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QUEBEC DIOCESAN COMMITTEE  
FOR THE YEAR 1841.

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The Right Revd. THE LORD BISHOP OF MONTREAL.

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The Honorable JOHN STEWART.  
The Honorable A. W. COCHRAN.

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WILLIAM McTAVISH, Esquire.

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Treasurer.

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N. FREER, Esquire,  
J. SEWELL, Esquire,  
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Mr. W. MORRIS.....	Acting Librarian

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MRS. CALDWELL,	MRS. MOUNTAIN,	MISS PYKE,
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# OBJECTS AND RULES

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THE subscribers to this Institution are earnestly requested to recommend it to the beneficence of their friends, who may not as yet have become contributors, by representing the importance of the charity, the conveniences which it affords to subscribers themselves, and the difficulty at the same time of meeting the expences which it unavoidably involves.

The following outline of the objects and the Rules of the Institution may be given for the purpose :—

1. The *Parent Society* at home, which has existed for nearly a century and a half, supports missions, or distributes, in a vast variety of languages, Bibles, Prayer Books and Tracts, or assists in the promotion of education and religious instruction, in every part of the immense British Empire, and in many other countries besides.

2. The funds raised in this province, however, through the generosity of the *Parent Society*, are confined to our own local purposes.

3. No regulation is imposed respecting the amount of contributions, except that to constitute any person a *Member of the Parent Society*, with the privilege of receiving the Annual Report of their proceedings, it is necessary to pay an annual subscription of 25s. A *Benefaction on admission* of the same amount, which had originally been required, is no longer insisted upon, but considered as voluntary. The subscriptions are payable in advance, and become due on the 1st of January in each year.

4. Subscribers to whatever amount not paying a benefaction upon admission, are entitled to purchase books at the reduced prices, to an amount double that of their subscription ; those paying a benefaction have the same privilege to an amount which shall be treble that of their subscription.

5. Every subscriber has the privilege of sending a poor child to the National School.

6. The Clergy of the Church of England, resident at Quebec, although not subscribers, are allowed to take Books and Tracts out of the Repository, for gratuitous distribution, to the amount of £2 10s. per annum each.

7. The business of the Quebec Diocesan Committee is conducted by a President, Vice Presidents, Treasurer, Secretary, Librarian and a Select Committee having power to supply vacancies and to add to their number; and three members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum.

8. The Clergy of the Church of England resident in the City of Quebec, who are subscribers in the regulated amount are *ex officio* members of the Select Committee.

9. The Select Committee shall meet at the Repository on the first Wednesday of each month.

10. A general meeting shall be held on the last Thursday, in January, in each year,—when the accounts shall be presented; the proceedings of the past year stated; a report agreed upon; and Officers appointed for the ensuing year.

11. The librarian shall furnish quarterly accounts, viz:—on the 10th of January, April, July and October, of each year. Such accounts to contain a statement of the amount of sales, and of the books and tracts on hand at the period of rendering such accounts, and also of the books and tracts which may have been gratuitously distributed, mentioning the authority under which such gratuitous distribution may have been made; and that at the period above mentioned he pay into the hands of the Treasurer the proceeds of such sales, his own commission and other approved charges to be therefrom first deducted. Quarterly meetings shall be held at the period and for the purposes above mentioned.

12. The Treasurers of the Committee and of the National Schools shall pay no sum of money exceeding *Five pounds cy.* without an order signed by the President or one of the Vice Presidents.

13. The Treasurers of the Committee and of the National Schools shall not retain in their custody any sum of money belonging to these Institutions exceeding *five pounds cy.* Any sum over and above that amount to be deposited by the said Treasurers in the Bank. They shall keep regular accounts of their receipts and expenditures in suitable books provided for that purpose. They shall present quarterly accounts at the stated quarterly meetings; and at the meeting to be held on the 10th January, preparatory to the anniversary, they shall furnish an abstract of their accounts stating the whole amount received, and expended since the previous anniversary, and the cash in hand; and also the name of the President or Vice President who signed each order and the name of the person to whom the money was paid.

14. A Committee of Accounts consisting of three members not being officers shall be appointed annually at the preparatory meeting, whose duty it shall be to examine the books and accounts of the Treasurers, and to make report to the society at the annual meeting.

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## RESOLUTIONS

ADOPTED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY,  
14TH MARCH, 1833.

AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the *Quebec Diocesan Committee*, held in the National School House, on Tuesday, the 27th day of April, 1841,

The Right Rev. THE LORD BISHOP OF MONTREAL in the Chair.

The Treasurer submitted his accounts to the Meeting, and the Report of the Committee was read by the Secretary.

The following resolutions were then unanimously adopted:—

Moved by the Hon. J. STEWART, seconded by J. G. IRVINE, Esq.

1st. That the Report now read, be received and printed.

Moved by the Rev. G. MACKIE, seconded by H. JESSOPP, Esq.

2nd. That while this meeting with humble gratitude recognizes in the increased measure of success which has attended the exertions of the Diocesan Committee during the last two years, the helping and protecting hand of Him from whom all good works and counsels proceed, it desires at the same time to press more and more upon the members and friends of the Society the necessity of continued efforts to sustain and advance these designs, to which such encouraging success has been vouchsafed.

Moved by the Hon. A. W. COCHRAN, seconded by T. TRIGGE, Esq.

3rd. That this Meeting in thankfully acknowledging also the increase of prosperity and usefulness of the Parent Society, feels it a pleasing duty to express in a particular manner its deep and grateful sense of the Christian munificence and liberality, exercised by that Venerable body towards the Diocesan Committee during the last year, in freely relinquishing the large debt due by it to the Parent Society, and thus enabling and encouraging it to pursue its labours with renewed energy and effect.

Moved by the Rev. R. R. BURRAGE, seconded by Lieut. Col. KIRBY, R. A.

4th. That the thanks of the Meeting be tendered to the Rev. H. D. Sewell and Wm. McTavish, Esquire, for their diligent and faithful execution of the duties of Secretary to the Select Committee, during the periods from which they respectively filled that office since the last general meeting of the Society: and that the following gentlemen be requested to act as officers and members of the Select Committee for the ensuing year.\*

Moved by N. FREER, Esq., seconded by J. SEWELL, Esq.

5th. That the Select Committee shall have power to fill up vacancies, and to add to their number from time to time as they shall see fit.

Moved by the Revd. G. Cowell, seconded by the Rev. W. CHADERTON.

6th. That the 6th resolution adopted at an extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on the 30th April, 1833, be rescinded, and that such of the Clergy of the Church of England, resident in the City of Quebec, as shall be annual subscribers in the regulated amount, shall be *ex officio* Members of the Select Committee.

\*For list of Officers and Members, see page 3.



## REPORT.

Two years have elapsed since the Quebec Diocesan Committee laid before their Members and the Public a statement of their proceedings and an account of the affairs of the Association. In the Report, which was made on the 14th March, 1839, and which has since been circulated among the members, it was the painful duty of the Committee of Management to give a discouraging representation of the state of the Society at that period, as suffering under a heavy pressure of debt and difficulty, so that to use the language of the Report it was "with a deep sense of humiliation and sorrow" that the Committee presented themselves before their friends and the Public on that occasion. Their exertions to retrieve the affairs of the Society had been unsuccessful; the circulation of the Scriptures and of religious tracts had fallen short of that of previous years; no addition had been or could be made to the Repository since 1837. The Legislative aid to the National School had been reduced, and that excellent institution was threatened with extinction; a heavy debt, of £453 sterling, was owing to the Parent Society; the amount due by the National School could not from the sinking state of that Institution be realized; and, at this moment, their Treasurer became Bankrupt with a sum of £236 in his hands, almost the only available pecuniary resource upon which the Society relied to meet the demands upon them.

But the cause in which the Society are engaged forbade the indulgence of despondency or despair. Believing it to be the cause of religious truth, the Committee looked forward from amidst these adverse circumstances, to the dawning of a brighter day: and it is with humble thankfulness to Him whose aid alone can prosper any work, that the Committee now congratulate the Society on the present improved condition of their affairs. By the Divine Blessing upon the more vigorous, diligent and united, labours of those engaged in the immediate management of those affairs, they are now in a state of entire contrast to that which was exhibited in the last Report. The circulation of books and tracts from the Repository has steadily increased; the schools have prospered; a considerable balance to their credit remains in the Treasurer's hands; and by the munificent liberality of the Parent Society the heavy debt of £453 has been wholly expunged.

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In entering into the details of this general statement, the Select Committee will pursue the same distribution of the subject under the various heads of their labours which has been adopted in former Reports.

*1st. Circulation of Books and Tracts.*—Although there is a diminution of the amount received in cash at the Repository as compared with that of 1838, this may be supposed to have arisen from the books issued being of a cheaper description than those sold in that year, for the returns of the Librarian shew a large increase of the actual circulation during the last two years, amounting under the important heads of Bibles and Testaments respectively to a proportion of  $\frac{3}{4}$  and of  $\frac{1}{2}$  more, as will be seen by the following comparative tables :—

	1838.	1840.
Bibles.....	46	76
Testaments.....	47	71
Prayer Books.....	198	184
Bound Books.....	309	344
Tracts .....	2301	2554

The gross amount of Sales, during the last two years, has been in

1839.....	£87 15 3½
1840.....	82 4 9

shewing an increase in 1839 and a falling off in 1840 compared with the gross amount of Sale in 1838 which was £86 0 0.

The cash sales at the Repository, in the last year, exceeded those of 1839 by about £15 0 0. The respective amounts being

1839.....	£37 2 5
1840.....	52 14 2

And the difference in the Total amount borne upon the Sales Book; arises in part from the smaller quantity of books and tracts issued to and charged against the Lord Bishop of Montreal and the Clergy for gratuitous distribution in the last than in the preceding year as shewn by the following statement :—

	1839.	1840.
The Lord Bishop.....	£40 0 3½	£22 13 6½
Revd. Mr. Mackie,...	2 10 0	2 8 6
Revd. H. D. Sewell,.	2 10 0	1 3 6
Revd. Mr. Cowell,...	2 10 0	0 12 0
Revd. E. W. Sewell,	0 8 4	1 5 3½
Revd. J. Brown,....	0 1 9	0 0 0
Revd. Mr. Chaderton,	2 10 0	0 0 0
Revd. Mr. Torrance,.	0 2 6	0 0 0
Grant to Gaol,.....	0 0 0	1 8 3



It is proper to observe that owing to the embarrassments under which the Society laboured in 1838, from the causes already adverted to, the supply of Books and Tracts ordered from England was necessarily much smaller than usual in that and the two following years; that in consequence of the supply not arriving in 1839 & 40, until very late in the season (the month of October,) the Repository was for a time left without some descriptions of Books: those who required them had to seek them elsewhere, and the Society's funds consequently suffered. The Committee have, however, taken precautions which they hope will prevent the occurrence of the like inconvenience this year, and they have no doubt that the stock in hand which is as follows:—

Bibles.....	53
Testaments.....	117
Prayer Books.....	113
Bound Books.....	853
Tracts,.....	23473

will suffice to meet the demand until the new supply shall be received.

It has been with much satisfaction that the Committee have found themselves enabled, by the prosperous circumstances of the Society, to send lately a larger order than in any former year: and from the additions which have been made by the Parent Society to their Catalogue of Books and Tracts, the Committee have been able to make an improved selection of works, both of a religious and miscellaneous character, for circulation.

The Committee think it proper here to notice a large addition which has recently been made to the collection under their care at the Repository, by an arrangement adopted by them at the suggestion of the Lord Bishop of Montreal: under which they have taken charge of a supply of books and tracts to the amount of nearly £400 which the liberality of the Parent Society has recently placed at his Lordship's disposal for gratuitous distribution; these are now deposited under the care of the Librarian of the Repository to be issued upon his Lordship's orders for the benefit of different places in the Diocese, many of the books are valuable works of general literature not hitherto imported by the Select Committee for the Repository.

*2nd. The National Schools.*—Turning to this department of the exertions of the Society, the Committee have heartfelt satisfaction in being able to state that the Schools are in a prosperous condition. Shortly after the last Report was made in which it was mentioned that an application had been laid before the Governor General, in Special Council, for an aid of money, an appropriation of £111 2 2 currency (£100 stg.), was made by that body in aid of the School

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for the year 1830. But in consequence of the state of the public finances, the Committee were disappointed in their hopes of receiving the arrears of the usual allowance to the same amount which had been granted up to the year 1837, and then stopped in consequence of the suspension of the Sessions of the Legislative bodies. A grant to that amount was however again made in 1840.

In the course of the last summer it was intimated to the Committee by the Government that reports of the state of the Schools must be made when called for ; and that in future any grants from the public funds could only be in a proportion *not exceeding* (though not necessarily *equal to*) such sum as should be raised for the support of the school, by private contributions ; and a report was then required of the state of the School and its private funds.

Not long before this communication was received by the Committee, they had found the funds to be so entirely exhausted that it became necessary for them to appeal to the Public ; and the appeal was liberally and speedily answered and a sum raised chiefly among the principal members of the congregation of the Cathedral, which at once relieved the school from its pressing embarrassments, enabled the Committee to lay before the Government a most favourable statement of the funds arising from private contributions,—and proved that the Institutions connected with this Society and the Church only need to be effectually brought under the notice of the members of the Church, to receive their effectual support.

The Schools are in successful operation and the Committee have every reason to be satisfied with the ability and attention of the Teachers in the Male and Female Departments. The Boys are taught reading, writing, grammar, arithmetic and geography. The girls, reading, writing, arithmetic and needlework.

The usual public examination was held in December last, in the presence of several members of the Select Committee and other members of the Community, when the children exhibited a readiness and a proficiency of attainment in the various branches taught, which bore the strongest testimony to the merits of the system pursued.

In the Report of 1839, the Committee had to lament a decrease, in the preceding year, of 47 pupils, the number on the books in January, 1838, having been..... 234  
and in March '39..... 187  
and the average daily attendance 132.

At present, the numbers in the list are Boys 130  
Girls 101

And the average daily attendance 160 shewing an increase in numbers as compared with March 1839 of 44, and in the average daily attendance of 28.

The whole number to whom the blessing of useful and religious instruction has been afforded in these schools since their establishment in 1819, amounts now to 6793.

In the last report laid before the Public allusion was made to the infrequency of the visits of the Managing Committee and other friends of the Institution as one cause which had contributed to the declension of the Schools. The Committee have the gratification of stating that the encouragement to both the master and his pupils, and the support and advice afforded to the former by the more frequent and regular visits to the school of the sub-committee appointed for that purpose have no doubt greatly aided in bringing about the present improved condition of the Institution.

Although the Sunday School connected with the Institution has been subject to fluctuations of numbers the Committee are happy to be able to make a favorable report of its present state. About 136 children are upon the lists; of whom about half attend with considerable regularity in the morning,—(the meeting at that time being intended principally for those who are admitted to the benefit of the School Library;) and upwards of 100 in the afternoon, when instruction is given to them in the catechism and by exposition of the Scriptures, closing with religious exercises of singing and prayer. The Lending Library attached to the School now consists of 457 volumes: and upwards of 70 of the Scholars avail themselves occasionally of the privilege of using the books.

In concluding their notice of this most interesting and important portion of their labours relating to the Schools, the Committee would suggest to all the members of the association and to all those who are friendly to the religious education of the poor in the principles of the Church of England, that if the National School and the Sunday School connected with it are calculated to awaken any interest as conducive to those ends, frequent or even occasional visits to the Schools would be a proof of that interest, which would at once afford gratification to the thoughtful and benevolent mind, furnish encouragement and incentive to those who teach and to those who are taught, and thereby effectually support and advance the good cause in which the Society are engaged.

#### *State of the Funds.*

The Committee have already in some degree anticipated this part of the subject to be reported upon, by some of their foregoing statements.

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The necessity of applying a part of the funds of the Society, as a loan, to save the Schools from extinction, during the period when the Legislative grant was suspended; and the sudden bankruptcy of the late Treasurer, left the Committee without the means of paying a debt to the Parent Society, which, from circumstances had gradually accumulated. The Committee, seeing then no means of discharging this debt, (although they have still the hope of hereafter obtaining the balance due by the late Treasurer,) represented to the Parent Society the unfortunate circumstances which had given rise to it: and during the last summer they received from the Secretary of the Society a letter announcing that "in consideration of the distressing situation of the Canadian Provinces, during the last three years, the standing Committee had determined to relieve *all* the Diocesan and District Committees in these Provinces from their pecuniary obligations to the Society, and thus to give them an opportunity of recommencing their operations with zeal and vigour; that the book accounts of the Diocesan and District Committees had therefore been closed, and the undermentioned arrears cancelled."

Arrear of Quebec Diocesan Committee....	£451	16	4
Montreal do.....	342	2	0
Toronto do.....	589	12	7
Niagara do.....	180	1	9
Cobourg do.....	70	11	10
Kingston do.....	76	10	9
Johnstown do.....	57	19	10
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The Committee in stating this most liberal act of the Parent Society have not withheld what relates to other Branch Committees, in order to place in the strongest light the christian munificence which it displays,—and to justify the only observation they will make upon it, that no language can too strongly express the grateful estimation in which it ought to be held.

The Committee being thus generously forgiven so large a debt have felt it to be right not only in like manner to expunge some small debts long standing in their accounts for books taken out by individuals for gratuitous distribution, but also to discharge the National School fund from the debt of £230 incurred for advances made to it in former years as before stated, to rescue it from difficulties threatening its existence.

The annual Sermons which under the direction of the Lord



Bishop have been preached on behalf of the Diocesan Committee and the National Schools have produced for the Committee,

In 1839.....	£40 15 9
In 1840.....	27 16 6
For the Schools in 1840.....	47 19 2
and the Donations and Subscriptions to the Society during the last year amounted to.....	£ 42 10 0
To the Schools to.....	122 10 0

The balance in the Treasurer's hands in favour of the Diocesan Committee, after remitting £365 currency, for the next year's supply of books, is £121 6 6 cy.

The balance in favor of the Schools is £31 17 1 cy.

*Proceedings of the Parent Society.*

Before closing this Report the Committee think it right to notice briefly the state of the Parent Society. The last report of its proceedings received by the Committee (for the year 1839) contains most gratifying evidence of its flourishing condition, and offers matter of admiration and thankfulness for the success and the extent of its operations. Carrying its beneficent designs "to Earth's and Ocean's farthest bounds;" going forth wherever British enterprise has planned a settlement or the Standard of the Mother Country has been unfurled,—from the Western shores of this Continent, Eastward to the Ganges, and to the "multitude of the Isles" of the Eastern and South Pacific Ocean,—on the Banks of the Euphrates, where man was created and fell, and upon the Holy Hills where his Redemption was achieved, the bounty of the Society has been and continues to be diffused in the employment of Missionaries, the erection of places of Worship and the supply of the means of spreading the truths of the Gospel and religious instruction.

- £10000 given to the Establishment of Colonial Bishoprics ;
- 5000 towards the erection of a Cathedral at Calcutta ;
- 5000 to the National Society of Education in England.

Grants varying from £50 to £500 and amounting in all, in 1839 alone, to more than £2500,—£5000 and upwards granted for the Canadas alone since 1837,—these are but some of the more striking instances, within three years past, of the extent, both of the bounty and the blessed labours of the Society. Each fresh exertion on its part appears but to stimulate and call forth fresh support from its friends. In legacies alone, a sum of nearly £7000 was added, in '39, to its resources, being an increase of £5639 beyond the legacies received in the former year. The sale of Books in the same year (1839) amounted to £52,766 being an increase beyond 1838 of nearly

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£6000 ; nearly 1000 new members were admitted in 1839, and upwards of 40 new members were admitted at one monthly meeting of the Society in December last.

This view of the increasing extent and prosperity of the Parent Society is drawn from a statement published in a separate form in 1839, and annexed also to the General Report for that year ; which can be obtained or referred to at any time at the Repository ; and the Committee are convinced that a perusal of it would most strongly recommend the objects of the Society to the extended support of all friends of religion in this Province. And, in reverting more particularly to the necessity of such increased support to the *local* labours of the Diocesan Committee, the Select Committee conceive that they cannot appeal to the Public in more forcible or appropriate terms than those which conclude the general statement of the proceedings of the Parent Society just referred to :—“ in reference both “ to its domestic proceedings, and to its operations abroad the Society continues to urge the high claims which it has to the regard “ of the members of the Church. The desire which it has always “ felt, and of which it has recently given the strongest proofs to advance the cause of education, and to contribute more largely to the “ wants of the Colonies will it is hoped be met by a corresponding “ accession of support. The instrumentality of the Society through “ its Diocesan and District Committees, as well as by its own immediate operations in advancing these excellent objects, is incalculably “ great. But it is perhaps scarcely necessary to repeat that, for the “ accomplishment of its pious designs, the friends of the Society “ must assist it by all the means in their power, by their cordial encouragement and zealous co-operation ; by their liberality : and by their “ prayers for God’s blessing upon its endeavours to make known to “ our less favoured brethren the Glory of our Divine Redeemer and “ the inestimable benefits of his Religion. May He who has given “ the means and the wish thus to promote the honor of His Name, “ continue to bless the labours of His servants, and by His Holy “ Spirit strengthen the feeble hands in seeking the extension of His “ Kingdom and *turning many to righteousness.*”

By order,

W. McTAVISH,

Sec. Quebec Diocesan Committee.

THE QUEBEC DIOCESAN COMMITTEE FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE IN ACCOUNT WITH H. JESSOPP, TREASURER.

1839	To cash for a bill of £53 1 7 remitted for books. 65 3 4	By balance from last account.....117 0 9
	To cash paid for insurance, printing, &c..... 20 12 3	By proceeds of Books sold at Repository..... 51 3 6
	To balance in hand..... 171 2 3	By amount of subscriptions and donations..... 49 5 0
		By proceeds of a Sermon..... 39 8 7
		<u>£256 17 10</u>
1840	To cash paid for a bill on London for books 365 0 0	By balance from last account.....171 2 3
to April	(£300 stg.)..... 10 0 6	By cash from the Lord Bishop of Montreal.....204 11 2
1841.	To cash paid for insurance, printing, &c.....121 6 6	By cash from the Lord Bishop of Montreal..... 56 12 1
	To balance in hand.....	By proceeds of books sold at Repository..... 36 5 0
		By amount of subscriptions and donations..... 27 16 6
		By proceeds of a Charity Sermon..... <u>£496 7 0</u>
		By balance in hand..... <u>£121 6 6</u>
		April 14

H. JESSOP, TREASURER.

Errors Excepted.

Quebec, 14th April, 1841.

THE NATIONAL SCHOOL IN ACCOUNT WITH H. JESSOPP, TREASURER.

1839	To cash paid Mr. Morris, 1 year's salary ....100 0 0	By cash from the Receiver General.....110 19 9
March	to	By amount of subscriptions..... 25 6 5
to	To cash paid Mrs. Purcell, 1 year's Salary.... 40 0 0	By cash from Mr. Morris & Mrs. Purcell..... 9 3 8
Dec. 31,	To cash paid for 30 cords Wood, carting &c... 17 12 6	
1840	To cash paid for 30 cords Wood, carting &c... 22 13 8	



**D.** THE NATIONAL SCHOOL IN ACCOUNT WITH H. JESSOPP, TREASURER. **Cr.**

<p>1839 March To cash paid Mr. Morris, 1 year's salary ..... 100 0 0 to To cash paid Mrs. Purcell, 1 year's Salary ... 40 0 0 Dec. 31, To cash paid for 30 cords Wood, carting &amp;c. ... 17 12 6 1839, To cash paid for repairs, books, &amp;c. &amp;c. .... 32 12 8</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£190 5 2</p> <p>To balance due Treasurer..... 34 15 4 To 1 year's Salary paid Mr. Morris to 31st Dec. 40..... 100 0 0 To 1 year's Salary paid Mrs. Purcell to 31st Dec. 40..... 40 0 0 To cash paid for 30 cords Wood, carting &amp;c. ... 18 2 0 To cash paid for repairs, insurance, &amp;c. &amp;c. ... 34 12 8 To cash paid Mr. Morris, 1 quarter's Salary to 31st March, 41..... 25 0 0 To cash paid Mrs. Purcell, 1 quarter's Salary to 31st March 41..... 10 0 0 To balance in hand..... 31 17 1</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£294 7 1</p>	<p>1839 March By cash from the Receiver General..... 110 19 9 to By amount of subscriptions..... 35 6 5 31st Dec. By cash from Mr. Morris &amp; Mrs. Purcell.... 9 3 8 1839, By balance due Treasurer..... 34 15 4</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£190 5 2</p> <p>1st Jan'y. By cash from the Receiver General..... 110 19 9 1840 By amount of Charity Sermon..... 47 19 1 to By amount of subscriptions and donations as per list..... 122 10 0 14th April By cash from Mr. Morris &amp; Mrs. Purcell..... 12 18 3 1841</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£294 7 1</p>
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April 14, By balance in Treasurer's hands..... £ 31 17 1

H. JESSOPP, TREASURER.

Errors Excepted.

Quebec, April 14, 1841.

**LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS**  
OF THE  
**QUEBEC COMMITTEE**  
OF THE  
**SOCIETY**  
**FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE.**

PAYABLE IN ADVANCE ON THE 1ST JANUARY OF EACH YEAR.

Lord Bishop of Montreal...£5 0 0 Noah Freer, Esquire..... 1 5 0 H. Lemesurier, Esquire.... 1 5 0 T. Triggs, Esquire..... 1 5 0 Col. Chandler..... 1 5 0 J. Hunt, Esquire..... 1 5 0 Revd. E. W. Sewell,.... 1 5 0 Revd. G. Cowell..... 1 5 0 The Commissary General.. 1 5 0 The Honble. John Stewart.. 1 5 0 Lieut. Col. Kirby..... 1 5 0 Capt. Forbes..... 1 5 0 W. Price, Esquire..... 1 5 0 Honble. Mr. Cochran..... 1 5 0 W. McTavish, Esquire.... 1 5 0	Revd. Mr. Burrage..... 1 5 0 Honble. W. Smith..... 1 5 0 G. Pozer, Esquire..... 1 5 0 Mr. J. Giles..... 1 5 0 R. Penn, Esquire..... 1 5 0 Miss Mountain..... 1 5 0 H. Jessopp, Esquire..... 1 5 0 Revd. G. Mackie..... 1 5 0 Rev. Mr. Waite (of Port Neuf) 1 5 0 R. Symes, Esquire..... 1 5 0 G. Irvine, Esquire..... 1 5 0 <hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> £36 5 0
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Quebec, 14th April 1841.

**H. JESSOPP,**  
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Mr. Mimi.....£1 5 0 Colonel Bowles..... 1 5 0 Hon. G. Pemberton..... 1 5 0	Hon. W. Walker..... 1 5 0 John Sewell, Esq..... 1 5 0
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**H. JESSOPP,**  
TREASURER.

ANNUAL SUB

Artillery.  
Gunn  
Andrews, V  
Archer, Jos  
Allan, Wil  
Ardouin, M  
Atkinson, V  
Armstrong,

Black, Jam  
Baker, Th  
Baird, W.  
Burnet, D.  
Bowles, C  
Balfour, L  
Barrett, M  
Bell, F...  
Bradshaw,  
Burstall, M  
Bristow, V  
Buchanan,  
Ballingall,  
Burroughs,

Codville, J  
Clerk, Lt.  
Colchester  
Carwell,  
Cleit, J.  
Chapman,

**LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS**  
TO THE  
**QUEBEC NATIONAL SCHOOLS.**

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS PAYABLE IN ADVANCE ON THE 1ST JANUARY OF EACH YEAR.

	A	DONATIONS. SUBSCRIPTIONS.	
	<b>A</b>		
Artillery. The non-commissioned Officers and Gunnars .....	£6 19 3		
Andrews, William.....	0 5 0		
Archer, Joseph.....	0 10 0		
Allan, William.....	0 1 3		
Ardouin, Mrs.....	0 1 3		
Atkinson, William.....	0 10 0		
Armstrong, Capt. R. A.....	0 0 0	0 10 0	
	<b>B</b>		
Black, James.....	0 0 0	0 10 0	
Baker, Thomas.....	0 5 0		
Baird, W. K.....	0 15 0		
Burnet, D.....	1 5 0	1 5 0	
Bowles, Colonel.....	1 0 0		
Balfour, Lt. Colonel.....	1 0 0		
Barrett, Mr.....	0 5 0		
Bell, F.....	0 5 0		
Bradshaw, Mr.....	0 2 6		
Burstall, Mr.....	0 5 0		
Bristow, W.....	1 5 0		
Buchanan, A. C.....	0 5 0		
Ballingall, L.....	0 5 0		
Burroughs, Mr.....	0 0 0	0 10 0	
	<b>C</b>		
Codville, Jno.....	0 5 0		
Clerk, Lt. R. A.....	0 0 0	0 5 0	
Colchester, Asst. Surgeon.....	0 0 0	0 5 0	
Carwell, H.....	0 5 6		
Clerit, J. H.....	0 5 0		
Chapman, Mr.....	0 10 0		

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Caldwell, H. J.....	1 15 0	
Caledon, Earl of.....	1 0 0	
Cowell, Revd. Mr.....	0 0 0	1 0 0
Cash.....	0 5 0	
C. T. G.....	0 5 0	
Cochran, Honble. Mr.....	3 15 0	1 5 0
Cowan & Son.....	0 0 0	0 5 0
Chandler, Col.....	0 0 0	0 10 0
Coddrill, John.....	0 5 0	

D

Date, Mr.....	0 5 0	
Dodd, John.....	0 10 0	
Dowse, Major R. A.....	0 0 0	0 10 0
Dupont, M.....	0 5 0	
Dullimore, S.....	0 10 0	

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Elington, Capt.....	1 0 0	
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Fielder, Mr.....	0 5 0	
Froste, T.....	0 8 9	
Fletcher, Mr. E.....	0 5 0	
F. E. S.....	0 5 0	
Fitzgerald.....	0 1 3	
Forsyth, J. B.....	1 5 0	1 5 0
Forbes, Capt.....	1 0 0	1 5 0
Freer, N.....	0 0 0	0 10 0

G

Griffin, Mr.....	0 5 0	
Gregory, Mr.....	0 1 3	
Guery, Mr.....	0 5 0	
Guerin, Mr.....	1 5 0	1 5 0
Grey, J. R.....	1 0 0	
Grimston, Capt. Honble.....	0 1 6	
Green, Mr.....	0 5 0	
Gibson, Mr.....	0 5 0	
Gowan, H.....	0 0 0	0 11 8
George, Miss.....		

H

Hay, Lt. Col.....	1 0 0	
Henderson, Wm.....	0 5 0	
Hunt, James.....	0 10 0	
Hesse, F.....	0 1 3	
Hoffman, Mr.....	0 5 0	
H. A.....	0 2 6	
Hobrough, J.....	0 5 0	
Hammond, M.....	0 2 9	
Hall, George.....	0 10 0	
Holt, Peter.....	0 2 6	

Hoffman, C.  
Harrison Mr.  
Hayes, Mr.  
Harrison B.

Jackson, Tho  
Jeffreys, W  
Joliffe, Miss.  
Jessopp, Her  
Johnstone, S

Knox, Lt. R.  
King, Mrs.  
Kirby, Lt. C.  
Kerr, J. H.

Lepper, Pau  
Loughrey, M  
Laurie, A. &  
Lille, John.  
Lelacheur, M  
Lemesurier, I  
Leaycraft, M  
Loundes, J. C

Montreal, Lor  
McKenzie, Ja  
Muckle, M.  
Murray, Hug  
Montizambert,  
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Mears, Mrs.  
McNeed, Wm  
McKenzie, M  
Millar, A. .  
Milligan, J.  
Mills, Mrs.  
McLeod, John  
Mountain, Mi  
McTavish, W  
Mackie, Rev.

Noad, H. J.  
Nixon, Lt. R.  
Newton, Saml

Hoffman, C. Jun.....	0	5	0
Harrison Mr.....	0	2	0
Hayes, Mr.....	0	5	0
Harrison B. M.....	0	5	0

## J

Jackson, Thos.....	0	5	0
Jeffreys, W. B.....	0	2	6
Joliffe, Miss.....	0	1	3
Jessopp, Henry.....	1	5	0
Johnstone, Saml.....	0	1	3

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Knox, Lt. R. A.....	0	0	0
King, Mrs.....	0	5	0
Kirby, Lt. Col. R. A.....	0	0	0
Kerr, J. H.....	0	0	0

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Lepper, Paul.....	0	10	0
Loughrey, Mrs.....	0	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Laurie, A. & Co.....	0	10	0
Lille, John.....	0	5	0
Lelacheur, Mr.....	0	2	6
Lemesurier, H.....	0	10	0
Leaycraft, Mr.....	0	0	0
Loundes, J. G.....	0	5	0

## M

Montreal, Lord Bishop of.....	3	15	0
McKenzie, James.....	0	5	0
Muckle, M.....	0	10	0
Murray, Hugh.....	0	10	0
Montizambert, Mrs.....	0	15	0
Montizambert, C. N.....	2	10	0
Mears, Mrs.....	0	1	3
McNeed, Wm.....	0	2	6
McKenzie, Mr.....	0	1	3
Millar, A.....	0	2	6
Milligan, J.....	0	2	6
Mills, Mrs.....	0	1	3
McLeod, John.....	0	5	0
Mountain, Miss.....	0	0	0
McTavish, Wm.....	1	0	0
Mackie, Rev. G.....	0	0	0

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Noad, H. J.....	0	10	0
Nixon, Lt. R. A.....	0	10	0
Newton, Saml.....	0	10	0



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Orkney, Mrs. ....	0	5		
Ogden, Atty. Gen. ....	0	0	0	1 5 0

	P			
Price, William. ....	0	10	0	0 10 0
Patton, William. ....	0	0	0	0 10 0
Paton, J. W. ....	0	10	0	
Parke, G. H. ....	0	10	0	
Patterson, J. ....	0	10	0	
Pemberton, G. ....	1	5	0	
Pozer, G. ....	0	5	0	
Pitt, Charles. ....	0	1	3	
Poston, Thomas. ....	0	0	0	0 5 0
Payne, Lt. R. A. ....	1	5	0	
Porter, J. ....	0	10	0	
Phillips, Wm. ....	0	5	0	
Patterson, Wm. ....	1	5	0	
Pelletier & Fréchette, ....	0	10	0	
Pinkerton & Oliver, ....	0	5	0	
Poston, G. & H. ....	0	5	0	
Poole, Dr. ....	0	10	0	
Puffer, Mrs. ....	0	10	0	
Penn, Mrs. ....				

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Rowbottom, Mr. ....	0	2	6	
Russell, R. H. ....	0	5	0	
Rayside, Capt. ....	0	15	0	
Ross, W. ....	0	5	0	
Robinson, Mr. ....	0	5	0	
Racey, Mr. ....	0	10	0	
Roberts, R. ....	0	5	0	
Rickarby Mr. ....	0	10	0	
Ryan, Mrs. ....	0	5	0	
Rayner, G. ....	0	5	0	
Robertson, Mr. ....	0	5	0	
Ross, Mr. ....	0	2	6	
Ross, John. ....	0	0	0	0 5 0
Robertson, Lt. R. ....	0	0	0	1 5 0
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	S			
Stuart, Sir J. Bart. Chief Justice ....	2	0	0	1 5 0
Smith, Mrs. ....	0	0	0	1 5 0
Smith, Mr. ....	0	2	6	
Stott, Mrs. ....	5	0	0	
Sheppard, Honble. W. ....	1	5	0	1 5
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Sinclair & Campbell. ....	0	10	0	
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Scott, H. E.  
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 Stanton, Ass  
 Scott, H. S.

Thompson, T  
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 Wilbraham,  
 Webb, R.  
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 Wyse, W.  
 Wilson, Mr.  
 Wurtele, Mr  
 Whyte, W.  
 Woodbury,  
 Woolrich, E  
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 Wigg, Char  
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Scott, H. E.....	0 5 0	
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Thompson, Thomas.....	0 1 3	
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Trigge, Mr.....	0 0 0	1 0 0

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Wigram, Lieut. Col. - - - - -	1 0 0	
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Wright, Mr. - - - - -	0 2 6	
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Wigg, Charles. - - - - -	0 2 6	
Walker, Mr. - - - - -	0 2 6	
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H. JESSOPP,  
TREASURER.

Quebec, 14th April, 1841.

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