

MINUTES

OF THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE NINTH SESSION

OF THE

NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE

OF

THE METHODIST CHURCH,

HELD IN LUNENBURG FROM JUNE 16TH TO JUNE 21ST, 1892.



HALIFAX, N. S. :
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OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE.

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GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT:

REV. ALBERT CARMAN, D. D.

PRESIDENT:

REV. WILLIAM RYAN,

BURLINGTON, N. S.

SECRETARY:

REV. D. W. JOHNSON, M. A.,

DARTMOUTH, N. S.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES:

REVS. T. A. WILSON, B. A., W. I. CROFT, F. FRIGGENS.

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*The Conference of Eastern British America was inaugurated at Halifax,
N. S., July 17th, 1855.*

SESSIONS OF CONFERENCE.

YEAR.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1855	Halifax, N. S.	J. Beecham*	
1856	St. John, N. B.	M. Richey, D. D.	W. Temple.
1857	Sackville, N. B.	M. Richey, D. D.	W. Temple.
1858	Halifax, N. S.	M. Richey, D. D.	H. Pickard.
1859	Charlottetown, P. E. I.	M. Richey, D. D.	H. Pickard.
1860	Fredericton, N. B.	M. Richey, D. D.	H. Pickard.
1861	St. John, N. B.	M. Richey, D. D.	H. Pickard.
1862	Halifax, N. S.	W. B. Boyce*	J. McMurray.
1863	Charlottetown, P. E. I.	H. Pickard, D. D.	J. McMurray.
1864	Sackville, N. B.	C. W. DeWolf, D. D.	J. McMurray.
1865	Yarmouth, N. S.	W. L. Thornton*	J. McMurray.
1866	St. John, N. B.	J. McMurray	R. A. Temple.
1867	Halifax, N. S.	George Scott*	R. A. Temple.
1868	Fredericton, N. B.	M. Richey, D. D.	R. A. Temple.
1869	Charlottetown, P. E. I.	W. M. Punshon	R. A. Temple.
1870	Yarmouth, N. S.	H. Daniel	D. D. Currie.
1871	St. John, N. B.	H. Pickard, D. D.	D. D. Currie.
1872	Halifax, N. S.	H. Pope, Jr.	D. D. Currie.
1873	Fredericton, N. B.	J. G. Hennigar	D. D. Currie.
1874	Charlottetown, P. E. I.	C. Stewart, D. D.	James Taylor.
		J. McMurray	James Taylor.

*Members of the British Conference.

*The Nova Scotia Conference of the Methodist Church of Canada was
inaugurated at Charlottetown, P. E. I., July 3rd, 1874.*

YEAR.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1874	Charlottetown, P. E. I.	John McMurray	R. Alder Temple.
1875	Halifax	A. W. Nicolson	R. Alder Temple.
1876	Windsor	R. Alder Temple	Stephen F. Huestis.
1877	Yarmouth	Elias Brettle	Stephen F. Huestis.
1878	Amherst	James Taylor	Stephen F. Huestis.
1879	Halifax	Stephen F. Huestis	Jabez A. Rogers.
1880	Truro	Richard Smith	Jabez A. Rogers.
1881	Granville Ferry	John Lathern	Jabez A. Rogers.
1882	Windsor	William C. Brown	Jabez A. Rogers.
1883	Yarmouth	W. H. Hertz	Jabez A. Rogers.
1884	Halifax	Geo. O. Huestis	Jabez A. Rogers.

THE
NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE
OF
THE METHODIST CHURCH.

WAS ORGANIZED IN THE GRAFTON STREET CHURCH, IN THE CITY OF HALIFAX,
FRIDAY, JUNE 20TH, 1884.

SESSIONS OF CONFERENCE.

YEAR.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1884	Grafton St., Halifax.	Jabez A. Rogers	C. Jost, M. A.
1885	Lunenburg	John Cassidy	C. Jost, M. A.
1886	Amherst	Cranswick Jost, M. A.	A. D. Morton, M.A.
1887	Truro	Joseph Gaetz	A. D. Morton, M.A.
1888	Bk. St., Halifax....	Joseph S. Coffin	A. D. Morton, M.A.
1889	Liverpool	John J. Teasdale	A. D. Morton, M.A.
1890	Yarmouth	T. Watson Smith	Joseph G. Angwin.
1891	Windsor	Joseph G. Angwin	D. W. Johnson, M.A.
1892	Lunenburg	William Ryan	D. W. Johnson, M.A.

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MINUTES
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HELD IN LUNENBURG.

THE NINTH SESSION of the NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE was opened in the Methodist Church, Lunenburg, on Thursday, June 16th, 1892, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the President, the REV. JOSEPH G. ANGWIN, in the Chair.

After devotional exercises, the retiring President addressed the Conference.

The REV. A. CARMAN, D. D., General Superintendent, took the Chair.

The roll being called, sixty-eight ministers and twenty-five laymen answered to their names.

The names of the lay members, as reported by the District Secretaries, are as follows, viz. :—

I.—HALIFAX DISTRICT.

J. W. Caldwell, Wolfville. E. C. Johnson, " Benjamin Bond, Chester Road. R. B. Dakin, Windsor. W. A. Bennett, B. A., Newport. Jas. L. Sterling, Newport. D. K. Smith, Sambro. A. A. Smallwood, Dartmouth. J. Wesley Smith, Halifax.	Robert Theakston, Halifax. Dr. H. Woodbury, " B. Swenerton, " C. H. Longard, " R. J. Sweet, " J. G. Allison, " W. A. Conrod, " Joseph Belcher, "
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II.—TRURO DISTRICT.

Dr. M. K. Langille, Truro. R. R. Livingstone, " R. Johnson, Onslow. David Taylor. Clarence Hamilton, Pictou. J. D. Ross. Geo. Horne, New Glasgow.	O. Langille, River John. W. M. Smith, Selma. D. R. Smith, Shubenacadie. John H. Taylor, Middle Musquodob't. John Gaetz, Musquodoboit Harbor. James H. Whitman, Salmon River, Halifax Co.
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III.—CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

Dr. A. B. Black, Amherst.	W. Oxley, M. P. P., Oxford.
C. S. Chapman, “	Jno. G. Wells, “
Daniel Somers, Shinimicas.	H. W. Davis, West Leicester.
Thos. Roach, Nappan.	Hibbert Purdy, Wentworth.
Silas Fulton, Wallace.	Jno. G. Holmes, Parrsboro.
J. K. Salter, Pugwash.	Joseph Lodge, Mapleton.
Alonzo Smith, Wallace Bridge.	Dr. Cove, Springhill.
R. L. Black, River Philip.	Nathan Duff, Advocate Harbour.

IV.—GUYSBORO AND C. B. DISTRICT.

Wm. Cameron, Guysboro.	Thomas Bagnell, Gabarus, C. B.
James C. Torey, Canso.	Joshua Smith, Port Hood, C. B.
W. Ferguson, Boylston.	E. O. Forsythe, Port Hawkesbury.
W. P. Moffat, North Sydney, C. B.	Capt. Chas. Ormiston, Gabarus, C. B.

V.—ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

James McKay, Annapolis.	H. E. Jefferson, Berwick.
James M. Gilliatt, Granville Ferry.	L. Best, Grafton.
Leander Miller, Bridgetown.	W. H. Congdon, Grafton.
J. W. Downing, Lawrencetown.	S. H. Nichols, Berwick.
George Holland, Nictaux Falls.	James Hennigar, Canning.
Solomon Drew, “	Stephen Sheffield, “
W. H. Oakes, “	Henry Titus, Digby.
Wm. Magee, Kingston.	Wm. Morehouse, Weymouth.
F. McMahon, Aylesford.	Solomon Dakin, Digby Neck.

VI.—LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

J. N. Freeman, Liverpool.	Geo. W. Delong, New Germany.
C. F. Wright, “	Elkanah Heckman, Petite Riviere.
Simeon Ritcey, Ritcey's Cove.	J. N. Mack, Mill Village.
D. Smith, Lunenburg.	Henry Mader, Mahone Bay.
S. A. Chesley, Lunenburg.	

VII.—YARMOUTH DISTRICT.

Capt. Chas. Morrel, Arcadia.	W. J. McGill, Shelburne.
Comfort Clements, Brenton.	Edward Allen, Yarmouth.
W. H. Coffin, Barrington.	A. F. Stoneman “
Frank Irwin, M. D., Lockeport.	Stephen H. Perry, Hebron.

VIII.—BERMUDA DISTRICT.

E. Motyer, Hamilton	E. Healy, Ireland Island.
M. R. Smith, Harris' Bay.	

ELECTIONS.

The Rev. Wm. Ryan was elected President.
 The Rev. D. W. Johnson, M. A., was re-elected Secretary.
 The Revs. T. A. Wilson, B. A., W. I. Croft, and F. Friggens, were appointed Assistant Secretaries.

The Rev. C. H. Huestis, B. A., was appointed Conference Reporter for
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MINISTERIAL SESSION.

The Minutes of the Ministerial Session, held in accordance with Sec. V., par. 137, of the Discipline, were read, for record, as follows:—

The Ministerial Session of the Ninth Nova Scotia Conference was held in the Methodist Church, Lunenburg, on Wednesday, June 15th, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m., the President, Rev. J. G. Angwin, in the Chair.

After singing Hymn 753, the Secretary, Rev. D. W. Johnson, M. A., read 62nd Chapter of Isaiah, and Revs. G. O. Huestis and Dr. Lathern led in prayer.

The roll being called, 57 ministers answered to their names.

QUESTION I.—Who compose the Committee on Conference Relations ?

ANSWER : The Revs. T. W. Smith, D. D., W. H. Heartz, and J. A. Rogers.

QUESTION II.—What Ministers have been transferred to or from this Conference ?

ANSWER : To this Conference—W. W. Andrews, A. M., from the Toronto Conference ; P. H. Robinson, from the Manitoba Conference ; W. Dobson, from the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference. From this Conference—S. B. Dunn, to the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference.

QUESTION III.—Are there any objections to any of our Ministers or Probationers for the Ministry ?

ANSWER : They were examined one by one.

QUESTION IV.—Who have resigned from the ministry of our Church, and are entitled to credentials of standing ?

ANSWER : Thomas Rogers, M. A., to connect himself with the M. E. Church in the United States ; S. B. Dunn, who has removed to the United States.

QUESTION V.—What Probationers for the Ministry are now received into full connexion with the Conference and ordained ?

ANSWER : Donald Farquhar.—Oskar Grönlund, B. A., and John Phalen, previously ordained for special purposes, are now received into full connexion.

QUESTION VI.—What Probationers for the Ministry remain on Trial ?

ANSWER I :—*Probationers of three years.*

F. W. W. DesBarres, A. B., †W. R. Turner and A. B. Higgins, A. B.

ANSWER II :—*Probationers of two years.*

*J. H. Toole,	*Jos. A. Hart,	C. E. Crowell,
J. W. Turner,	*Thos. A. Bowen,	*R. O. Armstrong,
*W. C. Perry	W. T. Cann,	†H. C. McNeil,
*A. J. Reynolds,	H. M. Torey, B. A.,	Wilfred Gaetz.

ANSWER III :—*Probationers of one year.*

James Hughson, *Robt. M. Browne, Clayton A. Munroe, *Benj. Seaboyer, and Stanley C. Leonard, A. B.

QUESTION VII.—What Candidates for the Ministry are now received on Trial ?

ANSWER : Roland M. Jost, B. A., and Howard D. Townsend, who are considered as having travelled one year, †Wofford M. Ryan and David Walker.

*Subject to completion of studies.

†Ordained for special purposes.

‡Will receive the year travelled under Chairman on completion of studies.

QUESTION VIII.—What Probationers for the Ministry are now permitted to attend College?

ANSWER :		
Chas. E. Crowell,	Thos. A. Bowen,	J. H. Toole,
Robert M. Browne,	Jas. A. Hart,	W. M. Ryan,
R. O. Armstrong,	J. W. Turner,	H. D. Townsend.

QUESTION IX.—Who are on the list of Reserve?

None.

QUESTION X.—Who are the Supernumeraries?

ANSWER :		
William Alcorn,	J. R. Hart,	P. Prestwood,
J. F. Bent,	T. D. Hart,	R. Smith,
J. G. Bigney,	J. W. Howie,	J. L. Sponagle,
J. R. Borden,	G. O. Huestis,	J. Taylor,
E. Botterell,	R. O. Johnson,	R. A. Temple, D. D.,
W. C. Brown,	A. W. Nicolson,	G. W. Tuttle,
J. Cassidy,	J. A. Mosher,	A. S. Tuttle.

QUESTION XI.—What Supernumeraries return to the full work of the Ministry?

ANSWER : None.

QUESTION XII.—What persons who were in full connection with the Conference now cease to be recognized as Ministers among us?

ANSWER : See answer to Question IV.

QUESTION XIII.—What Ministers or Probationers for the Ministry have died?

ANSWER : GEORGE JOHNSON.

GEORGE JOHNSON, a native of Yorkshire, Eng., who, in the 83rd year of his age, passed away at Horton, on Aug. 21st, 1891. When but a child, his father's family was caught in the tide of emigration, even then strongly setting westward. The wreck, in the Bay of Fundy, of the *Trafalgar*, in which they sailed, with other emigrants bound for the Upper Provinces, led the family to seek a home in New Brunswick, at Coverdale, where they settled. The son was early converted, but, through unhallowed associations, was led back into sin. In 1828, during a very extensive revival, under Arthur McNutt, then in the 1st year of his regular itinerancy, he was again awakened to a sense of danger, and, after a week of deep sorrow, bordering at times on despair, was blessed with an unusual manifestation of Christ, and with a consciousness of pardon and of which, more than half a century later, he spoke with graceful emotion. Having resolved to make the most of himself for God, his studious habits soon became a subject of general remark among the Methodist itinerants in that section of New Brunswick. After several preaching tours in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, he was accepted, in 1830, as a candidate for the ministry by the English Wesleyan Miss. Committee, on the recommendation of the N. B. District. The itinerant Ministry, then commenced, led him into various important circuits, in the two provinces already named. In none was his ministry more greatly blessed than in the Woodstock Mission, where, in 1842, long-continued special services led many into the fellowship of the Church, some of whom proved pillars in it. He was a diligent student to the last, well acquainted with the history of Methodism, and well read in her theology, and his sermons were clear and impressive presentations of the fundamental truths of the Gospel. At the end of 40 years' service he settled, as a supernumerary, at Horton, his residence until his death. The congregation at that place welcomed him to their pulpit as long as he felt himself able to enter it. As if to greet his brethren once more, he attended the Conference last year at Windsor, where he met them with genial spirit and attended the sessions with the punctuality and regularity which had been characteristic of his whole life. His final illness was brief; unconsciousness during his later hours, preventing any expression of personal feeling, but from the recollection of his faithful service and unblemished record, his family, and his brethren and successors in the Ministry, derive satisfaction which even dying utterances could but slightly increase.

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Nova Scotia Conference Necrology,
SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION IN 1884.

"These all died in faith. They rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

ENTERED MINISTRY.	NAME.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	DIED.		Age.	NO. OF YEARS IN MINISTRY.
			PLACE.	DATE.		
1826	J. G. Hennigar,	St. John, N. B.	Canning,	Aug. 21, 1885.	81	59
1873	Richey Bird,	Maccan,	Wentworth,	Sept. 24, 1885.	39	12
1843	C. Lockhart,	Parrsboro',	Liverpool,	Nov. 10, 1887.	67	44
1831	Thomas Angwin,	St. Agnes, Eng.	Halifax,	April 9, 1890.	85	59
1836	James Buckley,	Hillsburg, Ire.	Halifax,	June 11, 1890.	80	53
1868	A. F. Weldon,	Dorchester, N.B.	St John, N.B.	Jan. 18, 1880.	52	22
1883	Benj. E. Bond,	Clairmont,	Iiverpool,	Feb. 25, 1890.	39	5
1833	Jno. McMurray, D. D.,	Ireland,	Halifax,	Dec. 26, 1890.	76	56
1841	Roland Morton,	Cornwallis,	Windsor,	Sept. 8, 1890.	72	49
1882	Thos. C. Hooper,	Cornwall, Eng.	Middleton,	April 20, 1891.	34	9
1830	George Johnson,	Yorkshire, Eng.	Horton,	Aug. 21, 1891.	83	61

QUESTION XIV.—Who compose the several Conference Committees ?

I.—COMMITTEES FOR THE SESSION.

STATIONING COMMITTEE.

<i>Districts.</i>	<i>Chairmen.</i>	<i>Representatives.</i>
Halifax	T. W. Smith, D. D.	Jabez A. Rogers.
Truro	Wm. Ainley	Benj. Hills, M. A., B. D
Cumberland	Wm. H. Evans	Joseph Gaetz.
Guysboro and C. B.	J. G. Angwin	F. A. Buckley, A. B.
Annapolis	Wm. C. Brown	Wm. Brown.
Liverpool	A. W. Nicolson	J. Hiram Davis.
Yarmouth	W. H. Heartz	Wm. H. Langille.
Bermuda	Wm. G. Lane	R. S. Stevens.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

The Chairmen of Districts and the following laymen :—
 Rufus Sweet, E. Motyer, R. L. Black,
 S. A. Chesley, A. M., James C. Torey, Comfort Clements.
 H. E. Jefferson, M. K. Langille,

COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS.

Ministers.

F. A. Buckley, B. A. John Johnson, I. M. Mellish,
 R. B. Mack.

Laymen.

Comfort Clements, James C. Torey, H. E. Jefferson,
 C. F. Wright.

CONTINGENT FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

J. Strothard, D. B. Scott, Jabez Appleby,
 J. L. Dawson, W. H. Langille, Hiram Davis.

Laymen.

J. W. Caldwell, Henry Titus, J. C. Torey,
 A. F. Stoneman, R. L. Black, C. F. Wright,
 John Taylor.

Wm. A. Outerbridge, *Sec.-Treasurer.*

PUBLIC WORSHIP COMMITTEE.

J. J. Teasdale, C. H. Huestis, R. Williams,
 J. L. Batty.

EDUCATIONAL FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

Wm. Ryan, Pres. of Conf. John Prestwood, B. A., B. D., F. H. Wright, A. B.
 Wm. C. Brown, R. McArthur,

Laymen.

A. Smallwood, J. N. Mack, Dr. J. W. Cove,
 Dr. H. Woodbury.
 C. Jost, A. M., *Treasurer.*
 J. M. Fisher, *Secretary.*

SUPERNUMERARY FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

W. H. Evans, Wm. Brown, J. Gaetz,
C. Jost, M. A., S. A. Chesley, M. A., members of General Committee.

Laymen.

R. L. Black, E. C. Johnson, G. Holland.
S. A. Chesley, M. A., *Secy.-Treasurer.*

CHILDREN'S FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

S. R. Ackman, J. Sharp, J. Hale,
G. F. Johnson, A. B., J. Astbury, John Gee.

Laymen.

Hibbert Purdy, B. Swenerton, C. S. Chapman,
D. K. Smith.
W. H. Langille, *Secty.-Treasurer.*

SUSTENTATION FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

C. Jost, M. A., Harry Burgess, J. L. Batty,
James Tweedy, F. H. Wright, A. B., G. W. Whitman,
W. I. Croft.

Laymen.

J. A. Taylor, R. L. Black, S. A. Chesley,
J. H. Whitman, J. R. Downing, Edward Allen,
Jas. C. Torey.
E. F. England, *Secty.-Treasurer.*

SABBATH SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

A. Hockin, R. B. Mack, J. A. Smith,
J.W. Prestwood, B.A., B.D., Wm. Phillips, Wm. G. Lane,
Jas. Strothard, W. H. Edyvean.

Laymen.

J. W. Caldwell, Jas. C. Torey, Comfort Clements,
M. K. Langille, H. Neilly, E. Motyer,
C. S. Chapman, I. N. Mack.

EPWORTH LEAGUE COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

E. B. Moore, W. I. Croft, T. D. Hart,
C. W. Swallow, A. B., J. M. Fisher, Wm. G. Lane,
F. Friggens, R. Williams.

Laymen.

Dr. H. Woodbury, Jas. C. Torey, Charles Cahan,
J. D. Ross, H. E. Jefferson, M. R. Smith,
R. L. Black, C. F. Wright.

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

J. S. Coffin, Benj. Hills, G. F. Day,
C. W. Tyler, J. J. Teasdale, Alban Daniel,
P. H. Robinson, W. H. Edyvean, J. B. Hemmeon.

Laymen.

R. L. Black, W. H. Coffin, Hy. Titus,
 C. F. Wright, Dr. I. Irwin, Benj. Bond,
 Hibbert Purdy.

CHURCH PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

T. A. Wilson, A. B., G. W. F. Glendenning, B.A., Wm. Purvis,
 C. W. Swallow, A. B.

Laymen.

F. McMahon, D. K. Smith, R. Johnson,
 Wm. McGee.

COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE WORK.

Ministers.

James Taylor, J. W. Shepherdson, J. A. Mosher,
 W. Nightingale, J. C. Ogden, Leander Daniel.

Laymen.

B. Bond, A. A. Smallwood, Dr. H. Woodbury.
 D. J. W. Cove, John Taylor.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE COLLECTIONS.

Minister.

Leander Daniel.

Layman.

R. J. Sweet.

CONFERENCE LETTER WRITERS.

Ministers.

J. A. Rogers, J. E. Donkin.

Layman.

M. K. Langille.

II.—STANDING COMMITTEES.

CONFERENCE SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

President of Conference, Wm. Ryan.

Secretary of Conference, D. W. Johnson, M. A.

The Chairmen of Districts and S. F. Huestis, J. Lathern, D.D., T. W. Smith, D. D.
 J. A. Rogers, E. B. Moore.

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

The President of Conference.

The Chairmen of Districts, Representatives to the General Board, and the following
 laymen elected by the June District meetings :

Halifax.....	R. J. Sweet,
Truro.....	James H. Whitman,
Cumberland.....	R. L. Black,
Guysboro'.....	Wm. Ferguson,
Annapolis.....	Joseph Welton,
Liverpool.....	J. N. Freeman,
Yarmouth.....	Charles Cahan,
Bermuda.....	Edward Healey.
E. B. Moore, <i>Secretary.</i>	S. F. Huestis, <i>Treasurer.</i>
W. B. McNutt, <i>Lay Treasurer.</i>	

REPRESENTATIVES TO GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Minister, Rev. W. H. Heartz.

Layman, R. L. Black.

PARSONAGE AID AND CHURCH EXTENSION FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

Wm. Ryan, Pres. of Conf.

E. B. Moore,

T. W. Smith, D. D.

D. W. Johnson, M. A.,

J. L. Dawson, A. B.,

Jabez A. Rogers.

Sec'y of Conf.

G. J. Bond, A. B.,

Laymen..

R. J. Sweet,

H. E. Jefferson,

O. Langille,

J. N. Mack,

J. C. Torey,

C. S. Chapman.

J. G. Angwin, *Sec'y.-Treas.*

J. W. Smith, *Lay Treas*

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE STATISTICS.

The Financial Secretaries.

The Secretaries of Districts.

Halifax Financial District Secretary, *Convener.*

CAMP MEETING COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

John Johnson,
A. S. Tuttle,

J. Craig,
James Taylor,

J. M. Fisher.

Laymen.

H. E. Jefferson,

Hennigar Neilly,
J. E. Hennigar.

E. Foster,

EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

Wm. Ryan, Pres. of Conf.
J. Lathern, D. D.,

E. B. Moore,
G. J. Bond, A. B.,

J. A. Rogers,
Richard Smith.

Laymen.

Joseph Belcher,
J. Allison,

B. Swenerton,
H. Woodbury, *Sec'y.*,

M. H. Richey, *Lay Treas.*

SABBATH LAW AND OBSERVANCE COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

S. F. Huestis,

T. W. Smith, D. D.,
J. R. Borden.

Wm. Ainley,

COMMITTEE ON PASTORAL ADDRESS.

R. McArthur.

J. B. Giles.

COMMITTEE ON DENOMINATIONAL UNION.

The President of Conference, the Chairmen of Districts, and the following :

Ministers.

J. S. Coffin,

T. W. Smith, D. D.,

J. Lathern, D. D.

Laymen.

J. S. Belcher,

H. Woodbury,
Rufus J. Sweet.

J. Wesley Smith,

TREASURER OF U. C. R. FUND.—Joseph Gaetz.

TREASURER OF GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND.—Joseph Gaetz.

TRAVELLING ARRANGEMENTS.—D. W. Johnson, M. A., Sec'y of Conference.

XV.—How are the Ministers and Probationers for the Ministry Stationed for the Ensuing Year ?

ANSWER :

REV. WILLIAM RYAN, PRESIDENT,
REV. D. W. JOHNSON, A. M., SECRETARY.

I.—HALIFAX DISTRICT.

1. *Halifax Centre*—George J. Bond, A. B., Acting Chaplain to Wesleyans in the Navy ; S. F. Huestis, Book Steward ; J. Lathern, D. D., Editor of *Wesleyan* ; Supernumeraries—Edmund Botterell, who has permission to reside in Montreal, Richard Smith, R. Alder Temple, D. D
2. *Halifax South*—E. B. Moore.
3. *Halifax West*—(Charles Street)—J. L. Dawson, A. B. ; (Beech Street)—James Hughson.
4. *Halifax*—(Robie Street)—T. Watson Smith, D. D.
5. *Halifax North*—(Kaye Street)—J. A. Rogers, Acting Chaplain to Wesleyans in the Army ; Supernumerary, A. W. Nicolson, (Post Office, Bedford.)
6. *Bedford and Waverley*—B. Seaboyer, under the superintendence of G. J. Bond, A. B.
7. *Dartmouth*—D. W. Johnson, A. M., Secretary of Conference.
8. *Woodlawn*—Supply, under the superintendence of D. W. Johnson, A. M.
9. *Windsor*—Joseph S. Coffin ; Supernumerary, J. A. Mosher.
10. *Chester Road*—Supply, under superintendence of Joseph S. Coffin.
11. *Hantsport*—Arthur Hockin.
12. *Horton*—F. H. Wright, A. M., B. D.
13. *Wolfville*—Oscar Grönlund, A. E.
14. *Kentville*—F. W. W. DesBarres, A. B., under superintendence of F. H. Wright, B. D.
15. *Newport*—James Sharp.
16. *Avondale*—C. M. Tyler.
17. *Burlington*—Wm. Ryan, President of Conference.
18. *Walton*—Supply, under superintendence of Wm. Ryan.
19. *Sambro*—Supply, under superintendence of T. W. Smith, D. D.
20. *Glen Margaret*—R. M. Jost, A. B., under superintendence of J. L. Dawson, A. B. J. H. Toole, J. W. Turner and W. M. Ryan are allowed to attend college.

WILLIAM RYAN, *Chairman*.
J. L. DAWSON, A. B., *Fin. Secretary*.

II.—TRURO DISTRICT.

21. *Truro*—William Ainley, W. F. Cann, H. M. Torey, A. B., Tutor in Theological College, Montreal ; Supernumeraries, J. G. Bigsby and R. O. Johnson.
22. *Onslow*—C. W. Swallow, A. B.
23. *Acadia Mines*—G. F. Day.
24. *Pictou*—W. G. Lane.
25. *Stellarton*—D. B. Scott.
26. *New Glasgow*—William Purvis.
27. *River John*—William Nightingale.
28. *Maitland*—J. W. Prestwood, A. B., B. D.
29. *Shubenacadie*—W. R. Turner.
30. *Middle Musquodoboit*—R. A. Daniel, Ph. D.
31. *Musquodoboit Harbor*—I. M. Mellish.
32. *Sheet Harbor*—John Phalen.

WILLIAM AINLEY, *Chairman*.
W. G. LANE, *Financial Secretary*.

III.—CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

33. *Amherst*—James Strothard, B. C. Borden, A. M., Principal of Ladies' College, Sackville ; W. W. Andrews, A. M., Prof. at Mount Allison University ; Supernumerary, T. D. Hart, with permission to reside in New Brunswick. Address, Sackville, N. B.

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34. *Amherst Head*—W. H. Edyvean.
 35. *Nappan*—John Johnson.
 36. *River Herbert*—A. B. Higgins, A. B., under superintendence of J. Johnson.
 37. *Wallace*—W. A. Outerbridge.
 38. *Pugwash*—Benj. Hills, A. M., B. D.; Supernumerary, G. W. Tuttle.
 39. *River Philip*—Harry Burgess.
 40. *Oxford*—Joseph Gaetz.
 41. *Leicester*—T. A. Wilson, A. B.
 42. *Wentworth*—F. Friggens.
 43. *Parrsboro'*—W. H. Evans.
 44. *Five Islands*—Supply, under superintendence of W. H. Evans.
 45. *Southampton*—J. Astbury.
 46. *Springhill*—E. E. England.
 47. *Advocate Harbor*—Jabez Appleby.
 Thos. Wootton has leave of absence for one year.
 J. A. Hart and R. Browne have permission to attend College.
 W. H. EVANS, *Chairman*.
 E. E. ENGLAND, *Financial Secretary*.

IV.—GUYSBORO AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

48. *Guysboro*—Jos. G. Angwin.
 49. *Canso*—A. C. Borden, A. B., B. D.
 50. *White Haven*—D. Walker, under Supt. of A. C. Borden, A. B., B. D.
 51. *New Harbor*—A. J. Reynolds, under superintendence of J. G. Angwin.
 52. *Boylston*—F. J. Pentelow.
 53. *Mulgrave*—To be supplied under superintendence of R. B. Mack.
 54. *North Sydney*—G. F. Johnson, A. B.
 55. *Sydney*—F. A. Buckley, A. B.
 56. *Gardner Mines*—To be supplied, under superintendence of F. A. Buckley, A. B.
 57. *Gabarus*—W. I. Croft.
 58. *Louisburg*—To be supplied, under superintendence of W. I. Croft.
 59. *Port Hawkesbury*—R. B. Mack.
 60. *Port Hood*—James Tweedy.
 61. *Margaree and Baddeck*—To be supplied.
 62. *Ingonish*—To be supplied, under superintendence of G. F. Johnson, A. B.
 63. *Aspy Bay*—H. C. McNeil.
 H. D. Townsend is allowed to attend College.
 JOSEPH G. ANGWIN, *Chairman*.
 F. A. BUCKLEY, A. B., *Financial Secretary*.

V.—ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

64. *Annapolis*—R. McArthur.
 65. *Granville Ferry*—Wm. Phillips.
 66. *Bridgetown*—J. B. Giles; Supernumeraries, Jos. F. Bent, J. Cassidy, J. R. Hart.
 67. *Mountain Mission*—To be supplied.
 68. *Middleton*—John Gee; Supernumeraries, J. L. Sponagle, J. W. Howie, W. C. Brown.
 69. *Lawrencetown*—Supply—under superintendence of John Gee.
 70. *Aylesford*—William Brown, W. Gaetz; Supernumeraries, James Taylor, G. O. Huestis.
 71. *Berwick*—J. Craig; Supernumeraries, P. Prestwood, A. S. Tuttle, W. Alcorn.
 72. *Canning*—D. Hickey; Supernumerary, J. R. Borden.
 73. *Hillsburgh*—J. Hale.
 74. *Digby*—J. Mayhew Fisher.
 75. *Weymouth*—J. W. Shepherdson.
 76. *Digby Neck*—S. C. Leonard, A. B., under superintendence of J. M. Fisher.
 C. E. Crowell, T. A. Bowen, R. O. Armstrong are allowed to attend College.
 R. MCARTHUR, *Chairman*.
 J. M. FISHER, *Financial Secretary*.

VI.—LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

- 77. *Liverpool*—G. W. F. Glendenning, A. B., S. T. B.
- 78. *Caledonia*—J. Hiram Davis.
- 79. *Port Mouton*—Supply, under superintendence of G. W. F. Glendenning.
- 80. *Mill Village and Port Nedway*.—S. R. Ackman.
- 81. *Vogler's Cove*—Supply, under superintendence of J. C. Ogden.
- 82. *Petite Riviere*—J. C. Ogden.
- 83. *Lunenburg*—J. J. Teasdale.
- 84. *Mahone Bay*—R. Williams.
- 85. *Chester*—W. C. Perry, under superintendence of R. Williams.
- 86. *Ritcey's Cove*—James L. Batty.
- 87. *New Germany*—J. B. Hemmeon.
- 88. *Northfield*—To be supplied, under superintendence of J. B. Hemmeon.
- 89. *Bridgewater*—C. H. Huestis, A. B.

J. J. TEASDALE, *Chairman*.
J. E. BATTY, *Fin. Secretary*.

VII.—YARMOUTH DISTRICT.

- 90. *Yarmouth North*—W. H. Langille.
- 91. *Yarmouth South*—W. H. Heartz.
- 92. *Arcadia*—J. E. Donkin.
- 93. *Hebron*—P. H. Robinson.
- 94. *Brenton*—Clayton A. Munroe, under superintendence of P. H. Robinson.
- 95. *Barrington*—C. Jost, A. M.
- 96. *Port LaTour*—Alban Daniel.
- 97. *N. E. Harbor*—Donald Farquhar.
- 98. *Shelburne*—Leander Daniel.
- 99. *Lockeport*—G. W. Whitman.

W. H. HEARTZ, *Chairman*,
W. H. LANGILLE, *Fin Secretary*.

VIII.—BERMUDA DISTRICT.

- 100. *Hamilton*—Wm. Dobson, Acting Chaplain to Wesleyans in the Army.
- 101. *Sandy's and Southampton*—R. S. Stevens, Acting Chaplain to Wesleyans in the Navy.
- 102. *St. George's*—J. B. Heal, Acting Chaplain to Wesleyans in the Army.
- 103. *Bailey's Bay*—J. A. Smith.

WILLIAM DOBSON, *Chairman*,
J. B. HEAL, *Fin. Secretary*.

Rev. W. H. Evans was elected to fill a vacancy in the General Conference Delegation.

CONNEXIONAL COLLECTIONS.

- 1. General Conference....2nd Sunday in August Fin. Sec'y District.
- 2. ContingentSeptember
- 3. Union Church Relief ..October
- 4. Supernumerary } In the Classes : November or December. "
- 5. Educational } Public Collection : " "
- 6. Missionary } At time arranged by Fin. Dist. Meeting. "
- 7. Sustentation }
- 8. Sabbath School.....To be taken in the Schools. See Discipline, page 139
- 9. Annual Conference.....June (1st Sabb.)

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- Acadia Mines
- Pictou
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- New Glasgow
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- Amherst
- Amherst Head
- Nappan
- River Hebert
- Wallace
- Pugwash
- River Philip
- Oxford
- Leicester
- Wentworth
- Parrsboro'
- Five Islands
- Southampton
- Springhill
- Advocate Harbor

Total.

QUESTION XVI.—What is the number of our Church Members? What is the number of Baptisms administered and of Marriages solemnized by each Minister?

1. HALIFAX DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	PRESENT MEMBERS.			Number Published last year.	RESULTS.			BAPTISMS.			Burials.	
	Full Member-ship.	On Trial.	Total.		Increase.	Decrease.	Catechumens not counted in Total.	Infant.	Adult.	Total.		Marriages.
Halifax Centre	304	9	313	234								
“ South	293		293	293		21	13		13	13	16	7
“ Robie St.	104	3	107	109			33	1	33	16	7	
“ West	345	46	391	346	45	2	12	2	14	3	15	
“ North	97	8	105	138			40		40	10	33	
Waverley	21	2	23	15	8	33	17		17	4	10	
D. rtmouth	117	8	125	121	4		4		4		9	
Woodlawn	51	1	52	40	12		23	1	29	6	9	
Windsor	166	13	179	230		21	10	1	11		14	
Chester Road	26	2	28	28			12		12	7	8	
Hantsport	130		130	122	8		2		2		4	
Horton	192	2	194	200		6	6	8	14	6	15	
Kentville	76	3	79	77	2	6	7	1	8	6	12	
Newport	140	1	141	146		5	4	1	5	1	7	
Avondale	116	4	120	135		15	8	1	9	3	8	
Burlington	225	4	229	197	32		4		4		5	
Walton	106		106	113		7		41	41	4	15	
Sambro	80	12	92	81	11			1	1		9	
Glen Margaret	37	1	38	46		8	14		14		7	
Total	2326	119	2745	2741	122	118	213	58	271	81	293	

2. TRURO DISTRICT.

Truro	193	6	199	205		6	10	5	15	5	8	
Onslow	126		126	129		3				2	4	
Acadia Mines	71	3	74	81		7	10	2	12	5	12	
Pictou	97	4	101	98	3		24	4	28	3	11	
Stellarton	78	4	82	73	9	4	17		17	4	3	
New Glasgow	88		88	75	13	30	9		9	2	8	
River John	142		142	148		6	21	4	25	5	15	
Maitland	119	2	121	131		10	3		3	1	9	
Shubenacadie	99		99	93	6		9	1	10	2	9	
Middle Musquodoboit	99		99	102		3	5		5	4	6	
Musquodoboit Harbor	92	6	98	94	4		10		10	1	8	
Sheet Harbor	23		23	13	10		5	1	6	1	1	
Total	1227	25	1252	1242	45	35	34	123	17	140	35	94

3. CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

Amherst	259	2	261	254	7		13	4	17	27	14
Amherst Head	115		115	111	4		8	5	13	2	9
Nappan	152	3	155	141	14		15	3	18	7	12
River Hebert	50	1	51	45	6		3		3		4
Wallace	209		209	229		20	8	1	9		6
Pugwash	233		233	201	32		8	5	13	5	2
River Philip	218	8	226	222	4		2		2	12	14
Oxford	211		211	205	6		1	6	7	8	8
Leicester	103		103	80	23			18	18		11
Wentworth	113	3	116	128		12	1	1	2	4	10
Parrsboro'	202		202	220		18	8	1	9	12	11
Five Islands	71	3	74	64	10		2	5	7		5
Southampton	211	2	213	214		1	30	5	35	2	10
Springhill	152		152	142	10		31	4	35	10	13
Advocate Harbor	114	7	121	120	1		5	3	8	5	8
Total	2413	29	2442	2376	117	51	135	61	196	94	137

4. GUYSBORO' AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

Membership Returns, Baptisms, Marriages, Burials.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	PRESENT MEMBERS.			Number Published Last Year	RESULTS.			BAPTISMS.			Marriages,	Burials.
	Full Member-ship.	On Trial.	Total.		Increase.	Decrease.	Catechumens not counted in Total.	Infant.	Adult.	Total.		
Guysborough	134	11	145	140	5			10	1	11	5	13
Canso	137	1	138	102	36			14	5	19	2	10
White Haven	77	8	85	157		72		8		8		5
New Harbor	82	8	90		90			1	1	2		6
Boylston	137	9	146	163		17		11	4	15	6	10
Mulgrave												
Sydney	90	2	92	106		14		10		10	3	2
North Sydney	131	7	138	115	23			11	2	13	2	6
Gabarus	232	5	237	210	27			12		12	3	8
Louisburg	58	4	62	43	19			8	1	9		1
Port Hawkesbury	93	8	101	103		2		8		8	2	5
Port Hood	38		38	38				12		12		
Margaree and Baddeck	28		28	28								
Ingonish	45	2	47	71		24						
Aspy Bay	29	7	36	36				7		7	1	4
Total	1311	72	1383	1312	200	129		112	14	126	24	70

5. ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

Annapolis	106		106	102	4			5	2	7	6	14
Grand Pre	143	16	159	180	29			2	11	13	3	8
Bridgetown	202	7	209	145	64			11	31	42	8	16
Mountain Mission	26	1	27	25	2							1
Middleton	204		204	217		13		1	2	3	9	7
Lawrencetown	152		152	170		18			3	3		13
Aylesford	414	7	421	380	41			3	24	27	3	19
Berwick	241	10	251	262		11		6	7	13	4	10
Canning	169	1	170	168	2				2	2	3	4
Hillsburgh	109	2	111	129		9		4		4	5	7
Digby	155	2	157	156	1			4	2	6	3	6
Weymouth	95		95	96		1		2		2	4	8
Digby Neck	83	3	86	80	6				2	2		6
Total	2099	49	2148	2051	149	52		38	86	124	48	119

6. LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

Liverpool	108	9	117	129		12		5		5		10
Caledonia	98	12	110	52	28			5	9	14	4	10
Port Mouton	177	3	180	185		5		4		4		5
Mill Village	82	3	85	139		54		3		3	5	5
Vogler's Cove	93	8	101		101			9		9		13
Petit Reviere	156	2	158	234		76		31	2	33	4	16
Lunenburg	386	6	392	392				45		45	13	20
Mahone Bay	171	17	188	193		5		10		10	4	6
Chester	33	1	34	38		4		3	1	4		6
Ritcey's Cove	287	11	298	268	30			26	2	28	3	13
New Germany	94		94	174		80		1		1	3	5
Northfield	88		88		88			8		8		5
Bridgewater	110	4	114	121		7		6	1	7	6	5
Total	1883	76	1956	1955	247	243		156	15	171	42	179

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St. George's
Bailey's Bay
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Guysboro' and
Annapolis
Liverpool
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7. YARMOUTH DISTRICT.

Membership Returns, Baptisms, Marriages, Burials.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	PRESENT MEMBERS.			Number published last year.	RESULTS.			BAPTISMS.			Marriages.	Burials.
	Full Member-ship.	On Trial.	Total.		Increase.	Decrease.	C. teachmens not counted in Total.	Infant.	Adult.	Total.		
Yarmouth North	142	9	151	164	13	13						
" South	175		175	175	13	13		2	1	3	7	13
Arcadia	98		98	110		12		3	5	8	11	10
Hebron	114		114	112	2			10		10	3	7
Brenton	50	9	59	77		18			3	3	3	1
Barrington	176	8	184	183	1		5	10	9	19	5	8
Port Latour	177	7	184	187		3		14	4	18	10	17
Northeast Harbor	144	9	153	162		9		15	4	19	3	19
Shelburne	136	3	139	138	1			3		3	6	4
Lockeport	175	12	187	175	12			4	9	13	11	12
Total	1387	57	1444	1483	16	55	5	61	35	96	60	95

8. BERMUDA DISTRICT.

Hamilton	146	1	147	150		3		18		18	9	7
Sandys, etc.	134	6	140	142		2		18	1	19	6	2
St. George's	79	4	83	91		8		12		12	3	11
Bailey's Bay	135	4	139	150		11		9		9	1	
Total	494	15	509	533		24		57	1	58	19	21

NAMES OF DISTRICT.

RECAPITULATION.

Halifax	2626	119	2745	2741	122	118		213	58	271	81	203
Truro	1227	25	1252	1242	45	35	34	123	17	140	35	94
Cumberland	2413	29	2442	2376	117	51		135	61	196	94	137
Guysboro' and C. B.	1311	72	1383	1312	200	129		112	14	126	24	70
Annapolis	2099	49	2148	2051	152	55		38	86	124	48	119
Liverpool	1883	76	1959	1955	247	243		156	15	171	42	179
Yarmouth	1387	57	1444	1483	16	55	5	61	35	96	60	95
Bermuda	494	15	509	533		24		57	1	58	19	21
Total for Conference	13440	442	13882	13693	899	710	39	895	287	1182	403	918

OFFICIAL BOARD RETURNS.

SYNOPSIS.

NAMES OF OF DISTRICTS.	MINISTERS.				Local Preachers.	Exhorters.	LEADERS AND ASSISTANTS.			Stewards.	REPRESENTATIVES.			S. S. Superintendents.	Epworth League Presidents.	Net Total.
	Effective.	Supernumerary.	Probationers.	Total.			Male.	Female.	Total.		Society.	Trustee Board.	Total.			
Halifax	14	4	5	22	14	7	49	28	77	110	69	28	97	33	14	317
Iruro	11	2	2	15	5	6	12	3	15	73	24	21	45	27	4	162
Cumberland	15	1	2	18	2	2	27	6	33	92	65	36	101	47	6	227
Guysborough and C. B.	8	.....	5	13	3	8	20	6	26	59	31	21	52	22	9	172
Annapolis	10	12	1	23	6	.....	39	6	45	81	12	19	31	33	5	203
Liverpool.....	9	.....	3	12	6	6	39	9	48	81	47	20	67	28	5	217
Yarmouth	9	.....	1	10	3	6	31	7	38	63	21	15	36	25	1	147
Bermuda	3	.....	1	4	5	2	17	7	24	24	19	10	19	11	3	68
Total.....	79	19	20	117	44	37	234	72	306	583	278	170	448	226	47	1513

QUESTION XXI.—What has been collected for the various Connexional Funds ?

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	Missionary.	Superannuary.	Educational.	Contingent.	General Conference.	Union Church Relief.	Sunday School Aid.	Sustentation.	Annual Conference.	Children's Fund.	Woman's Missionary.	Total Connexional Funds.
Halifax Centre.....	1318 60	193 32	123 48	20 00	23 79	13 25	10 00	216 69	13 00	14 00	400 16	2344 70
" South.....	1381 03	103 45	86 00	20 00	20 00	7 00	5 00	110 00	15 00	14 00	640 54	2402 02
" Robie Street.....	158 58	10 65	15 31	4 75	10 00	1 65	1 50	14 00	2 90	7 50	58 00	284 84
" West.....	1232 36	42 07	41 20	5 22	6 42	2 09	5 00	55 70	6 00	13 00	.....	1409 15
" North.....	136 65	12 00	5 00	3 25	4 60	1 00	1 00	10 00	2 00	7 50	.....	183 00
Waverley.....	8 45	2 00	1 50	1 00	.....	75	.....	1 50	1 00	85	.....	17 05
Dartmouth.....	161 86	12 50	5 00	4 01	5 00	1 00	1 50	10 17	2 00	7 50	161 48	372 05
Woodlawn.....	36 85	5 50	3 65	3 14	1 79	.....	50	2 17	1 00	2 30	.....	57 50
Windsor.....	334 90	20 00	15 00	5 00	4 00	.....	2 00	34 00	6 00	10 00	.....	520 60
Chester Road.....	2 00	50	50	1 00	50	.....	1 00	1 00	50	1 20	89 70	8 20
Hantsport.....	116 75	12 00	5 00	2 75	5 00	1 00	2 50	10 00	3 00	7 50	45 00	210 50
Horton.....	111 70	20 00	9 00	6 00	3 00	1 00	3 00	18 36	2 50	11 00	75 00	260 56
Kentville.....	111 70	20 00	9 00	6 00	3 00	1 00	3 00	18 36	2 50	11 00	75 00	260 56
Newport.....	22 00	2 35	1 40	1 00	1 05	1 00	50	5 25	1 63	3 50	.....	39 68
Avondale.....	52 95	6 45	2 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	50	5 00	1 25	7 00	.....	80 15
Burlington.....	141 00	16 00	3 00	2 75	4 10	1 75	50	5 00	3 75	7 00	70 00	260 10
Walton.....	86 18	16 17	4 00	3 36	3 00	2 00	1 13	8 00	3 00	7 50	80 00	210 34
Sambro.....	25 45	6 25	1 00	1 75	2 25	65	1 50	2 30	1 10	2 00	.....	44 25
Glen Margaret.....	29 80	4 42	1 25	2 07	1 73	1 75	1 40	4 25	1 94	4 00	.....	52 61
.....	4 00	2 00	2 25	1 00	1 00	.....	50	.....	50	1 65	.....	12 50
Total.....	5361 11	487 63	325 63	90 08	98 23	36 90	41 28	511 79	68 07	129 60	1619 88	8770 29

* Amount reported at Conference.

Net Total.
1513
89
147
217
203
172
227
162
317

TRURO DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	Missionary	Supernumery.	Educational.	Contingent.	General Conference.	Union Church Relief.	B. School Aid.	Sustentation.	Annual Conference.	Children's Fund.	Woman's Missionary.	Total Connexional Funds.
	Truro	412 29	0 00	10 00	8 00	5 00	1 00	6 45	30 00	4 00	12 00	194 77	703 51
Onslow	41 46	6 75	3 46	2 01	1 80	50	15 01	15 01	1 35	3 70	20 00	76 54
Acadia Mines	11 85	8 00	1 00	1 04	1 60	50	2 50	1 00	1 50	3 55	20 00	52 50
Pictou	63 05	10 10	9 00	6 00	4 00	50	1 40	18 00	3 00	7 50	113 36	235 91
Stellarton	36 37	7 10	1 00	1 18	2 68	50	2 08	7 40	1 44	3 65	113 36	63 40
New Glasgow	31 71	6 00	3 00	1 50	2 00	25	1 50	16 00	2 50	4 00	113 36	56 81
River John	54 00	6 58	2 90	1 59	3 25	60	73	16 00	2 50	3 00	113 36	92 15
Maitland	54 89	13 10	1 33	1 42	4 05	1 00	1 91	14 61	1 33	7 00	113 36	59 74
Shubenacadie	131 45	9 39	4 67	5 77	4 00	1 00	2 25	20 75	3 00	3 75	113 36	186 03
Middle Musquodoboit	56 00	10 20	2 00	3 00	2 66	40	50	12 00	85	4 00	44 43	136 04
Musquodoboit Harbor	61 83	3 60	1 75	1 25	3 70	50	1 30	11 00	1 50	3 00	113 36	89 53
Sher's Harbor	74 00	3 15	1 00	1 00	1 00	50	1 30	3 32	6 05	3 50	113 36	91 02
Total for District	\$1029 00	\$103 97	\$40 11	\$32 76	\$35 74	\$6 75	\$20 22	\$154 69	\$28 02	\$69 40	\$372 56	1883 18
					District Collection			4 48			Total	\$1887 76

CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

Amherst	207 75	20 15	10 00	10 00	7 00	3 00	1 30	20 39	5 00	10 00	125 00	419 50
Amherst Head	56 00	6 00	3 15	2 40	2 50	70	50	9 00	2 00	4 25	125 00	86 50
Nappan	72 00	10 00	5 15	2 45	4 24	1 00	1 00	10 00	2 50	6 50	125 00	114 84
River Hebert	39 04	5 24	2 42	2 91	2 04	75	1 00	8 10	1 50	3 60	125 00	66 00
Wallace	41 00	5 00	3 00	2 00	2 10	1 00	1 50	5 00	2 50	5 00	125 00	99 50
Pugwash	25 75	4 00	3 25	1 30	3 00	75	1 15	5 00	1 30	6 40	125 00	118 40
River Philip	105 19	7 73	6 02	5 94	2 00	1 00	1 50	10 00	2 00	6 40	125 00	147 78
Oxford	101 34	11 76	6 25	4 65	4 78	75	1 00	17 41	4 31	7 50	125 00	203 40
Leicester	46 25	10 00	3 10	2 65	2 25	2 50	2 02	6 40	2 46	3 10	125 00	80 83
Wentworth	36 69	6 00	3 1	1 88	2 00	31	79	6 59	1 46	3 10	125 00	60 22
Parrsboro	118 56	19 77	6 48	4 69	5 04	1 00	1 25	12 61	2 50	1 40	107 85	287 25
Five Islands	25 13	1 14	50	1 43	1 75	75	2 03	2 03	1 09	1 40	107 85	34 72
Southampton	113 75	13 75	3 75	3 03	3 00	75	1 81	9 87	1 85	7 50	107 85	158 76
Springhill	85 00	10 00	7 00	5 00	3 00	1 00	2 00	20 00	3 50	8 50	58 00	203 00
Advocate Harbor	59 20	2 00	2 16	1 41	1 17	50	1 00	6 30	1 00	5 50	58 00	80 24
Total for District	\$1102 65	\$132 54	\$64 11	\$61 26	\$45 87	\$15 01	\$18 07	\$148 40	\$34 67	\$86 95	\$372 10	\$2161 63

GUYSBORO' AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

Guysboro	162 22	4 60	5 00	2 00	5 00	50	1 00	11 00	2 00	6 50	81 00	280 82
Canso	126 05	19 00	8 00	4 57	2 00	1 17	8 05	11 00	2 00	6 50	81 00	280 82
Whitehaven	31 55	19 00	8 00	4 57	2 00	1 17	8 05	11 00	2 00	6 50	81 00	280 82

Southampton	113 75	3 75	3 03	3 00	75	1 81	9 57	1 85	7 50	158 76		
Springhill	85 00	7 00	5 00	3 00	1 00	2 00	20 00	3 50	8 50	203 00		
Advocate Harbor	59 20	2 00	1 41	1 17	50	1 00	6 30	1 00	5 50	80 24		
Total for District	\$1192 65	\$132 54	\$64 11	\$61 26	\$45 87	\$15 01	\$18 07	\$148 40	\$34 67	\$86 95	\$372 10	\$2161 63

GUYSBORO' AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

Guysboro	162 22	4 60	5 00	2 00	5 00	50	1 00	11 00	2 00	6 50	81 00	280 52
Canso	126 05	19 00	8 00	4 57	2 00	1 17	8 05	16 25	3 81	8 00	86 00	252 90
Whitehaven	21 55	5 00	1 75	1 25	2 60	75	1 00	2 20	75	3 00	3 00	39 85
New Harbour	42 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	50	50	1 25	3 00	2 00	2 00	51 75
Boylston	62 00	5 36	2 40	1 80	1 60	25	1 00	15 00	3 00	3 70	21 82	116 98
Mulgrave												
Sydney	94 10	5 25	4 00	2 45	3 00	1 00	1 50	12 62	3 00	7 00	48 00	181 92
North Sydney	52 00	8 00	2 00	1 25	2 00	75	1 00	12 50	2 08	7 50	19 00	108 08
Gabarus	73 06	8 00	2 20	1 00	1 00	30	2 50	10 00	2 00	4 65	43 80	149 11
Louisburg	23 05	1 30	1 40	1 25	1 00	1 35	4 00	2 00	1 00	2 20	38 00	38 00
Port Hawkesbury	38 39	9 01	2 00	1 75	2 00	50	1 00	15 00	3 00	5 00	31 00	108 64
Port Hood	45 00	3 00	1 01	1 00	70	50	1 00	3 00	1 50	2 00	55 70	55 70
Margaree and Baddeck												
Ingonish												
Aspy Bay	52 00	5 00	2 87	1 99	3 00	1 23	1 09	3 00	1 12	2 00	6 90	6 90
Total	\$791 37	\$77 11	\$34 62	\$ 21 21	\$23 90	\$8 70	\$21 79	\$107 82	\$24 01	\$55 25	\$330 62	\$1496 40

ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

Annapolis	44 48	13 70	2 50	4 00	2 50	50	2 84	17 50	2 38	6 65	97 05	
Granville Ferry	43 00	13 00	2 50	1 70	2 50	60	50	4 00	1 00	6 50	75 30	
Bridgetown	184 61	15 00	6 86	4 58	5 00	50	2 00	8 00	6 11	7 50	227 16	
Mountain Mission												
Middleton	121 36	12 04	4 79	4 36	5 00	1 24	1 70	6 33	2 32	7 00	1 00	
Lawrencetown	35 91	5 60	1 75	1 45	1 15	1 40	50	2 10	1 05	3 50	275 04	
Aylesford	127 13	12 11	3 50	3 52	3 00	1 07	1 25	5 25	4 10	10 75	55 47	
Berwick	104 25	23 00	6 00	4 40	5 00	1 00	75	13 00	5 00	7 50	159 00	
Canning	75 35	63 90	3 19	3 38	4 60	2 09	1 60	12 00	2 90	6 70	144 00	
Hillsburgh	43 47	12 00	3 00	1 50	2 50	50	75	4 00	1 50	6 00	59 54	
Digby	72 10	16 00	3 00	3 20	3 00	25	70	12 00	2 50	7 50	183 25	
Weymouth	41 00	9 60	2 75	1 00	1 50	50	50	5 00	1 25	9 74	84 96	
Digby Neck	20 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 50	25	50	5 00	1 50	3 75	66 85	
Total for District	\$915 66	\$155 25	\$40 84	\$34 24	\$36 25	\$9 15	\$13 59	\$94 18	\$30 61	\$73 35	\$605 75	\$2908 97

Lockeport.....	64 30
	76 20
	3 30
	3 80
	2 04
	2 15
	12 00
	10 72
	1 67
	\$178 65
	\$85 60
	\$54 80
	\$401 85
Total for District.....	\$2024 96

BERMUDA DISTRICT.

Hamilton.....	248 93	33 44	7 20	10 00	4 80	1 00	1 27	12 50	319 14
Southampton.....	170 77	7 50	2 00	1 56	1 68	1 20	72	6 30	191 73
St. George's.....	84 53	8 20	8 00	2 50	3 60	1 00	1 50	9 60	118 93
Bailey's Bay.....	137 45	4 50	5 74	3 00	5 00	72	1 94	5 50	183 85
Total for District.....	\$661 68	\$53 64	\$22 94	\$17 06	\$15 08	\$3 52	\$5 43	\$33 90	\$813 65

RECAPITULATION.

Halifax.....	5361 11	487 62	325 63	90 08	98 23	36 90	41 28	511 79	68 07	129 60	1619 88	8770 20
Truro.....	1029 00	103 97	40 11	32 76	35 74	6 75	20 22	159 17	28 02	59 40	372 56	1887 70
Cumberland.....	1192 65	132 54	64 11	51 26	45 87	15 01	18 07	148 40	34 67	86 95	372 10	2161 63
Guysborough and Cape Breton.....	791 37	77 11	34 62	21 21	23 90	8 70	21 79	107 82	21 01	55 25	339 62	1496 40
Annapolis.....	915 66	155 25	40 84	34 34	36 25	9 15	13 59	94 18	3 61	73 35	605 75	2908 97
Liverpool.....	814 10	192 40	34 18	32 54	29 92	16 66	15 77	153 55	20 05	54 05	113 35	1 06 57
Yarmouth.....	1021 65	148 13	56 07	65 65	40 48	10 73	16 35	178 65	35 60	54 80	401 85	2024 96
Bermuda.....	661 68	53 64	22 94	17 06	13 03	3 93	3 43			33 90		813 65
Total for District.....	11816 22	1350 67	618 50	\$340 90	\$325 47	\$107 82	152 50	\$1353 56	\$241 03	\$547 30	\$3816 11	20670 08
Collected at Conference.....	21 00											21 00
	\$11837 22											\$20691 08

The Secretary of the Bermuda District wrote, after Conference, that Southampton's missionary money should be \$163.97, and Bermuda's total \$654.88.

QUESTION XXII.—What amounts have been raised for Circuit purposes?

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Removal Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	Epworth Leagues.	Ladies' Aids.	Trustee Boards.	All other purposes.	Total.
Halifax, Centre			100 00	681 28	40 00	65 00	800 00	300 00	1986 28
" South				80 13	80 00		1754 00	1049 00	2963 13
" Robie St		150 00		65 36			1305 93	250 83	1772 12
" West		217 55	1 00	308 02	123 00		1393 82	93 32	2136 71
" North				138 12	20 15	137 66		200 00	740 50
Waverley		8 40		3 00			90 00		101 40
Dartmouth		120 00		77 00	10 00	100 00	175 00	220 26	702 26
Woodlawn				6 67				140 00	146 67
Windsor			60 00	106 43	37 59	115 00	328 20		647 22
Chester Road									
Hantsport				65 00			350 00		415 00
Horton				35 90	2 00	90 00	220 00	60 00	407 90
Kentville						35 00	95 00		130 00
Newport			28 00	20 50	1 12		70 00		119 62
Avondale	5 00			56 88			200 00		261 88
Burlington				40 00	4 00		600 00		644 00
Walton				16 00				230 00	246 00
Sambro				4 00		10 00	400 00	30 00	444 00
Glen Margaret				25 12				47 60	72 12
Total	\$5 00	\$495 95	\$189 00	\$1729 40	\$317 86	\$552 66	\$8026 52	\$2620 41	\$13936 81

TRURO DISTRICT.

Truro				143 38	19 33	228 47	154 00		545 18
Onslow				8 58			57 77	6 00	72 35
Acadia Mines	4 00			28 40		4 00	75 00	10 00	121 40
Pictou				72 00		35 00	170 00	228 00	505 00
Stellarton				93 00	50			30 00	123 50
New Glasgow	8 93			45 96		25 00	230 00	6 94	316 83
River John				19 39			179 00		198 39
Maitland	2 40			13 64	27 14	463 16	140 00	2 39	648 73
Shubenacadie	8 90			28 94		25 00	30 00	90 00	182 34
Middle Musquodoboit.				8 39			34 58	3 00	45 97
Musquodoboit Harbor								200 00	200 00
Sheet Harbour								11 00	11 00
Total	\$24 23			\$461 88	\$46 97	\$780 63	\$1070 35	\$587 33	\$2971 19

CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

Amherst	175 00			65 00	60 00	75 00	500 00		875 00
Amherst Head				14 00		20 00	800 00	50 00	884 00
Nappan				81 20			15 00	25 00	121 20
River Hebert				20 00				110 00	130 00
Wallace									None.
Pugwash				52 04			140 00		192 04
River Philip				57 00			50 00	100 00	207 00
Oxford			30 00	40 00		83 00	320 00	8 00	501 00
Leicester	1 00	15 00		12 00	10 00		24 00	180 00	242 00
Wentworth				5 50		38 28	16 00		59 78
Parrsboro'				75 00		200 00	700 00		975 00
Five Islands*				61					61
Southampton				115 14			21 81	13 22	95 43
Springhill				80 00	5 00	80 00	800 00	50 00	1015 00
Advocate Harbor				25 00				110 00	135 00
Total	\$176 00	\$15 00	\$30 00	\$642 49	\$75 00	\$496 28	\$3607 81	\$666 22	\$5768 59

I new church has been dedicated in the District during the year, costing \$700.

* \$59.75 for horse hire in total.

NAMES AND

Guysbor
Canso
White H
New Ha
Boylston
Mulgrave
Sydney
North Sy
Gabarour
Louisbur
Port Ha
Port Ho
Margaree
Ingonish
Aspy Bay

To

Annapolis
Granville
Bridgetov
Mountain
Middleton
Lawrence
Aylesford
Berwick
Canning
Hillsburg
Digby
Weymouth
Digby Ne

Total

Liverpool
Caledonia
Port Mout
Mill Villag
Vogler's Co
Petite Rev
Lunenburg
Mahone Ba
Chester
Ritcey's Co
New Germa
Northfield
Bridgewater

Total

GUYSBORO' AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICTS.

Total.
1986 28
2963 13
1772 12
2136 71
740 50
101 40
702 26
146 67
647 22
.....
415 00
407 90
130 00
119 62
261 88
644 00
246 00
444 00
72 12
3936 81

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Removal Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	Epworth Leagues.	Ladies' Aids.	Trustee Boards.	All other purposes.	Total.
Guysborough				84 77		35 00	250 00		369 77
Canso			25 00	115 67		37 20	1113 00	76 00	1366 87
White Haven				13 00			43 25	12 00	68 25
New Harbor	1 00			7 00		18 44	37 50		63 94
Boylston				5 90			350 00	15 00	370 90
Mulgrave									
Sydney				30 00			294 42		354 42
North Sydney				33 00	30 00	55 00	300 00	60 00	463 00
Gabarous			51 00	42 84	15 00	167 00	235 00	67 00	627 84
Louisburg				2 00	65 00		15 00	100 00	117 00
Port Hawkesbury				10 00			200 00		215 00
Port Hood				18 00	5 00				18 00
Margaree and Baddeck									
Ingonish									
Aspy Bay				10 00				6 31	6 31
Total	\$1 00		\$76 00	\$372 18	\$115 00	\$312 64	\$2885 57	\$359 64	\$4122 03

ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

545 18
72 35
121 40
121 40
505 00
123 50
316 83
198 39
648 73
182 34
45 97
200 00
11 00
2971 19

Annapolis				24 95		169 66	805 00	69 00	\$1059 61
Granville Ferry				15 00		30 00	650 00	122 00	817 00
Bridgetown				35 75		75 00	175 00		285 75
Mountain Mission									
Middleton				72 00		15 00	60 00		147 00
Lawrencetown		55 00		49 00			488 00		592 00
Aylesford			16 00	81 76			60 00	50 00	657 76
Berwick				33 16	20 00		500 00	75 00	631 16
Canning				26 00		20 00	180 00		226 00
Hillsburgh		25 00		25 00	6 00	60 00	100 00	37 00	253 00
Digby				73 60	5 00	136 00		25 00	339 60
Weymouth		50 00		25 00				100 00	185 00
Digby Neck*									80 00
Total	\$140 00	\$16 00	\$464 22	\$31 00	\$505 66	\$3018 00	\$919 00	\$5173 88	

* \$80 for horse hire, in total.

875 00
884 00
121 20
130 00
None.
192 04
207 00
501 00
242 00
59 78
975 00
95 43
236 14
015 00
135 00
768 59

LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

Liverpool				102 43	37 00	115 00	80 00	40 00	374 43
Caledonia									
Port Mouton				18 00		12 00	191 11	89 60	310 71
Mill Village				12 00		10 00		20 00	42 00
Vogler's Cove				17 00			75 00	16 00	108 00
Petite Reviere			50 00	54 94		34 00	435 00		853 94
Lunenburg				171 00	5 00	60 00	300 00	422 00	1008 00
Mahone Bay				80 00		60 00	436 19		576 19
Chester	75			4 50			25 27		260 52
Ritcey's Cove				89 59		90 00	281 00	37 00	497 59
New Germany				40 00		50 00		20 00	110 00
Northfield									
Bridgewater				20 00	4 00	115 00	81 00	5 00	225 00
Total	75	\$50 00	\$609 46	\$46 00	\$876 00	\$2134 57	\$649 60	\$4366 38	

YARMOUTH DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Removal Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	Epworth Leagues.	Ladies' Aid.	Trustee Boards.	All other purposes.	Total.
Yarmouth North.....			32 50	583 15		25 00	180 24	400 00	1220 89
" South.....				150 00		250 00	450 00	3400 90	4250 00
Arcadia.....				32 50			526 55	1 20	570 20
Hebron.....				24 50	6 80		1800 00	51 00	1882 30
Brenton.....				15 12			14 00		29 12
Barrington.....				16 44	18 00	27 25	223 00		284 69
Port Latour.....								125 00	125 00
Northeast Harbor.....				25 38				210 00	235 38
Shelburne.....				17 54			33 00	100 00	150 54
Lockeport.....				21 00				236 00	257 00
Total.....			\$32 50	\$885 63	\$24 80	\$302 25	\$3226 79	\$4398 20	\$9005 12

How many new churches have been dedicated on the District this year? 3. At what cost? \$19,500.

BERMUDA DISTRICT.

Hamilton*.....	312 00		140 00		32 00	1877 00	220 00	2629 00
Sandys, etc.....	76 80		45 30	5 00	35 00	480 00		642 10
St. George'st.....					20 16	208 46	580 80	840 14
Bailey's Bay.....			111 75	4 00	8 30	405 30		529 35
Total.....	\$388 80		\$297 05	\$9 00	\$95 46	\$2970 76	\$800 80	\$4640 59

* 48 and †30.72 Travelling Expenses in total.

RECAPITULATION.

Halifax.....	5 00	495 95	189 00	1729 41	317 86	552 66	8026 52	2620 41	13986 81
Truro.....	15 33			461 68	46 97	780 63	1070 35	587 33	2962 29
Cumberland.....	176 00	15 00	30 00	642 49	75 00	496 28	3607 81	666 22	5768 59
Guysboro' and C. B.....	1 00		76 00	372 18	115 00	312 64	2885 57	359 64	4122 03
Annapolis.....		140 00	16 00	464 22	31 00	505 66	3018 00	919 00	5173 88
Liverpool.....	75	50 00		609 46	46 00	876 00	2134 57	649 60	4366 38
Yarmouth.....			32 50	885 63	24 80	302 25	3226 79	4398 20	8880 12
Bermuda.....		388 30		297 05	9 00	95 46	2970 76	800 80	4640 59
Total.....	\$198 08	\$1089 75	\$343 50	\$5462 12	\$665 63	\$3921 58	\$26940 37	\$11001 20	\$49900 69

How many new churches have been dedicated in the Conference? 4. At what cost? \$20,200.

NOTE.—\$139.75 for Horse Hire, and \$78.72 Travelling Expenses, are in total.

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- Halifax C
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- Waverly
- Dartmouth
- Woodlaw
- Windsor
- Chester R
- Hantsport
- Horton
- Kentville
- Newport
- Avondale
- Burlington
- Walton
- Sambro
- Glen Marg

Total

- Truro
- Onslow
- Acadia Min
- Picton
- Stellarton
- New Glasgo
- River John
- Maitland
- Shubenacad
- Md. Musqu
- Musquodoc
- Sheet Harb

Total

- Amherst
- Amherst He
- Nappan
- River Heber
- Wallace
- Pugwash
- River Philip
- Oxford
- Leicester
- Wentworth
- Parrsboro
- Five Islands
- Southampton
- Springhill
- Advocate Ha

Total

QUESTION XXIII.—What amounts have been raised for Ministerial Support?

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	NAMES OF MINISTERS.	Minstrs. in acty. wrk.	Probrs. in acty. wrk.	Officers Gen'l Conf.	Mintr. Prof. in Colg.	Sup. Ministers.	Paid by Circuit or Mission.	See Sustentation Fund Report.	Missionary Fund.		Total Received.	Net Deficiency.	Grand Total for all purposes.
									Salary.	Removal.			
Halifax Centre..	G. J. Bond.....	1					1400				1400		5730 98
" South.....	E. B Moore.....	1					1400				1400		6765 15
" Robie St.	T. W. Smith.....	1					*750				750		2806 96
" West.....	J. L. Dawson & J. Toole	1	1				1300				1300		4845 86
" North.....	J. A. Rogers.....	1					750				750		1673 50
Waverly.....	W. C. Perry.....		1				175		120		295	55	293 45
Dartmouth.....	Geo. F. Johnson.....	1					750				750		1824 31
Woodlawn.....	James Hughson.....	1					279				279	71	483 17
Windsor.....	J. S. Coffin.....	1			1		1010				1010		2177 82
Chester Road.....	Supply.....						90		50		140		98 20
Hantsport.....	A. Hockin.....	1					750				750		1375 59
Horton.....	C. Jost.....	1	1				1141				1141		1809 46
Kentville.....	W. F. Cann.....		1				320		25		345		489 08
Newport.....	James Sharp.....	1					567				567	183	766 77
Avondale.....	C. M. Tyler.....	1					650				650	100	1171 98
Burlington.....	William Ryan.....	1					750				750		1604 34
Walton.....	Supply.....						215		30		245	105	505 25
Sambro.....	Supply.....						220		50		270		716 61
Glen Margaret.....	Supply.....						190		45		235	115	275 02
Total.....		12	5	2		4	\$12707		\$320		\$629		\$35414 01

* \$200 raised by Halifax South.

TRURO DISTRICT.

Truro.....	Wm. Ainley.....	1					800				800		2448 69
Onslow.....	C. E. Crowell.....	1	1				400				400		
Acadia Mines.....	C. W. Swallow.....	1			1		370	219	10		589	161	518 89
Pictou.....	James Tweedy.....	1					300	289			589	161	437 94
Stellarton.....	Benj. Hill.....	1					750				750		1480 91
New Glasgow.....	D. B. Scott.....	1					410	289			699	51	596 90
River John.....	Wm. Purvis.....	1					412	214	44		626	124	785 81
Maitland.....	Wm. Nightingale.....	1					410	179	24		589	161	702 55
Shubenacadie.....	J. W. Prestwood.....	1					650				650	100	1398 47
Md. Musquodoboit.....	W. A. Outerbridge.....	2					300	214			613	137	780 03
Musquodoboit Hr.....	R. A. Daniel.....	1			1		350	239	29		589	161	532 01
Sheet Harbor.....	J. M. Mellish.....	1					300	239	71		589	161	589 68
	John Phelan.....	1					294		10		294	106	396 02
Total.....		11	2		2		\$5845	\$1932	\$188	\$7777	\$1323		\$10703 89

CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

Amherst.....	Jas. Strothard.....	1			2		1000 00				1000 00		2294 50
Amherst Head.....	J. Astbury.....	1					470 00	159 00	50		629 00	121 00	1440 50
Nappan.....	John Johnson.....	1					750 00				750 00		986 04
River Hebert.....	A. Higgins.....	1					365 00				365 00		561 60
Wallace.....	G. F. Day.....	1					605 00				605 00	145 00	704 50
Pagwash.....	Jesse B. Giles.....	1					750 00				750 00		1060 44
River Philip.....	Harry Burgess.....	1			1		650 00				650 00	100 00	1004 78
Oxford.....	Joseph Gaetz.....	1					750 00				750 00		1454 40
Leicester.....	T. A. Wilson.....	1					380 00	200 50			589 50	160 50	702 83
Wentworth.....	F. Friggens.....	1					298 00	279 50	12		575 50	174 50	416 00
Parrsboro.....	W. H. Evans.....	1					750 00				750 00		2012 25
Five Islands.....	Robert Brown.....	1					157 70	200 00			357 70		287 85
Southampton.....	John Craig.....	1					750 00				750 00		1244 90
Springhill.....	D. W. Johnson.....	1					850 00				850 00		2088 00
Advocate Harbor.....	Jabez Appleby.....	1					571 50	39 50			611 00	139 00	786 74
Total.....		13	2		2	1	\$9025 20	687 50	\$62	\$982 70	\$840 00		\$16956 37

† Grant from Jost Fund.

GUYSBORO' AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	NAMES OF MINISTERS.	Minstrs. in acty. wk.	Probrs. in acty. wk.	Officers Gen'l Conf.	Mintl. Prof. in Colg.	Sup. Ministers.	Paid by Circuit or Mission.	See Sustentation Fund Report.	Missionary Fund.		Total Received.	Net Deficiency.	Grand Total for all purposes.
									Salary.	Removal.			
Guysboro'	Jos. G. Angwin...	1					70 00				700 00	50 00	1350 59
Canso	A. C. Borden	1					750 00				750 00		2399 77
Whitehaven	R. O. Armstrong		1				275 00				275 00	75 00	333 10
New Harbor	A. J. Reynolds		1				260 00	25 00			285 00	65 00	375 59
Boylston	F. J. Pentelow	1					340 00	219 00	22		559 00	191 00	827 83
Mulgrave													
Sydney	F. A. Buckley	1					702 00				702 00	48 00	1238 34
North Sydney	G. W. F. Glendenning	1					750 00				750 00		1321 08
Gabarus	W. I. Croft	1					593 00				593 00	157 00	1369 95
Louisburg	D. Farquhar		1				300 00	20 00			320 00	30 00	455 00
Port Hawkesbury	R. B. Mack	1					496 00	89 50	18		585 50	164 50	819 64
Port Hood	J. E. Hemmeon	1					210 00	389 50			599 50	150 50	283 70
Margaree & B'deck													
Ingonish	Wilford Gaetz		1				44 50	60 00			104 50	245 50	57 71
Aspy Bay	Oskar Gronlund	1					233 00	25 00	14		258 00	92 00	389 63
Total		8	5				\$5653 50	828 00	62		6481 50	1268 50	\$11271 93

ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

Annapolis	R. McArthur	1					635 00				665 00	85 00	1821 66
Granville Ferry	W. Phillips	1					650 00				650 00	100 00	1542 36
Bridgetown	F. H. Wright	1			3		750 00				750 00		1312 91
Mt. Mission							33 00	120 00			153 00		34 00
Middleton	Jno. Gee	1			2		660 00				660 00	90 00	1082 04
Lawrencetown	Supply						400 00				400 00		1101 28
Aylesford	Wm. Brown	1	1		2		701 00				701 00	49 00	2007 44
Berwick	Thos. A. Bowen	1			4		327 00				327 00	23 00	1698 06
Canning	E. E. England	1			1		750 00				750 00		1079 28
Hillsburgh	D. Hickey	1					670 00				670 00	80 00	987 93
Digby	W. C. Brown	1					650 00				650 00	100 00	1159 68
Weymouth	J. M. Fisher	1					750 00				750 00		626 85
Digby Neck	J. E. Donkin	1					375 00	214 00			589 00	161 00	315 50
	Supply						205 00	40 00			245 00	105 00	
Total		10	1		12		\$7586 00	374 00			7960 00	793 00	\$14768 85

LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

Liverpool	A. W. Nicolson	1					600 00				600 00	150 00	1106 79
Caledonia	J. H. Davis	1					280 00	329 00			609 00	140 00	331 95
Port Mouton	Supply						368 00				363 00		745 99
Mill Village	S. R. Ackman						308 00	319 00	36		627 00	122 00	402 05
Vogler's Cove	Supply						231 00	20 00			251 00	99 00	405 73
Petite Riviere	J. C. Ogden	1	1				548 00				548 00	201 00	1788 44
	H. S. Theakston						255 00				255 00	94 00	2158 25
Lunenburg	J. J. Teasdale	1					1000 00				1000 00		1332 94
Mahone Bay	R. Williams	1					650 00				650 00	100 00	471 17
Chester	Jos. A. Hart		1				175 00	100 00			275 00	75 00	1465 85
Ritcey's Cove	Jas. L. Batty	1					750 00				750 00		375 38
New Germany	W. H. Edgvean	1					226 00	239 00			465 00	284 00	207 93
Northfield	H. C. McNeill		1				187 00	50 00	3		240 00	110 00	707 48
Bridgewater	C. H. Huestis	1					410 00	179 00			589 00	160 00	
Total		9	3				\$5988 00	1238 00	39		7223 00	1541 00	\$11860 95

CIRCUIT MISSIONS

Yarmouth
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Yarmouth
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YARMOUTH DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.	NAMES OF MINISTERS.	Minstrs. in acty. wrk.	Probrts. in acty. wrk.	Officers Gen'l Conf.	Mintrl. Prof. in Colg.	Sup. Ministers.	Paid by Circuit or Mission.	See Sustentation Fund Report.	Missionary Fund.		Total Received.	Net Deficiency.	Grand Total for all purposes.
									Salary.	Removal.			
Yarmouth, North.	W. H. Langille.	1					1000 00				1000 00		2864 39
" South.	W. H. Heartz	1					950 00				950 00		5761 12
Arcadia	T. D. Hart	1					418 00	159 00			577 00	173 00	1088 50
Hebron	J. A. Smith	1					255 00	100 00			355 00	45 00	2217 30
Brenton		1	1				183 00	48 00	6 00		231 00	119 00	241 71
Barrington	Joseph Hale	1					670 00				670 00	80 00	1146 99
Port Latour	A. Daniel	1					700 00				700 00	50 00	800 66
North-East Harbor	J. W. Shepherdson	1					583 00				583 00	167 00	905 37
Shelburne	L. Daniel	1					338 00	257 00			595 00	155 00	677 84
Lockeport	G. W. Whitman	1					346 00	229 00			575 00	175 00	679 20
Total		9	1				\$5443 00	793 00	6 00	6236 00	964 00	\$16473 08	

BERMUDA DISTRICT.

Hamilton	Wm. G. Lane	1					1250 00			1250 00			4198 14
Sandys, etc.	R. S. Stevens	1					643 00	175 00		818 00	142 00		1476 83
St. George's	J. B. Heal	1					900 00			900 00	60 00		1859 07
Bailey's Bay	J. W. Turner	1					562 00			562 00	14 00		1275 20
Total		3	1				\$3355 00	175 00		3530 00	216 00		\$8809 24

RECAPITULATION.

Halifax	12	5	2	4	12707 00								35414 01
Truro	11	2		2	5845 00	1932	188	7777		1323			10703 89
Cumberland	13	2		2	9035 00	687	62	9982		840			17025 92
Guysboro' & C.B.	8	5			5653 00	828	62	6481	1268				11271 93
Annapolis	10	1		12	7586 00	374		7960	793				14768 85
Liverpool	9	3			5988 00	1238	39	7223	1541				11860 95
Yarmouth	9	1			5443 00	793	6	6236	964				16473 08
Bermuda	3	1			3355 00	175		3530	216				8809 24
Total	75	20	2	2	55672 00	\$6027	357	\$49192	\$6945	\$126327 37			

Grand Total for all purposes,
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QUESTION XXIV.—What is the number of Sabbath Schools?

NAMES OF DISTRICT.	OFFICERS AND TEACHERS.				SCHOLARS.										LITERATURE.					MONEYS RAISED BY SCHOOLS.			No. Schools hold'g regular meet'gs for Study of Lessons.		How many Epworth Leagues?		Epworth League.				
	Members of the Methodist Church.	Non-members.	Total.	Average Attendance.	In Primary Classes.	Intermediate Class.	Adult Class.	Total.	Average Attendance.	Conversions during year.	Members of Church.	Learning Catechism.	No. who have taken Total Abstinence Pledge.	Volumes in Library.	Copies of Onward.	Pleasant Hours.	Happy Days.	Sunbeam.	Berean Leaf and Quarterly.	Sunday School Banner.	Copies of other Papers not published in our Book Room.	For Missions.	For School Purposes.	S. S. Aid and Extension Fund.	No. Schools hold'g regular meet'gs for Study of Lessons.	Number Schools kept open whole year.	How many Epworth Leagues?	Epworth League.			
Halifax	62	33	356	527½	869	1302	715	2921	1908	81	278	835	1185	6983	147	312	306	285	1380	228	733	680	1195	41	28	22	5	703			
Truro	52	28	149	169½	409	594	352	1345	943	31	142	444	328	2390	104	279	110	185	671	110	112	145	476	20	22	19	5	160			
Cumberland	79	47	246	300	705	931	688	2304	1889	83	237	245	589	4016	219	363	323	332	1074	187	87	57	659	18	07	2	20	1	175		
Guysborough	40	22	123	135	357	472	353	1070	798	92	141	264	238	881	194	299	172	231	767	68	122	51	68	21	79	1	17	9	330		
Annapolis	66	34	214	250	536	698	471	1705	1197	91	374	370	503	3547	141	201	151	182	884	81	106	3	41	68	347	94	1	17	9	330	
Liverpool	69	30	239	315	605	886	406	1897	1324	63	289	603	393	2642	136	127	187	213	1117	167	6	77	12	639	00	15	77	5	11	7	217
Yarmouth	41	26	180	216	444	597	450	1491	1054	37	246	286	727	3749	93	150	98	55	833	130	284	37	25	915	88	16	35	2	19	2	35
Bermuda	11	10	82	100	282	217	126	625	414	5	31	540	252	1703	38	85	66	36	464	2	6	148	80	348	51	5	43	1	20		
Conf. S. S. Meet'g.																															
Total	420	230	1594	1971	4207	5697	3541	13358	9227	483	1768	3587	4216	25911	1072	1817	1413	1559	7090	1175	1471	\$1171	\$13,505	\$48,518	00	11	128	51	1799		
Increase	20	7	63	119	293	107	358	122	207	52	1734	162	9	41	168	40	2	4	2	32	21	90	27	19	19	19	26	956			
Decrease					5						308																				

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Return of Declared Wesleyans and Church Members in the Army and Royal Navy.

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CIRCUIT.	Declared Wesleyans.	Church Members.	Average Number of Declared Wesleyans for Year.	Average attendance at Divine Service during Year.	Capitation Grant.		
Hamilton (Army)	41	6	40	90	£	s.	d.
St. George's "	40	.....	32	21	20	0	0
Total	81	6	72	111	16	0	0
Sandy's (Royal Navy)	200	85	40	33	0	0
Grand Total.....	281	6	157	151	20	0	0
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QUESTION XXV.--What are the arrangements for the examination of Candidates for the Ministry in the Course of Study ?

TIME AND PLACE OF EXAMINATION.

The Examinations shall take place on the first Wednesday in May, beginning at 9 o'clock, a. m., and in six Sections, as follows :—

SECTION I.—The Halifax District. In Halifax, under the charge of Revs. J. L. Dawson, A. B., and J. A. Rogers.

SECTION II.—The Truro and Cumberland Districts. In Truro, under the charge of Revs. Wm. Ainley and Wm. G. Lane.

SECTION III.—The Annapolis District. In Annapolis, under the charge of Revs. R. McArthur and W. Phillips.

SECTION IV.—The Guysboro' and Cape Breton Districts. In Sydney and Guysboro, under the charge of Revs. F. A. Buckley, A. B., and J. G. Angwin.

SECTION V.—The Liverpool and Yarmouth Districts. In Liverpool, under the charge of Revs. G. W. F. Glendenning and S. R. Ackman.

SECTION VI.—The Bermuda District. In Hamilton, under the charge of Rev. Wm. Dobson.

NOTE 1.—Superintendents of Circuits are required, immediately after the March Quarterly Meeting, to forward to the Secretary of the Board of Examiners, the names and addresses of Candidates recommended to be received on trial by their respective Quarterly Boards.

NOTE 2.—The Examiners are requested to forward their questions upon the books allotted to them to the Secretary of the Board of Examiners, on or before the 31st day of December.

NOTE 3.—The Examiners are also requested to transmit to the Secretary the result of their examination of the papers submitted to them as soon as possible after their reception, so that the Secretary may tabulate and report.

NOTE 4.—The standard of qualification for young men recommended to be received into our Conference as Probationers shall not be lower than 50 per cent. of the marks on the Preliminary Course of Study in the aggregate, and thirty-three and one-third per cent. in each subject; also a standing of thirty-three and one-third per cent. shall be required in order to pass in each subject of the subsequent course.

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COURSE OF STUDY.

I. — ORDINARY COURSE.

PRELIMINARY.

1—English Branches:—

- English Grammar John Cassidy.
- Composition and Essay “
- Arithmetic “
- Geography..... “

2—English Literature:—

- Brooke’s Outlines of Eng. Literature,
Macaulay’s Essay on Warren Hastings. } J. W. Prestwood, B. D.

3—History:—

- Smith’s Shorter History of Greece, } W. C. Brown.
- Smith’s Shorter History of Rome. } “
- Ont. Pub. School Hist. of England and Canada..... “
- Smith’s New Test. History..... J. W. Prestwood, B. D.

4—Greek Grammar:—

- Harkness’ First Greek Book (to Syntax)..... C. Jost, A. M.

5—Theology:—

- Wesley’s Sermons, I to XX (Burwash)..... F. H. Wright, B. D.
- Methodist Catechism, No. 2..... “

FIRST YEAR.

1—Biblical Introduction:—

- Barrows’ Introduction, Pts. I and II..... W. C. Brown.

2—Biblical History:—

- Smith’s Old Test. History..... J. W. Prestwood, B. D.

3—Theology:—

- Wesley’s Sermons, XX to LII (Burwash)..... F. H. Wright, B. D.
- Wesley on Christian Perfection..... “
- Fletcher’s Check, V., and Steel’s Antinomianism Revived..... W. C. Brown.

4—Greek Grammar:—

- Harkness’ First Greek Book (Syntax to end)..... C. Jost, A. M.

5—English Literature:—

- Spencer on Style, } J. W. Prestwood, B. D.
- Gray’s Elegy, } “
- Longfellow’s Psalm of Life, } “
- Longfellow’s Resignation. } “

6—The English Bible:—

- Sermon on the Mount (Engl. text)..... J. Cassidy.

7—Homiletic Exercise:—

- Sermon on Text designated at time of Examination C. Jost, A. M.

SECOND YEAR.

1—Hermeneutics:—

- Barrow’s Introduction, Pt. IV..... W. C. Brown.

2—Exegesis:—

- Gospel of John in Greek (Chpts. I to X)..... C. Jost, A. M.

3—Church History:—

- Blackburn’s Hist. of Christian Church..... R. McArthur.

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4—Theology :—

Pope's Theology, Vol. I..... W. C. Brown.

5—Rhetoric :

Hart's Rhetoric J. A. Rogers.

6—The English Bible :—

Genesis and Exodus (Engl. text) J. Cassidy.

7—Homiletic Exercise :—

Sermon on Text designated at time of Examination..... C. Jost, A. M.

THIRD YEAR.

1—Exegesis :—

Ep. to the Romans, in Greek (Chpts. I to IX.) }
Burwash's Commentary on Romans. } C. Jost, A. M.

2—Homiletics :—

Broadus' Prep. and Delivery of Sermons "
Homiletic Exercises on Text designated at time of Examination.. "

3—Church History :—

Stevens' Hist. Methodism, (to death of Wesley)..... R. McArthur.
Smith's Hist. of Methodism in E. B. A., Vol. I..... "

4—Theology :—

Pope's Theology, Vol. II..... W. C. Brown.

5—Logic :—

Fowler's Logic, Deductive and Inductive..... J. A. Rogers.

6—The English Bible :—

The Acts of the Apostles (Engl. text) J. Cassidy.

FOURTH YEAR.

1—Theology :—

Pope's Theology, Vol. III..... W. C. Brown.

2—Apologetics :—

Browne's Philosophy of Theism J. L. Dawson, A.M.
Beet's Credentials of the Gospel. }
Temple's Relation between Science and Religion. } "

3—Moral Philosophy :—

Janet's Theory of Morals J. L. Dawson, A. M.

4—Mental Philosophy :—

Dewey's Psychology J. A. Rogers.

5—Discipline of the Methodist Church :—

(Including Model Deed and Statutes, published in the Discipline).... J. Gaetz.

6—The English Bible :—

1st and 2nd Samuel, and 1st and 2nd Kings (Engl. text)..... J. Cassidy.

7—Homiletic Exercises :—

Sermon on Text, designated at time of Examination..... C. Jost, A.M.

II.—COURSE FOR GRADUATES IN ARTS.

The following are subjects not included in the Ordinary Course :

- Wesley's Sermons, I. to LII. (Burwash) F. H. Wright, B. D.
- Sermon on the Mount, in Greek (Matthew)..... C. Jost, A. M.
- Westcott on the Canon..... "
- John's Gospel, in Greek, with Westcott's and Godet's Commentaries.. "

Fisher's History of the Church.....	R. McArthur.
Pope's Theology, Vols. I. and II.	W. C. Brown.
Sheldon's History of Doctrines.....	C. Jost, A. M.
Rigg's Organization of Christian Church	R. McArthur.
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QUESTION XXVI—What are the Reports of the several Committees ?

ANSWER :

I.—REPORT OF STATISTICAL COMMITTEE.

The Statistical Committee present the following summary of returns compiled from the District Schedules :—

Received by change of Boundary.....	290
“ on trial.....	1,195
“ by letter.....	337
Total.....	1,822
Removed by change of Boundary.....	333
“ by letter.....	562
“ Withdrawn.....	52
“ Dropped.....	377
“ Expelled.....	
“ Died.....	309
Total.....	1,633
Full Members.....	13,440
On trial.....	442
	13,882
Number published last year.....	13,693
Net increase.....	189

II. There are 117 Ministers and Probationers for the Ministry, and the net total of official Board members is 1,573.

III. The total amount reported as raised for Circuit purposes is \$49,900.69.

IV. The total amount raised by the Circuits for ministerial support is \$55,672.00, showing an increase of \$689.00.

V. Connexional Funds are as follows :—

Missionary.....	\$11837 22.	Decrease.....	\$296 01
Supernumerary.....	1350 67.	Increase.....	382 51
Educational.....	618 50.	Decrease.....	14 11
Contingent.....	340 90.	Increase.....	14 23
General Conference....	325 47.	Decrease.....	180 64
U. C. Relief.....	107 82.	“.....	1 01
Sunday School Aid....	152 50.	Increase.....	13 69
Sustentation.....	1353 56.	Decrease.....	152 08
Annual Conference....	241 03.	Increase.....	35 20
Children's Fund.....	547 30.	“.....	5 20
Woman's Missionary...	3816 11.	“.....	932 60

Total.....\$20691 08.

Increase in Connexional Funds, \$733.58.

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Officers and Teachers.....	1991
Scholars.....	13358
Money raised by Schools.....	\$6383 62

The amounts reported do not include amounts added during the Conference Session.

E. B. MOORE, *Chairman.*
W. I. CROFT, *Secretary.*

CONSTITUTION FOR SUSTENTATION FUND.

I.

This Fund shall be called "The Sustentation Fund of the Nova Scotia Conference."

II.

The general management of this Fund shall be in the hands of a Committee, which shall consist of a Minister and Layman from each District, who shall be chosen at the Annual Session of the District, together with a Secretary-Treasurer, who shall be elected by ballot by the Conference.

III.

The Fund shall consist of such monies as may be raised in the bounds of the Conference in the manner following, viz. :—

- (a)—By Legacies or Special Donations.
- (b)—By Donations or Annuity.
- (c)—Subscriptions and Collections on various Circuits.

IV.

In making disbursements the Committee shall be governed by the following regulations.

I.—Probationers to receive a salary of \$350, and ordained unmarried men in full connexion, \$400.

II.—All married men in full work claimants on the fund to receive \$600 for the first five years after ordination, afterwards to receive \$650.

Should there be any balance remaining after raising the salaries to the figures above mentioned, such balance to be divided among all men of upwards of five years standing, and a deficiency of \$50 greater among ordained married men of five years standing or less, until all receive \$750.

III.—The basis of distribution shall be the amount estimated by Financial District Meetings.

IV.—The Committee shall have power to consider any special cases which may arise, and to take such action as may be considered necessary.

V.

The Committee shall, through its Secretary-Treasurer, make an annual report of its work to the Conference. This report shall include that of an audit of accounts.

E. E. ENGLAND, *Sec'y. and Treas.*

Recommended that the Financial District Meetings be required to

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make arrangements for at least one public meeting in behalf of Sustentation Fund on each circuit at which collections will be taken and subscriptions solicited.

Lunenburg, 1892.

E. E. ENGLAND, *Sec'y. and Treas.*

SUSTENTATION FUND.

SPECIAL CASES.

W. H. Edyvean	\$25 00	
C. A. Munroe	17 00	
H. S. Theakston	3 00	
Wilfred Gaetz	15 00	
		\$60 00
Total amount distributed		\$1357 00

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Dr.

To contributions from districts:

Halifax	\$511 79	
Truro	159 17	
Yarmouth	178 65	
Guysboro and C. B.	107 82	
Annapolis	94 18	
Liverpool	153 55	
Cumberland	148 40	
		\$1353 56
Balance last year		9 94
		\$1363 50

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By appropriations	\$1297 00	
“ Special cases	60 00	
Expenses	1 50	
		1358 50
On Hand		\$5 00

Audited and found correct.
W. I. CROFT.
Lunenburg, June 1892.

Amounts granted Circuits and Missions:

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

Woodlawn	Jas. Hughson	\$55 50
Walton	W. Ryan	85 50
Sambro	D. K. S.	85 50
Chester Road	B. B.	70 50
Glen Margaret	R. Jost	75 50
Waverly and Bedford	W. C. Perry	55 50
		\$428 00

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GUYSBORO' AND C. B.		
Gabarus	W. I. Croft.....	45 50
Ingonish	W. Gaetz.....	10 50
Louisburg.....	D. Farquhar.....	75 50
Aspy Bay.....	O. Grönlund.....	110 50
White Haven.....	R. P. Armstrong.....	45 50
New Harbor.....	A. J. Reynolds.....	120 50
		\$408 00
ANNAPOLIS.		
Aylesford.....	T. A. Bowen.....	4 50
Digby Neck.....	J. S.....	70 50
		\$75 00
LIVERPOOL.		
Petite Riviere.....	H. S. Theakston.....	36 50
Chester.....	J. C. Hart.....	80 50
Northfield.....	H. McNeil.....	95 50
Vogler's Cove.....	H. S. Townsend.....	95 50
		\$308 00
YARMOUTH.		
Hebron.....	J. A. Smith.....	30 50
Brenton.....	C. A. Munroe.....	47 50
		\$78 00
		\$1297 00

E. E. ENGLAND, *Sec'y-Treasurer.*

CHILDREN'S FUND REPORT.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

By assessment from Districts :

Halifax District	128 10
Truro "	59 40
Cumberland District.....	86 95
Guysboro' and C. B. District	55 25
Annapolis District	73 35
Liverpool "	54 05
Yarmouth "	54 80
Bermuda "	33 90

By amt. on hand..... 545 80
4 75

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To amts. paid children of deceased Ministers ;

Mrs. Richey Bird, 2 claims at \$30.00	60 00
Mrs. T. C. Hooper, 2 "	60 00
Mrs. Albert DesBrisay, ½ claim at \$30.00.....	15 00

\$550 55 *

OTHER CLAIMS.

Wm. Alcorn, ½ claim omitted last year	135 00
" 3 claims at 17.50	8 50
J. R. Hart, 2 "	52 50
Thomas Rogers, 3½ claims at 17.50	35 00
J. G. Bigney, 2 claims at 17.50	65 63
A. S. Tuttle, 3 "	35 00
J. R. Borden, 2 "	52 50
R. O. Johnson, 5 "	35 00
Arthur Hockin, 2 claims at 17.50	87 50
	35 00

Expenses

To balance on hand

541 63
1 50
7 42

550 55

Resolved, That the amount of the assessment for the Children's Fund for the ensuing year be the same as last year, or thereabout, and that the tax be levied on the principle of a pro-rata assessment according to the income of circuits for minister's support, and that this income be disbursed solely in the interests of the children of supernumeraries, paying to the former the full claim of \$30.00 each, and the balance to be appropriated among other claimants at a pro-rata division.

W. H. LANGILLE, *Sec'y-Treas.*

CONTINGENT FUND.

TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH CONTINGENT FUND.

DR.		
To receipts from Halifax	District	90 08
" " Truro	"	32 76
" " Cumberland	"	51 26
" " Guysborough and C. B. ...	"	21 21
" " Annapolis	"	34 34
" " Liverpool	"	32 54
" " Yarmouth	"	61 65
" " Bermuda	"	17 06
To Collected at Annual Conference		7 33
		\$348 23
CR.		
By President's Expenses		35 00
" Book-Room Bill, in part		200 00
" Secretary's Expenses		11 12
" District		2 51
" Interest on \$285, borrowed money		17 10
" Printing Station Sheets		2 50
" Sexton Conference Church		10 00
" Mrs. R. O. Johnson's Funeral Expenses		35 00
" Mrs. C. Jost's		35 00
		\$348 23

* Notwithstanding the action of Conference last year, directing that greater efforts be made by the brethren to increase the receipts of this fund, your Committee finds itself very greatly embarrassed by reason of the meagre results of those efforts. In fact, while there is a small total increase of \$12.42 in three of the districts, there is an actual falling off.

In view of the critical condition of the fund, from the fact that there is already a debt of \$285, carrying interest, and the further fact that the other claims upon it cannot be met in full, the following resolutions were passed by your Committee:—

1st. *Resolved*, That we recommend the Conference to order that the Pastoral Address be not printed in the minutes of this year, but published in the "Wesleyan" instead, thus reducing the cost of printing the minutes, which last year reached the large sum of \$144.

2nd. *Resolved*, That we recommend that the Circuits be made responsible for payment for the quarterly tickets, and that the number required be ordered by each minister.

3rd. *Resolved*, That we recommend that each Pastor be instructed to bring the needs of this fund more prominently before his people, explain its

objects, and press its claims, previous to the taking of the annual contingent fund collection.

4th. *Resolved*, That the Committee having in charge the preparation of programme for next Conference, be instructed to arrange for a public collection in aid of the fund, as required by Discipline, Sec. 456, Sub-sec. 2.

W. A. OUTERBRIDGE, *Sec.-Treas.*

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

In the matter of \$1000.00 legacy from the late M. P. Black to the Methodist Educational Society, it is recommended that the sum be placed in the Treasurer's acct. and incorporated with the income for the current year.

It is recommended that all Conference students who attend the Institutions be paid a fee of \$20.00 each. Also that loans as large as the state of the funds will bear be given to all theological students attending the University under disciplinary provisions and who have been recommended by the Conference.

DISTRICT DEPUTATIONS FOR EDUCATIONAL ANNIVERSARIES.

Halifax District	J. L. Dawson, F. H. Wright.
Truro	J. W. Prestwood, G. F. Day.
Cumberland District	B. Hills, J. Gaetz.
Guysboro and C. B. District	F. A. Buckley, A. C. Borden.
Annapolis District	Joseph Hale, W. Brown.
Liverpool	C. H. Huestis, G. W. F. Glendenning.
Yarmouth	L. Daniel, W. H. Langille.
Bermuda	Wm. Dobson.

SPEAKERS FOR CONFERENCE EDUCATIONAL MEETING NEXT YEAR.

G. W. F. GLENNING, A. B., S. T. B., W. H. EVANS.
J. W. FISHER, *Sec'y.*

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In presenting the report of the year there are no special features to mention. The work has gone on steadily during the various months. Repayments have been made with promptitude and new loans have been perfected. The statement for the year would stand as follows :-

Loans outstanding last year, nett	\$3779 00
New loans	650 00
Repayments	4429 00
	756 00
Loans now outstanding, nett	3673 00
Investments and cash on hand	1418 77
Capital	5091 77

Halifax District (over)	18½	cts. per member.
Truro " "	8½	"
Cumberland " (nearly)	5½	"
Guysboro and C. B. (nearly).....	5½	"
Annapolis (nearly).....	7½	"
Liverpool "	10	"
Yarmouth (over).....	10½	"
Bermuda "	10½	"

The income for the year by districts is as follows:—

	<i>Circuits.</i>	<i>Ministers.</i>
Halifax	\$511 63	\$192 00
Truro	103 97	156 00
Cumberland	132 54	180 00
Guysboro and C. B.	77 11	132 00
Annapolis	155 25	108 00
Liverpool	193 80	178 00
Yarmouth	148 13	108 00
Bermuda	53 64	36 00
	<u>\$1376 07</u>	<u>\$1090 00</u>

Names of Ministerial and Lay Subscribers of Five Dollars and upwards.

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

Rev. G. J. Bond, B. A.	\$12 00	R. Jost.....	\$12 00
" J. Lathern, D. D.	12 00	E. G. Smith (Halifax).....	10 00
" S. F. Huestis.....	12 00	D. Stevens	5 50
" E. B. Moore.....	12 00	Miss Black.....	5 00
" J. L. Dawson, B. A.	12 00	H. D. Blackadar.....	5 00
" J. A. Rogers.....	12 00	A. S. Boak.....	5 00
" T. W. Smith, D. D.	12 00	R. W. Fraser.....	5 00
" G. F. Johnson.....	12 00	Dr. Lewis.....	5 00
" J. S. Coffin.....	12 00	B. Swenerton.....	5 00
" A. Hockin.....	12 00	A. Duffield.....	5 00
" C. Jost, M. A.	12 00	Mrs. Dr. Parker.....	25 00
" J. Sharp.....	12 00	W. H. Webb.....	40 00
" C. M. Tyler.....	12 00	Mrs. Wilmot's bequest	8 00
" W. Ryan.....	12 00	Mrs. Sargent (Windsor).....	14 00
W. M. Ryan.....	12 00	A Friend (Horton).....	10 00

TRURO DISTRICT.

Rev. W. Ainley.....	\$12 00	Rev. W. Nightingale.....	\$12 00
" C. W. Swallow, B. A.	12 00	" J. W. Prestwood, B.A., B.D.	12 00
" James Tweedy.....	12 00	" W. A. Outerbridge.....	12 00
" B. Hills, M. A., B. D.	12 00	" R. A. Daniel.....	12 00
" D. B. Scott.....	12 00	" I. M. Mellish.....	12 00
" W. Purvis.....	12 00	" John Phalen.....	12 00

CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

Rev. James Stothard.....	\$12 00	Rev. Jos. Gaetz.....	\$12 00
" B. C. Borden, M. A.	12 00	" T. A. Wilson, B. A.	12 00
" W. W. Andrews, M. A.	12 00	" F. Friggens.....	12 00
" J. Astbury.....	12 00	" W. H. Evans.....	12 00
" John Johnson.....	12 00	" J. Craig.....	12 00
" G. F. Day.....	12 00	" D. W. Johnson, M. A.	12 00
" J. B. Giles.....	12 00	" Jabez Appleby.....	12 00
" H. Burgess.....	12 00	Charles Smith (Parrsboro).....	5 00

GUYSBORO AND CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

Rev. A. C. Borden, B. A.	\$12 00	Rev. R. B. Mack.....	\$12 00
" A. J. Reynolds.....	12 00	" J. B. Hemmeon.....	12 00
" F. J. Pentelow.....	12 00	" J. G. Angwin.....	12 00
" F. A. Buckley, B. A.	12 00	" D. Farquhar.....	12 00
" G. W. F. Glendenning, B.A.	12 00	" O. Grönlund.....	12 00
" W. I. Croft.....	12 00		

ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.	
Rev. R. McArthur	\$12 00
" W. Phillips	12 00
" F. H. Wright, B. A.	12 00
" John Gee	12 00
" W. Brown	12 00
LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.	
Rev. J. H. Davis	\$12 00
" S. R. Ackman	12 00
" J. C. Ogden	12 00
" J. J. Teasdale	12 00
" R. Williams	12 00
YARMOUTH DISTRICT.	
Rev. W. H. Langille	\$12 00
" W. H. Hertz	12 00
" J. A. Smith	12 00
" Joseph Hale	12 00
" Alban Daniel	12 00
BERMUDA DISTRICT.	
Rev. W. G. Lane	\$12 00
" J. B. Heal	12 00

Rev. E. E. England	\$12 00
" D. Hickey	12 00
" J. M. Fisher	12 00
" J. E. Donkin	12 00

Rev. J. L. Batty	\$12 00
" W. H. Edyvean	12 00
" C. H. Huestis, B. A.	12 00
J. A. Hart	12 00
S. A. Chesley (Lunenburg)	5 00

Rev. J. W. Shepherdson	\$12 00
" Leander Daniel	12 00
" G. W. Whitman	12 00
" P. H. Robinson	12 00

The Committee recommend that a safe be provided for the General Treasurer for the preservation of papers and securities that cannot be conveniently kept in safety deposit vaults.

S. A. CHESLEY, *Sec'y-Treas.*

THE SUPERNUMERARY MINISTERS' AND MINISTERS' WIDOWS' FUND OF THE EASTERN SECTION OF THE METHODIST CHURCH.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 1ST, 1891.

1891.	<i>Dr.</i>		
July 1.	To Nova Scotia Conference	1824	56
	" New Brunswick and P. E. I. Conference	1685	74
	" Newfoundland Conference	893	80
		4404	10
	" Interest on investments	5002	06
	" Missionary Society	700	00
	" Jubilee Fund		31 12
1891.	<i>Cr.</i>		\$10,137 28
July 1.	By Claims Nova Scotia Conference	5717	50
	" New Brunswick and P. E. I.	4397	50
	" Newfoundland	1010	00
	" Other Conferences	190	00
		\$11,315 00	
	By 72 per cent. of above paid	8146	80
	" Loan repaid	1530	02
	" Mrs. Thomas' Annuity	28	00
	" Expenses	82	46
	" Treasurer's Salary	350	00
		\$10,137 28	

Examined and found correct. E. EVANS, } *General Treasurers.*
J. E. IRVINE, }
 (Sgd.) ANDREW INGLES, } *Auditors.*
ENOCH THOMPSON, }

Sept. 30th, 1891.

THE SUPERNUMERARY MINISTERS' AND MINISTERS' WIDOWS' FUND
OF THE EASTERN SECTION OF THE METHODIST CHURCH.

CAPITAL ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 1ST, 1891.

1892.	<i>Dr.</i>		
July 1.	To Investments per Schedule, 1890.....	79397 70	
	" Balances " "	2372 90	
		81770 60	
	" Nova Scotia Conf. $\frac{1}{8}$ of Preacher's Subscriptions.	156 00	
	" N. B. and P. E. I. Conf. " "	144 00	
	" Newfoundland Conf. " "	120 00	
		420 00	
	" N. B. and P. E. I. Centennial Memorial Fund	411 67	
	" Rev. F. H. James, 2nd Marriage Fee	99 50	
	" Legacy of the late M. P. Black of Halifax, N.S.	1000 00	
	" Balance due Treasurers	28 88	
		\$83,722 65	
1892.	<i>Cr.</i>		
July 1.	By Subscriptions returned with interest, viz :		
	" Rev. B. Chappell	230 80	
	" " J. E. Manning	72 60	
		303 40	
	" Interest accrued to July 1st and added to Capital, but not due	1078 40	
	" Profit and Loss	2318 99	
	" Investments as per List :		
	" Real Estate Securities	59,120 01	
	" Bonds, Shares, etc.	17,230 76	
	" Promissory Notes	3,671 09	
		80021 86	
		\$83,722 65	

(Sgd.) E. EVANS, }
J. E. IRVINE, } *General Treasurers.*

Examined and found correct.

(Sgd.) ANDREW INGLES, }
ENOCH THOMPSON, } *Auditors.*

September 30th, 1891.

EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH.

STATEMENT OF TREASURER OF THE NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE FOR THE YEAR
ENDING JUNE 15, 1892.

Receipts.

Balance on hand from last year.....	\$155 48
Gross Receipts from Districts.....	\$618 50
Less Expenses of Deputations, etc.....	5 00
	613 50
Conference Educational Meeting Collection.....	13 64
Legacy of the late M. P. Black, Esq.....	1033 96
	\$1816 58

Disbursements.

Three-fourths due to General Treasurer		\$1245 82
One-fourth for Local Committee, as follows :		
Examination Expenses	\$35 94	
Loans to Students the past year.....	90 00	
Fees granted to Students.....	60 00	
Treasurer's Expenses.....	1 00	
Balance on hand.....		186 94
		<u>383 82</u>
		\$1816 58
Total Number of Notes securing Loans.....	14	
" Value	\$1331 00	
Audited and found correct.		
HIBBERT WOODBURY, } <i>Auditors.</i>		
B. SWENERTON, }		
		CRANSWICK JOST, <i>Treasurer.</i>

TREASURER OF GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND,

In acct. with N. S. CONFERENCE.

To amounts from Districts :	<i>Dr.</i>	
To balance.....		30 05
Halifax District		98 23
Truro		35 74
Cumberland District		45 87
Guys. & C.B. ".....		23 90
Annapolis ".....		36 25
Liverpool ".....		29 92
Yarmouth ".....		40 48
Bermuda ".....		15 05
		<u>\$355 49</u>
	<i>Cr.</i>	
By draft to General Treasurer		108 00
" Expenses		1 60
" Cash on hand		245 89
		<u>355 49</u>

June 18th, 1892.

J. GAETZ, *Conf. Treas.*

Resolved, That the General Conference collection be taken up on the second Sunday in August and forwarded to Annual Conference Treasurer through the Financial Secretaries of the Districts.

GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND.

The following is a statement of receipts and expenditure from May 21st, 1891, to May 21st, 1892 :—

May. Balance on hand and in Bank		160 58
Collections from Circuits :		
Toronto Conference	647 10	
London ".....	388 52	
Niagara ".....	472 95	
Guelph ".....	609 96	
Bay of Quinte ".....	486 50	
Montreal ".....	720 40	
Manitoba and N. W. Conference	362 30	
British Columbia ".....	12 00	
New Brunswick and P.E.I ".....	245 00	
Nova Scotia ".....	108 00	
Newfoundland	94 16	
Received from Superannuation Fund.....		4146 89
		<u>1998 30</u>
		\$6305 77

Expenditure.

Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, Salary.....	2500 00
“ “ Expenses.....	500 00
Expense of Delegates, Fraternal, etc.....	613 55
“ General Conference Committees.....	385 85
“ Committee of Correspondence (Ecumenical).....	66 00
Advance on account of Preliminary Expenses of Ecumenical Coun.	858 00
Expense of Office, etc.....	218 30
Cost of unsold balance of Journal of General Conference, 1886, by special order.....	197 70
Interest.....	771 80
Balance on hand and in Bank.....	346 77
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Less deduction from General Conference Expense Account....	6457 97
	152 20
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	\$6305 77

This statement cannot be used for comparison with Conference accounts, as the years do not coincide.

JAMES GRAY, *Treas.*

SABBATH SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT.

An examination of the statistical returns from our several districts for this important branch of church work enables your Committee to report progress, and gives them ground upon which to base their recommendations for future work. We have two hundred and thirty schools, an increase of seven upon last year, and to that extent an encouragement; but on the other hand we have four hundred and twenty preaching appointments. It is plain, therefore, that for the most part the preacher is with us the fore-runner of the Sabbath School, and not so often as we could desire does the Sabbath School worker precede the preacher. Then, again, more than one-third of our schools are winter-killed, and while it is plain that all our schools cannot be kept open the year through, we cannot but feel that more of them might be so kept than are. In places where they cannot we recommend the formation of Home schools for the study of the lessons, household-gatherings in which two or more families might join; such Home schools to be regarded as classes of the regular school.

It is gratifying to find a large increase in the number of officers and teachers. We urge the attendance of our teachers upon S. S. Conventions, whether it be our own district conventions or the inter-denominational conventions held in our midst. We are workers together with Christ and the workmen are all the better for acquaintance with each other.

Our scholars number thirteen thousand three hundred and fifty-eight. We have room for more, and advise special effort to bring into our schools all our young people. Let there be a children's day on all our circuits, and let everything lawful be used to draw the heart of our young to Christ. To convert the young is the glory of our work, and we rejoice that in this respect the past year has been the most successful that we know of. It is not enough to convert—we must build up character. We advise our Circuit S. S. Committees to provide a catechism for every scholar. We strongly recommend every librarian to see that his library contains Dr. T. W. Smith's History of Methodism in E. B. A., and we recommend our committees to see that our schools be well supplied with our own S. S. papers.

We also record our convictions that greater care should be exercised in the selection and dissemination by the Book-Room of books which form the Sabbath School libraries.

Our returns of pledged abstainers are unsatisfactory, and we recommend our Superintendents to report not the number who have taken pledge during the year only but the total number of pledged abstainers in the schools.

ARTHUR HOCKIN, *Sec'y.*

REPORT OF STATE OF WORK.

1. On a review of the year's work your Committee rejoice to report a vigorous state of Christian activity and life throughout the Conference generally. We thank God for an ingathering of souls, numbering about 1,500; but deplore that, owing to emigration and removals, we have lost 562; 304 have died, 57 have withdrawn, and 377 are reported as "dropped," leaving us a net increase of 189.

2. We hail with pleasure the special mention in all the District reports of the organizing and effective work of Epworth Leagues.

3. We regret that so little mention is made of the Class Meeting as a distinctive means of grace, and we would urge that this matter receive very careful attention on the part of the brethren. We would also recommend that our own Hymn Books be more generally used in our social services.

4. We regret the frequent mention in the District reports of the prevalence of a worldly and careless spirit amongst some of those who are identified with us in membership, and we would emphasize the counsel of the Committee of last year, and urge the members of our Church to avoid indulgence in the amusements specially forbidden by Discipline.

5. Believing that in many of our Circuits Love Feast services are not observed, we would call the attention of the Conference to the Discipline, Page 31, Sec. V.

J. C. OGDEN.

REPORT OF THE EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE OF THE NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

At a meeting held on Oct. 28, 1891, it was resolved to employ Mr. David Herd as Conference Evangelist. Terms the same as last year, viz., \$5 per week with board and travelling expenses provided him. He was employed from September 26th, 1891, to May, 1892, in all 32 weeks.

At \$5 per week.....	\$160 00
Travelling expenses.....	34 37
Total	\$194 37
Received from Circuits.....	106 34
Balance paid from Fund.....	\$88 03

Bro. Herd has been employed nearly all the time on Cape Breton. Your Committee thought it the wisest plan, and he to labor under the direction

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of the Pastors. The results have been very cheering. Many of our Pastors have been enabled by the help of the Evangelist to undertake special work, in addition to their already heavy Circuit duties.

During the Spring Glen Margaret Mission was helped for a short time by Bro. Alfred Archerd of Halifax. At the same time your Committee secured the services of Bro. Abner Hart of Halifax.

He was in the work 36 days.

Total expenses		\$47 57
Received from Circuits	\$ 7 67	
Donation of Bro. Hart	20 00	
		27 67
Balance from Fund	\$27 67	\$20 90

So many urgent requests for help have been received during the year we are satisfied that three good men could be employed in this work. We pray that God may open our way to undertake much larger things in this direction. It has been, and should continue to be, our greatest concern the salvation of souls.

HIBBERD WOODBURY, *Sect. Evan. Com.*

REPORT OF THE EPWORTH LEAGUE COMMITTEE.

Your Committee desires to present the following report :

There are 51 chapters of the Epworth League, an increase of 26 during the year. There are enrolled 1797 members, showing an increase of 956 as compared with the returns of last year. The amount raised for League purposes is \$542.63.

We recommend the adoption of the following, suggested by the Halifax District :

That this Conference desire to place on record its profound conviction of the value of the Epworth League, as a means for the intellectual and spiritual culture of our young people, and a field for their practical Christian aggressiveness, and would urge the formation of Leagues and the development of their work wherever possible.

We understand that there are several Young People's Societies in connection with our Churches which are working under other names than that of the Epworth League. We recommend all such Societies to adopt the constitution provided by the General Conference, thus placing themselves in line with the legislation of our Church.

THOMAS D. HART, *Chairman.*
W. I. CROFT, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF CAMP MEETING COMMITTEE.

Your Committee recommend that Rev. John Craig, of the Berwick Circuit, be appointed by this Conference to cooperate with the President as Superintendent of the services to be held during the approaching season.

Your Committee also desire to emphasize and to bring prominently before this Conference the large attendance and the deep spirituality characterizing

the services held last year. As in the mass of modern Camp Meetings the social services of Church life and its development occupy an increasingly large place in their work, so the building up of spiritual life in believers is becoming a more prominent result in Camp Meeting Agency. This was especially so last year; and we would kindly impress upon our ministers the importance of commending the institution to our people, securing their attendance and coming themselves whenever practicable, for the larger the attendance of Church and pastors, the richer will be the spiritual results to Christians and the greater the prospect of success in Evangelizing. By donations from persons unselfishly devoted to the cause provision is made for the accommodation of a number of ministers who will devote themselves to the work for at least a part of the week, good board being furnished for a mere trifle. No help outside our own Conference was employed last year, yet many pronounced it the most spiritual and blessed of our Camp Meetings.

Your Committee and the Association are looking to the same means, our own ministers and people for even richer results this year.

J. M. FISHER, *Sec'y.*

REPORT OF CHURCH PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

Your committee recommend that the request of the trustees of Beech St. Church, Halifax, to sell the present church lot and to remove the church to a more desirable site recently acquired, be granted.

Your committee regret that this request did not come to the Conference in its regular order through the District meeting.

CUMBERLAND DISTRICT.

That the request of the trustees of the parsonage property at Wallace to sell a portion of land containing one and a half acres be granted on condition that the money thus obtained be devoted towards the building of a new church.

GUYSBORO' AND C. B. DISTRICT.

That the request of the trustees of the church at Sydney with regard to the sale of the two lots of land formerly occupied by the church be granted on condition that the money thus obtained be devoted towards the paying off the present debt on parsonage property,

T. A. WILSON, *Sec'y.*

RESOLUTIONS ON TEMPERANCE.

That this Conference reaffirms, but with increased emphasis, its sense of the magnitude of the evils resulting from the drink traffic, in the destruction of the wealth, health, virtue, happiness and life of the people; and urges upon all who profess allegiance to our Church, and especially upon our Ministers, the unremitting employment of every legitimate method for the enlightenment of the people at large with reference to these matters, and for the repression and removal of this great evil.

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That in view of the woe and ruin wrought for both worlds by strong drink,—this Conference affirms that the maintenance of any complicity with this evil, either by the personal use of liquors as a beverage, or the affording of any facilities for, or encouragement to the prosecution of the trade in the same, and of membership in the Methodist Church, whether official or private, is incompatible with a correct Christian sense of duty to man, degrading to the Church and dishonoring to God.

With respect to political action, we declare our unalterable resolve to accept no compromise with the drink evil. *Unconditional surrender and complete extirpation* is our demand. We regard with utter condemnation the acceptance of monetary consideration—whether as license fees or Federal revenue—as any sufficient justification for the perpetuation of this trade in drink in any of its forms. “Woe to him that buildeth a town with blood, and stablisheth a city by iniquity.” (Hab. ii., 12.)

Believing that every legally qualified voter within this Dominion is solemnly responsible to God for the influence he does or might exert upon the government of the country, we enjoin upon every Methodist of this class, that the great privilege of the franchise be tenaciously employed to rescue our country from the guilt and dishonor which her past complicity with the liquor traffic has brought upon her.

While we are compelled to affirm that it is not within the proper functions of this Conferential Body to dictate or even recommend to its adherents, affiliation with any political party whatever, we must at the same time maintain that the drink trade is a crime of the greatest magnitude against society and against God. That no political issue now before this Dominion is comparable in the urgency attending it with this issue; and we therefore record our solemn judgment that no political party that condones this traffic, or that refuses to place itself in an attitude of decided hostility to it, is deserving of the allegiance of Christian or patriotic men.

In view of the possibility that the Royal Commission appointed by our Federal Government, to secure information touching the drink evil and the best means for its abatement, may visit this Province before we shall again meet in Conference, we recommend that the Executive Committee of the Conference be requested to watch carefully the progress of this investigation; and to collect and submit to the said Commission, such information, and otherwise to represent before it the Methodist Church in Nova Scotia, as our interests, and the welfare of the people at large, may seem to require.

We hail with profound satisfaction and great hopefulness, the introduction into the school law of this Province, of the regulation securing compulsory instruction in scientific temperance in all our common schools.

Your Committee recommend that the Conference commission an equal number of ministers and laymen to attend the next session of the Council of the Dominion Temperance Alliance, provided this can be secured without charge to any connexional fund.

The appalling information that is submitted from the most reliable sources concerning the extent of the opium scourge, especially in China and India, and the unchallenged declaration that the opium habit is increasing its hold upon the people of many Christian lands, including our own country, combine to demand the strongest expression of our sense of shame and repro-

bation of all Imperial legislation tending to fasten upon any people or laugage this foul wrong; and to call for the adoption of the strongest measures possible for the exclusion and extermination of this evil from our own beloved Dominion.

R. L. BLACK, *Chairman.*
A. DANIEL, *Secretary.*

STANDING RESOLUTIONS.

CONFERENCE MINUTES.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Conference be authorized to publish 800 copies of the Minutes.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

Resolved, That henceforth District Secretaries shall forward to the Secretary of Conference a list of the names of the Lay Delegates elected to Conference, immediately after their election, such lists to be regarded as credentials; further, that the names of the Lay Members shall be called in connection with the roll of Ministers.

Also: That the District Secretaries shall, immediately after the electoral vote is reported, communicate with all Lay Delegates, informing them of their election.

Also: That the BOOK STEWARD be instructed to prepare blank forms for the above purpose.

THE NEXT CONFERENCE.

Resolved, That every Minister who proposes to attend Conference is expected to give notice to that effect to the Superintendent of the Circuit in which the Conference is held, at least two weeks before the time of Conference, otherwise the Conference is under no obligation to provide for his entertainment.

Also: It is desirable that all Lay Delegates, upon receiving notification of their election, shall acquaint the Superintendent of the Conference town with respect to their attendance.

UNLICENCED MINISTERS.

Whereas, From time to time persons who are strangers to our Conference come amongst us requesting access to our pulpits and soliciting letters of recommendation from our ministers;

Resolved, That this Conference hereby urges upon the several Circuits that all such applications be refused, except to those who produce unmistakeable credentials.

SPIRITUAL REPORTS.

Resolved, That spiritual reports be required of Superintendents of Circuits as well as from Missions at the Annual District Meeting.

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 SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS.

 THANKS TO EX-PRESIDENT ANGWIN.

Resolved, That this Conference, with great satisfaction, records its high appreciation of the efficient services rendered by Rev. Jos. G. Angwin during the term of his presidential office, all the more because Bro. Angwin has evinced an unfailing courtesy in intercourse with members of Conference, painstaking and competent knowledge in legal decisions, and great energy in the discharge of all the executive functions of his office.

 THANKS.

The thanks of the Conference were extended to the Secretary and Assistant Secretaries, the Lunenburg friends for their generous hospitality, the Rev. J. J. Teasdale for his untiring efforts to secure the comfort of the Conference, and to the various Railroad and Steamboat Companies which so kindly granted special rates of travel to the members of the Conference.

 REV. RICHARD SMITH.

The cordial thanks of the Conference were extended to Rev. Richard Smith for the sermon preached by him at the request of the Conference to mark the jubilee of his ministry, and he was requested to furnish a copy of the sermon for publication.

 BOOK ROOM AND WESLEYAN.

The Conference expressed its continued appreciation of the services of the esteemed brethren, the Rev. S. F. Huestis, Book Steward, and the Rev. J. Lathern, D. D., Editor of the *WESLEYAN*, and pledged itself to do all that can be done to support them in the administration of the departments of which they have charge.

 REV. E. EVANS.

Resolved, That this Conference has had great pleasure in welcoming to our midst the Rev. E. Evans, Clerical Treasurer of the Supernumerary Fund, and, having listened to his explanations of the financial affairs, investments, etc., of the Fund, begs to assure the Treasurer of the implicit confidence which we feel warranted to exercise in him so far as he has to do with the management of this fund, and trusts that his work, as treasurer, will be attended by most satisfactory results.

 CLAIMANT ON SUPERNUMERARY FUND.

Resolve 1, That, in the opinion of this Conference, a minister, having received, as a supernumerary, from this fund, an amount equal to the annual payments with interest contributed by him, and then ceases to have connection with our Church, should not be regarded as having any further claims.

VISITORS FROM MOUNT ALLISON.

Resolved, That this Conference recognizes with pleasure the presence, on its platform, of Dr. Allison, President of Mount Allison University, Rev. Dr. Stewart, Dean of the Faculty of Theology, and Prof. Andrews, of the Department of Natural Science.

It has heard with much satisfaction of the continued progress of the Institutions, and is sincerely grateful for that faithfulness, enthusiasm, and self-denial on the part of the Faculty to which the progress in question is so manifestly due.

It appreciates fully its responsibility in maintaining and increasing the efficiency of the Institutions, and pledges itself to do its utmost to commend them to the sympathy and liberality of our people, and particularly to make the approaching semi-centennial a grand success.

EDUCATIONAL JUBILEE.

Resolved, That we re-affirm the action of our last Conference expressive of the purpose of cordial and earnest co-operation with the Board of Regents of the University of Mount Allison College in the celebration of the Jubilee of our Educational Institutions during the year upon which we are entering, and that we will welcome the representatives of the Board of Regents to any of our Circuits on which they may desire to hold Jubilee services.

EDUCATIONAL MEETINGS.

Conference recommends that Circuits and Missions, when possible, arrange to have representatives of the Alumni and Alumnae of Mount Allison take part in the Annual Educational Meetings.

REV. DR. McLEOD.

Soon after a visit to Nova Scotia, to which reference is made in our minutes of 1891, the Rev. Dr. McLeod finished his course with joy. He died Nov. 1891.

He was born in St. John in 1808, first studied law, but later became a theological student, entered the ministry of the Methodist Church in 1830 and for twenty-three years was connected with the missions of British Methodism in these provinces. Dr. McLeod was a scholar of no mean attainments, a theologian of the genuine Wesleyan type, and a gifted and successful preacher of the gospel of Jesus Christ. He was not only an eminent expositor, but a distinguished defender of our doctrines. He understood the power of the press and was mainly instrumental in founding the WESLEYAN as a connexional organ, thus meeting at that time, 1839, a deeply felt need.

The memory of this honored servant of Christ is still cherished by aged Methodists in several circuits of our Conference. During his recent visit to

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this country Dr. McLeod delighted in reminiscences of his ministry in the provinces. An intense desire—almost a passion of his heart—was that his name should find some permanent place in our Conference records, and that it might be known that to the last there had been no abatement of his loyalty to the Methodism with which, through so many years of ministerial life he had been closely identified.

Resolved that as a fitting tribute to the name and work of Rev. Dr. McLeod this brief biographical sketch shall be inserted in the Conference minutes.

EASTERN CONFERENCES.

Whereas, at a meeting of the Eastern Delegates to the last General Conference, held in Oct. 1890, the following resolution was passed:—

Resolved, That this joint Eastern Delegation recommends the annual Conferences to arrange for a Convention of Eastern Conferences of equal numbers of ministers and laymen to be held during year 1891, to consider questions of common concern;

And Whereas, already in the West important interests looking to the General Conference of 1894 are challenging attention, such as Supernumerary Fund, Conference Relations, Rights and Privileges of the Laity, etc.:

And Whereas, the initiation in the East of any changes affecting interests exclusively Eastern in their character should be inaugurated at the Conferences of 1893 and receive the endorsement of the same Conferences the following year;

Therefore Resolved, That this Conference records its approval of the action of the Eastern Delegates recommending a Convention of ministerial and lay delegates to consider matters of common concern, and that Rev. Dr. Lathern be requested to invite the attention of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference to the action of the Eastern delegates and to the resolution of this Conference on this subject, and that the Rev. G. J. Bond be instructed to communicate with the Newfoundland Conference, and that both of these Conferences be invited to co-operate.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

The Rev. W. H. Hertz gave notice that he would move at the Conference of 1893, "That a delegation of ministerial and lay members be appointed to meet as early as possible with a similar delegation if appointed from the N. B. and P. E. I. and Newfoundland Conferences, either or both, to consider questions of common concern."

SUSTENTATION FUND.

Resolved, That the whole matter of the constitution of the Sustentation Fund be referred to the Committee, with instructions that they shall call

to their aid any assistance they may deem to be needful, with a view to the submission of a reconstructed scheme of administration of the Fund, at next Conference.

DR. CARMAN.

By a standing vote, the Conference enthusiastically expressed its high appreciation of the presence and services of General Superintendent Carman, and acknowledged the deep obligation under which Canadian Methodism is placed for his statesmanlike administration of affairs at home, and the distinguished manner in which he has represented its interests abroad, especially at the Ecumenical Convention and the General Convention of the M. E. Church of the United States.

THE NEXT SESSION OF CONFERENCE.

The next session of Conference will be held in the Town of Canso, the Ministerial Session on the third Wednesday in June at 9 a. m., and the full Conference on the following day at 9 a. m.

WILLIAM RYAN, *President*,
D. W. JOHNSON, A.M., *Secretary*.

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ALPHABETICAL LIST
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MINISTERS AND PREACHERS ON TRIAL
OF THE
NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE,
1892.

(The figures at the beginning of the lines show the year in which the Minister commenced his ministry; and those at the end of the line denote the first, second, etc., annual appointment to present Circuit.)

1867	Ackman, S. R.	Mill Village.	2
1872	Ainley, William	Truro	3
1856	Alcorn, W., Supernumerary	Berwick	5
....	Andrews, W. W.	Sackville, Professor.	2
1862	Angwin, Joseph G.	Guysboro'	2
1887	Appleby, Jabez	Advocate Harbor.	3
1872	Astbury, John	Southampton.	1
1891	Armstrong, R. O.	Student.	1
1882	Batty, James L.	Ritcey's Cove.	2
1828	Bent, Joseph F., Supernumerary	Bridgetown.	20
1861	Bigney, John G.	Truro	2
1871	Bond, G. J.	Halifax (Brunswick Street).	2
1870	Borden, Jonathan R., Supernum'ry.	Canning	3
1875	Borden, B. C., M. A.	Sackville, N. B. (Professor).	8
1884	Borden, A. C., B. A., B. D.	Canso	2
1835	Botterell, E., Supernumerary	Montreal (Halifax C).	26
1891	Bowen, T. A.	Student.	
1857	Brown, W. C.	Middleton.	1
1872	Brown, William	Aylesford	2
1891	Brown, Robert	Student.	
1879	Buckley, F. A., B. A.	Sydney	2
1884	Burgess, Harry.	River Philip.	3
1890	Cann, W. F.	Truro	1
1856	Cassidy, John, Supernumerary.	Bridgetown.	3
1858	Coffin, Joseph S.	Windsor.	2
1873	Craig, John	Berwick	1
1883	Croft, W. Isaac.	Gabarus.	2
1890	Crowell, C. E.	Student	

1869	Daniel, R. A.	Middle Musquodoboit.	2	1874
1881	Daniel, Leander	Shelburne	3	1875
1881	Daniel, Alban.	Port la Tour	3	
1874	Davis, J. Hiram	Caledonia	3	1884
1878	Dawson, J. L., B. A.	Halifax (West)	2	1891
1868	Day, George F.	Aacadia Mines	1	1885
1890	DesBarres, F. W. W., A. B.	Student	1	1883
1870	Dobson, W.	Hamilton, Bermuda.	1	1852
1878	Donkin, J. E.	Arcadia.	1	1881
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1875	Edyvean, W. H.	Amherst Head	1	
1871	England, E. E.	Springhill	1	1891
1870	Evans, W. H.	Parrsboro'	2	1877
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1888	Farquhar, D.	N. E. Harbor	1	1858
1872	Fisher, Joseph M.	Digby	3	1892
1883	Friggens, Fred.	Wentworth	2	
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1861	Gaetz, Joseph	Oxford	2	1875
1890	Gaetz, Wilfred	Aylesford	1	1873
1870	Giles, Jesse B.	Bridgetown	1	1842
1873	Gee, John	Middleton	2	1857
1878	Glendenning, G. W. F., B. A., S. T. B.	Liverpool	1	1887
1888	Gronlund, Oskar	Wolfville	1	1852
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1870	Hale, Joseph	Hillsburgh	10	1870
1860	Hart, James R., Supernumerary	Bridgetown	1	1873
1860	Hart, Thomas D., Supernumerary	Amherst	3	1846
1890	Hart, Joseph A.	Student	3	1858
1874	Heal, J. B.	St. George's, Ber.	3	1849
1862	Heartz, W. H.	Yarmouth (South)	1	1890
1863	Hemmeon, J. B.	New Germany	3	1891
1877	Hickey, David	Canning	3	1889
1890	Higgins, A. B., B. A.	River Hebert	3	1890
1876	Hills, Benjamin, B. A.	Pugwash	1	1891
1872	Hockin, Arthur	Hantsport	3	1889
1857	Howie, John W., Supernumerary	Middleton	2	1890
1846	Huestis, Geo. O., Supernumerary	Aylesford	4	1850
1858	Hnestis, S. F., Book Steward	Halifax	13	1858
1885	Huestis, C. H., B. A.	Bridgewater	3	1855
1891	Hughson, James	Halifax (Beech St)	1	1872
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1875	Johnson, George F., A. B.	North Sydney	1	1882
1861	Johnson, John	Nappan	1	1874
1873	Johnson, D. W., M. A.	Dartmouth	3	1881
1863	Johnson, Robert, Supernumerary	Middle Musquodoboit	1	1884
1862	Jost, C., M. A.	Barrington	2	1881
1891	Jost, R. M., B. A.	Glen Margaret	1	1884
1874	Lane, W. G.	Pictou	2	
1878	Langille, W. H.	Yarmouth (North)	2	
1855	Lathern, John, D. D., Editor	Halifax	6	
1888	Leonard, S. C.	Digby Neck	1	
1866	Mack, R. Barry	Port Hawkesbury	2	
1871	McArthur, Robert	Annapolis	3	
1864	Moore, E. B.	Halifax (Grafton St.)	3	
1861	Mosher, John A., Supernumerary	Windsor	2	
1877	Mellish, I. M.	Musquodoboit Harbor	2	
1890	McNeil, H. C.	Aspy Bay	1	
1891	Munro, C. A.	Brenton	2	
1856	Nicolson, A. W., Supernumerary	Halifax (Kaye St.)	1	
1883	Nightingale, William	River John	2	

1874	Ogden, Jonathan C.	Petite Riviere	2
1878	Outerbridge, W. A.	Wallace	1
1884	Pentelow, Fred. J.	Boylston	2
1891	Perry, W. C.	Chester	1
1885	Phelan, John	Sheet Harbor	2
1883	Phillips, William	Granville Ferry	3
1852	Prestwood, Paul, Supernumerary	Berwick	2
1881	Prestwood, J. W., B. A., B. D.	Maitland	3
1873	Purvis, William	New Glasgow	2
1891	Reynolds, A. J.	New Harbor	2
1877	Robinson P. H.	Hebron	1
1862	Rogers, J. A.	Halifax (North)	2
1858	Ryan, William	Burlington	2
1892	Ryan, W. M.	Student	
1858	Scott, D. B.	Stellarton	3
1875	Sharp, James	Newport	2
1873	Shepherdson, J. W.	Weymouth	1
1842	Smith, Richard, Supernumerary	Halifax Centre	2
1857	Smith, T. Watson, D. D.	Halifax (Robie)	2
1887	Smith, Jonathan A.	Bailey's Bay, Bermuda	1
1852	Sponagle, J. L., Supernumerary	Middleton	7
1883	Stevens, R. S.	Sandy's, Ber.	3
1870	Strothard, James	Amherst	3
1873	Swallow, C. W., B. A.	Onslow	2
	Seaboyer, Benjamin	Bedford and Waverley	1
1846	Taylor, James, Supernumerary	Aylesford	7
1858	Teasdale, J. J.	Lunenburg	2
1849	Temple, R. A., D.D., Supernum'ry	Halifax	12
1890	Torey, Henry M., B. A.	Student	
1890	Toole, J. H.	Student	
1891	Townsend, H. D.	Student	
1889	Turner, J. W.	Student	
1890	Turner, W. R.	Shubenacadie	1
1850	Tuttle, G. W., Supernumerary	Pugwash (Wallace Bay)	11
1858	Tuttle, A. S., Supernumerary	Berwick	5
1855	Tweedy, James	Port Hood	1
1872	Tyler, C. M.	Avondale	3
1892	Walker, David	White Haven	1
1882	Wootton, Thomas	Leave of absence	2
1874	Williams, Robert	Mahone Bay	3
1876	Wright, Fred. H., A. B.	Horton	1
1881	Whitman, G. W.	Lockeport	2
1884	Wilson, Thomas A., A. B.	Leicester	3

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STATION SHEET
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MINISTERS AND PREACHERS ON TRIAL
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1891.

REV. ELIAS SLACKFORD, PRESIDENT, West Cape, P. E. I.
REV. JAMES CRISP, Sussex, N. B.

I. ST. JOHN DISTRICT.

1. *St. John*—(Queen Square—Job Shenton ; Rob't. Wilson, Ph. D., Supernumerary.
2. " (Centenary)—Howard Sprague, D. D., George M. Young, Henry Daniel, James R. Narraway, M. A., Henry Pope, D. D., Supernumeraries.
3. " (Exmouth Street)—George M. Campbell.
4. " (Portland Street) - William Tippet.
5. " (Carleton)—Charles H. Paisley, M. A.
6. " (Carmarthen Street)—George Steel.
7. " (Courtenay Bay)—Isaac N. Parker.
8. " (Fairville)—Douglas Chapman.
9. " (City Road)—A. E. Chapman. B. A., under superintendence of Bro. Shenton.
10. *Sussex*—James Crisp, Secretary of Conference ; Aquila Lucas, who has leave of absence for one year.
11. *Apohaqui*—George F. Dawson, B. A.
12. *Springfield*—H. P., under superintendence of Bro. Dawson.
13. *Hampton*—Samuel Howard, B. A. ; Samuel W. Sprague, James A. Duke, Wm. Tweedie, Edwin Evans, Supernumeraries.
14. *Upham*—Matthew R. Knight, M. A.
15. *St. Martins*—Daniel B. Bailey, under superintendence of Bro. Howard ; John J. Colter, S. T. B., Supernumerary.

16. *Grand Lake*—Robert W. J. Clements.
17. *Jerusalem*—Frank Frizzle ; Humphrey Gilbert leave of absence for one year.
18. *Welsford*—William Wass.
19. *McAdam*—Leonard J. Watson, under superintendence of Chairman of District.
20. *Kingston*—John Dunlop, under superintendence of Bro. Campbell.
Henry J. Clarke, leave of absence for one year.
Hedley D. Marr, student at Sackville.

HOWARD SPRAGUE, *Chairman.*
CHARLES H. PAISLEY, *Financial Secretary.*

II. FREDERICTON DISTRICT.

21. *Fredericton*—Richard W. Weddall, B. A. ; George B. Payson, Supernumerary.
22. *Kingsclear*—Alfred E. LePage.
23. *Marysville*—Wilson W. Lodge.
24. *Gibson*—Isaac Howie.
25. *Nashwaak*—Theophilus L. Williams.
26. *Stanley*—Ernest H. Gough, under superintendence of Bro. Williams.
27. *Boiestown*—Edward Bell.
28. *Keswick*—William E. Johnson, B. A.
29. *Sheffield*—Alonzo D. McCully, B. A., B. D.
30. *Gagetown*—Albert C. Dennis, B. A.
31. *Woodstock*—Robert S. Crisp.
32. *Canterbury*—Charles H. Manaton.
33. *Jacksonville*—Charles Comben, W. B.
34. *Hartland*—One to be sent, under superintendence of Bro. Comben.
35. *Richmond*—Thomas Pierce.
36. *Florenceville*—Joseph Parkins.
37. *Andover and Arthurette*—John B. Young.
38. *Upper Kent*—George A. Seller, under superintendence of Bro. Parkins.
Sedgewick A. Bailey, student at Sackville.

ISAAC HOWIE, *Chairman.*
RICHARD W. WEDDALL, *Financial Secretary.*

III. MIRAMICHI DISTRICT.

39. *Chatham*—Thomas Marshall.
40. *Newcastle*—George Harrison.
41. *Derby*—Henry Penna.
42. *Richibucto*—John S. Allen.
43. *Buctouche*—Neil McLaughlin, B. A.
44. *Harcourt*—Frederick A. Wightman.
45. *Bathurst*—Joseph Seller, M. A.
45. *Campbellton*—James W. McConnell, B. A.
J. S. Gregg, student at Sackville.

GEORGE HARRISON, *Chairman.*
THOMAS MARSHALL, *Financial Secretary.*

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IV. SACKVILLE DISTRICT.

47. *Sackville*—William Harrison; Frederick W. Harrison, Supernumerary.
Educational Institutions—Charles Stewart, D. D., Ralph Brecken,
D. D., College Professors.
48. *Tantramar*—To be supplied.
49. *Point de Bute*—F. H. W. Pickles.
50. *Baie Verte*—Levi S. Johnson.
51. *Bayfield*—Charles W. Hamilton.
52. *Moncton*—(Central) John Read; John Prince, Stephen T. Teed, Supernumeraries.
53. " (Wesley Memorial) Thomas J. Deinstadt.
54. *Sunny Brae*—John B. Howard, under superintendence of Bro. Read.
55. *Shediac*—Douglas H. Lodge.
56. *Dorchester*—Hibbert R. Baker, M. A.
57. *Albert*—Wallace B. Thomas.
58. *Alma*—A. D. McLeod, under superintendence of Bro. Thomas.
59. *Hillsboro*—John C. Berrie.
60. *Petitcodiac*—William A. Thomson, under superintendence of Bro. Deinstadt;
Joseph Pascoe, Supernumerary.
61. *Salisbury*—William J. Howard, B. A.
62. *Elgin*—Edmund Ramsey, under superintendence of Bro. Howard.
Walter P. Read, student at Sackville.

THOMAS J. DEINSTADT, *Chairman.*

WILLIAM HARRISON, *Financial Secretary.*

V. SAINT STEPHEN DISTRICT.

63. *St. Stephen*—William Penna.
64. *Milltown*—John A. Clark, M. A.
65. *St. Andrews*—Stephen H. Rice.
66. *St. Davids*—Thomas Allen.
67. *St. James*—Artemas C. Bell, B. A., S. T. B.
68. *Oldridge*—Havelock A. Gillespie, under superintendence of Bro. Penna.
69. *Bocabec*—W. A. B., under superintendence of Bro. Allen.
70. *Deer Island*—William R. Pepper.
71. *Grand Manan*—One to be sent, under superintendence of Chairman.
Harry Harrison, student at Sackville.

STEPHEN H. RICE, *Chairman.*

WILLIAM PENNA, *Financial Secretary.*

VI. P. E. ISLAND DISTRICT.

72. *Charlottetown*—Waldron W. Brewer, William C. Matthews.
73. " (Upper Prince Street) George C. P. Palmer.
74. *Cornwall*—Edwin C. Turner.
75. *Little York*—Silas James.
76. *Winsloe*—Thomas Stebbings.
77. *Pownal*—George W. Fisher.
78. *Vernon River*—Charles W. Dutcher.
79. *Montague*—Richard Opie.
80. *Murray Harbor*—William H. Spargo.
81. *Bedeque*—William J. Kirby.
82. *Tryon*—John K. King; one to be sent.

83. *Margate*—Thomas Hicks.
84. *Summerside*—William Maggs.
85. *Bideford*—John F. Estey.
86. *Souris*—John Goldsmith.
87. *Mount Stewart*—John B. Gough.
88. *Alberton*—William Lawson.
89. *West Cape*—Elias Slackford, President of Conference.

ELIAS SLACKFORD, *Chairman.*
GEORGE W. FISHER, *Financial Secretary.*

Question XII.—What probationers are appointed to attend the University of Mount Allison College?

Ans. : Hedley D. Marr, Sedgewick A. Bailey, J. S. Gregg, W. P. Read, Harry Harrison.