

# MINUTES

OF THE

THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

OF THE

CANADIAN WESLEYAN METHODIST

**New Connexion Church**

HELD AT

AURORA, COUNTY OF YORK,

COMMENCING JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup>, AND ENDING JUNE 12<sup>TH</sup>.

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1867.

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# ALPHABETICAL LIST OF MINISTERS AND THEIR RESIDENCES:

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

Years on Circuit.	When he began to travel	MINISTERS AND THEIR RESIDENCES.
	1850	Adkins, T. O., super., Lansdown P. O.,
2	1855	Auld, D., Lansdown P. O.,
2	1850	Baskerville, J., Holland, Chatsworth P. O.,
	1834	Bell, James, super., Lambeth P. O.
1	1849	Bettis, D., Pelham, Fenwick P. O.
	1844	Bothwell, W., super., Lambeth P. O.
1	1855	Birks, W., North Augusta P. O.
2	1855	Bain, J., Smith's Falls P. O.
1	1863	Burns, A., Bay Quinte, Picton P. O.
4	1856	Brown G., Aurora P. O.
3	1860	Buggin, G., Manvers, Lifford P. O.
1	1859	Brown, E. F., Bayham, Straffordville P. O.
1	1866	Barltrop, C., Bolton, East Bolton P. O.
		Cole, T., Local Elder, Cannington P. O.
1	1844	Caswell, J., Cavan P. O.
2	1836	Cocker, W., Superintendent, Toronto P. O.
	1848	Curry, C., super., Bellmore P. O.
	1852	Crawford, J., Creamore P. O.
2	1859	Cleaver, J., Hamilton P. O.
2	1857	Dempsey, A. F., Ainleyville, Dingle P. O.
2	1861	Danard, W. B., Trafalgar, Drumquin P. O.
1	1861	Demill, A. B., Brock, Wilfrid P. O.
1	1862	Depew, S. F., Harriston P. O.
1	1863	Dochstader, J. W., Walkerton P. O.
1	1862	Elliott, J., Mount Forest P. O.
3	1855	Follick, J., Melburn, Appin P. O.
3	1860	Fox, Thomas, Oxford, Oxford Mills P. O., Co. Carlton.
2	1860	Fowler, J. H., Kitley, Frankville P. O.
	1834	Garry, R., Local Elder, Almonte P. O.
	1834	Goldsmith, T., Hamilton P. O.
	1852	Gaddis, James, super., Berkley P. O.
1	1864	Grandy, W., Aurora P. O.
1	1848	Gundy, W., Lindsay, Omeme P. O.
3	1853	Gundy, S. B., Montreal P. O.
3	1859	Gundy, James, Adelaide, Stratlaroy P. O.
3	1860	Gundy J. R., Omeme P. O.
1	1866	Goodspeed, J. W., Middleton, Delhi P. O.
		Gier, J., Local Elder, Dunham P. O., C. E.
	1854	Haney, J., Local Elder, Aylmer P. O.
2	1843	Haynes, F., Talbotville P. O.
	1844	Histon, J., super., Copetown P. O.
1	1854	Hill, J., New Hope, Hespeler P. O.
2	1855	Hill, R. N., Penville, Schomberg P. O.
2	1857	Holmes, E., Milford P. O.
	1858	Hall, H., super., Arkwright P. O.
1	1859	Hamilton, T., Meaford, St. Vincent P. O.
1	1860	Hartley, A. Y., Bodmin, Belgrave P. O.
1	1860	Hocking, J., Haldimand P. O.
1	1864	Henderson, W., Ancaster, Copetown P. O.
	1847	Jefferies, T. M., super., 87 Wellington St., Leeds, Eng.
1	1860	Jackson, T., Holland East, Berkely P. O.
1		Jackson, G., Montreal P. O.
1	1867	Johnston, R., Hillier, Pleasant Bay P. O.
	1849	Kimbal, H. N., Local Elder, Dunham East P. O., C. E.
3	1849	Kershaw, J. B., Nelson, Kilbride P. O.
2	1855	Kershaw, E., Malahide, Aylmer P. O.
1	1862	Kay, John, Milton P. O.

## RESIDENCES OF MINISTERS.

Years on Circuit.	When he began to travel.	MINISTERS AND THEIR RESIDENCES.
1	1860	Leith, H., Cayuga P. O.
2	1861	Lever, J. J. A., Artemesia, Flesherton P. O.
1	1830	McClure, W., Toronto P. O.
1	1850	McAllister, J., Ancaster, Lynden P. O.
2	1852	McGuire, J. Colpoy's Bay, Oxenden P. O.
1	1861	McKenzie, D. M., Erin P. O.
2	1862	McKelvey, C., Galt P. O.
1	1861	Moss, W. H., Goderich P. O.
1	1864	McCann, W., Manvers, Lifford P. O.
1	1866	McDiarmid, N. A. London North, Birr P. O.
1	1867	Nugent, F., Cavan P. O.
3	1842	Ogden, T., super., Frankville P. O.
1	1859	Orr, J. S., Brome, West Brome P. O., C. E.
1	1861	O'Hara, J., Crosby, Forfar P. O.
1	1860	Orme, J. H., Howard, Selton P. O.
2	1847	Preston, W., Paisley P. O.
1	1857	Paintin, R., Laxton, Oak Hill P. O.
1	1865	Peck, James, super., Picton P. O.
1	1863	Peck, W., Dunham, East Dunham P. O., C. E.
2	1864	Pitcher, J. T., London P. O.
2	1864	Randall, R. N., Dunville P. O.
2	1830	Robinson, J. H., Toronto P. O.
2	1840	Robinson, W., super., Lifford P. O.
1	1864	Robinson, G., Erin P. O.
1	1846	Reid, John, Local Elder, Mono Centre P. O.
3	1837	Reid, Thomas, Caledonia, Seneca P. O.
1	1846	Rump, T., super., St. Catherines P. O.
1	1857	Rolston, D. D., St. Mary's P. O.
1	1858	Redeoff, R., Southampton, Saugeen P. O.
1	1859	Rawson, J., Mulmer, Lavender P. O.
1	1830	Richardson, G., Waterdown P. O.
1	1857	Seymour, James, super., Straffordville P. O.
1	1848	Seymour, J. C., Ingersoll P. O.
1	1850	Shuttleworth, J., Dereham P. O.
1	1850	Savage, D., London P. O.
1	1854	Shaw, James, Goderich South, Goderich P. O.
3	1857	Scott, J., super., Waterdown P. O.
1	1861	Shaw, C., Middleton, Delhi P. O.
1	1865	Smyth, D., St. Catherines P. O.
1	1853	Smyth, W., St. Mary's P. O.
3	1858	Tindall, W., Gorrie P. O.
3	1833	Tyler, R. J., Owen Sound P. O.
3	1854	Warren, S. C., super., Gannanoque P. O.
3	1861	Walker, J., Ashfield, Lucknow P. O.
1	1865	Walker, R., Durham P. O.
1	1843	Walker, A. B., Waterford P. O.
2	1853	Weaver, F. G., Arran, Arkwright P. O.
2	1859	Webb, W., Norwich, Otterville P. O.
1	1850	White, James, London North, Birr P. O.
1	1834	Whitcombe, O., super., Straffordville P. O.
1	1843	Wilkinson, John, super., Windham Centre P. O.
1	1862	Wilkinson, H., Nassagaweya P. O.
2	1862	Wilkinson, J. A., Dunville P. O.
1	1844	Wilkinson, T. L., Bolton, East Bolton P. O., C. E.
1	1854	Williams, E. Barton, Bartonville P. O.
4	1859	Williams, W., Waterford P. O.
3	1862	Willmott, W., Walkerton P. O.
1	1867	Wilson, J. J., Clarke, Kendal P. O.
1	1867	Wallace, J., Lansdown P. O.

NOTE.—The P. O. address of each Preacher is the name of the Circuit, unless otherwise stated; and all the Post Office addresses are in Canada West except those marked C. E. Montreal, as well known, is not marked C. E.

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**METHODIST NEW CONNEXION CHURCH**  
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**AURORA, JUNE 5th, 1867.**

According to appointment of the Annual Conference, held at Waterford, on Wednesday, June 6th, 1866, the Conference met at Aurora, on Wednesday, June 5th, 1867.

**QUESTION 1.**

*Who compose the present Conference?*

**ANSWER.**

CAVAN DISTRICT.

<i>Cavan</i> .....	Rev. Wm. Williams, Mathew Dean.
<i>Manvers</i> .....	" Geo. Buggin, Samuel Staples.
<i>Clarke</i> .....	" J. J. Wilson, Wm. Jackson.
<i>Lindsay</i> .....	" A. Burns.
<i>Milford</i> .....	" Edwin Holmes.
<i>Prince Edward</i> ....	" Henry Wilkinson.
<i>Laxton</i> .....	" S. F. Depew, R. Johnston.
<i>Omeme</i> .....	" J. R. Gundy, John McBrien.

CAYUGA DISTRICT.

<i>Cayuga</i> .....	Rev. A. Y. Hartley, R. Decew.
<i>Dunville</i> .....	" A. B. Demill, Nicholas Hopkins, M. D.
<i>Haldimand</i> .....	" T. Hamilton, Geo. Calback.

MINUTES.

CAYUGA DISTRICT (continued.)

- Caledonia*..... " J. Rawson, John Young.
- Louth*..... " D. Smyth, Peter Smith.
- Pelham*..... " W. H. Moss, A. W. Haney.

GODERICH DISTRICT.

- Goderich*.....Rev. Jas. Shaw.
- Ainleyville*..... " A. F. Dempsey, Joseph Dix.
- Bodmin*..... " J. Hocking, John Taylor.
- Harriston*..... " D. M. McKenzie, Wm. Arnold.
- Howick*..... " John Elliott, Geo. Strong.
- Ashfield*..... " John Walker, Robt. Taylor.
- Kincardine*..... " D. Bettis.

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

- Hamilton*.....Rev. J. Cleaver, Thos. Mitchell.
- Ancaster*..... " Geo. Richardson, J. Bennett.
- Waterdown*..... " Jas. Scott, Wm. Horning.
- Barton*..... " William Grandy, T. Lottridge.
- Galt*..... " Charles McKelvey.
- New Hope*..... " Elias Williams, Geo. Clemens.

JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.

- Lansdown*.....Rev. D. Auld.
- Elizabethtown*..... " T. M. Jefferis, John Bell.
- Oxford*..... " Thos. Fox.
- Crosby*..... " Calvin Shaw, Robt. A. Leggit.
- Kitley*..... " J. H. Fowler.
- Smith's Fall*..... " J. Bain, John Couch.

LONDON DISTRICT.

- London*.....Rev. J. C. Seymour, John Tanton
- London North*..... " J. White, John Howard.

*Melbou*  
*Howar*  
*Talbot*  
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*Mount*  
*Durhan*  
*Walker*  
*Artemes*  
*Paisley*  
*Mulmer*  
*Kincarc*  
  
*Montre*  
*Dunhan*  
*Bolton .*  
*Brome .*  
  
*Owen S*  
*Holland*

MINUTES.

LONDON DISTRICT (continued.)

- Melbourne*..... Crawford Douglas.  
*Howard*..... Rev. H. Leith, Daniel Fields.  
*Talbotville*..... " F. Haynes, Thos. Calcot.  
*St. Mary's*..... Johnston Armstrong.  
*Adelaide* ..... Rev. James Gundy, Thos. Hughes.  
*Ingersoll* ..... " John Kay, James Evans.

MILTON DISTRICT.

- Milton*.... Rev. Wm. Birks, Geo. Brownridge.  
*Erin*..... " T. Reid, John Nunn.  
*Trafalgar* ..... " W. B. Danard, Geo. May.  
*Nassagaweya* ..... " D. Savage, Thos. Simpson.  
*Nelson*..... " J. B. Kershaw, J. W. Vannorman

MOUNT FOREST DISTRICT.

- Mount Forest* .... Rev. J. O'Hara, J. Hampton.  
*Durham* ..... " R. Walker, J. J. Walker.  
*Walkerton* ..... " W. Willimott, Thos. Tindall.  
*Artemesia & Osprey* " J. J. A. Lever, Jas. Crawford.  
*Paisley* ..... " W. Preston.  
*Mulmer* ..... " Thos. Jackson.  
*Kincardine*..... " D. Bettis, Jas. Wetherall.

MONTREAL DISTRICT.

- Montreal* ..... Rev. S. B. Gundy, Robt. Stavely.  
*Dunham*..... " R. Paintin.  
*Bolton* .....  
*Brome* ..... " J. S. Orr.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.

- Owen Sound*..... Rev. R. J. Tyler, Joseph Hembruff.  
*Holland*..... " Jas. Baskerville, Hugh Taylor.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT (continued.)

- Arran .....By letter.
- Southampton .....Rev. J. B. Goodspeed.
- Meaford ..... " F. G. Weaver, James Bowes.
- Holland East ..... " Jas. H. Orme, Jas. H. Robinson.
- Colpoy's Bay ..... " John McGuire, Jas. Winters.

TORONTO DISTRICT.

- Toronto ..... " J. H. Robinson, Robt. Wilkes.
- Aurora ..... " Geo. Brown, Thos. Cosford.
- Pennville ..... " R. N. Hill, J. P. Foucar.
- Brock ..... " J. Shuttleworth, R. B. Way.

WATERFORD DISTRICT.

- Waterford .....Rev. Jas. McAlister, R. A. Clement.
- Malahide ..... " E. Kershaw, Owen Robertson.
- Middleton ..... " Jas. Caswell.
- Bayham ..... " William Webb, Henry Stratton.
- Dereham ..... " Jas. Hill, Benjamin Hopkins.
- Norwich ..... " J. A. Wilkinson, Finlay Malcom.

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- T. LOTTRIDGE, *Treasurer of Superannuated Preachers' Fund.*
- W. LATIMER, *Financial Secretary.*
- JAMES SHAW, *Clerk of Conference.*
- WM. TINDAL, *Secretary of the Publishing Committee*

The following brethren, being Local Elders, were entitled to a seat in the Conference, of whom only R. Garry was present, viz: T. Cole, J. Gear, H. N. Kimball, A. Smith, R. Garry, J. Reid and I. Haney.

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

ANSWER.—They have, according to rule.

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

ANSWER.—J. T. Pitcher, J. W. Dochstader, J. Kay, A. Burns, W. Peck.

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

ANSWER.—J. T. Pitcher. J. W. Dochstader.

QUESTION 5.— *Who remain on trial ?*

ANSWER.—Wm. McCann, W. Henderson and G. Robinson, who have travelled three years; W. Smyth and A. B. Walker who have travelled two years; N. A. McDiarmid, G. Jackson, J. B. Goodspeed and C. Barltrop who have travelled one year.

QUESTION 6.— *Who have been received on trial ?*

ANSWER.—F. Nugent, Robert Johnston and John Wallace.

QUESTION 7.— *Who have resigned ?*

ANSWER.—J. A. Miller, J. J. Lutze.

QUESTION 8. *Who have located ?*

ANSWER.—T. M. Jefferis, Jas. Scott, H. Hall.

QUESTION. 9.— *How are the Preachers stationed this year ?*

ANSWER.—As follows:—

CAVAN DISTRICT.

<i>Cavan</i> .....	J. Caswell, F. Nugent.
<i>Manvers</i> .....	G. Buggin, W. McCann.
<i>Clarke</i> .....	J. J. Wilson.
<i>Lindsay</i> .....	Wm. Gundy.
<i>Laxton</i> .....	R. Paintin.
<i>Omemees</i> .....	J. R. Gundy.
<i>Minden</i> .....	To be supplied.
	J. Caswell, Chairman.

CAYUGA DISTRICT.

*Cayuga*..... H. Leith.  
*Dunville*..... J. A. Wilkinson.  
*Haldimand*..... J. Hocking.  
*Caledonia*..... T. Reid.  
*St. Catharines*..... D. Smythe.  
*Pelham*..... D. Bettis.  
D. Bettis, Chairman.

GODERICH DISTRICT

*Goderich*..... W. H. Moss.  
*Goderich South*..... J. Shaw.  
*Ainleyville*..... A. F. Dempsey.  
*Bodmin*..... A. Y. Hartley.  
*Harriston*..... S. F. Depew.  
*Howick*..... W. Tindall.  
*Ashfield*..... J. Walker.  
J. Shaw, Chairman.

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

*Hamilton*..... J. Cleaver.  
*Ancaster*..... J. McAllister, W. Henderson.  
*Waterdown*..... G. Richardson.  
*Barton*..... E. Williams.  
*Galt*..... C. McKelvey.  
*New Hope*..... J. Hill.  
J. McAllister, Chairman.

JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.

*Landsdown*..... D. Auld, J. Wallace.  
*Elizabethtown*..... W. Birks.  
*Oxford*..... T. Fox.  
*Crosby*..... J. O'Hara.  
*Kitley*..... J. H. Fowler.  
*Smith's Falls*..... J. Bain.  
*Marlboro'*..... One wanted.  
W. Birks, Chairman.

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LONDON DISTRICT.

London.....D. Savage, J. T. Pitcher.  
 London North.....J. White, N. A. McDiarmid.  
 Melbourne.....J. Follick.  
 Howard.....J. H. Orme.  
 Talbotville.....F. Haynes.  
 St. Mary's.....D. D. Rolston, W. Smith.  
 Adelaide.....J. Gundy.  
 Ingersoll.....J. C. Seymour.  
 D. D. Rolston, Chairman.

MILTON DISTRICT.

Milton.....J. Kay.  
 Erin.....D. M. McKenzie, G. Robinson.  
 Trafalgar.....W. B. Danard.  
 Nassagaweya.....H. Wilkinson.  
 Nelson.....J. B. Kershaw.  
 H. Wilkinson, Chairman.

MOUNT FOREST DISTRICT

Mount Forest.....J. Elliott.  
 Durham.....R. Walker.  
 Walkerton.....W. Willimott, J. W. Dochstader.  
 Artemesia & Osprey.....J. J. A. Bever.  
 Paisley.....W. Preston.  
 Mulmer.....J. Rawson.  
 W. Preston, Chairman.

MONTREAL DISTRICT.

Montreal.....S. B. Grundy, G. Jackson.  
 Dunham.....W. Peck.  
 Bolton.....T. L. Wilkinson, C. Barltrop.  
 Brome.....J. S. Orr.  
 S. B. Grundy, Chairman.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.

Owen Sound.....R. J. Tyler, one wanted.  
 Holland.....J. Baskerville, one wanted.  
 Holland East.....T. Jackson.

H. Leith.  
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*Arran*.....F. G. Weaver.  
*Southampton*.....R. Redeoff.  
*Meaford*.....T, Hamilton.  
*Colpoy's Bay*.....J. McGuire.  
 R. J. Tyler, Chairman.

## PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT.

*Milford*.....E. Holmes.  
*Bay of Quinte*.....A. Burns.  
*Hillier*.....R. Johnston.  
 E. Holmes, Chairman.

## TORONTO DISTRICT.

*Toronto*.....J. H. Robinson, W. McClure.  
*Aurora*.....G. Brown, W. Grandy.  
*Penville*.....R. N. Hill.  
*Brock*.....A. B. Demill.  
 W. McClure, Chairman.

## WATERFORD DISTRICT.

*Waterford*.....W. Williams, A. B. Walker.  
*Malahide*.....E. Kershaw.  
*Middleton*.....C. Shaw, J. B. Goodspeed.  
*Bayham*.....E. F. Brown.  
*Dereham*.....J. Shuttleworth.  
*Norwich*.....W. Webb.  
 J. Shuttleworth, Chairman.

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# Statistics of the Connexion.

CIRCUITS.	Do. Building		Parsonages		Classes		Congregations		Circuit Preachers		Local Preachers		Members		On Trial		Members of Congregations		Deaths		Removals		Sunday Schools		S. S. Scholars		S. S. Teachers		Chapel & Parsonage Fund		Estimated Val. of Chapel and Parsonage Property		Contingent Fund		Paternal Fund		Benevolent Fd.		Mission Fund.	
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Clarke	3	1	1	1	6	7	1	1	122	700	3	6	3	180	20	2	02	1400	00	2	48	2	76	2	54	129	80	...												
Lindsay	3	1	1	1	4	6	1	1	61	310	1	1	1	40	3	1	50	2800	00	2	00	2	84	1	20	45	61	...												
Milford	2	1	1	1	8	9	1	4	124	21	515	1	3	2	60	9	1	00	875	00	1	10	2	80	1	15	108	10	...											
Prince Edward	5	1	1	1	4	9	1	2	125	670	3	5	4	19	19	2	00	2200	00	2	00	2	00	3	15	69	52	...												
Laxton	1	1	1	1	8	9	1	1	59	250	5	250	1	1	1	1	65	150	00	61	78	1	78	1	99	74	63	...												
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J. BELL.....	Lambeth.
J. SEYMOUR.....	Straffordville.
J. WILKINSON.....	Norwich.
O. WHITCOMB.....	Straffordville.
J. HISTON.....	Copetown.
J. PECK.....	Picton.
J. GADDIS.....	Bervie.
W. BOTHWELL..	
W. McCLURE ..	Toronto.
T. M. JEFFERIS.....	Leeds, England.
J. SCOTT .....	Waterdown.
H. HALL.....	Arran.



## RESOLUTIONS OF CONFERENCE.

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1. That the Rev. J. B. Kershaw be President of Conference.

2. That the Rev. W. Williams be Clerk of Conference.

3. That the Rev. James White be the Recording Secretary.

4. That the Rev. J. R. Gundy be Conference Reporter.

5. That the Revs. J. Caswell, D. Savage and J. McAllister, with Brethren B. Hopkins and J. Bennett, be a Committee on division and increase of Circuits.

6. That the resignations of the Re-s. J. A. Miller and J. J. Lutze be accepted.

7. The report of the Committee on the increase and division of Circuits having been received, it was resolved—

(1.) That this Conference cannot at present recommend a division of the Lindsay Circuit, but it does recommend that for the present year the minister should reside in the country part of the Circuit.

(2.) That the Prince Edward Circuit be divided, the eastern part to be called the Bay of Quinte Circuit, the western to be called the Hillier Circuit; the Quarterly Meeting of the latter to be attended by the minister of the former Circuit; and that the parsonage property be sold, and the proceeds divided between the two sections.

(3.) That the Goderich Circuit be divided, the country appointments to form a new Circuit, to be called the Goderich South Circuit, provided the Missionary and Stationing Committee can meet the exigency.

(4.) That this Conference having heard with much attention and sympathy the statement of a number of friends in Marlborough, who make application for the renewed occupancy of that ground by us, resolves that, if practicable, their request be granted.

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8. That each Circuit and Mission, together with the minister in charge, be responsible for the mission money asked of them by the Mission Committee. That in any case the grants made by this Conference shall be paid only in proportion as the funds furnished to Conference shall allow; and should there be a deficiency of income in our Mission Fund in any year, said deficiency shall be a first charge on the resources of the following year; and that the Treasurer of the Mission shall pay no monies for any purpose until said deficiencies are liquidated.

9. That the best thanks of the Conference be presented to Thos. Lottridge, Esq., for his long and faithful services as Treasurer of the Connexion, that we deeply sympathize with him in the painful affliction which has incapacitated him for the office, and pray that the remainder of his days may be spent in the enjoyment of the Divine favour and the blissful hope of eternal life.

10. That the Circuits be instructed to take up subscriptions on behalf of the Paternal Fund, in addition to the usual collection, and that the Discipline, page 66, sec. 2, on the subject of the subscriptions to the Superannuated Ministers' Fund be enforced.

11. That the Rev. J. H. Robinson be the Treasurer of the Paternal Fund.

12. That the request of the Rev. H. Hall to retire from the itinerancy be accepted, that his name be placed on the list of supernumeraries, and that this Conference accords him its best wishes for his usefulness and happiness in serving our Church in the locality which he may choose for his future residence.

13. That the Nassagaweya Circuit be credited with \$25, missionary money, which was abstracted from a registered letter on its way to Toronto, and that \$4 contained in the same letter, remitted by Rev. D. Savage for the *Evangelical Witness*, be credited to the subscribers who sent it.

14. That the Revs. Henry Wilkinson and James Caswell, with Messrs. B. Hopkins, W. Latimer and J. Bennett, be the Stationing Committee.

15. That Bro. Redeoff's name be placed in the hands of the Stationing Committee for re-appointment.

16. That the Rev. J. C. Seymour be allowed a year for his services since the last Conference.

17. That the Rev. James Shaw write the address to the Canadian Connexion next year.

18. That the Rev. W. Cocker, D.D., deliver the ordination charge at the present Conference, instead of the Rev. D. D. Rolston.

19. That this Conference deeply regrets that, after the failure of the Waterdown Missionary Meeting (owing to the inclemency of the weather), Bro. Scott did not bring the matter before the congregations, or otherwise take proper steps to raise the missionary money assessed on the Waterdown Circuit; and that Bro. Scott be required to pay one-half of the deficiency of mission assessment upon said Circuit, and that the said Circuit be kindly requested to devise some means to raise the balance.

20. That the thanks of this Conference be tendered to those kind friends who have so heartily received into their homes the members of this Conference, and have done so much for the comfort and pleasure of all whose lot has for the present been cast amongst them, and we earnestly pray that the Divine blessing may rest upon those families, and that they may realize in an abundant manner the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

21. That the Rev. E. Holmes write the address to the English Conference next year.

22. That the Rev. E. F. Brown receive the thanks of the Conference for his services as Registrar of Baptisms during the past year, and that he be re-appointed; that he also receive \$10 per year for his services in that department, including the past year.

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23. That the Rev. James Scott having explained the circumstances under which he promised his subscription to the Connexional Debt, and it appearing that there was a mis-apprehension on his mind when he promised it, the Conference accepts his explanations and his offer of a personal liability to the extent of \$20.

24. That this Conference having heard Bro. Henderson's application to be allowed to attend an Educational Institution during the present year, regrets that the exigencies of our work will not allow us to grant it.

25. The Ministerial Association of Montreal having called the attention of this Conference to the appointment of a day of united prayer for the children and youth of our Educational Institutions, and having suggested the last Thursday in February, that being the day observed throughout the United States, this Conference resolves that our churches be recommended to observe the day above mentioned for the important object referred to.

26. That this Conference hails with delight and gratitude the views of the wonderful display of divine grace made in the progress and success of the Missions of our beloved parent body in China. We, therefore, unite with our brethren in England in praise and thanksgiving to God and kind congratulations to our honoured brethren engaged in that field of labour. May the door thus opened become the entrance for millions into the fold of Christ. As an expression of our cordial sympathy, we beg the acceptance by the Secretary of our Foreign Missions of the small sum of £50 sterling for this distant Mission field; we only ask in return an annual direct acknowledgment from the Rev. John Innocent, in charge of that Mission, to the General Superintendent of our Missions in Canada.

27. That the Conference offers its most hearty thanks to the Rev. Dr. Cocker for the valuable, comprehensive and eloquent charge which he delivered on the occasion of the ordination of the Revs. J. T. Pitcher and J. W.

Dochstader, and that we earnestly request the publication of the address in pamphlet form, for the benefit of our own people and the Christian public generally.

28. That the thanks of this Conference be given to the Rev. W. Cocker, for his kind and liberal offer to deliver a lecture in some of the Circuits which he may visit, for the benefit of the Chapel Fund, and accepts it.

29. Certain brethren having expressed an unwillingness to pay the assessment of last year, resolved, that those brethren be respectfully requested to pay said sums, it being understood that the action of last Conference in this case was taken in view of the extreme exigencies of the case, and is not to be considered as a precedent in the future.

30. That the Auditing Committee for the present year be the Rev. G. Brown and Robert Wilkes, Esq., and that the attention of that Committee be directed to the General Funds of the Connexion, the Connexional Debt and all matters relating to it.

31. That the Cavan District be divided—the Milford, Hillier and Bay of Quinte Circuits to form the Prince Edward District, the rest of the Circuits to form the Cavan District.

32. That the Revs. T. L. Wilkinson and J. C. Seymour be appointed to draft a reply to the fraternal address received from the Conference of the Primitive Methodist Church in Canada.

33. That the best thanks of this Conference be tendered to the Rev. W. Cocker, D.D., for the able and effective manner in which he has discharged the duties of President of Conference during the past year.

34. That the best thanks of this Conference are hereby tendered to the Rev. James Shaw, for his services as Secretary during the past year.

35. That the address to the Canadian Connexion be received and adopted.

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36. That this Conference, receiving with feelings of cordial approval and high appreciation the address of the Montreal Temperance Society, has pleasure in expressing its sympathy with the noble efforts of that body, and would impress upon our people the necessity of greater exertion in promoting the interests of the Temperance cause, and will pledge ourselves to increased effort in this direction.

37. A communication having been received from the Congregational Union, it was resolved that Rev. W. McClure be our representative to the Congregational Union meeting, to be held in Hamilton, June, 1868, and that the Secretary acknowledge receipt of their communication, and inform them of the action taken.

38. That the thanks of this Conference be tendered to the Financial Secretary, W. Latimer, Esq., for his services during the past year, and that he be re-appointed.

39. That this Conference learns with deep regret that our esteemed brother, the Rev. T. M. Jefferies, long a devoted and faithful minister among us, is compelled on account of physical infirmity to retire at once from the duties of our itinerancy; that we accord to our dear brother our sympathies in his affliction, and earnestly pray, that if consistent with the Divine will, his health may be restored. Having heard of his return to England with the view of spending his remaining days there, this Conference cordially recommends him to the confidence and affection of the ministers and members of our community in that country.

40. That this Conference reiterates its high appreciation of the valuable services of the Rev. W. McClure, as director of the studies and examiner of our probationers; that he be re-appointed to that office for the ensuing year, and that he receive the sum of £25 sterling as a remuneration.

41. That the Executive Committee consist of Rev. J. H. Robinson, and Brethren W. Latimer, J. Bennett, R.

Wilkes and J. Armstrong, with the General Superintendent and President being members *ex officio*.

42. That the best thanks of this Conference are hereby tendered to the Rev. Dr. Cocker, for the valuable service he has rendered our Church in this Province in his official capacity as General Superintendent of Missions. Especially would we record our appreciation of his visits to many of our Circuits during the past year, and earnestly pray that his health may be preserved, so that he may be enabled to continue such visitations, and thus exercise a personal oversight over the whole of our work.

43. That this Conference feels called upon to record its unabated confidence in our esteemed brother, the Rev. J. H. Robinson, and expresses its gratitude to him for the valuable services which he has rendered to the Connexion in the multifarious duties he has discharged, as Editor of the *Evangelical Witness*, General Financial Agent of the Connexion, as well as supplying the Toronto pulpit during the past year.

44. That the Rev. J. H. Robinson be requested to act as Financial Agent for the Mission, Chapel and Contingent Funds, during the ensuing year.

45. That the thanks of the Conference are hereby tendered to the Rev. W. McClure, for the effectual aid rendered the Connexion by his assistance in the publication of the *Evangelical Witness*.

46. That the thanks of this Conference are most respectfully tendered to the Managing Directors of the Northern Railway, the Great Western Railway and the Grand Trunk Railway, respectively, for their courtesy in passing the members of this Conference over their several lines at reduced fares, and that the Secretary transmit a copy of this resolution to each of the said parties.

47. That the question of union be left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

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48. That those brethren and Circuits having paid the extra assessment laid upon them by last Conference have their names credited in the Missionary Report for the ensuing year.

49. That this Conference records its thanks to the Rev. G. Brown and the Committee of Management who have been most unremitting in their efforts for their comfort and convenience.

50. That our next Conference be held in London, on the first Wednesday in June, 1866.

51. That the thanks of the Conference be presented to the Conference messenger.

52. That the thanks of this Conference be given to the Rev. T. Goldsmith for his valuable services in supplying the London pulpit in the absence of our ministers appointed to that station.

53. That the thanks of Conference be given to the Recording Secretary.

54. That the thanks of Conference be given to the Conference Reporter.

55. That the thanks of the Conference be given to the President for the able and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office during this Conference.

56. That the thanks of the Conference be presented to the Clerk of Conference for the very satisfactory manner in which he has discharged his duties.

#### EVANGELICAL WITNESS.

57. That the accounts of the Publishing Committee be received and adopted, and that the members of that Committee receive the thanks of this Conference for their valuable services during the past year.

58. That the thanks of this Conference be presented to the Rev. J. H. Robinson for his valuable services as Editor and that he be re-appointed.

59. That the Revs. J. H. Robinson, D. Savage, W. McClure and W. Tindall, with Dr. Salter, J. Plummer



and Wm. Saunders be the Publishing Committee for the present year.

60. That one half of the profits of the *Witness* go to the Superannuated Ministers' Fund and the other half to the Mission Fund for the present year.

61. That the order for our Hymn Books be left in the hands of the Publishing Committee.

### CHAPELS AND PARSONAGES.

62. That a grant of \$500 be made for the purpose of erecting a chapel in Ingersoll, said sum to be paid in such time and under such circumstances as the Executive Committee deem most convenient.

63. That a grant not exceeding \$600 be made for the purpose of erecting a chapel in St. Catherines, said sum to be paid in such time and under such conditions as the Executive Committee deem most convenient.

64. That this Conference empower the Trustees of the Eleventh Line Chapel on the Dereham Circuit to dispose of that property, the proceeds to be applied in liquidation of the debt on the Parsonage.

65. This Conference regrets the position in which the Trustees of Mount Forest Church are placed and will be glad to co-operate with them in getting out their deed, and will pay the expense of any application to chancery that may be necessary, but has no funds at present to advance in this case.

66. That in order to increase the annual income of the Chapel Fund it be enjoined on each minister in charge to take up a collection in aid of this Fund in all of the Appointments on his Circuit.

67. That as we are destitute of funds to meet the request of the Omemee Circuit we must decline it for the present; should funds however be available in the future we will entertain it with pleasure.

68. That the case of the Norwich Parsonage be referred to the Chapel Committee.

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69. That the costs of the Ainleyville law suit be paid by the Conference, and that the question of the cemetery be left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

70. That this Conference authorize the Trustees of the Strathroy property to dispose of it for the purpose of building a Parsonage on that Circuit.

71. That the Preacher on the Ingersoll Circuit be permitted to collect a subscription on the Dereham and London Circuits to assist in building a chapel in that town.

72. That the case of the Haldimand Chapel be left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

73. That the Trustees of the property in Orford, Howard Circuit, be permitted to return it to Mr. Wm. McLaren.

74. That the case of the Chapel on the Artemesia Circuit be left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

75. That the request in behalf of the Hespeler Chapel for \$100 be recommended to the favourable consideration of the Executive Committee as a special case.

76. That the best thanks of this Conference be presented to the Rev. Thomas Ogden for his pecuniary assistance in connection with the Kitley Parsonage, and that the Secretary forward this resolution to Bro. Ogden.

#### SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

77. That this Conference, as in former times, would again express its earnest convictions in relation to the sanctity and strict observance of the Sabbath day, set apart by the Great Head of the Church for the most glorious and blessed purposes, both in relation to the concerns of time and the destinies of eternity, we view with serious apprehension any infringements on its holy obligations or laxity in its thorough observance; we look with special alarm at the movement at present in progress in the Fatherland, which under special pretence of supplying agreeable recreation to the working classes,

really undermines the foundation of this noble and most beneficent institution and would inevitably, if pursued to its legitimate results, produce in England the appalling spectacle presented in France, a Sabbath dishonoured and prohibited, to the certain ruin of men and the high displeasure of heaven; most earnestly do we desire and pray that our people will guard with holy jealousy and ceaseless vigilance and observe with faithful strictness this divinely ordained institution.

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE SUPERANNUATED PREACHERS' SOCIETY.

This Society met at 10 a. m., on Wednesday, June 12th, 1867.

1. That the Rev. J. B. Kershaw take the chair.
2. That the Rev. J. C. Seymour be the Secretary.
3. That in future we require each minister in charge to carry out the disciplinary rule in relation to taking up collections for the Superannuated Preachers' Fund in each congregation subject to the usual fine imposed for negligence in such cases and that the nature and object of this Fund be carefully explained to the people.
4. That the resignation of Rev. D. Bettis as a member of this Society be accepted.
5. That the Rev. T. M. Jefferis having received a superannuated relation from the Conference, and having ascertained his intention of removing to England, we permit him to receive his claim, and it be remitted to him on condition of his furnishing each Conference the usual certificate of character from the Circuit where he resides.
6. That the best thanks of this Society be presented to Brother Thomas Lottridge for his long and faithful services as Treasurer.
7. That the application of the Rev. James Gaddis be referred to the Directors of this Society.

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8. That the Rev. J. H. Robinson be appointed Manager and Treasurer of the Society, with an allowance of \$25 to meet expenses.

9. That the Revs. G. Brown and J. Cleaver be the Directors of this Society.

10. That the Directors meet on the Tuesday before Conference to prepare a report to be laid before the Annual Meeting at Conference.

11. That the claims of Rev. W. Robinson be granted and that the funeral expenses of his wife be paid.

12. That the Rev. W. Birks receive his claim from the Fund for his children according to Resolution 20, Section 17 of Discipline.

13. That the unfinished business of the Society be left in the hands of the Directors.

ADDRESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE TO THE  
MEMBERS OF THE METHODIST NEW CONNEXION  
CHURCH OF CANADA.

BELOVED BRETHREN IN CHRIST:—

We, your representatives in conference assembled, would kindly and earnestly address you on a few points which are of equal and vital importance to our whole connexion, both lay and clerical, trusting that you will receive our suggestions in the same spirit in which they are presented.

For your encouragement in the important work in which you have all been engaged, viz: The establishment and extension of the Redeemer's kingdom in this the land of our birth or adoption,—we are glad to be able to state that the past year has been one of almost unprecedented success.

The interposition of a graciously superintending Providence in guiding and controlling our connexional affairs, has never been more manifest than during the past ecclesiastical year.

“ Guide us, O thou great Jehovah,”

is still our daily earnest prayer.

The questions brought before our Conference for consideration have been very freely discussed, sometimes calling forth most animated debate. We are happy to state that all has been done with much good feeling. It would have been a blessing if the whole connexion could have attended those sittings. As this is impossible, however desirable, we strongly recommend every circuit to make it a consideration of the utmost importance to be fully represented in our annual Conference. We will doubtless leave this place wiser and better men, more encouraged, and better prepared to enter upon the glorious work assigned us by the great head of the church. Our religious services have been seasons of refreshing from the presence of the Lord.

The stationing committee have succeeded in meeting your wishes as circuits far beyond our most sanguine expectations. For this we wish to express our devout thankfulness, trusting that each minister has found his providential field of labor. We recommend them to your prayers and hearty co-operation. Give them your sympathy and support, without which their usefulness must be greatly curtailed.

Be diligent in your attendance upon all our means of grace, remembering that the path of duty is the only one in which you can expect to be safe.

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There has been an increase in all our connexional funds, proving that you have paid as well as prayed.

This is as it should be. We are stewards. God is the proprietor. When we are called to give an account of our stewardship, may we hear him say, "Well done, good and faithful servants, enter ye into the joy of the Lord." There is yet room, however, for improvement in this department.

We specially urge the claims of our Mission, Chapel and Beneficent funds.

Dr. Cocker, our esteemed general Superintendent, has generously offered to deliver lectures on the various circuits, in behalf of the chapel fund; give him your hearty support.

We are pleased to notice the large increase in local preachers, and Sabbath Schools. We interpret these as signs of activity and zeal amongst you. Go on and prosper, brethren, sow the seed in those infant hearts; there never was, nor never will be a more fruitful soil. Have faith and patience, God will give the increase even an hundred fold.

Encourage revivals, remember that no church ever maintained its own ground, to say nothing of advancement, without frequent revivals of religion. Encourage and support each other, socially and secularly. Let harmony and unity prevail among you. Do not retain the unworthy among your ranks. Remember that one foe within is more dangerous than an hundred without. Do not err in supposing that rank and wealth are essentially necessary in building up the church. Christ did not choose the rich and great to found the church.

Guard against too much change. Never plant your standard where you do not intend to stand by it forever.

Know your enemies and guard against them, viz: Popery, Ritualism, Intemperance, etc., etc. Above all things cultivate personal piety. Have a place and time for secret prayer. Let no family be without a family altar, around which all may gather morning and evening to worship the God of our fathers. Cultivate toward all men the kindest feeling, especially those who are attached to any branch of the Christian church, if they give proof of the genuineness of their faith.

Finally, brethren, never think of ceasing to labor until you cease to live. If you ever feel discouraged, go to the word of God, and read the promises recorded there, remembering that they are all yea and amen to those that believe.

JAMES B. KERSHAW, PRESIDENT.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, SECRETARY.

## ADDRESS OF THE CANADIAN CONFERENCE TO THE ENGLISH CONFERENCE.

BELoved FATHERS AND BRETHREN,—

We feel it would be matter for profound regret should our customary annual message to you from this field of our common operations ever degenerate into a mere detail of routine, but hope that—as now, so ever—in thus addressing you, from the abundance of the heart the mouth may speak.

Many precious bonds serve to establish a community of feeling and interest between us. Partakers alike of a personal salvation, we are one in Christ Jesus. Sympathizing in our views of Christian truth and doctrine, we hold fast the same form of sound words; and in our acceptance of Scriptural guidance for the regulation of the affairs of Christ's Church we are further agreed. Personal friendships also largely contribute to that unity of spirit in which we feel joined to yourselves. Two respected brethren of your ranks had successively the oversight of the work in this land; their names are household words amongst us, their influence is still felt in our borders. Other dear brethren now bearing the burden and heat of the day with you once labored side by side with us. Others of your number some of us have seen in the flesh, have seen to respect and love. Still, a large proportion of the members of both our Conferences must expect to be personally strangers to one another in time. Our first meeting, face to face, will be where "a great multitude, which no man can number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, shall stand before the throne and before the Lamb." Till then

Love us, though far in flesh disjoined,  
Ye followers of the Lamb,  
And ever bear us on your mind,  
Who think and speak the same.

You on our minds we ever bear,  
Whoe'er to Jesus bow,  
Stretch out the arms of faith and prayer,  
And lo! we reach you now.

We have cause for devout thanksgiving that we meet as a Conference under circumstances that contrast so favorably with those of our last year's gathering. *Then*, our land was wet with the freshly spilled blood of brave men fallen in their country's defence; consternation had seized the public mind; the

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passions of war were let loose. *Now*, we meet to feel we are a people "at rest and quiet." The battle cry and call to arms of twelve months' since are heard not amongst us. Danger then felt to be near has been succeeded by a grateful sense of security; and the hour that brings to you this our message of brotherly greeting will also communicate the important fact that as a people we are taking position—worthy position we hope it may prove—amongst the nations of the earth. "Righteousness," saith the Word of the Lord, "exalteth a nation." In this view our work as a Christian community we feel to be of paramount, of vital importance. Our mission in common with that of other churches is to leaven society with the truth—that truth of which its divine embodiment declared that as men knew it, it would make them free. O may we, in separating to our several fields of privileged toil, be baptized for our God's assigned work of "spreading Scriptural holiness over this land." May we go forth to shine as lights in the world in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation.

We gratefully acknowledge the encouragement and aid we are ever receiving from you in the fulfilment of these our obligations. The annual grants appropriated to Canada from your General Mission Fund, strengthen our hands to an extent you cannot, at so great a geographical distance from us, appreciate. Nor less do we value the assistance rendered us through the good offices of your representative, the worthy Superintendent of this Mission. We have received him from you as from God. His brotherly bearing and wise suggestions have given increased interest and efficiency to our Conferential deliberations and decisions, and his visits and ministrations on many of our Circuits during the year have been accepted by us as most timely and valuable. For the onerous responsibilities of his position may the "arms of his hands be made strong by the hands of the mighty God of Jacob."

We regard it also as matter for grateful recognition that we are still favored with the presence and sojourn amongst us of the late Superintendent of this Mission, and that we are thus permitted to avail ourselves of the counsels and services of one whom we honor for his work's sake.

The reports which have reached you of the measure of success attending the employment of our evangelic agencies during the year must have gladdened your hearts. Though we cannot report as large accessions to our membership as our hearts could have desired, we feel thankful for that enlargement of our borders, which the statistical returns of this Conference indicate.

It is also noteworthy as a sign of improvement amongst us that many of our Circuits are according a much more generous



remuneration to ministerial labor than heretofore. In this particular the former times most certainly were *not* better than these. "The liberal have been devising liberal things and by liberal things they shall stand."

We have hailed with delight and gratitude the story of gospel triumph which has reached us from dark and degraded China, that far distant field of your missionary operations; in this as in all your successes, your glory is our glory, your joy is our joy. We beg to call your attention to a resolution in the Minutes of our present proceedings expressive of our sympathy with you in the undertaking you have there so nobly enterprized and are so nobly sustaining.

Our spirits have been truly refreshed by the cordial advances which, under the leadership of your venerated President, have been made by you as a people toward other sections of the great Methodist family. We long for the day when in your land, in our land and in all lands—the scattered tribes of our Methodist Israel shall be gathered together—to be "one fold under one shepherd."

The discussions of our present Conference in the disposal of its business have been marked by unusual vigor, not wanting, however, we trust, in a spirit of brotherly forbearance. Our religious services have been made precious by the Master's presence.

Nor do we fail to remember you—beloved fathers and brethren—in our approaches to the throne of grace, met in council as you are, at the same time with ourselves, that God would direct you into the knowledge of His will. With earnest prayer that he would "create upon every dwelling place of your Zion and upon her assemblies a cloud, and smoke by day, and the shining of a flaming fire by night, and that upon all your glory there may be a defence." We subscribe ourselves yours, in the bonds of a common salvation,

(Signed,)

J. B. KERSHAW, CHAIRMAN.  
W. WILLIAMS, SECRETARY.

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GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE CHAPEL AND PARSONAGE FUND.

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COLLECTED FROM CIRCUITS.

Cavan, 6 96; Man- vers, 3 25; Clarke, 2 02; Lindsay, 1 50; Milford, 1 00; Prince Edward, 2 00; Laxton, 65c; Ome- mee, 80c.....	\$18 18
Cayuga, 1 25; Dunn- ville, 1 95; Haldimand, 1 20; Caledonia, 2 26; Louth, 98c; Pelham, 2 44	10 08
Goderich, 1 70; Ain- leyville, 1 57; Bodmin, 1 67; Harriston, 3 99; Howick, 1 09; Ashfield, 1 20.....	11 22
Hamilton, 1 70; An- caster, 8 92; Waterdown, 1 00; Barton, 5 95; Galt, 1 75; New Hope, 3 53..	22 85
Lansdown, 2 00; Eliza- bethtown, 80c; Oxford, 1 03; Crosby, 2 63; Kit- ley, 2 00; Smith's Falls, 99c.....	9 42
London, 6 25; London North, 2 75; Melbourne 2 58; Howard, 5 30; Tal- botville, 1 00; St. Mary's, 3 34; Adelaide, 2 45; In- gersoll, 2 80.....	26 47
Milton, 2 89; Erin, 7 31; Trafalgar, 3 00; Nassagaweya, 7 75; Nel- son, 1 50.....	22 45
Mount Forest, 1 60; Durham, 3 41; Walk- erton, 2 50; Artemesia & Osprey, 63c; Paisley, 1 20; Mulmer, 75c; Kin- cardine, 40c.....	10 49
Montreal, 5 75; Durham 50; Bolton, 2 53; Brome, 1 25.....	10 03
Owen Sound, 1 63; Holland, 1 25; Arran, 96c; Southampton, 1 21; Meaford, 1 00; Holland East,, 2 12; Colpoy's Bay, 30c.....	8 47
Toronto, 4 96; Aurora, 3 10; Penville, 1 25; Brock, 2 50.....	11 81
Waterford, 6 25; Mala- hide, 4 80; Middleton, 2 13; Bayham, 50c;	

Balance due Treasurer from last year.....	\$2315 97½
Interest on balance....	211 30
Interest on Southamp- ton chapel.....	41 60
Interest on loans from Beneficent Society ..	135 92
Law expenses to this account.....	25 20
Proportion of Bank Dis- counts.....	40 00
Insurance on Chapels..	63 75
Share of postages.....	2 00
Part of grant to Luck- now Chapel.....	50 00
Payment in full of grant to Walkerton.....	20 00
Half grant to Smith's Falls Parsonage.....	25 00
Paid Co. of Middlesex Building Society, final call.....	290 00
Paid Toronto Metropolitan Building Society, calls on loans on Dunn- ville and Caledonia churches.....	126 55
Subsequent Law ex- penses on this fund..	17 00
Financial Agent.....	25 00
	<u>\$3389 20½</u>

**GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE CHAPEL AND PARSONAGE FUND.**

DR.	1867.	CR.
Dereham, 4 06; Norwich 2 95.....	20 69	Brought forward.....
<b>Total from Circuits..</b>	<b>\$182 16</b>	<b>\$3389 29½</b>
Grant from Canada Mission Fund.....	120 00	
Receipts .....	302 16	
Grant from England....	647 67	
Charged last year by mistake .....	202 88½	
Applied from connexion- al debt income, being the amount of the bal- ance against this fund	2113 09	
Deficiency of this year's income charged to Mission Fund.....	123 49½	
	<b>\$3389 29½</b>	<b>\$3389 29½</b>

London, June 20, 1867.

J. H. ROBINSON, *Treasurer.*  
W. LATIMER, *Financial Sec.*

**GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE CONTINGENT FUND.**

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<b>Circuit Receipts :</b>		<b>Payments :</b>
Cavan, 6 16; Manvers, 4 15; Clarke, 2 48; Lindsay, 2 00; Milford 1 10; Prince Edward, 2 00; Laxton, 61c; Omeme, 75c.....	\$19 25	Kincardine, for furniture \$20 00 Mulmer, " " 15 00 Milford, " " 15 00 Frankville, " " 15 00 Prince Edward " 16 00 Registering Deed, Ox- ford Chapel..... 3 50 Registering Deed, Ade- laide..... 4 00 To Jas. Shaw, expenses on Sturdy's Church.. 7 50 Paid Financial Agent... 25 00
Goderich, 1 82; Ainley- ville, 1 35; Bodmin, 97c; Harriston, 4 37; Howick, 92c; Ashfield 87c.....	10 30	<b>\$121 00</b>
Hamilton, 1 10; Ancas- ter, 8 05; Waterdown 1 20; Barton, 4 00; Galt, 2 50; New Hope, 3 00.....	19 85	Insurance charged to this account..... 6 50
Cayuga, 1 44; Dunnville, 2 28; Haldimand, 1 04; Caledonia, 1 50; Louth, 1 20; Pelham, 2 17....	9 63	<b>\$127 50</b>
Lansdown, 2 88; Eliza- bethtown, 1 15; Ox- ford, 1 16; Crosby, 3 87; Kitley, 1 75; Smith's Falls, 1 06....	11 87	Portion of Ministers travelling expenses, charged to this fund.. 80 32
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St. Mary's, 6 09; Adelaide, 3 45; Ingersoll, 5 75.....	31 43	Brought forward..... \$207 82
Milton, 2 90; Erin, 7 05; Trafalgar, 3 00; Nassagaweya, 4 00; Nelson, 4 67.....	21 62	
Mount Forest, 2 82; Durham, 2 48; Walkerton 2 25; Artemesia and Osprey, 84c; Paisley, 1 09; Mulmer, 78c; Kincardine, 50c.....	10 76	
Montreal, 6 96; Durham, 41c; Bolton, 6 83; Brome, 2 50.....	16 70	
Owen Sound, 1 97; Holland, 3 15; Arran, 1 20; Southampton, 1 03; Meaford, 45c; Holland East, 2 70; Colpoys Bay, 28c.....	10 78	
Toronto, 4 00; Aurora, 6 00; Pennville, 1 40; Brock, 3 55.....	14 95	
Waterford, 9 00; Malahide, 2 65; Middleton, 5 25; Bayham, 5 25; Dereham, 3 48; Norwich, 2 90.....	28 53	
Total from Circuits. ...	\$205 67	
Balance in hand from last year.....	2 15	
	\$207 82	\$207 82

London, June 20, 1867.

J. H. ROBINSON, *Treasurer.*  
W. LATIMER, *Financial Sec.*

BENEFICENT FUND SUBSCRIPTION LIST.  
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MIDDLETON CIRCUIT.	
G T Marter.....	\$1 00
W Buckman.....	1 00
J Glover.....	1 00
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AURORA CIRCUIT.	
M A Hartman.....	\$1 00
T C Appleton.....	1 00
S P Irwin.....	1 00
W Barkley.....	0 75
S Siddons.....	0 25
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ST. MARY'S CIRCUIT.	
T. Tufts.....	1 00
Other Subscriptions....	2 50
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GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE PATERNAL FUND.

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RECEIPTS.	
Cavan, 6 18 ; Manvers, 5 55 ; Clarke, 2 75 ; Lindsay, 1 84 ; Milford, 2 80 ; P. Edward, 2 00 ; Laxton, 78 ; Omemee, 1 76 .....	\$23 66
Goderich, 2 28 ; Ainleyville, 1 97 ; Bodmin, 74c ; Harriston, 4 58 ; Howick, 1 50 ; Ashfield, 1 00.....	12 07
Hamilton, 1 30 ; Ancaster, 13 41 ; Waterdown, 76c ; Barton, 5 36 ; Galt, 1 25 ; New Hope, 3 20.....	25 28
Cayuga, 4 60 ; Dunnville 2 21 ; Haldimand, 97c ; Caledonia, 2 19 ; Louth 76 ; Pelham, 2 81.....	12 94
Lansdown, 2 00 ; Elizabethtown, 1 72 ; Oxford, 1 17 ; Crosby, 3 49 ; Kitley, 1 51 ; Smith's Falls, 89c.....	10 78
London, 6 89 ; London North, 5 00 ; Melbourn, 2 94 ; Howard, 3 80 ; Talbotville, 1 08 ; St. Mary's, 5 01 ; Adelaide, 1 50 ; Ingersoll, 4 75.....	30 97
Milton, 2 54 ; Erin, 5 67 ; Trafalgar, 3 00 ; Nassagaweya, 2 75 ; Nelson, 3 18.....	17 14
Mt. Forest, 1 74 ; Durham, 3 14 ; Walkerton, 3 50 ; Artemesia, 1 09 ; Paisley, 1 00 ; Mulmer, 1 56 ; Kincardine, 46c.	12 49
Montreal, 6 97 ; Dunham, 93 ; Bolton, 2 90 ; Brome, 3 05.....	13 85
Owen Sound, 3 01 ; Holland, 2 50 ; Arran, 63 ; Southampton, 1 31 ; Meaford, 59c ; Holland East, 1 71 ; Colpoy's Bay, 24.....	9 99
Toronto, 4 04 ; Aurora, 3 25 ; Penville, 1 30 ; Brock, 3 30.....	11 89
Waterford, 7 00 ; Malahide, 1 98 ; Middleton, 1 78 ; Bayham, 1 50 ; Dereham, 5 08 ; Norwich, 1 50.....	18 84
Total receipts from Circuits.....	199 90
Grant from Mission fund	120 00
Total income .....	\$319 90

PAYMENTS.	
D. Auld.....	\$3 90
James Baskerville .....	10 40
D. Bettes.....	8 45
W. Birks.....	9 10
G. Brown .....	3 90
E. F. Brown.....	5 85
G. Buggin.....	7 80
J. Caswell.....	9 75
J. Cleaver.....	5 85
A. F. Dempsey.....	3 90
S. F. Depew.....	1 95
W. B. Dainard.....	1 95
J. Elliott.....	1 95
J. Follick.....	3 90
T. Fox.....	3 90
S. B. Gundy.....	9 75
J. R. Gundy.....	1 95
F. Haynes.....	9 10
R. N. Hill .....	7 15
J. Hill.....	5 85
E. Holmes .....	3 90
H. Hall.....	1 95
A. Y. Hartley.....	3 90
J. Hocking.....	3 90
T. M. Jefferies.....	8 45
T. Jackson.....	1 95
J. B. Kershaw.....	7 15
E. Kershaw.....	7 80
J. McAllister.....	3 90
J. A. Miller.....	9 10
W. H. Moss.....	1 95
J. J. A. Lever.....	1 95
W. Preston .....	10 40
W. Peck.....	1 95
R. Paintin .....	1 95
T. Reid.....	5 20
D. D. Rolston.....	10 40
J. Rawson.....	5 85
G. Richardson.....	1 95
J. S. Orr.....	3 90
C. Shaw.....	5 85
J. C. Seymour.....	1 95
T. G. Weaver.....	10 40
W. Williams.....	5 85
Wm. Webb.....	12 65
J. Walker.....	7 80
R. Walker.....	1 95
W. Willmot.....	3 90
J. H. Fowler .....	5 85
D. Savage.....	11 70
J. Shaw.....	14 30
J. Scott.....	10 40
	<u>307 45</u>
Over paid last year.....	6 57
Balance in hand.....	5 88
	<u>\$319 90</u>

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GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND.

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CAVAN DISTRICT.

RECEPPTS.

Cavan.....	\$249 00
Manvers.....	198 70
Clarke.....	129 80
Lindsay.....	50 00
Milford.....	106 93
Prince Edward.....	69 52½
Laxton.....	74 68
Omemece.....	156 03

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PAYMENTS.

Rev. W. Williams and N. A. McDiarmid.....	\$141 00
Rev. G. Buggin and G. Jackson.....	78 70
Rev. J. J. Wilson.....	109 80
Rev. A. Burns.....	30 00
Rev. E. Holmes.....	256 93
Rev. H. Wilkinson.....	19 52½
Rev. S. F. Depew.....	264 68
J. R. Gundy.....	196 03

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CAYUGA DISTRICT.

Cayuga.....	\$87 30½
Dunnville.....	75 50
Haldimand.....	60 00
Caledonia.....	62 10½
St. Catherines.....	60 37
Pelham.....	84 14

\$429 42

Rev. A. Y. Hartley.....	\$107 30½
Rev. A. B. Demill.....	125 50
Rev. T. Hamilton.....	120 00
Rev. J. Rawson.....	112 10½
Rev. D. Smith.....	110 37
Rev. W. H. Moss.....	54 14

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GODERICH DISTRICT.

Goderich.....	\$174 10
Ainleyville.....	88 43½
Bodmin.....	64 53
Harriston.....	108 42
Howick.....	125 21
Ashfield.....	89 97

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Rev. J. Shaw.....	\$274 10
" A. F. Dempsey.....	148 43½
" J. Hocking.....	124 53
" D. M. McKenzie.....	128 42
" J. Elliott.....	115 21
" J. Walker.....	139 97

\$930 66½

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

Hamilton.....	\$60 05
Ancaster.....	205 92
Waterdown.....	11 63
Barton.....	97 00
Galt.....	64 49
New Hope.....	95 00

\$534 12

Rev. J. Cleaver.....	\$260 05
" G. Richardson and W. Smith.....	90 92
Rev. C. McKelvey.....	144 49
" E. Williams.....	75 00

\$670 46

JOHNSTOWN DISTRICT.

Lansdown.....	\$100 00
Elizabethtown.....	96 00
Oxford.....	53 01½
Crosby.....	114 39
Kitley.....	83 65½
Smith's Falls.....	93 76

\$540 82

Rev. D. Auld.....	\$80 00
" T. M. Jefferies.....	121 00
" T. Fox.....	103 01½
" C. Shaw.....	84 39
" J. H. Fowler.....	68 65½
" J. Bain.....	143 76

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STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND—CONTINUED.

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LONDON DISTRICT.

London .....	\$335 45	Rev. J. A. Miller, J. J. }	\$215 45
Nondon North .....	202 66	Lutz & J. C. Seymour }	
Melbourne.....	101 63	Rev. J. White and A. }	152 66
Howard.....	112 41	B. Walker.....	
Talbotville .....	95 36½	Rev. J. Follick.....	81 63
St. Mary's.....	247 84	" H. Leith.....	87 41
Adelalde.....	141 37½	" F. Haines.....	65 36½
Ingersoll.....	117 17	" D. D. Rolston and }	307 84
		W. Tindall .... }	
		Rev. J. Gundy.....	121 37½
		" J. Kay.....	122 16
	<u>\$1353 90</u>		<u>\$1153 90</u>

MILTON DISTRICT.

Milton .....	\$108 81	Rev. W. Birks .....	\$78 81
Erin .....	178 59	" T. Reid and G. }	113 59
Trafalgar.....	58 37	Robinson.....	
Nassagaweya.....	92 26½	Rev. D. Savage.....	27 26½
Nelson .....	129 07	" J. B. Kershaw....	49 07
	<u>\$567 10½</u>		<u>\$268 73½</u>

MOUNT FOREST DISTRICT.

Mount Forest.....	\$102 86	Rev. J. O'Hara .....	\$82 86
Durham .....	100 68	" R. Walker.....	130 68
Walkerton .....	150 82	" W. Willimott and }	180 82
Artemesia & Osprey....	78 67	W McCann.....	
Paisley .....	54 40	Rev. J. J. A. Leaver... }	138 67
Mulmer.....	81 44	" W. Preston.....	134 40
Kincardine.....	125 58	" T. Jackson.....	181 44
		" D. Bettis.....	285 58
	<u>\$704 45</u>		<u>\$1134 45</u>

MONTREAL DISTRICT.

Montreal.. .....	\$520 08	Rev. S. B. Gundy and }	\$580 08
Dunham .....	77 65	W. Henderson.....	
Bolton.....	117 63½	Rev R. Paintin.....	162 65
Brome.....	74 85	" T. L. Wilkinson }	177 63½
		and W. Peck.....	
		Rev. J. S. Orr.....	89 85
	<u>\$800 21½</u>		<u>\$1010 21½</u>

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.

Owen Sound.....	\$110 00	Rev. R. J. Tyler and }	\$160 00
Holland.....	113 76	C. Barltrop.....	
Arran .....	65 60½	Rev. J. Baskerville.... }	123 76
Southampton.....	45 00	" H. Hall.....	115 60½
Meaford.....	50 00	" J. B. Goodspeed.... }	125 00
Holland East.....	108 74	" F. G. Weaver.....	150 00
Colpoy's Bay .....	25 20	" J. H. Orme .....	153 74
		" J. McGuire.....	150 30
	<u>\$518 40½</u>		<u>\$983 40½</u>

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STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND—CONTINUED.

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TORONTO DISTRICT.		
Toronto.....	\$196 62	Rev. J. H. Robinson and J. Pitcher; and J. Cas- well on last year's acct } \$271 62
Aurora .....	197 54	Rev. George Brown.....
Penville.....	91 41	“ R. N. Hill.....
Brock .....	163 95	“ J. Shuttleworth... 103 95
	<u>\$649 52</u>	<u>\$729 52</u>
WATERFORD DISTRICT.		
Waterford.....	\$202 15	Rev. J. McAllister and G. F. Brown..... } 252 15
Malahide.....		Rev. J. Caswell and W. Gundy..... } 198 70
Middleton.....	108 70	Rev. W. Webb.....
Bayham .....	106 68	“ James Hill.....
Dereham.....	131 65	“ J. A. Wilkinson... 150 93
Norwich.....	75 93	
	<u>\$625 11</u>	<u>\$820 11</u>

SUBSCRIPTIONS OF MINISTERS TO MEET DEFICIENCIES.

Revs. W Williams, \$12 00; N A McDiarmid, 8 00; G Buggin & G Jackson, 20 00 J J Wilson, 12 00; G Holmes, 12 00; H Wilkin- son, 12 00; S F Depew, 12 00; J R Gundy; 12 00..	\$100 00	Brought Forward.....	\$484 00
Revs. J Shaw, 12 00; A F Dempsey, 12 00; J Hock- ing, 12 00; D McKenzie, 12; J Elliott, 12; J Walker, 12 00.....	72 00	Revs. W Birks, 12 00; T Reid, 12 00; G Robinson, 8 00; W B Danard, 12 00; D Savage, 12 00; J B Ker- shaw, 12 .....	68 00
Revs. J Cleaver, 12 00; Geo Richardson, 12 00; W Grandy, 8 00; C McKelvey 8 00; C Williams, 12 00.	52 00	Revs. J O'Hara, 12 00; R. Walker, 12 00; W Willi- mott, 12 00; J J Lever, 12 00; W Burton, 12 00; T Jackson, 12 00; D Bettis, 12 00.....	84 00
Revs. A Y Hartley, 12 00; A B Demill, 12 00; T Ham- ilton, 12 00; J Rawson, 12 00; D Smith, 12 00; W H Moss, 12 00.....	72 00	Revs. S B Gundy, 12 00; T Henderson, 8 00; R Pain- tin, 12 00; T L Wilkinson, 12 00; W Peck, 8 00; J S Orr, 12 00.....	64 00
Revs. D Auld 12 00; T M Jefferies, 12 00; T Fox, 12 00; C Shaw, 12 00; J H Fowler, 12 00; J Bain, 12 00.....	72 00	Revs. R J Tyler, 12 00; C Barltrop, 8 00; J Basker- ville, 12 00; H Hall, 12 00; J B Goodspeed, 12 00; F G Weaver, 12 00; J H Orme, 12; John McGuire, 8 00.....	88 00
London Circuit, 20 00; Revs. J White and A B Walker, 20 00; J Follick, 12 00; H Leith, 12 00; F Haynes, 12 00; D D Rollston, 12 00; W Tindall, 12 00; James Gundy, 8 00, J Kay, 8 00	116 00	J H Robinson, 12 00; J Pitcher, 8 00; G Brown, 12 00; J Shuttleworth, 12 00.....	44 00
		Revs. J McAllister, 12 00; E F Brown, 12 00; J Caswell 12 00; W Gundy, 12 00; W Webb, 12 00; J Hill, 12 00; J A Wilkinson, 12 00.....	84 00
Carried forward.....	<u>484 00</u>		<u>\$916 00</u>



RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.	
Cavan District.....	\$1034 66½
Cayuga do.....	429 42
Goderich do.....	650 66½
Hamilton do.....	534 12
Johnstown do.....	540 82
London do.....	1353 90
Milton do.....	567 10½
Mt. Forest do.....	704 45
Montreal do.....	800 21½
Owen S'd. do.....	518 40½
Toronto do.....	649 52
Waterford do.....	625 11
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Total receipts from Circuits .....	\$8408 39½
From Ministers' subscriptions.....	916 00
Share of English grant to this fund.....	2325 00
Legacy of the late Mrs. Branson.....	100 00
One half of the profits of <i>Witness</i> .....	35 00
Conference collections..	12 65
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Total receipts from all sources.....	\$11797 04½
Balance advanced by Treasurer.....	869 57
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Carried forward.....	\$12666 61½

PAYMENTS.	
Cavan District.....	\$1096 66½
Cayuga do.....	629 42
Goderich do.....	930 66½
Hamilton do.....	670 46
Johnstown do.....	600 82
London do.....	1153 90
Milton do.....	268 73½
Mt. Forest do .....	1134 45
Montreal do.....	1010 21½
Owen S'd. do.....	983 40½
Toronto .....	729 52
Waterford.....	820 11
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Total paid to Districts..	\$10028 36½
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MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS.	
Grant to Paternal Fund	120 00
Grant to Chapel Fund.	120 00
Interest on Loan from B. Society .....	121 27
Interest on Yorkville Church .....	20 33
Interest on Special Loan	55 00
Interest on Dunnville & Caledonia Churches..	115 79
Interest on Toronto Church.....	148 00
Interest on discounts..	110 00
Interest on temporary loans.....	13 00
Interest on loan to Lindsay and Ainleyville Churches.....	27 52
To express charges and telegrams .....	7 95
To Committee expenses	41 85
To printing Missionary Report & postage of do	182 00
To stationery for office	12 00
To class tickets (10,000)	18 00
To sinking Fund acct..	243 33
To Insurance Mission Stock .....	20 00
Discount on Silver....	46 53
Balance overpaid last year .....	230 60
Interest on do.....	26 45
Conference forms and notes .....	13 50
Interest on Mrs. Branson's legacy.....	29 00
Financial agent.....	50 00
Loss of remittance from Nassagaweya, abstracted from registered letter.....	25 00
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Carried forward.....	\$1897 12

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STATEMENT OF THE MISSION FUND—RECAPITULATION CONTINUED.

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Brought forward.....	\$1897 12
E F. Brown for registering Baptisms....	10 00
Proportion of postages.	36 96
Rev. W. McClure, Theological Tutor.....	125 00
Do postages and removal from London.....	10 00
Financial Secretary's expenses.....	12 00
Grant to Ainleyville Church, by order of Conference 1866 . . .	144 00
Do Lindsay, by do....	200 00
Deficiency of this year's income on chapel fund	123 49
Portion of Ministers' travelling expenses, 1866, charged to this fund.....	79 68
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Total miscellaneous payments.....	\$2638 25
Total paid to Districts..	10028 36½
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	\$12666 61½

London, June 20, 1867.

J. H. ROBINSON, Treasurer.  
W. LATIMER, Fin. Secretary.

SUPERANNUATED PREACHER'S FUND.

DR. 1867. CR.

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CURRENT ACCOUNT.	
<i>Circuit Collections.</i>	\$ c.
Cavan.....	4 40
Manvers .....	4 05
Clarke .....	2 55
Lindsay .....	0 00
Millford.....	1 15
Prince Edward..	3 15
Laxton .....	1 00
Omemees.....	1 68
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Goderich.....	1 45
Ainleyville .....	2 28
Bodmin.....	2 45
Harriston.....	6 26
Howick.....	1 00
Ashfield .....	75
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PAYMENTS TO ANNUITANTS.	
Rev. John Wilkinson.....	\$84 00
" John Histon.....	74 00
" James Seymour....	84 00
" Thomas Ogden.....	72 00
" James Bell.....	84 00
" Thomas Rump.....	48 00
" Wm. McClure.....	84 00
Mrs. Haigh.....	40 00
Three children last year, (9 months).....	27 00
Two children this year...	24 00
Manager's claim.....	25 00
J. C Warren.....	62 00
Mrs. Birk's funeral expenses.....	20 00
Rev. W. Birk's 4 children	48 00
Rev. W. Robinson.....	40 00
do do wife's funeral expenses.....	20 00
Mrs. Hale's annuity.....	40 00
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Carried forward.....	\$876 00

SUPERANNUATED PREACHERS' FUND—CONTINUED.  
1867.

Dr.	Cr.
Hamilton .....	1 40
Ancaster .....	9 72
Subscriptions .....	5 40
Waterdown .....	0 00
Barton .....	8 75
Galt .....	2 00
New Hope .....	3 07
	30 34
Cayuga .....	5 18
Dunville .....	2 33
Haldimand .....	1 04
Caledonia .....	2 98
St. Catherines .....	1 98
Pelham .....	3 03
	16 54
Lansdown .....	4 00
Elizabethtown .....	1 30
Oxford .....	1 05
Crosby .....	5 72½
Kitley .....	1 60
Smith's Falls .....	0 63
"    " last year...	0 40
	14 70½
London .....	8 00
London North .....	6 00
Melbourne .....	4 74
Howard .....	5 00
Talbotville .....	1 20
St. Mary's .....	13 35
Adelaide .....	4 15
Ingersoll .....	5 50
	47 94
Milton .....	4 22
Erin .....	9 18
Trafalgar .....	3 44
Nassagaweya .....	6 00
Nelson .....	7 35
	30 19
Mount Forest .....	4 19
Durham .....	3 01
Walkerton .....	3 50
Artemesia & Ospfey .....	0 69
Paisley .....	1 10
Mulmer .....	2 00
Kincardine .....	0 50
	14 99
	876 35
Brought forward .....	\$876 00
Registration and postage ..	0 35
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Discount on \$327 silver, at 4½ per cent. ....	14 71
Not accounted for .....	7 11
Balance on hand .....	345 89

Carried forward.....\$1244 06

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**SUPERANNUATED PREACHERS' FUND—CONTINUED.**

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Bolton.....	5 71	
Brome.....	3 13	
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Owen Sound.....	2 39	
Holland.....	1 25	
Arran.....	0 42	
Southampton.....	1 06	
Meaford.....	0 25	
Holland East.....	1 75	
Colpoy's Bay.....	0 26	
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Toronto (J.H.R. included)	4 82	
Aurora.....	11 00	
Penville.....	1 55	
Brock.....	9 00	
	26 37	
Waterford.....	12 86	
Malahide.....	3 70	
Middleton.....	5 62	
Bayham.....	6 18	
Dereham.....	4 34	
Norwich.....	3 00	
	\$273 38	

**PREACHERS' SUBSCRIPTIONS, &C.**

W. Williams.....	\$5 00
Note paid with interest...	21 12
George Brown.....	5 00
J. Hocking.....	5 00
J. Cleaver.....	5 00
A. Y. Hartley.....	5 00
G. Richardson.....	5 00
E. Williams.....	5 00
W. Birks.....	5 00
Interest.....	3 44
T. M. Jefferies.....	5 00
D. Smyth.....	7 68
W. H. Moss.....	5 00
Last year's subscription..	4 00
J. McAllister.....	5 00
Interest on Note.....	1 96
C. Shaw.....	5 00
J. C. Seymour.....	5 00
J. O'Hara, paid on Note of 1865.....	10 00

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SUPERANNUATED PREACHERS' FUND—CONTINUED.

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W. B. Danard.....	5 00
Interest on Note.....	1 60
J. S. Orr.....	5 00
R. Walker.....	5 00
J. Baskerville.....	5 00
Interest on Note.....	1 60
T. Jackson.....	38 40
W. Willimott.....	5 00
E. Holmes.....	5 00
Note paid with interest...	11 60
S. B. Gundy.....	5 00
Interest on Note.....	1 28
J. B. Kershaw.....	5 00
J. H. Fowler.....	8 00
W. McCann.....	4 00
James Gundy.....	4 00
Interest on Note.....	1 13
A. B. Walker.....	4 00
W. Tindall.....	5 00
Interest on Note.....	2 00
D. D. Rollston.....	10 00
C. Bartrop.....	4 00
J. Caswell.....	6 28
	\$256 09

Brought forward.....\$1244 06

RECEIPTS.

Ministers' subscriptions, &c.....	\$256 09
Circuit collections.....	273 38
<i>From Mr. Robinson:</i>	
Interest on Southampton Church.....	41 60
Interest on Loan, 1862....	62 92
“ “ 1863.....	73 00
“ Yorkville Loan.....	20 00
“ Mission Loan..	121 27
“ Witness “ ..	88 00
“ Note last Con- ference.....	13 80
Note last Conference.....	225 00
<i>Omitted last year:</i>	
J. H. Robinson's subscrip- tion.....	2 00
O. Blake. interest.....	16 00
J. S. Orr.....	16 00
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Portion of profits of <i>Witness</i>	35 00
	\$1244 06

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T. LOTTRIDGE, Treasurer.  
G. BROWN, Manager.

Aurora, June 13, 1867.

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GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE AUXILIARY FUND,

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RECEIVED FROM CONNEXIONAL DEBT EFFORT, AS FOLLOWS :

Canadian subsn's. paid..	\$3058 70
Old book stock sold.....	263 00
Grant from England, £300	
stg. produced.....	1437 77
Do, 1867, £200 stg. pro-	
duced .....	973 33
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	5732 80
Balance overpaid to date..	471 92

\$6204 72

NOTE.—In addition to the above balance of \$471 92, there are further claims on this fund amounting to \$2247 01, leaving the balance yet to be raised \$2718 93, exclusive of the agent's expenses of \$720.

London, June 20, 1867.

PER CONTRA-PAYMENTS.

Balance due on this fund	
at Conference 1865....	\$70 69
Balance overpaid on Sink-	
ing Fund to Conference	
1865.....	43 87
Deferred interest account	
to Conference 1865 ...	614 22
Paid Chapel Fund, old debt	2113 09
Paid acct. rendered pub-	
lishing committee, 1865,	
and accepted as correct	2140 95
Paid English book-room	
debt.....	500 00
Do. on Canadian book-	
room stock.....	721 90
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	\$6204 72

J. H. ROBINSON, Treasurer.  
W. LATIMER, Fin. Secretary.

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