

APPOINTMENTS OF THE WESTERN HOME MISSIONARY BOARD, for the ensuing year, with the sums granted.

Bro. A. W. BARRS, 3 months to Shelburne Town, Jordan River and vicinity, \$48.
 Bro. T. MUNROE, 8 weeks to New Ross, \$40.
 Bro. N. VIDITO, 2 weeks to Greywood and Milford.
 Also D. COX, 2 weeks to the same place.
 Bro. O. PARKER, 12 weeks to Lunenburg Co., \$48.
 Bro. DELONG, 4 months to Chelsea, \$40.

From the smallness of the funds in hand, comparatively little could be promised to our Missionaries. It is therefore desirable that the Mission fields contribute as liberally as possible to meet the deficiencies.

The Board also voted for the assistance of feeble churches to the maintenance of a stated ministry, as follows:

Parker's Cove, \$40 00
 Barrington and Pubnico, 80 00
 Digby, 40 00

W. H. PORTER, Secretary of Board.

The BAPTIST CONVENTION OF NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, will hold its 21st Annual Session in the Brussel's Street, Baptist Church, St. John, N. B., commencing on Saturday, the 18th day of August, at 2 o'clock, P.M.

Letters Received.

J. Gourley, J. Whitman, \$4. W. A. Morse, \$4. Rev. Dr. Tupper, (2) \$9.—Will write.
 A. F. Chipman, X. Z. Chipman, Alex. Mel-drum, J. M. Parker, Esq., \$5. J. Wheelock, Esq., \$2, 1 sub. W. Churchill, Rev. T. W. Crawley, \$2. Rev. W. E. Hall, G. V. Rand, J. A. Kaulback, Rev. J. C. Morse, W. J. Gates, \$1.75. E. A. Fitch, 1 sub. A. J. Hill, Rev. J. A. Moore—Yes, paid. S. Bell, J. Bent, Esq. R. S. Blois, Esq. Rev. W. H. Porter, 1 sub. G. H. Dobson, Chas. McNeill, 1 sub. J. L. Archibald, Rev. D. W. C. Dim-ock, J. McLearn, Esq., \$5. Rev. E. M. Saun-dera, W. T. Waterman, \$2. Rev. P. F. Mur-ray, \$4, 1 sub.

INTERCOLONIAL BOOK STORE.

JUST received Sabbath School Books, a great variety, S. B. Libraries from \$1.50 to \$40. S. S. Singing Books, all kinds, very cheap, sent to any part of the country. All the Publications of the Baptist Publication Society, sold here, at 1/4 off the published price. Also Blank books and Stationery of all kinds. Staples' Pens, the best in the market, always on hand, School Books, &c. &c. Wholesale & Retail.

July 11. A. F. PORTER.



NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Earlier Closing of the Mail for England.

IN order to avoid the detention which frequently takes place in the departure of the Steamer with the Mails for England, caused by the arrival, at an earlier hour than usual, of such Steamships "Cuba" and "China" from Boston.

The Mails for England will, until further notice, be FINALLY CLOSED at this Office at 6 o'clock, P. M., instead of 8 o'clock, P. M., as at present. This arrangement will commence with the Mail of

Thursday, 16th of August, next.

The Office will be re-opened at 9 o'clock, P. M. for the delivery of the Boston and Provincial Mails.

F. M. PASSOW,
 Acting Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Halifax, 23rd July, 1866.
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 "Hark, the herald angels sing,"
 "Come thou fount of every blessing,"
 "To-day the Saviour calls,"
 "Must Jesus bear the Cross alone,"
 "Come hither, all ye weary souls,"
 "When I embarked on the weary pain,"
 "When I survey the wondrous Cross,"
 "How sweet the name of Jesus sounds,"
 "There is a fountain filled with blood,"
 "Not all the blood of beasts,"
 "Oh for a thousand tongues to sing,"
 "From Greenland's icy mountains,"
 "The morning light is breaking,"
 "When I can read my Bible clear,"
 "How of Ages past for me,"
 "My Country 'tis of thee,"
 "Nearer my God to Thee."

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July 25.