

THE  
ELEVENTH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY  
OF THE  
CONGREGATIONAL UNION  
OF  
EASTERN CANADA.

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SEPTEMBER 17TH AND 18TH, 1850.

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ABSTRACT OF THE MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS,  
AND  
REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

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GENERAL COMMITTEE OF THE UNION.

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CONSTITUTION  
OF THE  
CONGREGATIONAL UNION  
OF EASTERN CANADA.

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I. That the Union of Congregational Churches and Ministers of Eastern Canada is founded on a full recognition of their own distinctive principle: namely, the Scriptural right of every separate Church to maintain perfect independence in the government and administration of its own particular affairs; and therefore that the Union shall not, in any case, assume Legislative Authority or become a Court of Appeal.

II. That this Union consists of Ministers and Churches of the Congregational or Independent Order, duly received at a General Meeting.

III. That the following are the objects contemplated in its formation:

1. To promote evangelical religion in connection with the Congregational Denomination.
2. To cultivate brotherly affection and sincere co-operation in everything relating to the interests of the associated Churches.
3. To establish fraternal correspondence with the several Congregational Unions of Great Britain and Ireland, and with similar bodies throughout this continent.
4. To address an annual or occasional letter to the associated Churches accompanied with such information as may be deemed necessary.
5. To obtain accurate statistical information relative to the Congregational Churches throughout the British American Provinces.

IV. To promote the accomplishment of these objects and the general interests of the Union, an Annual Meeting shall be held, consisting, if practicable, of the Minister and a Layman of each of the associated Churches; that the Annual Meeting be held in Montreal, or such other place as may be appointed.

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STANDING RULES OF THE UNION.

I. The Union shall meet annually at Montreal on the first Tuesday in September, at 4 o'clock P. M., for Organization; to commence with devotional exercises.

II. At the close of the above devotional exercises, a Minute Secretary for the Session shall be chosen.

III. The Secretary shall take the roll of Ministers and Lay Delegates.

IV. The meetings shall be daily opened and closed with prayer.

V. A Committee shall be annually chosen to manage generally the affairs of the Union, and prepare a docket of business for the meeting.

VI. A Committee of three shall be early chosen by ballot, who shall be a Committee of Overtures, and who shall nominate Delegates or Correspondents with foreign or other bodies; also all Committees to whom business or subjects shall be referred for them to report thereon.

VII. No motion shall be discussed unless seconded, and no member shall speak more than twice to the same motion, without the permission of the Chairman; and every motion shall be presented in writing, by the mover.

VIII. Every member shall be present at and remain during the several meetings, unless he have leave of absence by a vote of the Union.

IX. It shall be the duty of the Chairman to prevent desultory remarks.

X. At the opening of the morning sitting, the Minutes of the preceding day shall be read, and the Minutes of the last day at the close of the Session.

XI. The Ministers of the Union shall send to the Secretary, one month at least, before the Annual Meeting, a brief narrative of the state of religion, with statistics, in their several localities, that he may prepare a condensed narrative of the whole for the Annual Meeting, and for printing, if so ordered.

XII. The rules, with the plan or Constitution of the Union, to which they shall be appended, shall be read at the opening of every Annual Meeting.

XIII. All business standing over from the last Annual Meeting shall be first transacted.

XIV. The roll of Members shall be called at the opening of every day's Meeting, during the Session.

XV. The Chairman for the ensuing year shall be chosen by ballot,—a majority of the Members present to constitute a vote.

XVI. That each Church shall contribute by its Pastor or Delegate, &c. at least annually, to the funds of the Union—payable at the Annual Meeting.

XVII. That Delegates from the Union to corresponding bodies, who may fail to fulfil their appointment by personal attendance, shall address those bodies by letter, communicating, in substance, such information and sentiments as they would furnish if present at their Annual Convocations.

XVIII. That an annual sermon be preached on the evening of the first day of the session of the Union, and that the preacher be appointed at the previous Annual Meeting.

### STANDING RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, That this Union recommend to all the Pastors of Churches to exercise special care in the introduction of persons to the Christian Ministry within our bounds.



That previous to Ordination they seek and obtain full and satisfactory evidence of soundness in the faith, and fitness to exercise the duties of the Pastoral Office.

And that in case of any doubt, the Pastors more immediately concerned should request a consultation with as many brethren as possible, that in this particular "The Ministry be not blamed."

*Resolved*, That this Union do consider it *inexpedient* that the Pastoral relation should be dissolved without the advice and approbation of the Ministers and Churches in the vicinity.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE GENERAL  
PURPOSES OF THE UNION.—1850 (See Rule XVII)

		£	s.	d.
Abbotsford.....	R. Miles.....	0	5	0
St. Andrews.....	T. Bayne.....	0	5	0
Brockville.....	J. T. Byrne.....	0	5	0
Brome.....	D. Connell.....	0	5	0
Chateauguay.....	.....			
Durham.....	D. Dunkerley.....			
Danville.....	A. J. Parker.....			
Eaton.....	E. J. Sherrill.....	0	5	0
English River, }				
Williamstown, }		0	5	0
Inverness.....	.....			
Granby.....	N. McLeod.....			
Indian Lands.....	.....	0	5	0
L'Orignal.....	J. Anderson.....			
Melbourne.....	.....			
Montreal, 1st Church.....	H. Wilkes.....	0	5	0
2nd do.....	F. H. Marling.....	0	5	0
Phillipsburg.....	.....	0	5	0
Potterton.....	.....			
Quebec.....	A. C. Geikie.....	0	5	0
Russelltown.....	.....	0	5	0
Sherbrooke.....	J. Robertson.....			
Stanstead.....	R. V. Hall.....			
		£3	0	0

CONGREGATIONAL UNION IN ACCOUNT WITH TREASURER.				Dr.	Ch.
To paid Lovell & Gibson for printing 9th Report,	5	2	6		
Balance forward.....	1	12	6		
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					£6 15 0
				By balance brought down,	£1 12 6

Montreal, September 18, 1850.

H. VERRON,  
Treasurer.

# ABSTRACT OF THE MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CONGREGATIONAL UNION.

THE Eleventh Annual Assembly of the CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF EASTERN CANADA, convened in *Zion Church*, Montreal, on the 17th and 18th of September, 1850. The chair was occupied by the Rev. D. Connell of Brome. The Session was opened with the usual devotional exercises, and a short address by the Chairman.

The Ministers and Delegates of the Associated Churches present were, the Rev. Messrs. D. Connell, J. Anderson, T. Bayne, Dr. H. Wilkes, A. C. Geikie, R. Miles, J. Robertson, E. J. Sherrill, F. H. Marling; Delegates, Messrs. J. Dougall, D. McCallum, J. McKillican, J. Ward, J. Wood,—Wilkinson.

Delegates from Sister Associations—Rev. R. Crawford, and Rev. D. Sanford, General Association of Massachusetts; Rev. Mr. Miller, Presbytery of Champlain; Rev. A. Lillie, Congregational Union, Canada West.

The Rev. A. Geikie; Second Congregational Church, Toronto, was cordially invited to sit with the Union.

The Rev. A. C. Geikie of Quebec, was received into the Union.

The Annual Subscriptions of the Churches for the general purposes of the Union were received. (See list of Subscriptions.)

The Committee of Overtures and Nomination was chosen, consisting of Messrs. Sherrill, Anderson and Marling.

It was *Resolved*, That the hours of Meeting during the Session, shall be from 10 to half-past 12 A. M., and from half-past 2 to 5 P. M., and that the Session close on Thursday evening, with the Annual Missionary Services.

Reports of Delegates appointed at the last Annual Meeting, to visit or correspond with Sister Associations, were received and reciprocated.

The Rev. A. Lillie gave a detailed statement of the present state and prospects of the Theological Institute at Toronto.

## AFTERNOON SITTING.

The Rev. Dr. Wiley, of the Dutch Reformed Church, Utica, N. Y., was very cordially received, and invited to sit with the Union during its present Session.

A series of interesting and important questions bearing on the general interests of the body, were submitted for general discussion—ordered to come up in regular succession.

The following Committee was appointed to confer with the Rev. A. Lillie in reference to the Theological Institute, viz: Rev Dr. Wilkes, Convener, F. H. Marling, J. Anderson, R. Miles, Mr. J. Dougall.

The Committee of Overtures was instructed to present for the consideration of the Union, a Resolution on the subject of Sabbath Profanation by public authorities.

The expediency and desirableness of holding the Annual Meetings alternately in Montreal, and the other Sections of the Union was duly considered, when no change, at present, was deemed expedient.

It was appointed to receive the Reports from the several Associated Churches, preceded by devotional exercises, to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The *first* question in the series was presented for discussion, viz: How do we now stand as a body of Churches, compared with any period during our past history! The review of the present with the past state of our denomination occasioned by this question, called forth expressions of deep humiliation and of gratitude and thanksgiving.

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The Annual Sermon was preached in Gosford street Church by the Rev. E. J. Sherrill, Bishop of the Church in Eaton, from Luke xvii. 20 and 21 verses. "*The Kingdom of God cometh not with observation, neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for the Kingdom of God is within you.*"

#### THURSDAY MORNING.

The Minutes of the previous day, were read and confirmed.

The Rev. J. McLoud, Pastor of the American Presbyterian Church, Montreal, was most cordially invited to take his seat with the Assembly.

The *second* question of the series was submitted and discussed, viz:—If there are prejudices or objections entertained by the Community in regard to us, is there any modification of the internal management of our Churches consistent with our cherished principles that might tend to overcome these?

*Resolved*,—That it be recommended to the Churches connected with the Union, to take up an Annual Collection in behalf of the French Canadian Missionary Society, on the second Sabbath of December.

The Rev. H. Lancashire of Russeltown, was received into the Union.

The following draft of a Memorial to the Governor in Council, on Sabbath profanation, was read and adopted.

To His Excellency &c. &c. &c. the Governor General of Canada.

The Memorial of the Ministers and Delegates of the Congregational Churches of Canada East in Union Meeting Assembled, respectfully sheweth,

That the Sabbath is a Divine Institution which has been largely instrumental in keeping alive and diffusing the Religion of Christ in the world,—that no man nor body of men, that no Nation nor Legislature have any right to set aside the sacredness of that day, or to desecrate it by appropriating its hallowed hours to secular purposes; that this Union, therefore, feels called upon to use its influence for the promotion of Sabbath observance, and against whatever would lead to its desecration.

That therefore this body respectfully petitions the Executive Government of the country, to so order the arrangement of the Post Office, Provincial Canals, and all other public business, that the privileged rest of the Sabbath shall in no case be violated by secular labour under the direction or sanction of the public authorities.

*Resolved*,—That the I. standing rule be amended as follows: after the word "Montreal," erase all, and substitute, "on the first Tuesday in Septem-

ber, at four o'clock P. M. for organization." That the Sermon be preached on the Tuesday evening. That the Missionary Anniversary be held on Wednesday evening, and if practicable made a Social Meeting, and that there be a service on Thursday evening, at which a narrative shall be given of the state of Religion in the Churches, and the Lord's Supper observed.

The *third* and *fourth* questions of the series were taken up and discussed, viz. How can Sabbath Schools be rendered more influential, and the young of our Congregations brought under better Culture, and their attachment be secured!—In what way might the number and efficiency of our Ministry be increased!

#### AFTERNOON SITTING.

Devotional exercises, followed by the reports of the state of religion in the several churches.

*Resolved*, that the Committee already appointed to confer with the Rev. A. Lillie on the Theological Institute, be authorised to obtain information and make suggestions respecting the Institute to the Committee at Toronto, as may seem to them expedient. That the said Committee also examine Candidates for the Institute.

The Rev. E. J. Sherrill was chosen Chairman for the next annual meeting.

The following Delegates to Sister Associations were appointed:

Vermont, Rev. T. H. Marling and J. Anderson.

Massachusetts, Rev. E. J. Sherrill and A. C. Geikie.

New Hampshire, Rev. A. J. Parker and R. V. Hall.

Canada West, Rev. J. Anderson and R. Miles.

The Rev. T. Bayne was appointed to preach the next annual sermon—Substitute, Rev. A. C. Geikie.

The general Committee of the Union was appointed, for which, see second page.

#### THURSDAY EVENING.

The Members of the Union were this evening kindly invited to a Social Meeting in the basement of Zion Church, which afforded an agreeable opportunity for fraternal intercourse with each other, and their friends in the City. In spite of very unfavorable weather, a considerable number were present, and there was a pleasant interchange of Christian courtesies.

This brought to a close the present Annual Meetings of the Union, which were throughout harmonious, devout, and improving. It was felt that much good was effected by the free discussion of questions of practice moment to the Churches, and that the condition and prospects of the denomination were such as, notwithstanding some untoward circumstances, to call on us to "thank God and take courage."

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The next Annual Meeting will be held (D. V.) in Zion Church, Montreal, commencing at 4 P. M., on Tuesday, September 2, 1851.

# CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY

FOR

## EASTERN CANADA.

THE following Preamble and Constitution of the Society were adopted at the Public Meeting held in St. Maurice Street Church, Montreal, October 21st, 1846.

Whereas, it is the incumbent duty of every Christian to exert himself in sustaining and diffusing the Gospel,—and whereas it is highly desirable and necessary that a Missionary Society be organized in connexion with the Congregational Union of Eastern Canada, for the purpose of aiding feeble Churches in sustaining their Ministers, and for other general Missionary objects of the Congregational body,—therefore,

*Resolved*, I. That this Society be now organized, and called the "CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR EASTERN CANADA."

II. That all persons subscribing to the funds, shall be Members of this Society,—and any person subscribing at one time £5, or upwards, shall be an Honorary or Life Member of this Society.

III. That the business of this Society shall be managed by a Committee, including a Treasurer and Secretary.

IV. That the Committee shall consist of one half resident in Montreal, and the other half in the several other Stations of the Congregational Union.

V. That all Ministers belonging to the Union shall be, when in Montreal, *ex-officio* Members of the Committee.

VI. That regular Quarterly Meetings of the Committee shall be held, and Special Meetings called when necessary.

VII. That five Members of Committee shall constitute a *quorum* for the transaction of business.

VIII. That a General Meeting of this Society shall be held annually, when a report of the proceedings of the Society shall be presented, and the Committee for the ensuing year appointed.

IX. That every Church receiving aid to sustain its Minister, shall be required, as the condition of its continuance, faithfully to fulfil their own engagements towards his support.

X. That the grant to Churches and Ministers shall be made annually,—payments quarterly.

XI. That every settled Minister receiving aid from this Society, will be expected to devote one month annually, if required, to the immediate service of the Society.



XII. That no Church or Minister be aided by this Society, without satisfactory proof of their soundness in the faith, and their regular standing in the denominational body.

XIII. That all Ministers receiving aid from this Society, shall transmit regularly, every year, Reports to the Committee, through the general Secretary.

THE FOURTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR CANADA EAST was held in connection with the Social Meeting of the Union, in the basement of Zion Church, Montreal, on Thursday evening, September 18, 1850. The report of the Committee was presented and adopted, and addresses delivered by the Revds. A. Lillie and A. Geikie of Toronto, J. Robertson of Sherbrooke, and R. Crawford and D. Sandford from Massachusetts.

The following Committee was appointed for the ensuing year.

#### Committee.

Rev. H. WILKES, D. D., Montreal.

" J. ANDERSON, L'Orignal.

" J. T. BYRNE, Brockville.

" J. ROBERTSON, Sherbrooke.

" A. C. GEIKIE, Quebec.

Mr. J. BIRKS, Montreal.

" J. BAYLIS, do.

" S. FORSTER, do.

" J. SAVAGE, do.

" A. ARTHUR, do.

Mr. J. KELLER, Montreal.

" H. VENNOR, do.

" C. ALEXANDER, do.

" F. F. BLACKADDER, do.

" J. P. WELLS, Vankleek hill.

" C. WALES, St. Andrew's.

" J. MUSSON, Quebec.

" W. BROOKS, Sherbrooke.

" H. MINER, Granby.

" O. STIMPSON, St. Pie.

T. M. TAYLOR, Esq., Montreal, *Treasurer.*

Rev. R. MILES, Abbotsford,

Rev. F. H. MARLING, Montreal, } *Secretaries.*

FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY  
FOR  
EASTERN CANADA.

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The Committee of this Society need scarcely remind their Constituents, that its operations are of such a nature, and of so limited an extent, as to furnish but slender materials for a striking Report of its progress. The field which we cultivate familiar to us all—no

“distance lends enchantment to the view.”

Our Brethren can tell us no wonderful adventures among people of another aspect and language, for they deal with persons whose character and mode of life are similar to our own. Nor have we the interest inspired by a territory of vast extent. Here we have no “Great West,” where imagination is little tasked to see the rudiments of future empires, the character and destiny of which depend so largely on the spiritual training they receive in their infancy. Our bounds are, and must be comparatively narrow, and our work must therefore kindle an ardour less enthusiastic. Nor, again, can we relate any extraordinary circumstances as evidencing great success. Our Brethren “pursue the even tenor of their way,” not, indeed, without frequent marks of their Lord’s approval, rejoiced at times with being enabled to say, of “this man and that man”—“Behold! he prayeth,”—but still, in a manner so noiseless, as to show that now, as of old, “the kingdom of God cometh not with observation.”

While these things, however, are undoubtedly true, and should constantly be borne in mind when we consider the operations of this Society,—let it not be supposed that we are labouring in vain. From the lowest point of view, we must see that much evil is prevented, and that preparation is

made, by means of the ministry and the Churches, for much larger results than they *immediately* witness. But even the *direct* fruits of their labour, are amply sufficient to encourage, nay, to require us to sustain them.

But we now proceed to give a more detailed view of the operations of the past year.

#### MISSIONARIES, AND MISSION CHURCHES.

There have been assisted by the Society;

Rev. THOMAS BAYNE, St. Andrews.

"JOEL FISK, Philipsburg.

"R. V. HALL, Stanstead.

"A. J. PARKER, Danville, Shipton.

"E. J. SHERRILL, Eaton.

One name will be missed here, familiar to all the friends of the Society, and honoured wherever known,—that of Rev. W. McKillican.

In November 1849, this servant of God entered into his rest, at the age of 72 years. The Committee feel that it is due to his memory to insert here a resolution passed by them, December 18th 1849, and forwarded to his afflicted family, which, they are assured, will express the feelings of all who knew him:—

"*Resolved*—That this Committee have learned with profound sorrow, that their venerable Missionary, the Rev. W. McKillican, has been recently removed by death from the bosom of his family, and the scene of his long-continued, arduous, and self-denying labours as a minister of the Gospel of Christ; and while they would bow, with entire submission, to the will of the Great Head of the Church in this bereavement, they deem it proper to record their high estimate of that vigour of mind, fulness of Scriptural knowledge, patient endurance of labour and privation, untiring zeal, and holy devotedness, by which the ministry of their venerated friend was distinguished; and their gratitude to God who enabled him to adorn that ministry by a walk and conversation becoming the Gospel, and who spared him to a good old age that he might to the end "serve his own generation by the will of God." The Committee desire to convey to the aged widow and the bereaved children of their late Brother,

the expression of their cordial sympathy with them, at once in their natural sorrow because of their loss, and in their Christian joy that he whom they so much loved was enabled, on his dying pillow, to hear so triumphant a testimony to the value of the Gospel he had preached for half a century, and to the faithfulness of a covenant God in the trying hour of dissolution."

The Rev. R. V. Hall reports, that in the year 1849 he received twenty-two members into his Church, a larger number than during any previous year.

The Churches at Eaton and Danville have both been recently favoured with special manifestations of the Holy Spirit's presence, in the conviction and conversion of sinners. May the blessed work go forward!

At St. Andrews, the small but devoted and self-denying Church are erecting a commodious and elegant place of worship, to which they have contributed with their accustomed liberality. This feature in their circumstances gives them an additional claim on our assistance.

The Rev. J. Fisk laboured at Philipsburg only five months of the present Missionary year. Finding himself at the end of that time unable to remain any longer, he removed to Irasburg, Vt. The Committee lose his services with much regret, as he was a most laborious minister, and had won the entire confidence of the people of his charge, who still suffer from his removal.

Rev. N. McLeod, who was last year one of our Missionaries, has removed from Inverness to Granby, a station not assisted by this Society.

#### SUPPLIES FOR DESTITUTE CHURCHES.

In surveying the field under their care, the Committee found that a number of the Churches, through the death or removal of their pastors, were left without the ordinances of the Gospel, or any immediate prospect of being furnished with them. They, accordingly, availed themselves of the summer vacation of the Congregational Institute at Toronto, to procure for these destitute Churches, the temporary services of those students who had gone from C. E. By making the necessary arrangements, and giving a very moderate pecuniary assistance, an important ser-

vice has thus been performed. The Committee are pleased to learn that the labours of these young brethren have been fully appreciated, and productive of happy results. The following stations have been thus supplied;—

PHILIPSBURG, Mr. John Wood.

INDIAN LANDS and MARTINTOWN, Mr. J. McKillican.

MELBOURNE AND DURHAM, Mr. John Fraser.

ENGLISH RIVER, Mr. D. McCallum.

The Committee have been desirous to secure an ITINERANT MINISTRY for these destitute places, until Pastors can be settled over them. Should this be found practicable, they would gladly avail themselves of the services of a suitable person.

#### FINANCES.

At the commencement of the Missionary year now just expired, the Committee applied to the American Home Mission Society, for assistance, but received a negative answer. For a variety of reasons, it has been thought unadvisable to send a deputation to the neighbouring States to make collections. However, we have received handsome subscriptions from our old and generous friend, J. P. Williston Esq., of Northampton, Mass., and from some individuals in the congregation of Rev. E. A. Lawrence, Marblehead. With these exceptions, the whole of our funds have been raised in the Province, and the Committee have much pleasure in noticing, that in most places there is an advance upon the subscriptions of last year. It will be observed, that there is an unusually large balance in hand. This arises from the diminution of the number of the Missionaries, and the increased liberality of several of the Churches. But it is expected that during the ensuing year our burdens will increase.

#### PROSPECTS.

It is expected that three, at least, of the Churches now assisted will immediately require further grants from the Society. It is to be hoped, moreover, that some of the vacant Churches may be supplied; if so, they will be likely again to demand our aid. An Itinerant Ministry, if it can be employed, will draw largely upon our funds. To meet these claims, we have to depend, almost entirely, upon *our own Churches in the Province*. The



contributions from a distance have diminished gradually every year. But if the Canadian Churches will do their duty in assisting each other, and especially the strong in supporting the weak, we may confidently expect that the institutions of the Gospel will be sustained, and that the hopes excited by the present state of some of the Churches will be abundantly fulfilled.

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#### LIFE MEMBERS.

*By payment of £5 and upwards, to the Funds of the Society.*

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J. P. WILLISTON, Esq., Northampton, Massachusetts, by five donations of £7 10s, £10, £30, £6 5s. and £6 5s.

Rev. W. H. TYLER, Pittsfield, Massachusetts, by donation of £6 5s.

Mr. J. BAYLIS, Montreal, by two donations of £25, £25.

Mr. T. M. TAYLOR, Montreal, by donation of £25.

R. D. STEWART, Esq., Philadelphia, by donation of £6 5s.

Rev. A. ROOD, Philadelphia, by donation of £6 5s.

Mrs. BANISTER, Newbury Port, Massachusetts, by donation of £12 10s.

Rev. W. SMITH, D. D. Burlington, Vt., (formerly of St. Albans,) by donation of £7 17s 6d.

COLLECTIONS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS  
TO THE  
CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY

For the year ending September 30, 1850.

CANADA.

MONTREAL.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. H. Wilkes, D. D.

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Leeming, .....	0	5	0
T. M. Taylor, .....	1	0	0
Cash per Rev. Dr. Wilkes, ..	0	10	0
Collection after Sermons, ..	6	10	0
"One who was absent," .....	1	5	0
Cash, .....	0	5	0

Collected by Mr. Alexander, Mr. Bay-  
lis, Mr. Wright.

G. Alexander, .....	1	5	0
J. B., .....	5	0	0
H. Vennor, .....	1	5	0
F. Scholes, .....	0	5	0
Alex. Arthur, .....	1	5	0
A. Learmont, .....	1	5	0
C. Freeland, .....	0	10	0
J. Wood, .....	0	10	0
Cash, .....	0	5	0
J. Lewis, .....	0	10	0
R. Holland, .....	0	5	0
Theo. Lyman, .....	1	5	0
A. Savage, .....	1	0	0
Cash, .....	0	2	6
J. B., .....	1	0	0
A. F. S., .....	0	10	0
A. friend, .....	0	2	6
J. P. Clark, .....	1	5	0
H. Lyman, .....	1	5	0
E. Wright, .....	0	15	0
A. Hamilton, .....	0	3	9
J. C. Beers, .....	0	5	0
T. McCormick, .....	0	5	0
S. Forster, .....	1	5	0
W. Moodie, .....	0	10	0
J. McWatters, Jr., .....	0	5	0

John Leeming, .....	0	10	0
J. D. Kerr, .....	0	2	6
J. McWatters, .....	0	7	6
W. Slack, .....	0	5	0
Mrs. Montgomerie, .....	0	5	0
Drake, .....	0	5	0
J. J. Day, .....	1	5	0
R. Anderson, .....	0	5	0
G. Robertson, .....	0	12	6
J. C. M., .....	5	0	0

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Second Congregational Church.

Rev. F. H. Marling.

Collected by Miss Dunkin and Mr.  
Lee.

F. H. Marling, .....	0	10	0
J. Savage, .....	0	10	0
J. Keller, .....	0	10	0
A. Macdonald, .....	0	10	0
Dr. Barber, .....	0	10	0
C. Dunkin, .....	0	10	0
D. Rea, .....	0	10	0
C. F. Smithers, .....	6	5	0
H. Laggatt, .....	0	5	0
A. M. Bell, .....	0	5	0
J. Lee, .....	0	5	0
J. Kirkpatrick, .....	0	5	0
J. Macdougall, .....	0	5	0
A. McKay, .....	0	5	0
T. Ladyman, .....	0	5	0
S. Holmes, .....	0	3	9
J. Wray, .....	0	2	6
T. Pashby, .....	0	2	6
W. Holmes, .....	0	2	6
G. Morrison, .....	0	2	6
R. Lewis, .....	0	2	6
D. Luck, .....	0	2	6

W. Haddon, .....	0	2	6
E. Franklin, .....	0	2	6
Friends, .....	0	12	6
	£7	6	8

## QUEBEC.

Rev. A. C. Geikie.

Subscriptions, &amp;c., ..... 10 0 0

## SHERBROOKE.

Rev. J. Robertson.

Subscriptions for 1849, ... 6 1 4

## Subscriptions for 1850.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton and family, ..... 0 19 0

Mr. and Mrs. Arms and family, ..... 1 0 0

Mr. and Mrs. Sanborn and family, ..... 0 12 2

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson, ... 0 10 0

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Mrs. F. Loomis, ..... 0 5 0

" Bryant, ..... 0 5 0

Miss E. Bryant, ..... 0 5 0

" Mary Bryant, ..... 0 2 6

Mr. T. W. Ritchie, ..... 0 5 0

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Mr. John Drummond, ... 0 5 0

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" Eldridge, ..... 0 2 6

Dr. Worthington, ..... 0 5 0

Miss Worthington, ..... 0 1 5

Mrs. Williard, ..... 0 2 6

Mr. McLellan, ..... 0 5 0

Collection, ..... 2 13 10

do. Lennoxville, ... 1 5 4

Sabbath School, ..... 1 2 6

£15 10 5

## L'ORIGINAL, VANKLEEK HILL AND HAWKESBURY.

Rev. J. Anderson.

## L'Original, Collected by Miss Treadwell.

J. W. Marston, .....	0	5	0
Chauncey Johnson, .....	0	5	0
David Buchan, .....	0	2	6
W. Ross, .....	0	2	6
D. McDonald, .....	0	2	6
H. Coffin, .....	0	2	6
C. P. Treadwell, .....	0	5	0
C. A. Treadwell, .....	0	5	0
C. Flynn, .....	0	2	6
Mr. Cochran, .....	0	2	6
Sums under 2s. 6d., .....	0	8	9
Collection, .....	0	17	3

## Vankleek Hill, collected by Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Cleveland.

Mrs. T. H. Johnson, .....	0	10	0
" J. P. Wells, .....	0	10	0
T. H. Higginson, .....	0	2	6
D. Wilcox, .....	0	2	6
W. Harkin, .....	0	2	6
A. McNaughton, .....	0	2	6
Mrs. J. Ammond, .....	0	2	6
Mary Johnson, .....	0	2	6
Paul McInnes, .....	0	2	6
D. A. Summers, .....	0	2	6
Mrs. Manning, .....	0	2	6
Alexander McIntosh, .....	0	2	6
Willie Manning, .....	0	10	0
A. A. Churley, .....	0	2	6
Mrs. Cleveland, .....	0	2	6
R. Stewart, .....	0	2	6
Joseph Storey, .....	0	2	6
Sums under 2s. 6d., .....	1	3	4
Collection, .....	1	0	0

## Hawkesbury, collected by Mrs. Kellogg and Miss Shepherd.

Mrs. Sarah Hersey, .....	0	2	6
G. Hutchison, .....	0	2	6
D. Hunter, .....	0	2	6
Maria Shepard, .....	0	5	0
W. S. Kirby, .....	0	5	0
C. Hersey, .....	0	2	6
James Campbell, .....	0	2	6
Mr. Oulmette, .....	0	2	6

£15 10 5

Z. S. M. Hersey,.....	0 10 0	Q. B. Pomeroy,.....	0 10 0
Mrs. John Lamb,.....	1 0 0	S. Allen,.....	0 5 0
G. Hamilton,.....	0 2 6	R. V. Hall,.....	0 10 9
J. Hamilton,.....	0 2 6	S. Wyman,.....	0 2 6
Mr. Wadd,.....	0 2 6	W. May,.....	0 5 0
" Duett,.....	0 2 6	J. How,.....	0 2 6
S. A. Kellogg,.....	0 5 0	A. Young,.....	0 5 0
Sums under 2s. 6d.,.....	0 15 9	Collection,.....	1 10 3

£12 15 1

£4 10 3

## EATON.

Rev. E. J. Sherrill.

Collection,.....	2 0 0
Subscriptions,.....	2 0 0
Female Cent. Society,.....	3 17 11

£7 17 11

## ST. ANDREWS.

Rev. T. Bayne.

Collection,.....	2 18 8
Subscriptions,.....	3 15 0
Miss Wales,.....	0 5 0

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Rev. A. J. Parker.

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Dea. Willey,.....	0 2 6
A Friend,.....	0 2 6
Do,.....	0 2 6
S. Flint,.....	0 3 9
T. C. Allis,.....	0 5 0
J. Laing, Jun.,.....	0 2 6
— Philbrick,.....	0 2 6
Mrs. Laing,.....	0 5 0
C. B. C.,.....	0 2 6
Smaller Sums,.....	1 9 6
Monthly Concert Col.,.....	1 0 0
Sabbath School,.....	1 3 4

£5 6 7

## STANSTEAD.

Rev. R. N. Hall.

Israel Brainerd,.....	0 10 0
Selah Pomeroy,.....	0 10 0

## INDIAN LANDS, &amp;c.

Collections,.....	2 14 11
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## MELBOURNE.

Rev. A. Rankin.

Collections,.....	0 18 4
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## DURHAM.

Rev. D. Dunkerley.

Collection,.....	0 12 8
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## BYTOWN.

Sabbath School,.....	0 10 0
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## ABBOTSFORD.

Rev. R. Miles.

Collection,.....	1 15 0
Rev. R. Miles,.....	0 10 0

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## BROCKVILLE.

Rev. J. T. Byrre.

Collection,.....	2 8 4
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## RUSSELTOWN, &amp;c.

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Hiram Gentle,.....	0 2 6
William Cantwell,.....	0 5 0
A. C. Stacey,.....	0 2 6
John Manning,.....	0 2 6
J. C. Manning,.....	0 2 6
J. Dunn,.....	0 2 6
Collection,.....	0 8 6
do. at English River,.....	1 2 2

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To Drafts, &c., paid to Missionaries and Students,...	119	7	11	By balance from last account,.....	7	9	6
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To travelling expenses of deputation,.....	4	6	9	By Revd. E. A. Lawrence,.....	18	15	0
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T. M. TAYLOR, Treasurer.

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