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MICMAC MISSION-ANNUAL MEETING. The thirteenth Anniversary of the Micmac Missionary Society, was held in the Poplar Grove Church on the evening of Tuesday, 10th ultimo, Dr. Avery, the President for the ensuing year, in This resolution was seconded by Dr. Hattie, the chair. It was rather unfortunate that the who intimated his hearty concurrence; but as the chair. It was rather unfortinate that the meeting fell upon the same evening that Prof. Honeyman lectured on the Great Exhibition, at the Temperance Hall. The friends of the Mission would gladly have postponed the meeting, but arrangements having been made and speakers engaged some time previous, it could not be put off without serious inconvenience. The audience was not large, but larger than was anticipated under the circumstances. The meeting was opened by singing the 100th Psalm, and prayer by the Rev. Mr. Lathern. The chairman stated that the President, J. W. Ritchie, having met with a slight accident, was not able to be present, according to the arrangement, and that he as one according to the arrangement, and that he as one of the Vice Presidents had been suddenly called upon to fill his place. He made a few appropriate remarks upon the importance of the object belonging to the Micmac, his natural shrewdness, ate remarks upon the importance of the object for which we were met, and the claims of the Indians; and then called upon the Secretary, F. Farquhar, Esq., to read the Report. The Report gave a summary of the proceedings of the past year. No stirring incidents, but gradual progress—another Book of the Scriptures, the Book of Acts, prepared for the press, and now in the hands of the printer; the Book of Exodus translated and revised as far as the 24th Chapter; about 20 Indians able to read, and the number constantly increasing; some of them able to cause of learning, especially to that department constantly increasing; some of them able to read very well, and some just going through the initiatory process—with extracts from the letters of the Missionary, giving incidents of his labors. The Financial affairs of the Society were reported to be in a healthy condition. The balance at the beginning of the year (\$172) against the Society, with all the current expenses, having been met. The Report is to be printed immediately, and forwarded to subscribers. It was listened to with great attention and evident satisfaction. The work is difficult-up hill work-but

evident progress is being made.

Rev. J. Lathern, Wesleyan, moved the adoption of the Report. In his address he referred to several points mentioned in the report. He liked the opening sentence and sentiment, "By the cross we conquer." This is the sentiment by which all the friends of Missions, all the friends of the Saviour must be animated. The Mission only secondary in importance to the rendering ary could tell the untutored savage of the great-ness, power and goodness of God; but what cared he for such feeble arguments as man could hearing to-night, it appears the urge upon these points, when he could listen to in part, the Psalms, three gospels, and Acts, many more powerful voices. The roaring cata- have already been translated—'An invaluable the awful stillness of the forest, and the deep sounding sea, told him in tones of irresistible power of the majesty and grandeur of God. But the missionary changed his theme, and spoke of the incarnation of Deity, of his humiliation, sufferings and death; then the astonished savage while they are peculiarly interesting in the events exclaimed is that true? Can that be true ! and melted into contrition under its power. He said he had learned with surprise and pleasure that according to the last census, the number of Indians is increasing, instead of being as he had imagined, and has been generally supposed, rapidly diminishing. This was a very interesting and the Indian should listen with profound attention important fact. Then the gradual approach to the habits of civilization, referred to in the Report, was a very encouraging item. To induce them to change their roving, wandering habits, is exceedingly difficult. He cited a case to show that this is not on account of anything peculiar to the Indian constitution, but the result of training and the power of habit. A white child had been conveyed away, brought up, and educated as an Indian. He became a celebrated hunter and warrior. Afterwards he was converted to christianity, educated for the ministry, and ordained. He labored on in that capacity for a while, but going into the neighbourhood of war, he was aroused and excited by the rattle of the drum, and the dance, his old propensities returned, and he threw away the black coat and white cravat, the whole preparing for the first chapter of genuine Ecclesiastical History contained in the Acts, seized the tomahawk and scalping knife, and darted upon his enemies "like the eagle upon his prey." He was met by a former friend reeking with blood, and clutching the scalp lock as he returned from his horrid expedition. Back to the forest and to his former habits he went, and returned no more. Instances without number of ted among the Indians, and that considerable a similar kind which might be cited proved that time has been devoted by the Missionary to the work of teaching and preaching among them— yes, preaching, we affirm, for although he has not the common saying, "you can't tame an Indian," is as true of the white skin as of the red, if it has been trained and nurtured in Indian habits and savage life. But though the tranformation be difficult, it is not impossible. "The Cross can conquer." "With God all things are possible." half a dozen, and beneath the canopy of the sky, Of this the speaker gave a striking instance in the case of "John Sunday," an Ojibway convert, spoken the "things concerning the kingdom," and a very worthy missionary, who some years ago visited England. Some of his friends had he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on him should not perish but have eterlesired him to appear on the platform in Indian costume; but no: "When I was a heathen," said he "I was clothed in a blanket, with a painted face and feathers interwoven with my hair.

But now I am a Christian, I cannot go back to who, upwards of eighteen centuries ago, on the But now I am a Christian, I cannot go back to these things." "Old things are passed away, and behold all things are become new." The giving of the Scriptures to the Indians in their own tongue, and teaching them to read them, is in itself a work of incalculable importance. He had intended to make this the principal topic of his remarks. But he had already occupied so much time upon the other points, that he must content himself with but a passing notice. We had every reason to believe that the blessing of God would accompany the diligent perusal of his own word. Times of distress and anguish would come upon the Indian heart as upon our own, when the great truths of Revelation alone would be adequate to cheer and console. An untutored savage had with his family been once reduced to

broke over those islands, and now the converts

are to be numbered by thousands. "He that

rapidly vanishing from us.* It is not long since

an Institute was formed in this city for the pur-

pose of encouraging attention to Natural Science.

particularly in our own Province. Whoever

shall furnish this Institute with an instructive

paper on fishes, or birds, or trees, or flowers, or

nsects, or worms, or remains of any kind, shall

be regarded as furthering the end for which it was organized. And I am not sure that it would

deeply interesting a matter as the language and literature of the Aborigines of our Province.

But the reducing of the Micmac language to a printed form, although important in itself, is yet

From the very interesting report read in our

work' indeed. And I think we shall agree that

wisdom has been displayed in selecting these

books as the first to be translated. Not that we

would exalt one portion of scripture above an-

and truths they record, seem best fitted to intro-duce the attention of the reader to those which

follow, while, at the same time, as well as the

others, they are capable, under the divine bless-

ing, of making 'wise unto salvation.' Is it any

wonder, as facts already have gone to prove, that

and delight to the reading of these books-to the

story of the Creation, for instance, contained in

Genesis, the account of the Flood, the calling of

Abraham, and the touching history of Joseph,

which follow-to the history of Moses contained

in Exodus-Moses dividing the sea, leading the

hosts of Israel through the wilderness, climbing

up the sides of a quaking Sinai to talk with Je-

hovah, and dying finally, and being buried in a secret vale by the hand of the Eternal;—nor less

to the Psalms—called by Calvin the anatomy of the soul, because probably, they so admirably lay

open, and give expression to those experiences

which are peculiar to believers of all times; nor

less again to the Gospels, each presenting a beau-tiful picture of the life and character of our Lord:

and this again for those broader and loftier ex-

positions of truth which are furnished in the epis-

It appears, moreover, that these books of scrip-

been able to gather them together in large num-bers, and in structures like that in which we are

met to night, yet to groups of two, or four, or

and from a stump or cradle hill for pulpit, he has

and declared how "God so loved the world that

ture in their translated forms, have been circula-

tles of Paul.

ge had with his family been once reduced to and translates the Bible into the Karen language and establishes Mission Schools. He thus does for the Karens what they could not do for the successively brought forward and laid upon translated, native preachers raised up by the Mas-

themselves. But when the Bible has once been translated, native preachers raised up by the Master in scores and hundreds may carry its message of life over the mountains and plains, and among the millions of that country, and with an address and power which it is almost impossible for missionaries who are obliged to acquire the language of the millions of the country.

of the Saviour of mankind, of regeneration, repentance, faith and christian self dedication. His former feelings, prayers and resolves by that pine log in the wilderness, rushed over him with removed power. He could scarcely restrain his emotions. "I, I, am the man," he exclaimed, and rejoiced believing in the glorious gospel of the blessed God. Thus as we have every reason to hope and believe will it be with others. Your missionary may not live to see it, but others will. A faithful devoted missionary toiled on to the missionary to his labors; but he had searcely antered forto his rest when the showers of divine mercy of twenty-one months, 1860 converts, and organized some twenty churches, while hundreds of others, in the same time, professed to have been converted through his instrumentality.

So we trust it will be, though not to so large an extent, with the Micmac Mission. We hope that Brother Rand will be spared to complete the translation of the entire. Bible into the Micmac Logical training the entire tribe.

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"Hold fast the form of sound words."-2d Timothy, i. 13.

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But the resolution speaks, in the second place, the comforts, and many of the luxuries, of civiliof difficulties which the Mission has had to encounter. Among these difficulties are the influence of the priests over the Indians, their own our tribe have been carried to England and France, prejudices, and lukewarmness and indifference of those who should be numbered among its warm- No, they were carried about like monkeys and ele-

some measure, overcome. The Micmac will listen to the priest, and to Mr. Rand also. His prejudices are vanishing like morning mists, and it is can States, which commenced in 1812, the Mo-hoped that the success hitherto achieved by the hawks, Hurous, and other native tribes of the Mission will have the effect of multiplying its butions.

We are not unaware that objections are someimes raised against the missions. Some tell us that "Charity begins at home," and that we had better give our attention first of all to the work of saving our unconverted friends and acquaint money in store for them. Britain conquers not that "Charity begins at home," and that we had of saving our unconverted friends and acquaint-ances. But this last work, instead of crippling, rather qualifies for responding to the claims of Foreign Missions, so prayer and effort to bring our unconverted neighbors to Christ will prove the best means of preparing us to look after the spiritual welfare of the Indians.

Some again ask, why should we spend so much time and money to accomplish so little? But suppose as the result of the Micmac Mission under God, only one Indian shall be converted. Can we think of that one Indian passing from earth to heaven, and singing and shining, and adoring throughout the eternal ages, without concluding that all the time and money the Mission has lost is infinitely insignificant and paltry as compared with such result. But we have reason to believe that not one only, but several have already received the grace that saves the soul, through the instrumentality of the Micmac Mission.

And we may expect yet greater results to be complished. Some christians in their zeal accomplished. Some christians in their zeal language, translated a part of the Bible, and who would have the world converted in a single week. But this is not according to the divine plan. God whose field of working is infinity, need not be every encouragement for you all to pursue this cramped or contracted in his operations, and as humane and christian-like enterprise, which will He has a whole eternity to work in, he need not have for its reward more than you can now feel be in a hurry. It is ours to sow beside all waters, or realize. be instant in and out of season, and God in his own time and way will give the blessing.

not be in keeping with the professed object of the society to receive papers giving information on so labor in faith, assured as we may be that

"Duly shall appear In verdure, beauty, strength. The tender blade, the stalk, the ear And the full corn at length."

hearing to-night, it appears that Genesis, Exodus Dr. A. Gesner seconded the resolution, and in doing so stated that some years ago, and previous to his leaving Nova Scotia, he had the honor to At the close of Dr. Gesner's address, the colbe a Commissioner of Indian affairs, in this Province, and he took a census of the Micmac tribe of Indians in 1847. He was also elected a Chief of the Nation, and in the ceremony he made a themselves. He therefore requested to be viewed as a Micmac, during the evening. Dr. G.

then spoke as a Micmac, and said:

Our people are descended from the Algonkins.

The early French settlers in this country called us Irriquois. According to the map of L'Escarbot, made in 1609, we held possession of a large country on the south side of the St. Lawrence. and a part of what was since called Acadia. Baron La Houtan has stated that no less than seven tribes of the Aborigines, called Abenekies, (men of the east), occupied Acadia. Remnants of some of those tribes still live in what you call the Eastern States, and among them are the Quoddies, Penobscots, and the Amalacites of the river St. John, in New Brunswick. We, the Mic-macs, were a powerful people. We once had 20,000 warriors, and before you came among us we were contented and happy. First, the French came, and their Priests lived among us and taught us good things. Then the English came, and we tried hard to drive them away. When we both got tired of war, we made peace. On the first day of July, 1761, we made that peace. Back of the fine Citadel that overlooks the city of Halifax, your Commander-in-Chief took our Chief, Argimeau, by the hand, in token that His Majesty received us into his favor and protection." That favor and protection is what we now claim. There we buried the hatchet, and into the grave, as my friend has reminded me, you first threw in the sword, and then we threw in our tomahawk and scalping knife, signifying that you were the first to ask for peace. Then we smoked the calumet, or pipe of peace, and we have been faithful and loyal ever since. We are not a conquered people, and behold in peace you have taken from us our country; you have shut our salmon and other fisheries out of our rivers and lakes, by mill dams, and destoyed our fisheries on the sea-shores. You wantonly kill our moose and carriboo and other game. You have driven us back from our old places, and burying grounds, and the dust of our forefathers' bones is mingled with the soil of your corn-fields. You have brought among us small-pox, measles, and other diseases, and still continue to poison us with drinks that make our people crazy, and they die. You have taken our trees, and when we want a few to make baskets, you drive us away.

We are often told that God, the Great Spirit, has permitted all these things for the extension of the Gospel, His church, civilization, and the arts and industry of life. All this we are willing to believe, but it seems to us that He would be pleased if you gave us a share of those blessings in return for what you have taken from us. Where is the Micmac tribe how? Some

them are left in Nova Scotia, some live in New Brunswick, scattered along the south side of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. There is a settlement at Mission Point, at the mouth of the Restigouche. Miemacs are also found on the Gaspe shore, Prince Edward Island has a number, and so has Cape Breton. The Doctor was surprised a few years ago to find a handful of these people on the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, and a few in Newfoundland. It is true that the inhabitants back, yet they gave them lands, and in very many instances they bought and paid for the territories occupied by the natives.

but what for ! Was it to instruct and civilize ! est friends. But these difficulties have been, in phants as shows, and then sent back with Euro-

Christian between the case of the contract of

For many years after the war with the American States, which commenced in 1812, the Mo-Canadas, received from the British Government friends, and eliciting from them yet larger contri- no less than £25,000 annually. They now receive £15,000 sterling per annum. The chief parts of those sums have been successfully applied to their christianization and subsequent civilizato destroy, but to save.

He rejuced to learn from the indefatigable missionary, Mr. Rand, and the extremely interesting and encouraging report which has been read, that the numbers of the Micmacs are not now on the decline, as they were formerly. He observed, also, that some of those unfortunate people absolutely live in houses, and that some of the wigwants have windows and stoves in them. Most heartily did he rejoice and take courage with the Society a those things, and it must be cheering to every christian and philanthropist that in this early stage of the Society's enterprise their labors have been attended with success. He remarked in the presence of the Missionary, that even to the present day many of the Miemac tribe wor-ship only "Kesoult," the Great Spirit, in fact they are Unitarians. Now what has the Society done already! They have sent a Missionary among our people, who has acquired a difficult supplies him with printed books. Here then is

Dr. Gesne then addressed the Chairman and the audience in the Micmac language, which was immediately interpretede by Mr. Rand, thus:— Judson laboured long in Burmah, and Hunt spent a life-time in the Fegee Islands, before any fruit was seen to follow their labors. So let us mother the Queen. We thank those who speak mother the Queen. We thank those who speak her thoughts, and we rejoice that God has put it into the hearts of good men to come and help

> At the close of these remarks, the Chairman put the Resolution to the meeting, which was carried unanimously.

ary, was called upon for an address,

He said he was glad of the arrangement which placed him last, as he had been precluded by that neans from encroaching upon the time of the others. He had been cheered and encouraged by the addresses which had been delivered. He was personally acquainted with good old John Sunday, of whom Mr. Lathern had spoken. He had dined with him at his house, heard him tell how he was converted, and had preached to his

people in his own chapel.

Reference had been made to some of the difficulties that we had to encounter. These had indeed been many and great. Some of them had been met and overcome, but others of a formidable nature remained. Some of these it is in the power of the friends of the mission to remove. For instance, throwing the burden of collecting his own salary, and all the other expenses of the mission, upon the Missionary, was simply an absurdity, and a very mortifying one too, to say nothing of the cost. He had submitted to it simply because it seemed essential to the continuance of the work, and he had indulged the hope, and still indulged it, that it would only be temporary. And in reality he had now become so accustomed to it that he rather enjoyed it than otherwise, as it formed a very agreeable variety in enabling him to visit his white friends occasionally and address them, as well as the Indians : among whom he felt bound in candor to say he had occasionally some rather "sorry times." One thing, how-ever, the friends of the mission must not forget. The means of carrying forward this mission are as essential as straw was to the Israelites in making brick. For his own part he did not object to be "scattered all over the land of Egypt," to gather "stubble," but he would not like to "be beaten," because there must necessarily be a cur-

tailing of the "tale," in consequence. There was another difficulty and a very serious one. He really had never yet had a suitable room for missionary operations. The houses he had rented from time to time had been constructed without any reference to Indian visitors. To see him at all they must throng the kitchen, ascend the stairs, go through the parlor, and other apartments, to reach the "study," and it would require more forbearance than falls to the lot of most mortals, for the family not to be annoved at times beyond all endurance. But everything of this kind may operate fearfully against us. No good can be done to the Indians unless they be-lieve us to be their friends. They cannot be made to believe this if we are unwilling they should come to the house, and come at any hour they please, and stay as long as they like. But for this purpose there must be provided a "reception room," out of the way. Having at last purchased a house where he hoped to reside and labour for the good of the Indians, for many years, he desired that the means might be furnished for he desired that the means might be furnished for building a "Zayat." He had got an estimate from a carpenter, and ascertained that a suitable apartment can be built, with some other conveniences, for about £40 or £50. This sum he wished to be allowed to add to the other items when informing the friends how much is needed.

Then the Maliseet Tract referred to in the report, can be printed for about £10 or £12 sterling, probably. About £25 or so would be needed to pay his Indian assistants, and whose aid is indispensable to translating, &c. Then there is the charity fund limited usually to £10, but which s heard. Immediately an animal darted by missionaries who are obliged to acquire the language, to attain to.

Thus we learn that Sau Quala, a native preacher among the Karens, has baptized in the space of the Saviour of mankind, of regeneration.

The Camanches on the Rio Grande, Texas, in reality to collect a moderately large sum for fought the pale-faces for years, until the white people attacked them on the prairies with a cannon mounted on wheels, and fired grape-shot among them until they were defeated. The Indians ral facts illustrative of this point, and described

among them until they were defeated. The Indians then sued for peace, and gave it as their reason that they could fight, but "the pale faces fired a cart at them," and that was more than they could withstand. Some of these Camanches, in Texas, are now so far civilized (uncivilized), and so much like the descendants of Europeans, that they own alaves, and trade in them.

But it is often and that you "cannot tame an Indian." It is not so—see what the Indian Missionary Society of New York has done, and also the New England Society. Along the borders of the great Canadian lakes there are Indian towns and villages, with houses of christian worthship, schools, stores and manufactories, with all was then pronounced, and the meeting closed.

Grand total of Regular Baptists in North America in 1859.

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Alabama-28 associations, 752 churches 367 rdained ministers, 67 licentiates, 5,219 baptized in 1858. Total number, 56,023. Arkansas—16 associations, 269 churches, 129 ordained ministers, 4 licentiates, 838 baptized in 1858, Total number, 9,491.

California-3 associations, 39 churches 27 or lained ministers, 13 licentiates, 145 baptized in 1858. Total number, 1099.

Connecticut-7 associations, 118 churches, 116 ordained ministers, 16 licentiates, 2,457 baptized in 1858. Total number, 18,326.

Delaware—2 churches, 3 ordained ministers, 4 baptized in 1858. Total number, 402. District of Columbia—5 churches, 8 ordained ministers, 5 licentiates, 193 baptized in 1858. Total number, 1,056.

Florida 3 associations, 106 churches, 52 ordained ministers, 20 licentiates, 463 baptized in 1858. Total number, 4,742. Georgia-41 associations, 965 churches, 575 ordained ministers, 138 licentiates, 7,944 baptized

in 1858. Total number, 79,141. Illinois 36 associations, 644 churches, 434 ordained ministers, 77 licentiates, 5,211 baptized

in 1858. Total number, 37,684. Indiana 48 associations, 661 churches, 316 rdained ministers, 31 licentiates, 3,463 baptized in 1858. Total number, 32,780

Indian Territory-4 associations, 45 churches, 40 ordained ministers, 400 baptized in 1858. Total number, 4,300.

Iowa-11 associations, 220 churches, 138 orlained ministers, 28 licentiates, 1,895 baptized in 1858. Total number, 9,944. Kansas 2 associations, 16 churches, 10 or

dained ministers, I licentiate, 16 baptized in 1858. Total number, 245. Kentucky-39 associations, 835 churches, 369 rdained ministers, 40 licentiates, 6,479 baptized in 1858. Total number, 79,733.

Louisiana-9 associations, 188 churches, 99 ordained ministers, 6 licentiates, 1,195 baptized in 1858. Total number, 9,438. Maine-13 associations, 278 churches, 180

ordained ministers, 11 licentiates, 2,455 baptized in 1858. Total number, 21,436. Maryland-1 association, 32 churches, 33 or-

dained ministers, 2 licentiates, 330 baptized in 1858. Total number, 4,154. Massachusetts 14 associations, 362 churches 271 ordained ministers, 18 licentiates, 4,207 bap tized in 1858. Total number, 36,202.

Michigan-11 associations, 209 churches, 142 ordained ministers, 4 licentiates, 1,657 baptized Minnesota 4 associations, 49 churches, 43 ordained ministers, 196 baptized in 1858. Total

Mississippi—21 associations, 577 churches, 280 ordained ministers, 31 licentiates, 2,740 baptized

in 1858. Total number, 36,994. Missouri 37 associations, 695 churches, 418 ordained ministers, 35 licentiates, 4,131 baptized in 1858. Total number, 41,624. Nebraska, 1 association, 9 churches, 8 ordain-

ed ministers, 4 licentiates, 27 baptized in 1858. Total number, 126.

New Hampshire 7 associations, 91 churches 83 ordained ministers, 4 licentiates, 686 baptized in 1858. Total number, 8,525. New Jersey-4 associations, 114 churches, 113

ordained ministers, 28 licentiates, 2,076 baptized in 1858. Total number, 16,244. New York 14 associations 825 churches, 43 ordained ministers, 115 licentiates, 10,802

baptized in 1858. Total number, 92.196. North Carolina 28 associations, 647 churches, 845 ordained ministers, 90 licentiates, 4316 baptized in 1858. Total number, 54,437.

Ohio-29 associations, 488 churches, 367 or dained ministers, 38 licentiates, 3,996 baptized in 1858. Total number, 30,373. Oregon-3 associations, 31 churches, 19 ordained ministers, 11 licentiates, 28 baptized in

1858. Total number, 865. Pennsylvania 17 associations, 382 churches, 277 ordained ministers, 42 licentiates, 4,357 baptized in 1858. Total number, 37,229. Rhode Island—2 associations, 51 churches, 62

ordained ministers, 5 licentiates, 1,718 baptized in 1858. Total number, 9,072. South Carolina-18 associations, 460 churches 270 ordained ministers, 11 licentiates, 4,809 baptized in 1858. Total number, 58,605. Tennessee 23 associations, 642 churches, 378 ordained ministers, 55 licentiates, 3,214 baptized

n 1858. Total number, 46,648. Texas—19 associations, 387 churches, 2.7 ordained ministers, 21 licentiates, 1,711 baptized in 1858. Total number, 14,972. Vermont-7 associations, 109 churches, 99

ordained ministers, 2 licentiates, 621 baptized in 1858. Total number, 7,879. Nirginia-26 associations, 710 churches, 375

ordained ministers, 6,290 baptized in 1858. Total number, 115,146. Wisconsin 8 associations, 177 churches, 121 ordained ministers, 48 licentiates, 1,359 baptized in 1858. Total number, 8,157.

German and Dutch churches in the United States.—1 association, 40 churches, 35 ordained ministers, 12 licentiates, 450 baptized in 1858. Estimated Swedish churches in the United

States.-1 association, 10 churches, 8 ordained ninisters, 2 licentiates, 150 baptized in 1858. Total number, 500. Estimated Welch churches in the United States

—3 associations, 34 churches, 20 ordained ministers, 250 baptized in 1858. Total number 1,400. No. of associations in the U. S. 590 Churches . J2,163 Ordained Ministers

icentiates in the 98,567

Nova Scotia-3 associations, 117 churches, 6 New Brunswick—2 associations, 117 churches, 65 ordained ministers, 18 licentiates, 482 baptized

Canada-8 associations, 200 churches, 100 orned ministers, 1,358 haptized in 1858. Total

West India Islands (estimated)—4 associations, 110 churches, 125 ordained ministers, 38 licentiates, 1,800 baptized in 1858. Total number, 36,250. Total in North America—607 associations 12,707 churches; 7,949 ordained ministers; 1,098 licentiates; 103,072 baptized in 1858. Total

nmber, 1,060,912.

There are none in this world that have more true briefly stated that he had cause of joy than believers have. Here they are ed with the addresses and under the divine protection of God, and are sure to want interesting menting of want nothing that is good; and, when this earthly attanded. The benediction takemede shall be disselved they have a kingdom

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