6 3 9	1 5 0	0 15 0	1 0 10 3	2 10 0	3 15 0	2 10 0	0 13 12	0 13 12
Do Boston .....	2 13 3 3	8 11 3	0 12 6	0 12 1	0 12 1	1 7 7 3	1 7 7 3	1 7 2	0 13 12	0 13 12
Markham, Melville Church .....	5 16 3	0 15 0	1 13 8	2 0 0	0 12 1	2 13 0 3	2 12 6	1 7 2	2 2 10	2 2 10
Do Brown's Corners .....	0 15 0	2 7 3	0 13 8	2 0 0	0 12 1	2 13 0 3	2 12 6	1 7 2	2 2 10	2 2 10
Streetsville .....	4 12 6	2 7 3	0 13 8	2 0 0	0 12 1	2 13 0 3	2 12 6	1 7 2	2 2 10	2 2 10
Oro .....	10 7 3	8 12 6	2 0 3 1	1 15 3 1	0 12 1	2 13 0 3	2 12 6	1 7 2	2 2 10	2 2 10
King .....	8 2 5 3	5 5 0	0 7 3 1	0 7 3 1	0 12 1	2 13 0 3	2 12 6	1 7 2	2 2 10	2 2 10
Vaudin .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
York Mills .....	2 0 0	1 5 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Scarborough .....	1 7 0	1 2 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
West Gwillimbury .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Braford .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Nottawasaga .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Oakville .....	2 0 0	1 5 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Dundas-street, Trafalgar .....	1 7 0	1 2 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Humber and Weston .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Rench .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Thorah .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Orlin and Medont .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Highland Creek, Scarborough .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Eldon and Macpessa .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brock .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Borre and Innisfil .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Whitby, rear Station .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Mono .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Sunnidale .....	0 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Peterborough .....	15 15 0	27 13 4	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	4 0 3	4 0 3	10 0 0	10 0 0
South Cavan .....	3 6 8	3 15 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0
Cobourg .....	12 10 0	13 15 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0
Grafton .....	1 1 5	2 5 6	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	0 17 0	0 17 0	2 12 1 1	2 12 1 1
Colborne .....	3 2 6	10 0 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0
Baltimore .....	6 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 12 8	0 12 8
Cold Springs .....	2 10 0	2 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8
Ottensbee .....	0 10 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8
Asphodel .....	0 10 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8
Darlington .....	0 10 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8
Enniskillen .....	4 0 0	5 15 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 18 2 3	0 18 2 3	0 12 8	0 12 8
Prescott, .....	3 0 0	6 6 3	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 5 0	1 5 0	0 12 8	0 12 8
Brockville .....	1 1 0	2 7 6	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 18 2 3	0 18 2 3	0 12 8	0 12 8
Spencerville .....	0 10 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8
South Gower .....	0 10 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8
Bellamyville .....	0 10 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	0 12 8	0 12 8

PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

PRESBYTERY OF COBURG.

PRESBYTERY OF BUCKINGHAM.



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<b>PRESBYTERY OF LONDON.</b>																					
Sarnia and Plympton	Wm. Macalister	127	7	1	96	240	4	12	5	2	1	20	Yearly.	4	60	4	100	2			2
Zorra	Donald Mackenzie	211	3	4	350	800	7	16		2				9	200	6	200	1	50		1
London, St. Andrew's Ch.	John Scott	149	15	10	150	350	4		6			100	Half-yearly	2	35	5	200	5	22		3
Williams and Lobo	Each. McPherson	67	15	4		200	6		13				1	2	30	2	60				
Woodstock, Knox's Church.	William S. Ball	110	15	6	81	300	5		11		1	35	1	1		2	83	2	17		
Ekfrid and Muso.	Wm. R. Sutherland	200	10	4	350	350	13	14			1	35	1	5	35	9	260	1	12		2
Ingersoll and Beachville.	Robert Wallace	79	6	9	82	250			5		1		1	2		1	50				1
Amherstburgh	Vacant	19			10	40	1		2							1	18				
Chatham, T. Tilbury	Angus McCool	137	7	9	38	200	3			2	1		Yearly.			2		2			1
<b>PRESBYTERY OF HAMILTON.</b>																					
Hamilton, Knox's Church	Geo. Paxton Young	326	31	36		690	8	7		2	1	150	Yearly.	2	30	1	165	2	59	1	1
Ayr, Knox's Church	Robert Landray	230	11	24	87	400	6		12	1				3	15	1	70				1
Dundas, Knox's Church	Mark Y. Stark	110	9	4		140	2		9				Half-yearly	1	25	1	50	2	62		1
Ancaster, Knox's Church		38	3	6		56	1		9	1			Yearly.	1	6	1	60				1
Fergus, Melville Church	George Smelie	400	26	13		300	8	11		2						4	70				1
Paslinch	Wm. Melbrom	191		7		300	9		12				Yearly.	3	15	1	20				
Guelph, Knox's Church	John G. Macgregor	159	4	14	90	176	4		6	1	1		do	1	16	1	30				
Sydenham	John McKinnon	72	5	3	46	200	5		10	3 & 1	1	20		4	60	4	130	2	16		2
Sydenham, Lake Shore		89	7	4	37	130	5		8	1 & 2				1	35						
Wellington-Square, Knox's Church	Alex. McLean	120	6	10	92	250	3	1	14				2			1	40			1	2
Waterdown Presbyterian Ch.		1	100														1	80			1
Cummingsville do																1	50			1	2
Port Dorer Presbyterian Ch.	And. Wilson	59	18	3		200	2		2	1			1	1	25	1	50	1	15		1
Simcoe do		25	10	3		100	2						1	1	15	1	25				
Victoria do		2				60							1								
Galt, Knox's Church	John Bayne																				
Saltfleet and Binbrooke	George Cheyne	111	6	4	45	100	7	5	7	2	occ'l.	20	1	occ'l.	15	1		1	6	1	
Niagara	Vacant	48	2	11	70	150	4		6	2 to 3	1	30		1	12	1	66	1	6		1
West Famboro', Nairn Ch.	Do	55	2	7	25	80	3		3	1 in 2w			1	1	12	1	10				
Walpole and Decoursville	Do	45	8	4	36	70	4		3	1 in 2w				1	10						
<b>PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.</b>																					
Toronto, Knox's Church	Robert Burns, D.D.	420	25	65	270	850	8		5	2	1	100	Yearly.	1	various	1	160	3	140	1	1
York Mills	T. Wightman	92	11	6	76	140	6		7	2	1	vars.	Half-yearly	1	20	1	27	1	12		1
Scarborough		71	2	3	67	110	6		7				1	various	1	various	2	33	1	10	1
Frook, Reach and Scott	Vacant	86				350	5			occ'l.						4	140	2			3
Acton, Knox's Church	Do	40			80	400	2		5	1	1	16		1	12 to 20	1	40	1	25		1
Boston Church	Do	40			20	150				1 in 2w											
Oakville and Dundas-street	James Nisbet	76	9	11	31	200	6		7	3	1	20	2	1	20	2	58	2	39		1
Streetsville Presbyterian Ch.	Robert Ure		12	10	66	200	7		7	2	1	20	1	2	20	1	45	1	26		1
Markham	James Boyd	100	5	7	60	200	8		4	2			1	2	30	2	40	1	30		
<b>PRESBYTERY OF COBURG.</b>																					
Peterboro' and North Caran	John M. Roger	310	6	10			12	14		2			2	4	10 to 10	2	10	2	50	1	2
Cobourg, St. Andrews	Donald McLeod	220	19	4	130	500	5	4		2	1	75	1	4	do	6	130	2	20		
Caran and Millbrook	James Douglass	207	12	5	119		8	10	5				1			2					1
Grafton and Colborne	John W. Smith	100		6	90	260	5	10	3		1	30	1	3	30	2	45				1
Baltimore and Goldsprings	W. J. Mackenzie	105	6	10		300	11		10		3	125	1	4	80	5	155	4	130		
Bowmantle and Enniskillen	Vacant	100		3	50	150	8		8	2											
<b>PRESBYTERY OF KINGSTON.</b>																					
Gananoque Presbyterian Ch.	Henry Gordon	62	3		60	170	4		3					2		1		2	50		1
Pictou Presbyterian Church	Wm. Reid, A.M.	107	12	8	77	165	4		6					2	20	1	37	1	12		1
Bellersville Free Presb. Ch.	William Gregg	80			55	170	2		10		1	30		1	30	1	40	2	25	1	1
Demorestville Un. Pres. Ch.	James Rogers	65	2	2	31	120	4				1	20		1	18	1	60				2
Kingston, Chalmers' Church	Robt. Ferrier Burns	65	4	2	68	300	2				1	35		2	47	1	48	2	42		1
Tyendinaga	And. Hudson	50			20	150	3			1	1	25		1	25	1	30	1	25	1	1
Huntingdon		37			17	120	3			7	1	1	20		1	20	1	30	1	20	

AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Minist'r's Stip:nd.	Sources of Stipend.	AMOUNT CONTRIBUTED FOR THE FUNDS.							Miscellaneous Contributions.	Total Congregational Con- tributions.
		Knox's Collge.	Synod Fund.	Synod's Home Mission Fund.	Presbytery Home Mis- sion Fund.	Foreign Missions.	French Canadian Mis- sion Fund.	Bursaries.		
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
100 0 0	Subscriptions.....	18 18 1½		0 5 0			2 0 0		27 16 0	148 19 11½
116 0 0	do .....	10 10 0	2 10 0		14 2 6		7 17 9		16 0 0	159 0 9
75 (3year)	Pew Rents .....	30 0 0	3 0 0		27 8 2	11 16 10½	8 7 6		140 0 0	295 12 6½
75 16 6	Subscriptions.....	7 2 6	1 5 0		6 17 8	4 0 0	3 0 0		7 9 6	105 11 2
100 0 0	Seat Rents .....	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 18 0			2 5 0		103 13 2	216 0 0
100 0 0	Subscriptions.....	10 0 0	1 5 0		6 10 9	3 15 0	3 0 0		101 0 0	227 10 9
82 7 10½	do .....	2 10 0	0 17 6		0 12 6		2 12 6		40 0 0	129 0 4½
88 14 6	Subscriptions.....	3 7 6			2 3 6		1 15 0		7 18 8	101 19 2
250 0 0	Seat Rents .....	103 15 0	6 5 0	8 0 0	40 0 0	34 12 0	6 0 0	10 0	492 15 3	951 8 1
100 16 0	do and Collections ..	3 5 7	0 13 0	1 3 10½	16 15 0		1 6 3		4 14 6½	128 19 3
87 0 2	do .....	18 2 6	4 5 0	1 15 0	12 6 8	2 7 1	9 5 10		15 19 0	151 1 3
18 15 0	Contributions .....	1 0 0		0 14 9	2 6 5	0 15 0	0 15 0			24 6 11
120 0 0	Seat Rents .....	6 0 0	2 0 0		2 0 0	0 15 0	4 10 0		25 0 0	159 10 0
108 15 1	do and Subscriptions ..	4 1 3	1 10 1	2 3 6	3 0 0		3 0 0		2 7 6	124 12 5
102 11 2	do .....			0 12 10	1 10 0		2 15 10		0 15 0	108 4 0
64 10 0	Subscriptions .....		1 11 7	1 5 7			1 10 0			68 17 2
56 8 2½	do .....				0 8 1½	0 11 0	0 10 4½		4 14 10	62 12 6½
30 15 0	do and Pew Rents .....	2 0 6½					1 6 6		2 2 6	36 4 6½
31 1 10½	do .....	4 6 3	1 0 0	1 1 9½	2 1 0	1 12 5	0 13 5			36 1 6½
35 8 9	do .....	3 18 1½					0 18 5			40 5 3½
100 0 0	do .....	1 5 2	0 18 6				1 6 3		2 4 2	
		0 15 0	0 10 0				0 12 6		0 19 4	109 16 11
		0 16 0	0 10 0							
61 11 6	Subscriptions .....	1 0 7½	0 15 0	1 2 7	1 14 0	1 15 0	1 7 6		11 8 3½	80 17 6
	do .....		1 4 4½	2 16 10½			3 0 0			4 1 2
12 15 0	Pew Rents .....	1 16 10½	2 0 0	2 5 0			0 18 3			19 15 1½
					26 0 0		0 10 0			26 10 0
400 0 0	Seat Rents and Collections ..	134 0 0	12 0 0	15 0 0		10 10 0	55 0 0	5 0	60 0 0	691 10 0
75 0 0	Subscriptions.....	8 12 6	1 15 3½	1 12 6		2 12 10	5 0 0			94 13 1½
50 0 0	Seat Rents .....	4 10 7		2 0 0		1 15 10½	4 7 3½		146 0 0	208 13 9
					20 4 6	3 4 7½	3 10 6			26 19 1½
					30 10 0		1 15 3			32 5 3
		6 3 9	0 15 0		2 10 0	4 15 0	2 10 0		21 10 0	41 3 9
100 0 0	Seat Rents & Subscriptions ..	3 15 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	1 10 0		2 7 9		23 0 0	129 2 9
125 0 0	do .....	8 13 0	2 0 0	2 13 0½	6 8 1		4 15 0		62 1 2	211 8 6½
60 0 0	do .....					0 8 10½	2 17 4		50 0 0	113 6 2½
150 0 0	Pew Rents .....	27 5 8	2 10 0	2 10 0	13 8 2½	16 5 5½	17 10 0		25 18 6	255 7 10
260 0 0	do and Subscriptions ..	13 15 0	5 0 0		10 10 0	15 10 8	7 10 0		5 3 10	395 16 11
104 0 0	do .....	3 15 4			3 15 4		3 17 7			115 8 3
110 0 0	Subscriptions.....	2 5 6			4 12 1		2 12 2½		16 0 0	135 19 9½
	Seat Rents .....	10 0 0		1 3 9½			3 1 10		10 0 0	24 5 7½
	Subscriptions.....				55 0 0		1 12 2			56 12 2
100 0 0	Seat Rents .....	5 0 0	1 10 0		5 15 0		2 0 0		10 0 0	124 5 0
115 3 3	Subscriptions & Seat Rents ..	5 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	5 0 0	1 10 0	1 10 0		6 0 0	139 3 3
125 0 0	do .....	6 0 0	2 0 0		18 0 0				800 0 0	951 0 0
100 0 0	Including Regium Donum ..				7 10 0				4 0 0	
235 9 0	Seat Rts, Subs. and Collec.	12 0 0			2 17 6	2 10 0	4 3 4		51 5 0	323 4 10
31 8 6	Subscriptions .....	2 16 3		0 10 0	4 16 3		1 9 6		4 10 0	44 5 3
25 1 0	do .....	0 18 9		0 10 0	2 6 5		1 5 6		2 10 0	32 13 8

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<b>PRESBYTERY OF BROCKVILLE</b>																					
Prescott Presbyterian Ch.	Robert Boyd	159	5	4	70	250	12	15	2				1	1	20	1	60	2	20	1	1
Brockville	John McMurray																				
Edwardsburgh	James Gogge																				
South Gower	W. J. McDowell																				
<b>PRESBYTERY OF PERTH</b>																					
Walefield	John Corbett	86	3	2	36	100	4	4	2				2	2	25	1	25	1	15	1	1
Osgoode & Gloucester	Wm. Lockhead	163	10	2	82	170	6	9	2				2	2	20	3	60	2	18	2	2
Bytown & Knox's Church	Thos. Wardrop	140				360	6	6	2				1	3	50	3	60	1	15	1	2
Ramsay, Free Presb. Ch.	Vacant	249			120	300	4	9	2					3	4	180	1	80	1	3	3
McNab and Horton, Free Ch.	Simon C. Fraser	153	5	4		300	6	6	3	2	1	20	1	1	20	3	60				2
Beckwith, Knox's Church	Peter Gray	87	5	7	42	350	2	5	2	2	1	25	1	1		1	40	1	19	1	1
Dalhousie and N. Shelbrooke	Vacant	90	1		45	450	4	8	2	2	1	60	1	2	30	4	10	1	40	1	4
Perth	James B. Duncan	186	13	5	133	300	5	9	2												
Goulburn and Nepean	John Gourlay																				
Pembroke	Andrew Melville	60	11		75	170	3	7	5	2	1	30	1	1		1	50	1	8	1	1
Bristol and Clarendon	Vacant																				
<b>PRESBYTERY OF MONTREAL</b>																					
St. Gabriel-street Church	William Rintoul	120	13	25	100	300	4	12	2	2	1	35	occasionally	wkly	25	1	90	1	25	1	1
Colt-street Church	Vacant	150				500	7	6	5	1	1	175	semi-annly		1	95	2	40	1	2	2
St. Therèse de Blainville	David Black	56	7	2	28	80	3	5	1				do	mtly	12						1
La Cote	Thomas Henry	160	3			360	7	9	2	2	2	occ'l	annually	mtly	20	2	75	1	vs.	1	2
Indian Lands	Daniel Clark	300	6	2	140	650	5	14	2	2	2	var's	semi-annly	6	10	4	25	3	8	1	2
Vankleek Hill	Alexr. Cameron				80	450	10	7	3	2	2	1	20 to		1	20 to 50	1	30	2	25	1
Lochiel	ord. Missionary				75	900	9	12	2	2	1	100	occasionally	9		9					
Onabruck					55	200		7	1												
Cornwall	J. C. Quin				25	80		7	1	1	1	15	1			1	18	1	18		
Leeds and St. Sylvester	Robert Swinton, ord. Missionary	131			90	280	3	9	2	2	2	40	1	2	25	3	70				
Lingwick	Daniel Gordon, ord. Missionary	50	28		300	350	5	6	2	1	1	50	6	2	100						1
Quebec, St. John's	Vacant																				
Inverness		52	8		46	200	5	5						1	50	1	30				1
St. Eustache and Grand Préville		60			35		2	3	1	1				1	15 to 20	1	20	1			
Marinton		114			38	200	7	5		2				4	12 to 20	1	25				
Henryville	Mr. McConrchy, Catechist				32	50		6	2					2	10	1	12	1	12		1
North Georgetown		145			50	200	2	3							2	70	2	30			1
Dalhousie					28	275	2	2		3	1	150		1	30	2	30				1
Roxdon		21			21			5							1	30	1				1
Metis		25			60	40		5	1							2	43	1			1
Chateauguay basin		35				70															
La Guerre					50	100		5	1												

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From Rev. D. McAlcree,—  
Two pieces of Asbestos.  
From Dr. Cairns,—  
Mineral and Geological specimens.

AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Minister's Stipend.	Sources of Stipend.	AMOUNT CONTRIBUTED FOR THE FUNDS.									
		Knox's College.	Synod Fund.	Synod's Home Mission Fund.	Presbytery Home Mission Fund.	Foreign Missions.	French Canadian Mission Fund.	Bursaries.	Miscellaneous Contributions.	Total Congregational Contributions.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
75 excl. of Govt. allowance	Pew Rents	5 15 0	1 0 0				0 10 0		58 18 11	141 3 11	
50 0 0	Subscription				1 6 6		1 7 0		4 10 0	97 3 6	
90 0 0	Do				11 2 4		5 0 0		41 8 8	360 15 5	
150 0 0	Do	6 3 0	2 0 0		2 0 0				2 15 13	128 9 4	
79 0 0	Subscription	1 5 0			2 6 3		1 2 9		7 10 0	91 4 0	
84 0 0	Do	4 10 0	0 10 0		0 17 6		{ 3 & In- dies' Soc.		2 0 & }	106 12 6	
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300 0 0	Wkly & Mthly Collect'ns	22 0 0			4 0 0	12 10 0	28 18 2		132 17 10	831 19 6	
55 0 0	Subscriptions	4 5 0					2 13 0		5 0 0	16 0 0	
81 8 10	do				1 15 0		1 9 0		320 9 6	405 2 4	
72 0 0	do	1 16 103		3 2 113						77 19 11	
30 0 0	do	8 13 43					3 0 0		40 0 0	81 3 43	
30 0 0	do	9 0 0					4 1 9		100 0 0	145 4 1	
34 0 0	do	0 16 43							3 0 0	20 16 43	
30 0 0	do	2 0 0							6 0 0	23 12 6	
63 5 0	do	4 0 0					0 15 0		13 15 73	81 15 73	
120 0 0	do								100 0 0	220 0 0	
		2 10 0			7 10 0				25 0 0	35 11 10	
	Subscriptions	9 5 0		1 0 0			9 0 0		17 10 0	34 0 0	
		4 0 0		10 0 0			2 1 4		62 0 0	78 1 4	
		10 14 0		3 19 103			1 1 3			15 15 13	

DONATIONS TO THE LIBRARY OF KNOX'S COLLEGE.

From Mr. James Walker, Allen Settlement, Ancaster, C.W., the following collection of books, including some rare and valuable classical works: Aristophanis Comedia, 3 vols; Strabonis Geographia; Demosthenes de Corona; Aeschylis Choephoroe; Rhetores Selecti; Thucydides de Bello Peloponnesiaco; Eurypidis Hecuba; Sophoclis Tragoediae Septem; P. Terentii Opera; Pindari Opera; Taciti Opera; Grammaticae Latinae Institutiones; Juvenalis Satyrae; Homerii Ilias; Homerii Odyssea; D. Longini de Sublimitate Libellus; Hippocratis Coli Aphorismi; Herodoti Opera; Arianni Epistolae; Septuagint 3 vols;

Caesaris Commentaria; Q. Horatii Flacci Poemata; Ciceronis Opera; Quintus Curtius; Colloquiorum D. E. Roterodami, opus aureum; Amesius de Conscientia; P. Ovidi Nasonis Tristium; Juris Civilis Elementa; Buchananii Psalmi Latini; Fidei Confessio; Latin Vulgate; Novum Testamentum Graecum; Testamentum Francais; Le Spectateur, 5 vols; Les Aventures de Gil Blas; Les Aventures de Telemaque; De la verite de la Religion, a Chrienne Elemeus des Mathematiques; Hebraeae Linguae Compendiosa Institutio. From Alex. Thomson, Esq, Banchory, Scotland, per Rev. H. Esson:— Facts from Rome, or Popery at Head quarters.

MORE TROUBLE FOR THE POPE.—It is said that there are in Florence alone more than a thousand persons prepared to demand freedom of conscience and worship. Many of them are republicans, and are influenced only by political considerations. The preaching of the gospel in the Italian language was some time since prohibited in Florence. WHAT A REPROOF.—It is a singular fact that an Indian always swears in English, there being no oaths in the Indian vernacular. THE CENSUS TELLS sad TRUTHS.—According to the recent census, there are in Virginia 83,000 whites, over 21, who cannot read and write.

SYNOD FUND.

JOHN BURNS, *Treasurer, in account with the Synod Fund.*

*Presbytery of London.*

Lobo, per Rev. I. McPherson.....	£1 5 0
Zorra, per John Adam.....	2 10 0
London.....	3 0 0
Ekfrid and Mosa.....	1 5 0
Woodstock.....	1 4 3
Ingersoll.....	0 17 6
	£10 1 9

*Presbytery of Hamilton.*

Galt, for two years.....	£10 0 0
Dundas and Ancaster.....	4 5 0
Flamboro' West.....	2 0 0
Hamilton.....	6 5 0
Port Dover, Victoria and Simcoe.....	2 0 0
Saltsfleet.....	0 15 0
Niagara.....	1 4 4½
Wellington Square.....	1 1 9
Sydenham.....	1 11 10½
Lake Shore.....	0 9 0
	29 12 0

*Presbytery of Toronto.*

Barrie and Innisfil.....	1 0 0
Do. do. June 5, 1851.....	1 0 0
Humber.....	0 18 4
Free T'le Church, Chinguacousy.....	0 11 5
Oakville and Dundas St., Knox's Church, Toronto, East Toronto Township, York Mills.....	10 0 0
Union Church, Esquesing.....	0 11 0
Norval.....	1 15 3½
Streetsville.....	1 7 6
Caledon West, 15s., Erin, 9s. 2d.....	0 10 0
Boston, Esquesing.....	2 0 0
Caledon East.....	1 4 2
	0 15 0
	0 12 6
	23 0 2½

*Presbytery of Cobourg.*

St. Andrew's Church, Cobourg.....	5 0 0
Peterboro'.....	2 10 0
	7 10 0

*Presbytery of Kingston.*

Pictou.....	2 0 0
Gananoque.....	1 10 0
	3 10 0

*Presbytery of Brockville.*

Prescott.....	1 0 0
Brockville.....	1 0 3
	2 0 3

*Presbytery of Perth.*

Beckwith.....	0 10 0
Perth.....	1 10 0
Rytown.....	2 0 0
	4 0 0

*Presbytery of Montreal.*

St. Gabriel Street Church, Montreal.....	3 0 0
	3 0 0

MISCELLANEOUS.

R. H. Archer, for Model Deed.....	0 2 6
For Gray's Catechisms.....	0 19 2½
	1 1 8½
Balance due to Treasurer.....	20 2 1
	£103 18 0

By Balance.....	£5 16 5
By George Oal, for attendance at Synod.....	2 10 0
Rev. W. Rintoul, bal. of Synod Clerk's salary for 1849-50.....	12 4 8

By do. do., on account of salary for 1850-51.....	20 4 5
By James Cleland, for Printing.....	12 17 6
By John Burns, proportion of salary, 50 0 0	0 0 0
By Synod Clerks, for Stationary.....	0 5 0
	£103 18 0

S. SPREULL, *Treasurer, in ac't with Bursary Fund, Knox's College.*

1850.	Dr.
To Balance.....	£57 14 4
Cash, Mrs. Caw, Perth, 10s. ster.....	0 12 6
Do. Misses Spreull, Glasgow, 50s., Sales by Mrs. Gale, box from Glasg'w, Cash, Mrs. Fergusson, Woodhill, per Mrs. Gale.....	3 2 6
" from Mrs. Esson and Miss Spreull, " Isaac Buchanan, per John Burns, John Knox and George Buchanan Bursaries.....	3 4 0
	1 5 0
	1 7 6
	20 0 0
1851.	Dr.
Galt, Ladies' Association.....	10 0 0
Hamilton, do. do.....	10 0 0
Draft on Free Church of Scotland, Five friends in Toronto.....	24 3 4
	5 0 0
St. Gabriel Street Church, Montreal, per Rev. W. Rintoul.....	2 10 0
	£138 19 2

To Balance..... £28 19 2

1850. Cr.

By amounts awarded the following Students:-	
John Rennie.....	£7 10 0
James Black.....	5 0 0
David Wardrope.....	3 10 0
Samuel Kedey.....	3 0 0
John Anderson.....	3 0 0
Duncan McKinnon.....	3 0 0
A. Hudson.....	5 0 0
	30 0 0

1851.

Amounts awarded, Session 1850-51:	
Wm. McMillan.....	£2 10 0
Wm. Forrest.....	2 10 0
John Laing.....	5 0 0
Chas. McGregor.....	10 0 0
George Wardrope.....	7 10 0
John Alexander.....	7 10 0
W. E. McKay.....	2 10 0
John McKay.....	4 0 0
N. Nicolson.....	6 0 0
Arch. Crawford.....	2 10 0
David Wardrope.....	2 10 0
James Tait.....	5 0 0
	62 10 0
Chas. J. McGregor.....	5 0 0
W. Porterfield.....	2 10 0
James White.....	10 0 0
	17 10 0
By Balance.....	28 19 2
	£138 19 2

D. McLELLAN, *Treasurer to Synod's Home Mission Fund.*

Balance from last year's account..... £49 7 1½

*Received from the Presbytery of Hamilton.*

Guelph, per Rev. J. G. McGregor.....	0 12 0
Hamilton, per John Fisher, Esq.....	8 0 0
Niagara, per Rev. Dr. Willis.....	2 16 10½
Sydenham, per Rev. J. McKinnon.....	1 5 7
Lake Shore, per do.....	0 7 0
Ayr, per Rev. R. Lindsay.....	2 1 10½
Fuslinch, per Rev. W. Meldrum.....	2 3 6
Wellington Square, 5s.; Waterdown, 5s. 4½d.; Cumminsville, 11s. 5d.,	1 1 9½
	£18 8 7½

*Presbytery of Toronto.*

Knox's Church, Toronto, per John McMurrich, Esq.....	£15 0 0
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Oakville, 10s.; Dundas St., 7s. 9d., per Rev. J. Nisbet.....	0 17 9
Free Temple Church, Chinguacousy, per Rev. A. T. Holmes.....	1 5 0
York Mills, per Rev. T. Wightman, Boston Church, Esquesing, per Mr. Smith, student.....	1 12 6
Whitby, rear station, per Mr. Heron, E. Toronto Township, per Rev. A. T. Holmes.....	2 10 0
	0 12 6
	1 0 0
Scarboro', per W. Clark, Esq.....	2 0 0
Streetsville, per Mr. Blain.....	2 13 0½
Caledon West, per Rev. D. McMillan, " East, per do.....	1 4 3
	0 7 0
Erin, per do.....	0 10 0
Union and Norval.....	2 10 0
Mono, per John Neil.....	0 15 11
	£32 17 11½

*Presbytery of Cobourg.*

Peterboro', per Rev. J. M. Roger.....	£2 10 0
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*Presbytery of Kingston.*

Pictou, per Rev. Wm. Reid.....	1 10 0
Tyendinaga, 10s.; Huntingdon, 10s., per Rev. A. Hudson.....	1 0 0
	£2 10 0

*Presbytery of Perth.*

Perth, per Rev. J. B. Duncan.....	£1 10 0
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*Presbytery of Montreal.*

Martintown, per J. J. Kellie, Esq.....	1 0 0
Indian Lands and Roxborough.....	1 10 0
	£2 10 0

*Presbytery of London.*

Woodstock, per A. Smith, Esq.....	£1 12 0
Bayfield, per Mr. Ramsay.....	0 5 0
Donald Mackay, Moore.....	0 5 0
Egmondville, Tuckersmith, Sabbath School Children's Offering, per Messrs. Gooch and Duncan.....	0 2 6
	£2 4 6

Total..... £111 18 2

By John Burns, balance of expenses of Agency Office, for 1849-50.....	£25 0 0
By Rev. A. Gale, convener, postages, By Sundry Postages.....	1 10 0
	0 10 0
By John Burns, proportion of Agent's Salary for 1850-51.....	50 0 0
Balance.....	34 18 2
	£111 18 2

JOHN BURNS, *Treasurer to Knox's College.*

<i>Presbytery of Toronto.</i>	
Knox's Church, Toronto.....	£144 11 3
Erin.....	2 14 4½
Streetsville.....	8 11 3
King.....	2 7 3
Thorah.....	1 12 6
York Mills.....	8 12 6

Free Temple Church, Chinguacousy.....	3 1 3
East Toronto Township.....	1 11 3
Orillia.....	1 0 0
Medonte.....	1 0 0
Dundas-street, Trafalgar.....	1 5 0
Oakville.....	2 10 0
Whitby, (rear station).....	1 0 1½
Union Church, Esquesing.....	2 10 0
Boston Church and Stewarion.....	6 7 9
Highland Creek, Scarborough.....	1 10 7
Scarborough.....	3 0 0
Gwillimbury.....	5 5 0
Caledon West.....	1 15 7½
Caledon East.....	1 0 0
Eldon and Mariposa.....	2 0 0



*Presbytery of Hamilton.*

Saltfleet	£3 9 4
Binbrook	1 0 0
Hamilton, Knox's Church	103 15 0
Dundas and Ancaster	22 14 6
Port Dover	1 5 2
Vittoria	0 16 10
Sincoe	0 15 0
Galt	65 0 0
Fergus	6 0 0
Cummingsville	3 18 1 1/2
Waterdown	4 6 3
Wellington Square	2 0 6 1/2
Ayr	9 5 7
Puslinch	4 1 3
<b>Total</b>	<b>227 7 7 1/2</b>

*Presbytery of Perth.*

Osgoode and Gloucester	£3 11 5
Bytown	6 3 0
Ramsay	3 15 0
Beckwith	4 10 0
Dalhousie	1 0 0
McNab and Horton	1 5 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>20 4 5</b>

*Presbytery of Montreal.*

Melbourne	£4 1 4
Shipton	1 0 0
Corwall	5 10 0
Brompton Gore and Ely	1 0 0
Windsor	1 7 0
St. Gabriel street Church, Montreal	35 16 6
Coté-st. Ch., Montreal	22 2 0
St. Thérèse de Blainville	4 5 0
Quebec, St. John's Church	12 4 3
Inverness	2 10 0
Leeds	2 15 0
St. Sylvester	1 5 0
Williamstown	4 11 9
East Lancaster	3 18 3
Lancaster Village	1 16 10 1/2
Alexandria	1 10 0
Martintown	8 14 3 1/2
Dalhousie Mills	10 14 0
Lochiel	9 1 1
Vankleeck-hill	8 16 3
Osnabruck	0 16 4 1/2
Lingwick	2 0 0
Indian Lands	2 2 10 1/2
<b>Total</b>	<b>177 15 1 1/2</b>

*Presbytery of London.*

North Easthope	£9 0 0
Woodstock (English)	2 0 0
Ingersoll	2 10 0
Bayfield	0 5 0
St. Thomas	14 6 0
Port Sarnia	18 18 1 1/2
Lobo	2 7 6
Zorra	19 10 0
Ekfrid and Mosa	10 0 0
Aldborough	12 6 8
Williams	4 16 9
London	31 0 1
London Road	6 5 5
Wardsville	4 0 0
Chatham	3 7 6
<b>Total</b>	<b>131 13 0 1/2</b>

*Presbytery of Kingston.*

Gananoque	£11 11 0
Ballynahinch	0 11 4
Shibley's Corners	0 6 0
Storrington	0 10 6
Loughborough	0 9 6
Tyendinaga	2 16 3
Huntingdon	0 18 9
Chalmers Church, Kingston	12 0 0
Pictou	5 0 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>34 3 4</b>

*Presbytery of Cobourg.*

St. Andrew's Church, Cobourg	£13 15 0
Grafton	2 5 6
Peterboro'	27 13 4
Baltimore	10 0 0

Cavan	3 15 4
Otanabee	2 0 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>59 9 2</b>

*Presbytery of Brockville.*

South Gower	£1 1 0
Prescott	5 15 0
Edwardsburgh	2 7 6
Brockville	6 6 3
<b>Total</b>	<b>15 9 9</b>

*Promiscuous.*

Balance from last year's account	£205 12 2
Isaac Buchanan, Esq.	10 0 0
P. McLellan, Sherbrooke	0 5 0
Balance of Legacy	7 10 0
Widow's Mite	1 0 0
Matriculation Tickets	31 0 0
Mrs. Fraser (£10 stig)	12 5 7
Thank Offering	1 0 0
Students of Hebrew	10 15 0
Donation from the Free Church of Scotland	370 0 0
Interest	7 8 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>656 15 9</b>

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By Dr. Willis' salary for 1850	£100
Less amt made by him	£100
Am't prepaid & charged in former account	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>£106</b>

By Prof. Esson's sal. for 1850	£250
Less pre-paid and charged in former account	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>237 0 0</b>

*By Prof. Rintoul, salary till April 15, 1850, 3 1/2 months*

By J. M. Hirschfelder, Esq., bal. of sal. for teaching Heb. and oriental languages, session 1849-50	9 5 0
By do. do. 1850-51	60 0 0
By Librarian's account	5 0 0
By E. B. Gilbert's account	2 0 0
By M. Craig's account	5 14 1 1/2
By Scobie & Ballour's account	14 5 2 1/2
By Shaw & Turnbull, cash disbursed by them on ac. of books for library	5 8 1
By Capt. Dick, one year's Rent of College Building	60 0 0
By City Taxes	4 10 0
By Discounts & Postages for 2 yrs.	5 4 4
By James Cleland, for Printing	7 5 0
By John Burns, Agent, proportion of expenses of his office	50 0 0
By candles, fuel, cleaning, &c.	18 10 0
By W. Kerrigan, Porter, year's salary	10 0 0
By Prof. Esson, account for books	6 3 4
By Mr. Hirschfelder, case for Mus'm	3 2 6
By T. Fenwick, account	2 0 0
By A. Milne, account for books	1 5 0
By Dr. Willis, half year's salary, falling due 1st July	200 0 0
By Prof. Esson, do.	125 0 0
Balance in Treasurer's hands	327 11 8 1/2
<b>Total</b>	<b>£1526 2 7 1/2</b>

STATEMENT OF THE TREASURER FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS, PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CANADA, FROM 26TH MAY, 1850, TILL JUNE, 1851.

1850. Collec'n in St. Andrew's Ch., London	£5 6 10 1/2
Female Association of do.	5 3 1 1/2
Collect'n in Knox's Church, Toronto	20 6 0
Young Men's Bible Class of do.	10 0 0
Collection at Tuckersmith	1 0 0
Martintown, for India Missions	0 10 0
Ekfrid and Mosa	1 18 1
Niagara	2 2 6
York Mills	2 12 0
Scarboro'	1 15 10 1/2
Norval, Esquesing	0 13 1
Union Church, do.	2 2 6
Brockville	3 1 5

Streetsville	2 2 10
Pictou	1 1 0
Boston Church, Esquesing	4 15 0
Wellington Square, Waterdown, and Cummingsville, for Mr. Wingate, Jewish Mission	1 12 6
Goulbourn	1 1 3
East Toronto Township	1 7 2
Free Temple Church	0 17 6
Oakville	0 12 6
Trafalgar, Dundas Street	0 15 0
Chatham and Tilbury	1 0 0
Wardsville	1 0 0
West Gwillimbury	2 5 2 1/2
Bradford	2 16 2 1/2
Puchuch	2 9 6
Ayr	1 10 0
London, (additional)	1 0 0
St. Gabriel Street Church, Montreal	5 2 6
Lingwick Church	7 10 0
Perth Congregation	10 0 0
Port Sarnia	1 5 9
London, St. Andrew's Ch. Sab. Sch'l	1 10 0
Miss McNab, Vankleeckhill	0 7 6
Brock, South Station	1 0 4 1/2
Do. North Do.	0 14 2
Reach	0 8 6
Scott	0 15 6
Mrs. Johnstone	0 5 0
A friend	0 1 5 1/2
Lake Shore, Owen Sound	0 10 0
Andrew Laidlaw, Esquesing	1 5 0
Saltfleet and Binbrook	1 15 0
William Black, Ekfrid	0 5 7 1/2
Lobo	4 0 0
Brown's Corners, Markham	0 8 10 1/2
Trafalgar, No. 9, children of Sab. S.	0 2 6 1/2
1851. Scotch Line, Perth, Prayer Meeting } Collected by a Sab. School Scholar, } Galt, Knox's Church Sabbath School, for Indian Mission	0 16 3 0 5 0 2 10 0
Knox's Church, Hamilton	31 7 2
Ekfrid and Mosa	3 15 0
Kingston, Chalmers' Church, Sabbath School Children's Offering	2 10 0
Pictou	1 10 0
St. Andrew's Church, London, C.W.	7 0 0
St. Gabriel, St. Church, Montreal	5 5 0
Knox's Church, Hamilton	10 0 0
York Mills	3 0 0
Caledon and Erin	3 0 0
Martintown	0 12 6
Scarboro'	2 5 0
Bytown	2 6 3
Lingwick	2 10 0
Peterboro', for Jewish Mission	10 5 0
Do. for India Mission	6 2 6
Sydenham, Owen Sound	2 10 7 1/2
Gananoque	2 0 0
Oakville	0 10 0
Dundas Street	0 9 0
Goulbourn	0 18 7 1/2
Tuckersmith	0 6 0
Lochiel	4 0 0
Vankleeckhill	3 3 0
Dalhousie Mills	1 0 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>£228 18 9</b>

1850. Remit. Bill of Exch'ge for £65 19 8 sterling, a 1 1/2 per cent.

" Bill of Exchange for £19 3 8 sterling, a 1 1/2 per cent	81 7 6
" Bill of Exchange for £19 3 8 sterling, a 1 1/2 per cent	23 17 6
1851. Remit. Bill of Exch'ge for £45 6 2 sterling, a 1 1/2 per cent.	56 2 7
" Bill of Exchange for £9 17 9 sterling, a 1 1/2 per cent.	12 5 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>£173 12 7</b>
By postages and discount	0 7 7 1/2
Balance in Treasurer's hands	54 18 6 1/2
<b>Total</b>	<b>£228 18 9</b>

The collections from the Free Church, Coté

Street, Montreal, were sent by the Superintendent of Sabbath Schools, to be specially applied.

All the collections taken up for the above fund, on the 1st June, have not yet come into the Treasurer's hands.

Mr. Burns acknowledges receipts for the various Funds of the Church, as follows, viz.—

SYNOD FUND.

St. Gabriel St. Church, Montreal, per Rev. W. Rintoul	£3 0 0
Caledon East, per Rev. D. McMillan	0 12 6
Sydenham, per Rev. J. McKinnon	1 11 10½
Lake Shore Congregation, do.	0 9 0
Barrie & Innisfil, per Rev. T. Lowry	1 0 0
Perth, per Rev. J. B. Duncan	1 10 0
Brockville, per Rev. J. McMurray	1 0 3
Pictou, addition'l, per Rev. W. Reid	0 10 0
Beckwith, per Rev. Peter Gray	0 10 0
Peterboro', per Rev. J. M. Roger	2 19 0
Bytown, per John Durie, Esq.	2 0 0
Gananoque, per Rev. Henry Gordon	1 10 0

SYNOD'S HOME MISSION FUND.

Tyendinaga, per Rev. A. Hudson	£0 10 0
Huntingdon, do.	0 10 0
Children's offer., Sab. Sch. Egmondville, Tuckersmith, per Messrs Geoeh and Duncan	0 2 6
Perth, per Rev. J. B. Duncan	1 10 0
Ind. Lands, Kenyon & Roxborough, per Rev. D. Clark	1 10 0
Peterborough, per J. M. Roger	2 10 0

PRESBYTERY OF TORONTO.

Female Association, Mono, per Miss Turnbull	£0 12 6
Caledon, per Rev. Dr. Burns	2 12 1½
Nottawasaga, per Mr. Muir	1 5 6
Barrie & Innisfil, per Rev. T. Lowry	0 18 0
Free Temple Church, Chinguacousy, per Rev. A. T. Holmes	0 11 6
E. Toronto Township, do.	1 5 0
Streetsville, per Rev. Robert Ure	5 5 0

MINISTERS' WIDOWS' FUND.

McNab & Horton, Rev. S. C. Fraser	£2 0 0
Rev. R. Swinton, Leeds	2 0 0
Perth, add'l, per Rev. J. B. Duncan	9 0 0
Beckwith, Rev. P. Gray	11 5 0
Rev. P. Gray	2 0 0
Knox's Church, Hamilton, on acc't, per D. McLellan	24 0 0
Rev. D. McLeod, Cobourg	2 0 0
Peterboro', 1st payment, per Rev. J. M. Roger	3 15 0
Rev. J. M. Roger	2 0 0
Rev. W. J. Mackenzie, Baltimore	2 0 0
Baltimore, per Rev. W. J. Mackenzie	1 5 0
Gold Springs, do.	0 10 7½
Galt, per Rev. John Bayne	12 0 0
The Harris Fund, per George Blain, Niagara, Treasurer	123 1 0½

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

York Mills, per Rev. J. Wightman	£3 0 0
Caledon E. W. and Elm, per Rev. Dr. Burns	3 0 0
Knox's Church, Toronto	10 10 0
Martintown, per J. J. Kellie	0 15 9
Scarboro', per Wm. Clark	2 5 0
Peterboro', per Rev. J. M. Roger	16 7 6
Bytown, per J. Durie, Esq.	2 6 3
Lingwick, per Rev. D. Gordon	2 10 0
Oakville, per Rev. James Nisbet	0 10 0
Dundas Street do.	0 9 0
Sydenham, per Rev. John McKinnon	2 10 7½
Goulbourne, per Rev. John Goutlay	0 18 7½
Gananoque, per Rev. H. Gordon	2 0 0

RECEIPTS FOR KN' S COLLEGE.

Otanabee, per Rev. F. Andrews	£2 0 0
McNab & Horton, Rev. S. C. Fraser	1 5 0
Caledon East, per Rev. D. McMillan	1 0 0
James Cleland, Toronto	0 10 0

Martintown, add'l, per J. J. Kellie	0 18 9
Knox's Church, Toronto, additional, per J. McMurrich, Esq.	30 7 6
Edward-burgh, per Rev. J. Geggie	2 7 6
Brockville, per Rev. J. McMurray	6 6 3
Osgoode and Gloucester, per Rev. W. Lochead	1 10 0
St. Gabriel Street Church, Montreal, per Rev. W. Rintoul	33 6 6
Indian Lands, per Rev. D. Clark	2 2 10½
Gananoque, per Rev. H. Gordon	4 0 0
Melbourne, per A. Morrison	0 12 6
Whitby, (rear station) per Mr. Heron	1 0 1½
Union Ch., Esquesing, per Mr. Fraser	2 10 0
Isaac Curry, E. Lancaster	0 5 0
North E. Hope, per Rev. D. Allan	4 0 0

St. GABRIEL-STREET CHURCH, MONTREAL.—A McFarlane, £5; W Murray, £5; D P Ross, £2 10; A Urquhart, £2 10; T S Sutherland, £2 5; J McLaren, £1 5; J Sutherland, £1, R McKenzie, £1, J Cassels, 15s 9d, C Sutherland, 12s 6d, Dr P McLagan, 10s, Mrs Simpson, 10s; T Lawrence, 10s; James Rattray, 7s 6d; A Stevenson, 5s 9d; W G Malcom, 5s; A Bertram, 5s; W Macbean, 5s; J McCallum, 5s; J Hodge, sr. 5s; J Hodge, jr. 2s 6d, A McIntosh, 2s 6d, W Wilson, 2s 6d; G Brown, 2s 6d; Mrs J Buchanan, 2s 6d. T Paterson, 1s 3d; Dr. W P Smith, £1 5s, A McElhannon, 10s; Mrs. Ferris, 5s; K McAulay, 5s; Miss C Armstrong, 2s 6d; J Fraser, 2s 6d, Edward Moore, 1s 3d, Wm McGibbon, 10s, George Selkirk, 2s 6d; Wm Wilson, 2s 6d; Geo. A Pyper, now of Toronto, £5.

Our very limited space precludes more than a brief summary of a very full statement and appeal by the Committee appointed at last Synod. We refer our readers to the 133rd page in this number, for the action of Synod on the Ministers Widows' Fund.

MINISTERS' WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Committee met at Hamilton on the 19th June. The attendance was good. In the absence of Mr. Fisher, convenor, the Rev. George Smellie was called to the chair.

It was the unanimous opinion of the meeting that the sum of £2000 could be raised, if proper means were used,—that the same zeal and liberality which had already been shown by a few of the wealthier and several of the weaker congregations, displayed by the great body of the Church would ensure it, and that while not a fourth part of the Church had yet contributed, a fourth part of the sum required had been secured beyond doubt.

That the sum of £2000, together with the annual congregational collections, averaging not less than £3 per congregation, ministers yearly rate of £2, and interest accruing, shall form the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

That a Widow without children shall receive from the Fund an annuity of	£30 0 0
A Widow with one child	35 0 0
A Widow with two children	37 10 0
A Widow having three, or any greater number	40 0 0
A single Orphan shall receive an annuity of	10 0 0
A family of two Orphans	15 0 0
A family of three Orphans	20 0 0
A family of four or any greater number	25 0 0

MODE OF RAISING THE CAPITAL.

That the balance of the sum of £2000, not yet realized, be subscribed before the first of October

next, subscriptions payable on or before the first December.—That each Presbytery charge itself with raising the subscriptions within its bounds,—appoint a deputation of one or more ministers and laymen to visit every congregation and station, in order to diffuse information, and call forth the liberality of the people, and use whatever other means may seem to them best calculated to attain the end.

The Committee desire to impress upon Presbyteries and members of the Church, that less than £2000 will be insufficient for the object. But with that amount, and on the foregoing scale of annuities, they are persuaded it will succeed. The entire unanimity which prevails in regard to the necessity and importance of the scheme, and the generous feeling manifested wherever it has been taken up, it is to them a token for good and an earnest of success. One vigorous and combined effort will secure a permanent provision which is justly due to every minister's widow and orphan, and which provision, few of the smaller congregations are of themselves, in circumstances to make.

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His duties will chiefly consist in carrying the Scriptures from house to house in country districts; he must necessarily therefore be of a robust constitution.

Applications to be sent, post-paid, to NEIL McLain, Esq., Secretary to the Bible Society, Kingston, containing recommendations and names of referees; also with a short sketch of the life and present occupation of the applicant. Kingston, 29th May, 1851.

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