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BRISTOL, July 25, 1814.
Q. 1. WHAT Preachers are admitted into full connexion this year?
A. Joseph Prosser, Isaac Phenix, William Theobald, William Appleton, James Golding, Leonard Possnett, Thomas Ludlam, William Harding, John Harris, John Worden, James Lancaster, Solomon Whitworth, Benjamin Frankland, John Mason, sen. Charles Colwell, William Flint, Thomas C. Rushforth, Richard Martin, David Williams, Lewis Jones, David Evans, Thomas Mollard, John Wright, Charles Burton, Joseph Agar, Joseph Chapman, Charles Radcliffe, John White, George Bellamy, Thomas Hewitt, William Wilson, John Pearson, John Thompson, John Nicholson, Charles Adshead, Lawrence Kane, William M. Harvard, James Whitworth, Calvarley Riley, William Croscomb, James Priestley, Richard Allen, Benjamin Hudson, Edward Wilson, Alexander Bell, John Shipman, William Coultas.-Ireland-William Reilly, Arthur Noble, James Killen, William Finlay, Joshua Harman, John Carey, Robert Wilson, Robert Bruce.
Q. 2. Who remain on trial?
A. William Laker, Charles Hulme, Armand de Kerpezdron, William B. Fox, Thomas Hall, Archibald M‘Laughlin, James Bromley, Joseph Hutton, Joseph Bodycoat, John Ingham, Abraham Watmough, Hugh Beech, Samuel Blackburn, John Keeling, Richard Shepherd, John Hobson, Joseph Fowler, Thomas Heyes, Joseph Brougham, Joseph Walker, John Slater, Joseph Hunt, Ralph Scurrah, John Sumner, Matthew Day, Thomas Walker, John Bell, Morgan Grifiths, Robert Owem.

John Mason, jun. William Stokes, William Macklow, Peter Prescott, Luke Heywood, Jonathan Turner, Joseph Deakin, Isaac Keeling, William Lord, Robert Wood, Joscph Lewis, William Arnett, Robert Emmett, Isaac Aldon, William Waterhouse, Robert Pickering, John Scott, Samuel Wilde, Samuel Kellett, William Asl, Benjamin Hiley, Barnabas Shaw, Abraham Crabtree, John Heap, Robert Nicholson, William Jackson, William Wilson, John Raby, Thomas Blackburn. Ireland Edward Cobain, Robert Cranston.

The above have travelled three years.
John Bicknell, Robert Hayes, John Bennett, William Levell, James Jones, jun. John Anderson, William Bacon, Ebenezer Stewart, Thomas Moxon, Joseph Dunning, William Mowatt, Samuel Leigh, John Jones, Charles Hawthorn, Seth Morris, Henry Olver, Oliver Henwood, Robert Garner, Robert Bentham, George Birley, James Dixon, Joseph Whitehead, Francis C. Reed, Thomas Jackson, jun. James Mortimer, James Brooke, William Shackleton, George Clarke, Henry Ranson, William Smith, Thomas Stead, Thomas Eastwood, Robert Harrison, jun. Daniel Jackson, jun. Thomas Moreton, William H. L. Eden, James Smetham, Joseph Mattison, James Fowler, Thomas Ballinghall, Partes Haswell, George Mainwaring, Joscph Burgess, jun. James Miller, Jonathan Porter, John Gaskill, Thomas Bridgman, William Blundell, Donald Frazer, Thomas Squance, Peter Le Sueur, Abraham Whitehcuse, William Taylor, Sampson Rusby, Joln Davics, jun. Ireland-Thomas Hurst, John Campbell, Robert Masaroon.

The above have travelied two years.
James Shoar, William Sharp, Richard Eland, George Cubit, James Rosser, Thomas Savage, John Fordred, RichardWilliams, Prul Orchard, Samuel Crumpton, John Weville, James Ash, John Piggott, Joseph Thomas, William Edwards, Henry Powis, John Robinson, Edward Lloyd, John Bowers, Joseph E. Beaumont, Thomas Harris, Jolin Overton, Thomas Rowland, John Stevens, Christopher Newton, John Dredge, Richard Ellidge, Robert Ramm, Thomas Armett, George Barker, John Morris, William Catton, Richard Heap, Thomas Hamer, John Smith, 3d. Robert Morton, Thomas Barrett, John Milne, Jonathan Raynar, Benjamin Clough, John Strong, John D. Allen, Richard Armstrong, James W. Stewart, William Lill, Jeremiah Boothby. Ircland-Daniel M‘Collom, William Pollock, John M‘Kenny.

The above have travelled one year.
Q. 3. Who are now admitted on trial?
A. James Baker, John Mortier, John Burgar, Robert Bryant, Willian Constable, John Lewis, Ambrose Freeman, Henry Pope, Benjamin Andrews, James Sherriff, Peter White, John
W. Green, Daniel Walton, Richard Greenwood, James Methley, John Walsh, Joseph Roberts, David Stoner, George Tindsle, Joseph Raynar, John Hannah, Thomas Staton, Johin Jackson, Thomas Wright, Thomas Green, Joseph W Ward, Thomas Osborne, Thomas Eckersley, William Burgess, Janues Jarratt, James Davidson, John Peckavant. Ifeland-Francis Stephens, Willian Cornwall.
Q.4. What Preachers have died during the past year?
A. 1. Willian Stevens, a man of unaffected piety, upright conduct, and Christian plainness. He was a native of Plymouth Dock. In early life he was brought to the knowledge of the truth, and the enj lyment of the Divine favour, through the ministry of the Methodist preachers. He united himself with that people in Cliristian fellowship, and enjoyed all the privileges of their society. Convinced that it was his duty to do sometaing for the good of his fellow-creatures and the glory of God, he began by visiting the sick, reproving the wicked, and circulating pamphlets, on various religious subjects for the instruction of the ignorant. He also attended public meeting; for prayer, and in them took a leading part. Appointed by the Superintendant he filled the office of a Class-Leader with great success. In 1784, he had such a view of the lost state of man, accompanied with a conviction in his own mind that God had called him to preach the Gospel, as caused him, though with mach fear, to enter upon the important work. In 1786, he was recommended to Mr. Wesley as a proper person to be wholly given up to the ministry, and received his first appointment to the Gloucester Circuit. As a Travelling Preacher he laboured in the Connexion sixteen years, with an unblemished character and great usefulness. In 1802, owing to a confirmed asthma, he was obliged to desist travelling, and the Conference appointed him English Master at Kingswood School, which place he filled for four years; after which he kept, on Kingswood Hill, a Classical and Conmercial Academy to the day of his death.

He was a man of great humility, self-denial, and devotedness to God. After many years of great affiction, he terminated his mortal existence, in the full triumph of faith, on Wednesday. Nov. 22, 1813, in the 51 st year of his age, when his happy spirit went home to God.
2. Willam Mahy, a native of Guernsey, was awakened out of the sleep of sin, under the ministry of Mr. Jehn de Quetville. A few weeks afterwards, he found peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. In 1790, he was employed for two or three months as an Itinerant Preacher in Jersey and in Alderney; in which last place he was in danger of losing his life by his faithfulness. Soon after this he was sent to France, and for eighteen
years and a half endured a great many trials and afflictions there. He preached in many places, and was the instrument of forming several small societies; but on account of the prejudices of the people, the wickedness of the priests, the circumstances of the times, and his own personal affiction, he had not all the success he desired. Some time after it had pleased the Almighty (whose ways are past finding out) to deprive him of his reason, he was brought back to Guernsey; and when he had been there a while, it was judged necessary to send him to England, that he might have all that medical assistance and suitable management could contribute towards his recovery. He finished his course of suffering, with a hope fill of immortality, on Dec. 1, 1813, in the 50th year of his age. Nearly his last words were, "My dependance is on the merits of my Saviour, and the mercy of a good God does not forsake me."
3. John Martin, a man of piety and zeal. He travelled fourteen years with general acceptance, was made useful in the vineyard of Christ, and died well.
4. Thomas Massey, a young man of unblemished morals, and undoubted piety. Although he possessed but very slender ministerial abilities, we have reason to believe that he would have laboured with more general acceptance in the churches, had he not been called too early into the itinerancy. He died in peace, after a short illness.
5. John Pritchard, aged 71, a native of the county of Meath, in Ireland. Early in life he united himself with the Methodists, and became experimentally acquainted with the truth as it is in Jesus. His conversion was sound. His knowledge of the pardoning love of God was clear and distinct. Soon after he began his Christian course, the Spirit itself bore witness with his spirit that he was a child of God; and he earnestly panted after a full conformity to the Divine image. In the year 1771, he began to preach; and in the same year Mr. Wesley sent him into the Wiltshire Circuit. He continued to travel till the Conference in 1802; when, at the request of his brethren, he became Governor of Kingswood School. In that situation he remained till the year 1807, when, under growing infirmities, he retired from it, and lived in Bristol until he was called to his eternal rest.

Mr. Pritchard was a warm advocate for the doctrines of the Gospel, as held by the Methodists. He preached with zeal and energy, a free, fall, and present salvation, to be obtained by faith in Christ; and, towards the close of his life, often expressed to his intimate friends a concern for the perpetuation of sound doctrine, genuine Christian experience, holy living, and godly discipline, among the Methodists.
6. William Peacock, a young man of solid piety. He la-
boured nine years in our connexion, with great zeal, faithfulness, and usefulness. He had a sound mind, inured to reading and close study, which appeared in his public ministry. For some years he laboured as an Irish Missionary, when, in the fields, the fairs, and markets, he proclaimed the everlasting gospel. He was blessed with a strong constitution, which he resolved to devote to the glory of God; but in one hour his strength was brought down by a stroke, the effects of which no medical assistance could remove. When on the Miltown Circuit, a mob, in the night, surrounded the house in which he lodged, outrageously calling for the preacher; and while they were breaking in at the front of the house, he escaped out by the back door, almost naked. The fear of being murdered, added to his lying on the wet grass for several hours, brought on spasms, by which he was occasionally afflicted until he died. He, however, as opportunity offered, rejoiced to publish the loving kindness of the Lord. The evening before he died he preached with uncommon energy, after which he walked with a religious friend, talking of the things of God; and upon his return to his own house, his spasms returned with extreme violence, and continued until the next morning, when his spirit returned to God, Aug. 9, 1813.
7. Matthias Joyce, a brother whose memory is precious to all who knew him. He was early in life converted from the errors of Popery. A full and pleasing account is given in the Methodist Magazine of 1786, of the progress of the work of grace in his soul till his call to the ministry, and of his travels and labours in various parts of Ireland. He was a man of a remarkably loving and peaceable disposition, a wise, acceptable, and successful preacher, much tried in his family by various afflictions, which no doubt preyed on his spirits, and helped to bring on that debility both of body and mind, which disqualified him from preaching during the last three years of his life. He was engaged in the ministry thirty years, and died as he had lived, an Israelite indeed, in whom was no guile.
Q.5. Are there any objections to any of our Preachers?
$A$. They were examined one by one.
Q.6. Who have desisted from travelling?
A. 1. John Williams, 2d, and William Blanshard.
2. John Foster, who, having improperly " entangled himself with the affairs of this life," has left the work.
3. Henry Crawshaw, George Cotton, David Clarke, Richard Moxon, Joseph Smith, and (in Ireland) Alexander Stewart, retire for want of heallh.
Q. 7. How are our Preachers stationed this year?
A. As follows: viz.
GREAT BRITAIN.

1. the london district.
: London East, James Wood, Samuel Bradburn, Adam Clarke, John Gaulter, James Buckley;-William Davies, Welsh Missionary : Thomas Vasey, sen.; Joseph Benson, Editor; James M•Donald, Assistant Editor; Thomas Blanshard, Book-Steward; James Creighton, Richard Rodda, George Story, Su-pernumeraries.-Mr. Buckley is Secretary to the Home Missions.
2 London Wct, Joseph Entwisle, Joseph Sutcliffe, William Bramwell, Jonathan Edmondson; William Jenkins,Supernumerary.-Mr.Edmondson, who resides in Hinde-Street, ManchesterSquare, is appointed Secretary to the Foreign Missions.
3 Brentford, John Knowles, Edward Gibbons, Robert Wood.
4 Deptford, ThomasWood, William Palmer, JosephWilson.
5 Leigh, Essex, Philip Rawlins.
6 Chelmsford, Joseph Prosser, Thomas Thompson.
7 Colchester, George Sykes, sen. James Anderson.
8 Harwich, Philip Jameson, William Laker, James Shoar.
9 Ipswich, James Penman, Matthew Mallinson, Samuel M•Dowell.
10 Huntingdon, James Gartrell, Thomas Edwards.
11 St. Neots, Francis B. Potts, James Golding.
12 Biggleswade, John Sydserff, Francis Burgess; Archibald M•Laughlin, Missionary.
13 Bedford, John Dean, John Fordred.
2. Newport-Pagnell, John Rowe; George Rowe, Missionary.
15 Ampthill, Hugh Ransom; Thomas Armett, Missionary.
16 Leighton-Buzzard, Caleb Simmons, John Bell.
17 Luton, Johu Newton, Mark Dawes, Samuel Blackburn: Iiemry Olver, Missionary.
18 lifuting, Robert Mack, William Sharp.
19 rhicliestir Mission, John Griffin, Ambrose Freeman.
20 Brishthethnston, Richard Gower, George Cubit, Benjamin Andrews.
N. B. The two single Preachers are to change between the Brighton and the Eastbourne side of the Circuit, as the Superintendant may think proper.
II. THE KENT DISTRICT.

21 Rochester, Wm. Myles, Samuel Woolmer, John A. Lomas.
22 Canterbury, Joseph Taylor, jun. Jonathan Williams, John Brown.
23 Margate, Thomas Martin, James Mole; Benjamin Rhodes, Supernumerary.
24 Dover, Jonathan Roberts, William Appleton, William B. Fox.

25 Rye, Joseph Cusworth, John Bustard, Thomas Ludlam, Robert Hayes, Edward Lloyd.
N. B. Brother Bustard is to superintend the Kent side of the Rye Circuit, and the single men are to changeon the Roberts-bridge side.
26 Ashford, Joseph Walker.
27 Sevenoaks, John Storry, William Constable; John King, Supernumerary.
28 Maidstone, John Rossell, Joseph Brittain. William Myles, Chairman of the District.
iII. the nurwich district.

29 Norwich, Robert Wheeler, John Anderson.
30 North Walsham, John Roadhouse, Marmaduke Revell.
31 Yarmouth, Isaac Bradnack, James Bromley, Richard Eland.
32 Lowestoff, Thomas Pollard, William Bacon.
33 Framlingham, George Douglas, Robert Bryant.
N. B. The two single men of the preceding Circuits shall change quarterly.
34 Bungay, Josiah H. Walker, who is to change once a month, on the Lord's day, with the Preachers of the Norwich Circuit.
35 Diss, Thomas Padman, Leonard Possnett.
36 Nero Buckenhan, William Theobald, William Levell.
37 Thetford, Benjamin Millman, James Bumstead.
N. B. Brother Bumstead is to supply Bury St. Edmunds once in every Month.
38 Bury St. Edmunds, William Gilpin.
39 Ely, Joseph Bodycoat, John Stevens, Thos. Osborne.
40 Lynn, William Atherton, Joln Bicknell.
41 Sioaffham, Benjamin Leggatt, James Jones, jun.
42 Wisbeach, William Hinson, Abraham Watmough.
43 Walsingham, Thomas Slugg, Moses Dunn, Joseph Hutton. Benjamin Leggait, Chairman of the District.
iv. the oxford district.

44 Oxford and High-Wycomb, Henry Anderson, William Hayman, Thomas Moxon.
N. B. The Superintendant resides at HighWycomb.

45 Whitckurch, James Burley, William Hicks.
46 Witney, James Bate, who is to change with Brother Harding one Sunday in three weeks.
47 Chipping-Norton, William Griffith, William Harding.
48 Banbury, James Waller, James Sherriff.
49 Brackley, Joseph Gostick, Joseph Dunning.
50 Towesester, Thomas Ashton, William Mowat.
51 Daventry, William Pearson, jun. Ebenezer Stewart.
52 Northanpton, John Simmons, Thomas Savage.
53 Wellingborough, James Sydserff, Thomas Heyes, John Hobson.
54. Kettering, William Towers, Daniel Walton.

55 Murket-Harborough, William Breedon, Joseph Brougham. Henry Anderson, Chairman of the District.

## v. the portsmouth district.

56 Portsmouth, Robert Smith, James Gill, John Aikenhead, James Brooke.
N. B. The single Preacher is to reside at Fareham.
57 Salisbury, George Gellard, Thomas Newton.
53 Shaftsbury, Robert James, Richard Shepherd, John Piggot.
59 Poole, William Baker, William Kaye, Rich. Williams.
N. B. Brother Kaye is to reside at Swanage, and to change with Brother Williams, under the direction of the Superintendant.
50 The Isle of Wight, Josiah Goodwin, George Banwell; Benj. Hiley, Missionary.
61 Southampton, James Etchels, John Coates, Richard Martin.
62 Newbury, Francis Derry, William Fish.
63 Hungerford, William Fowler, William Brocklehurst, John Harris, Henry Powis.
N. B. The second married Preacher is to reside at Lambourne.
Swindon Mission, Thomas Eckersley.
N. B. Brother Eckersley is to change with the single men of the Hungerford Circuit, under the direction of Brother Fowler. Robert Smith, Chairman of the District.

## vI. THE GUERNSEY DISTRICT.

64 Guernsey, Alderney, and Sark, William Pearson, sen. John Willis, Henry Mahy, Peter Le Sueur; Amice Olivier, Supernumerary.
N. B. The English Preachers are to change under the direction of Brother Pearson, and the French Preachers under the direction of Brother De Quetville; and on account of Brother De Quetville's age and infirmities, Brother Pearson is directed to assist him in the exercise of our discipline in the French Societies.
William Pearson, Chairman of the District.
vii. the plymouth dock district.

66 Plymouth-Dock, James M‘Byron, William Toase.
67 Plymouth, Anthony Seckerson, Richard Robarts.
68 Launceston, William Jenkin, Thomas Dodd.
69 Stratton Mission, William Sutcliffe.
70 Liskeard, Joseph Burgess, JohnWorden, William Burgess.
71 Tavistock, James Jones, sen. Thomas Staton.
72 Camelford, Thomas Warren, Joseph Lysk.
73 Kingsbridge, Edward Chapman, Henry Pope; William Trampleasure, Supernumerary. Anthony Secherson, Chairman of the District.

## viif. the cornwall district.

74 Redruth, Francis Truscott, William Martin, Charles Haime, John Slater.
75 Truro, James Heaton, Samuel P. Woolley, Joseph Sanders.
76 St. Austle, John Woodrow, Ralph Scurrah, Solomon Whitworth.
77 Bodmin, James Odgers, William Sleep, Peter White.
7S Penzance and Scilly Island, Richard Treffry, Joseph Marsh, John Bryant, Willianı Stokes, Seth Morris: John Watson, Supernumerary.
79 Helstone, George Russell, Nicholas Sibley, John W. Cloake, Oliver Henwood.
Francis Truscott, Chairman of the District.
in. the exeter district.
80 Exeter, George Dermott, William Worth, Charles Colwell.
N. B. The two last Preachers are to change on the Tiverton side of the Circuit, under the direction of the Superintendant.
81 Taunton, William Horner, William Sleigh, John Sumner. 82 Sout, Petherton, James Akerman, John Jones.

83 Axminster, Mark Daniel, Isaac Phenix ; Charles Hawthorn, Missionary.
N. B. The two single Preachers are to change on the Honiton side of the Circuit, under the direction of the Superintendant.
84 Barnstaple, Henry Tuck, Thomas Slinger, John Wevile.
\&5 Dunster, James Alexander, John Bennett.
6 Oakhampton, James Lancaster.
N. B. Brother Lancaster is to change with the single Preacher of the Tavistock Circuit.
87 Asiburton, James Evans, Paul Orchard.
88 Brixham, Edmund Shaw, James Ash.
N. B. The single Preachers of the two preceding Circuits shall change quarterly.
William Horner, Chairman of the District.
x. the bristol district.

89 Bristol, John Barber, John Pipe, John Davies, sen.; Jeremiah Brettell, George Mowatt, Supernumeraries.
90 Kingstoood, John Smith, sen. Robert Johason, Governor of Kingswood School.
91 Banwell, George Deverell, Mathew Day; James Jay, Supernumerary.
92 Bath, Samuel Taylor; Thomas Roberts, Supernumerary.
N. B. Brother Taylor is to change with the Bristol Preachers, one Sunday in three weeks.
93 Frome, John Riles, Theoph. Lessey, jun. George Shadford, Supernumerary.
Bruton, John Hannah, who is to change with Brother
Lessey, under the direction of the Frome
Superintendant.
94 Warminster, Alexander Weir, James Baker.
95 Stroud and Cirencester, Francis Collier, Michael Cousin, Richard Moody ; John Squarebridge, Supernumerary.
96 Dursley, David Deakins, William Radford, WilliamFlint.
97 Dorenend, John Wood, John Appleyard.
98 Gloucester, John Chettle, John Cullen.
99 Cheltenham, Jonas Jaggar, Samuel Lear.
100 Weymouth, Thomas Bogers, Joshua Fielden.
101 Bradford, Wilts, William Shelmerdine, Wm. Harrison, jun.
102 Melksham, George Button, John Wheelhouse.
103 Shepton-Mallet, Joseph Bowes, Samuel Crimpton; William Ashman, Supernumerary.

104 Midsummer-Norton, Charles Greenley, Henry Cheverton.
105 Glastonbury, John Mason, sen. who is to change with Brother Crumpton one Sunday in every month, under the direction of Brother Bowes. John Barber, Chairman of the District.
xi. the south wales district.
106 Haverferdwest, Toseph Collier, Josiah Hill, Joseph Thomas.

107 Pembroke, Richard Wintle, William Edwards.
108 Carmarthen, William E. Miller, John Jones.
109 Sivansea, Joseph Cole, Edward Jones, 2d. David Jones, sen. Thomas C. Rushforth.
110 Merthyr-Tydville, Simon Day, Edward Anwyl, Lot Hughes. 111 Brecon, David Rogers, Robert Jones, Owen Rees, Robt. Garner.
112 Monmouth, Thomas Twiddy, George Birley.
113 Cardiff, John Hughes, Edward Jones, sen. Evan Parry, John Rogers.
114 Newport, Willian Woodall, John Overton.
Joseph Cole, Chairman of the District.
XII. THE WELSH MISSIONARY DISTRICT.

115 Llandilo, Hugh Hughes, Morgan Griffith.
116 Cardicith, John Davies, Owen Thomas.
117 St. David's, John Williams, sen.
118 Aberystwith, Edward Jones, 3d. Lewis Jones.
119 Machynleth, William Batten, Robert Owen.
120 Dolgelly, Robert Humphreys, David Evans.
121 Caernarvon, Evan Hughes, William Davies, jun.
122 Pwollhelli, Thomas Thomas, John Jones, jun.
123 Holyhead, William Jones, Griffith Owen.
124 Beaumaris, William Evans, Robert Jones, jun.
125 Llanrzost, William Hughes, Owen Jones.
126 Iluthin and Denbigh, Owen Davies, Samuel Davies, David Jones, jun.
127 Holywell, Edward Jones, 4th. David Williams.
128 Llangollen, John Williams, jun. Humphrey Jones.
129 Llanfyllyn, Griffith Hughes, Maurice Jones.
130 Llunidloes, Hugh Carter, Evan Edwards.
Owen Davies, Chairman of the District.

X11. THE BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT.
131 Birmingham, Thomas Taylor, George Morley, Frederick Calder.

192 West Bromwich, Thomas Mollard, who is to change with the Preachers of the Birmingham Circuit.
133 Coleshill, William Homer.
134 Redditch, John Bedford, Joseph Lewis.
185 Wednesbury, John Ogilvie, John Hodson, William Rennison, John Thompson.
136 Worcester, William Henshaw, John Mason, jun.
137 Evesham, Edward Millward, William Wilson.
138 Stourport, John Townsend, William France, John Smith, jun.
139 Dudley, RichardWaddy, John Hodgson, Samuel Sugden.
140 Wolverhampton, William Harrison, sen. John Walton.
141 Hinckley, William Holmes, Elijah Morgan.
142 Coventry, Thomas Dowty, Charles Hulme.
Thomas Taylor, Chairman of the District.
xiv. the shrewsbury district.

143 Shrewsbury, John Simpson, sen. William Gillgrass, John Radford.
144 Ludloro, George Sykes, jun. Joseph Whitehead.
145 Hereford, William Timperley.
Ledbury, John Wright, John Robinson; James Methley, Missionary.
146 Kington, Daniel Campbell, James Dixon.
147 Nerwtoron, Joseph Armstrong, William Macklow.
148 Wrexham, John Jordan, Joseph Pretty.
149 Oswestry, James Scholefield.
John Simpson, Chairman of the District.

KV. THE MACCLESFIELD DISTRICT.
150 Macclesfield, James Townley, John James, John Rigg.
151 Buxton, Samuel Hope, Isaac Keeling.
152 Congleton, CuthbertWhiteside, James Hyde; George Lowe, supernumerary.
153 Namptwich, Joseph Brookhouse, James Allen.
154. Northwich, Samuel Warren, John Bowers.

155 Burslem, William Aver, James Blackett.
156 Nerwcastle-under-Lyme, Thomas Graham, William Dalby, Samuel Webb.
157 Stafford, John Reynold\&, jun. Thomas Harris.
158 Leek, Humphrey Parsons, John W. Green; John Wilshaw, supernumerary.

William Aver, Chairman of the District.
XVI. THE LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

159 Liverpool, Henry Moore, John Stephens, Jacob Stanley, Edward Hare ; John Bryan, Welsh Missionary.
160 Chester, Thomas Pinder, Edward Oakes, Joseph Roberts.
161 Warrington, Philip Garrett, Joseph E. Beaumont.
162 Prescot, Michael Emmet, Robert Bentham.
163 Wigan, Timothy Crowther, Francis C. Reed.
N. B. Brother Reed is to devote one half of his labours to the supply of the Leigh Circuit.
164 Ormskirk, Luke Barlow, Thomas Jackson, jun. Missionary.
165 Preston, John Fairborne, James Mortimer.
166 Garstang, Nathaniel EHiott, Thomas Rowland.
167 Lancaster, John Beaumont, John Milne, John Walsh.
N. B. One of the single Preachers is to be employed as a Missionary. Henry Moore, Chairman of the District.
xvii. the manchester district.

168 Manchester, Thomas Kelk, John Hickling, John Kershaw, Edmund Grindrod; Robert Roberts, Welsh Missionary; John Crosby, Supernumerary.
169 Salford, Cleland Kirkpatrick, Robert Miller, William Jones.
170 Stockport, and our Chapel at Redhall, Jonathan Crowther, David M•Nicel, Anthony Triffet; Daniel Jackson, sen. supernumerary.
171 Nerw Mills, Derbyshire, Thomas Preston, Joseph Agar.
172 Ashton-under-Lyne, and our Chapel at Moseley, Robert Melson.
173 Oldham, William Hill, Thomas Skelton.
174 Rochdale, Thomas Cooper, Isaac Muff.
175 Bacup, Thomas Hutton, Jonathan Turner.
176 Haslingden, Joshua Fearnside, Daniel Jackson, jun.
177 Blackburn, Joseph Drake, John C. Leppington.
178 Bury, Charles Gloyne, Thomas Davies.
179 Bolton, John Reynolds, sen. James D. Burton; George Gibbon, superuumerary.
180 Leigh, James Spink.
Jonathan Crowther, Chairman of the District.
xilit. the halifax district.
181 Halifax, Charles Atmore, Thomas Vasey, jun. Robert Martin; Zechariah Yewdall, Alexander Suter, supernumeraries.

182 Sowerby-Bridge, William M‘Kittrick, Thomas Walker.
183 Todmorden, John Stamp, Mark Day.
181 Burnley, James Needham, William Catton.
18.5 Colne, William Midgley, Joseph Worrell.

186 Skipton, Matchew Lumb, Isaac Clayton.
187 Clithero, Thomas Bersey, Donald Frazer.
188 Grassington, James Hopewell, Thomas Morton.
189 Addingham, John Phillips, Thomas Stead; Jolın Wittam, supernumerary.
190 Keighlyy, James Bridgnell, John Aslin.
191 Bingley, William Radcliff, William Lord.
192 Woodhouse-Grove, Thomas Stanley, Thomas Hill.
N. B. Brother Stanley is Governor of Woodhouse-Grove School.
193 Bradford, Richard Reece, John Nel:on.
194 Huddersfield, John Braithwaite, Barnard Slater.
195 Holmfirth, John Brownell, David Stoner.
Charles Atmore, Chairman of the District.

## xix. the leeds district.

196 Leeds, Walter Griffith, Jabez Banting, Maximilian Wilson, Robert Pilter; Francis Wrigley, supernumerary.
197 Bramley, William Naylor, James Everett.
198 Wakefield, Robert Newton, Thomas Jackson, sen.
199 Birstal, George Highficld, Stephen Wilson, Joseph Womersley.
200 Derwsbury, Thomas Bartholomew, Isaac Lilly.
201 Otley, Thomas Wilton, Samuel Sewell.
202 Pateley-Bridge, William Todd, Peter Prescott; William Hunter, supernumerary.
203 Pontefract, Jonathan Brown, sen. Joseph Fowler; Isaac Brown, supernumerary.
204 Selby, William Warrener, John Morris.
205 Wetherby, William Dixon, William Nother. Walter Griffith, Chairman of the District.
xX. The sheffield district.

206 Sheffield, James Bogie, John Doncaster, John Walmsley, William Beale; Charles Tunnicliffe, Supernumerary.
207 Chesterfeld, Thomas Rogerson, Christopher Newton
208 Bakervell, Joseph Robbins, William Taylor.
209 Bradwell, James Johnson, Thomas Hall.
210 Rotherham, John Burdsall, Thomas Gee; Jacob Newton, supernumerary.

211 Doncaster, Thorne Chapel, and Hatfeld-Wood-House Chapel, Philip Hardcastle, Thomas Hewit.
212 Barnsley, Jonathan Parkin, Robert Emmet.
213 Denby near Penniston, James Holroyd, William Smith.
214 Derby, Joseph Taylor, sen. Edward Banks.
215 Belpar, Richard Pattison, Hugh Beech.
216 Cromford, John White, Thomas Key.
217 Retford, Thomas Fletcher, Robert Harrison, jun. John Jackson.
Joseph Taylor, sen. Chairman of the District.
XXI. THE NOTTINGHAM DISTRICT.

218 Nottingham Circuit, and onr Chapel at Hockley, Nottingham, Robert Hopkins, Edward Roberts.
219 Ilkestone, George Wilson, George Bellamy.
220 Mansfield and Worksop, William Moulton, Jos. Chapman, John Dredge.
N. B. Brother Chapman is to reside at Worksop, and to change occasionally with the other Preachers.
221 Newark, George Sargent, John Hanwell.
222 Grantham, Thomas Tatter:hall, Thomas Edman.
223 Leicester, Marshall Claxton, James Fussell.
224 Melton-Mowbray, John Ward, James Rosser, Joseph Munt.
225 Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Lawrence Kershaw, Lewis Andrews, William Arnett.
226 Burton, John Denton, Joseph Rayner. Litchfield, Joseph Robinson.
N. B. Brother Robinson and Brother Rayner are to change under the direction of the Superintendant.
227 Uttoxeter, William Bird, William H. L. Eden.
228 Loughborough, Robert Crowther, John Poole; William Saunders, Supernumerary.
229 Stamford and Peterborough. Stephen Butler, John Ingham, Richard Ellidge.
Robert Hophins, Chairman of the District.
XXII. THE LINCOLNSHIRE DISTRICT.

230 Lincoln and Sleaford, Thomas Rought, John Simpson, jun. Joseph Griffith, James Fowler.
231 Grimsby, John Furness, Thomas Fearnley.
232 Market-Raisin, Joseph Mann, Robert Watkin.
233 Louth, Martin Vaughan, Benjamin Gregory, Robert Pickering.
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334 Horncastle, Francis West, John Gill.
235 Alford, Edward Towler, Joseph Mattison.
236 Spilsby, William Howarth, John Keeling; Robert Carr Brackenbury, supernumerary.
237 Boston, Corbet Cooke, Robert Ramm.
238 Spalding, William Barr, Isaac Aldom.
239 Eproorth, Arthur Hutchinson, John C. Draper, William Waterhouse.
240 Winterton, Benjamin Barritt, Samuel Ward, Thomas Eastwood.
241 Gainsborough, John Farrar, Jervis Shaw. John Furness, Chairman of the District.
XXIII. The york district.

242 York, Miles Martindale, William Leach, Samuel Jackson.
243 Hull, Jonathan Barker, Henry S. Hopwood, Richard Watson, John Scott.
244 Patrington, Thomas Laycock, George Barker.
245 Howden, William Welborne, William Stones.
246 Pocklington, Samuel Gates, John Taylor ; another to be sent by the President.
247 Bridlington, Thomas Ingham, Robert Jackson, Barnabas Shaw.
248 Driffeld, Zacharias Taft, Richard Hardaker, Samuel
249 Scarborough, Daniel Isaac, Jonathan Brown, jun.; Joseph Kyte, Supernumerary.
250 Pickering, Thomas Simmonite, William Beswick.
251 Malton, John Slack, William Carleton.
252 Easingwold, John Booth, Henry Ranson.
Miles Martindale, Chairman of the District.
xxiv. the whitby district.

253 Whitby, Joseph Meek, Aaron Floyd.
254 Gisborough, Samuel Bardsley, Samuel Kellett.
255 Ripon, Thomas Harrison, George Tindale.
956 Thirsk, George Holder, Joseph Deakin.
257 Durlington, James Sykes, John Armitage, John Nicholson, William Ash; Thomas Dixon, Supernumerary.
258 Barnard-Castle and Weardale, Thomas Garbutt, Edward Wilson, Partes Haswell.
259 Middleham, John Lee, Thomas Hamer.
260 Tanfield, Thomas Gill, Robert Morton.

261 Richmond, James Ridall, John Pearson, John Smith, sd. Samuel Bardsley, Chairman of the District.
xxy. the newcastle district.
262 Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Isaac Turton, Henry Taft, George Mainwaring; John Hudson, supernumerary. 263 Gateshead, Theophilus Lessey, sen. William Veevers.
264 Shields, George Smith, William Scholefield, Abraham E. Farrar.

265 Sunderland, George Marsden, Edward Battye, John Waterhouse; Dancan Kaye, supernumerary.
266 Durham, Joseph Hollingworth, John Heap.
267 Alstone, John Bümstead, Charles Radcliffe.
268 Hexham, William Tranter, Jonathan Porter.
269 Alnwick and Berwicle, Lawrence Kane, Abraham Crabtree, Richard Allen.
George Marsden, Chairman of the District.
xxvi. the carlisle district.

270 Carlise, John Barritt, James Sugden.
271 Whitehaven, George Thompson, Robert Harrison, sen.;
Robert Dall, supernumerary.
272 Brough, John Kemp, Joseph Burgess, jun.
273 Penryth, Joseph Frank, James Jarratt.
274 Kendal, William Hainsworth, Charles L. Adshead.
275 Ulverstone Mission, William Shackleton.
476 Dunfries, William West.
William West, Chairman of the District.
xxvil. the isle of man district.
277 Douglas, John Mercer, John Sedgwick.
278 Ramsay, John Rawson, George Clarke.
John Mercer, Chairnan of the District.
xxviil. the edinburgh district.
279 Edinburgh, Samuel Kittle, Valentine Ward.
280 Dunbar and Haddington, Benjamin Hudson, William Jackson.
281 Glasgowe, Paisley, and Hamilton, John Lancaster, Charles Burton, Robert Nicholson, Thomas Bridgman.
282 Ayr, and Kilmarnock, Humphrey Stephenson, Thomas Barritt.
283 Greenock, and Port Glasgow, Richard Smeatham, James Smeatham.

284 Perth, William Clegg, Richard Heap.
285 Dunfermine, John Gaskell, who is to change with the Edinburgh Preachers.
Samuel Kittle, Chairman of the District.
xxix. the aberdeen district.

256 Aberdeen, Duncan M‘Allum, Thomas Ballingall, James Miller.
287 Dundee, Thomas Yates.
288 Arbroath, Joshua Bryan, who is to change with Brother Yates two Sundays in every six weeks.
289 Brechin, Joseph Kitchin, William Blundell.
290 Banff, Luke Heywood, Richard Greenwood.
291 Elgin, Alexander Bell.
292 Inverness, George Willoughby.
N. B. The Preachers at Elgin and Inverness are to change occasionally.
Duncan M'Allum, Chairman of the District.

## IRELAND.

I. THE DUBLIN DIstrict.

1 Dublin, William Ferguson, William Stewart, William Reilly; John Kerr, Book-Steward; Andrew Hamiton, jun. Editor.
2 Longford, Thomas Lougheed, Zachariah Worrell; John Price, superanuuated.
3 Drogherla, Samuel Steele, Henry Deery.
4. Oldcestle, R $\quad$ bert Carson, William Finlay.

5 Wicklore, James M'Cutcheon, Michael Burrows. William Ferguson, Chairman of the District.
iI. the waterford district.

G Waterford, William Smith, Robt. Banks; Daniel M‘Mullen, supernumerary, who resides at Clonmell.
7 Carlow, John Stewart, John Rogers.
8 Neretownbarry, Charles Graham, John Hadden.
William Smith, Chairman of the District.
III. THE CORK DISTRICT.

9 Cork, Charles Mayne, William Copeland.
10 Bandon, Samuel Wood, Joshua Harman.
11 Shibbereen, John Carey.
12 Mallow, William M‘Cornock, John Howe.
Charles Mayne, Chairman of the District.
IV. THE LIMERICK BISTRICT.
13 Limerick, Matthew Tobias, Andrew Hamilton, sen.
14 Millown, John Waugh.
15 Roscrea, Thomas Brown, Robert Cranston.
16 Clough-jordan, Blakely Dowling, Michael Murphy.
17 Mountrath, Gustavus Armstrong, Thomas Waugh.
Matthew Tobias, Chairman of the District.
v. the athlone district.

18 Athlone, James M•Kown, James Bell, Robert Masaroon James Rennick, superannuated.
19 Aughrim, William Crook, George Hansbrow.
20 Castlebar, Thomas Ridgeway, Daniel Pedlow.
21 Ballina, James Stewart, William Gilchriest.
22 Sligo, John Clegg, Richard Price.
23 Boyle, Charles M‘Cormick, James M‘Quigg.
Thomas Ridgeway, Chairman of the District.
vi. the clones district.
24. Clones, James Rutledge, Adam Averell, James C. Prat

25 Killesandra, Archibald Murdoch, Samuel Harpur.
26 Cavan, John Clendinnen, Robert Strong.
27 Monaghan, John C. Irvine, John Campbell. Adam Averell, Chairman of the District.

## VII. THE ENNISKILLEN DISTRICT.

28 Enniskillcn, Samuel Kyle, John M‘Arthur, Castor Clement
29 Manorhamilton, William Hamilton, Jobn Foster.
30 Ballyshannon, Robert Smith, Robert Wilson; James Smitk supernumerary.
31 Ballinamallard, Matthew Stewart, John Remmington; Josep Armstrong, superanuuated.
32 Brookborough, Francis Armstrong, John M‘Adam. Robert Smith, Chairman of the District.
VIII. THE LONDONDERRY DISTRICT.

33 Londonderry, Alexander Sturgeon, Thomas W. Doolittle.
34 Strabune, James M‘Kee, John Nesbitt; James Jordar supernumerary.
35 Netotoronlimavady, Edward Johnson.
36 Newotorenstereart, William Douglas, Thomas Edwards.
37 Stranorlar, Charles M•Cord, Arch. Campbell.
James M'Kee, Chairman of the Distrist.
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IX. THE BELFAST DISTRICT.

38 Belfast, Francis Russell, James Stirling; John Bredin, superannuated.
39 Carrickfergus, Robert Bailey, John Nelson.
40 Coleraine, Matthew Lanktree, James Johnson.
41 Lisburn, Thomas Kerr, William Armstrong.
42 Downpatrick, William Kcys, George M•Elwain.
Francis Russell, Chairman of the District.
x. THE NEWRY DISTRICT.

43 Newery, Samuel Alcorn, Thomas Johnson.
44 Dungannon, John Wilson, William Kidd.
45 Cookstown, James Carter, Edward Cobain.
46 Charlemont, George Stephenson, James Oliffe.
47 Armagh, Robert Crozier, Samuel Downing.
48 Lurgan, John Dinnen, Robert Bruce.
49 Tanderagec, James Irwin, David Waugh.
Rebert Crozier, Chairman of the District.

## IRISH MISSIONARIES.

1 Enniscorthy Mission, Andrew Taylor.
2 Cove Mission, Richard Phillips.
3 Skibbercen Mission, John Hamilton.
4 Clare Mission, George Burrows.
5 Ballymoat and Lyney Mission, William Foote.
6 Boylagh Mission, James Killen.
7 Donegal Mission, Edward Heazleton.
8 Countics of Antrim and Londonderry Mission, Gideon Ousley, Arthur Noble, Francis Stephens, William Pollock.
N. B. Letters to the above Missionaries, to be directed to Ballymena.
9 Castle Blayney and Cootehill Missions, King Barton, William Cornwall.

## FOREIGN MISSIONS. <br> I. EUROPE.

1 Gibraltar, Benjamin Wood.
II. ASIA.

2 Ceylon, Thomas Coke, LL. D. who is General Superintendant of our Asiatic Missions, James Lynch, Willian Ault, George Erskine, William M. Harvard, Thomas Squance, Benjamin Clough.
3 Nero South Wates, Samuel Leigh.
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III. AFRICA.
4. Sierra Leone, William Davies.

5 Cape of Good Hope, John M•Kenny.
IV. AMERICA. THE WEST INDIES. 1. the antigua district.

6 Antigua, Thomas Morgan, Wm. Coultas, John Lewis, jun. 7 St. Christopher's and St. Eustatius, James Whitworth, John Raby, Thomas Hurst, Jonathan Raynar.
8 Nevis, Thomas Talboys, William Lill.
9 St. Bartholomew's, Calvarley Riley.
10 Tortola and the Virgin Islands, George Johnstone, Abraham Whitehouse, Wm. Westerman.
11 Dominica, Jeremiah Boothby.
12 St. Vincent's, John Dace, John D. Allen, James W. Stewart.
13 Barbadoes, Thomas Blackburn.
14. Grenada, Myles C. Dixon.

15 Trinidad, George Poole.
16 Demerara, John Mortier.
N. B. The Chairman is authorised to send to Demerara, the Preachers most proper for the situation, and to direct the changes necessary for that end.
Thomas Morgan, Chairman of the District.
17 Jamaica, John Wiggins, John Shipman, John Davies, jun. John Burgar.
II. THE BAHAMA DISTRICT.

18 New Providence and the neighbouring Islands, William Turton, John Rutledge, William Dowson, Joseph Ward.
William Turton, Chairman of the District.
bermuda.
19 Bermuda, William Wilson, Moses Rayner.
nova scotia and new brunswick.
20 Halifax, William Bennett; Wm. Black, supernumerary
21 Liverpool, James Priestley.
22 Shelbourne, James Dunbar; James Mann, supernumerary.
23 St. Stephen's, Duncan M‘Coll.
24 St. John's and Fredericton, James Knowlan.
25 Cumberland, Stephen Bamford.

26 Annapolis and Horton, William Crosscomb, Richard Armstrong; John Mann, supernumerary.
27 Montreal, Richard Williams.
28 Quelec, John Strong.
29 Prince Edward's Island, John Hick; William Bulpitt, supernumerary.

## William Bennett, General Superintendant and Chairnun of the District.

NEWHOUNDLAND.
30 Ncwfoundland, William Ellis, Sampson Busby, John Lewis, John Pickavant.
Q. 8. How many Preachers' Wives are to be provided for by the connexion this year?
$A$. Three hundred and seventy-seven.
Q. 9. How many of these are to be provided for by particular Circuits?
$A$. Three hundred and thirty-three: viz.
London East, Sister James $\mid$ North Walsham, S. Revell. Wood, Bradburn, Clarke, Yarmouth, S. Bradnack. Gaulter, Buckley.
London West. S. Entwisle, Sutcliffe, Bramwcll, Edmondson.
Deptford, S. (T.) Wood.
Brentford, S. Knowles.
Reading, S. Mack.
Chelmsford, S. (G.) Sykes,
Colchester, $\}$ sen.
Ipswich, S. Penman.
Harwich, S. Jameson.
Bedford, S. Dean.
Leighton-Buzzard, S. Caleb Simmons.
Luton, S. John Newton.
St. Neot's, S. Potts.
Huntingdon, S. Gartrell.
Birgleswade, S. Sydserff:
Brighthelmstone, S. Gower.
Rochester, S. Myles, Woolmer.
Canterbury, S. Jos. Taylor, jun.
Margate, S. (T.) Martin.
Dover, S. Jonathan Roberts. Rye, S. Cusworth, Bustard. Sevenoaks, S. Storry.
Maidstone, S. Rossell.
Vorwich, S. Wheder.

Lowestoff, S. Pollard:
Framlingham, S Douglas.
Bungay, S. Walker.
Diss, S. Padman.
New Buckenham, S. Theobald.
Thetford, S. Millman.
Bury St. Edmund's, S. Gilpin.
Ely, S. Bodycoat.
Lynn, S. Atherton.
Swaffham, S. Leggatt.
Wisbeach, s. Hinson.
Walsingham, s. Slugg.
Oxford, S. Henry Anderson. Northampton, S. John Simmons Fowcester, S. Ashton.
Daventry, S. (W.) Pearson, jun.
Banbury, S. Waller.
Brackley, S. Gostick.
Whitchurch, s. Burley.
Ketterimg, S. Towers.
Market-Harborough, S. Breedon.
Wellingborough, S. James Sydserff.
Witney, S. Bate.
Chipping-Norton, S. William

Portsmouth, S. Robert Smith. James Gill, Aikenhead.
Salisbury, S. Gellard.
Shaftsbury, S. (R.) James.
Poole, S. Baker.
Isle of Wight, S. Grodwin.
Southampton, S. Etchells.
Newbury, S. Derry.
Hungerford, S. (iV.) Fowler.
Plymouth Dock, S. M‘Byron, Toase.
$\mathrm{P}^{\prime}$ ymouth, £16 16 s .
Launceston, S. Jenkin.
Stratton S. (W.) Sutcliffe.
Liskeard, S. Joseph Burgess.
Tavistock, S. James Jones.
Camelford, S. (T.) Warren.
Kingsbridge, S. (E.) Chapman.
Redruth, S. Truscott, William Martin, Haime.
Truro, S. Heaton, Woolley, Sanders, and £33 12 s .
St. Austle, S. Woodrow, and \&16 $16 s$.
Bodmin, S. Odgers.
Penzance, S. Treffry, Marsh, Stokes, and $£ 1616 \mathrm{~s}$.
Helstone, S. Russel, Sibley, Cloake, and $£ 16$ I6s.
Exeter, S. Dermott.
Taunton, S. Horner.
South Petherton, S. Akerman.
Axminster, S. Daniel.
Barnstaple, S. Tuck.
Dunster, S. Alexander.
Ashburton, S. James Evans.
Brixham, S. Shaw.
Bristol, N. Barber, Pipe, John Davies, sen. Cousin.
Kingswood, S. John Smith, sen.
Banwell, S. Deverell.
Bath, S. Samuel Taylor.
Frome, S. Riles.
Warminster, S. Weir.
Stroud and Cirencester, S. (F.) Collier.
Dursley, S. Deakins.

Downend, S. John Wood. Gloucester, S Chettle.
Cheltenham, S. Jaggar.
Weymouth. S. Rogers.
Bradford(Wilts)S.Shelmerdine
Melksham, S. Button.
Siventon-Mallett, S. Bowes.
Midnaminer-Norton, S. Greeliley.
Haverfordwest, S. Jos. Collier. Pembroke, S. Wintle.
Carmarthen, S.(W.E.) Miller, (J.) Jones.

Swansea, S. Cole, E. Jones, 2d.
Merthyr-Tydville, S. Day.
Brecon, S. (O.) Rees, (li.) Jones.
Monmouth, S. Twiddy.
Cardiff, S. Hughes, (E.) Jones, sen.
Newport, S. Woodall.
Birmingham, S.Morley,Calder, and $£ 1616 \mathrm{~s}$.
Coleshill, S. Homer.
Redditch, S. Bedford.
Wednesbury, S. Ogilvie, Hodson, Rennison.
Worcester, S. Henshaw.
Evesham, S. Millward.
Stourport, S. Townsend, France.
Dudley, S. Waddy, Hodgson.
Wolverhampton, S. (W.)Harrison, sen.
Hinckley, S. Holmes.
Coventry, S. Dowty.
Shrewsbury, S. (J.) Simpson, sen. Gillgrass.
Ludlow, S. (G.) Sykes, jun.
Her-ford, S. Timperley.
Ledbury, S. Wright.
Kington, S. Campbell.
Newtown, S. Armstrong.
Wrexham, S. Jordan.
Oswestry, S. James Scholefield.
Macclesfield, S. Townlev, John James.
Buxton, S. Hope.

Congleton, S. Whiteside. Namptwich, S. Brookhouse. Northwich, S. Samuel Warren. Burslem, S. Aver, Blackett.
Newcastle-under-Lyme, S. Graham.
Stafford, S. (J.) Reynolds, jun.
Leek, S. Parsons.
Liverpool, S. Stephens, Stanley, Hare.
Chester, S. Pinder, Oakes.
Warrington, S. Garrett.
Prescott, S. Emmet.
Wigan, £8 8s.
Ormskirk, S. Barlow.
Preston, £16 $16 s$.
Garstang, £88s.
Lancaster, S. Beaumont.
Manrhester, S. Kelk, Kershaw, Hickling, Grindrod.
Salford, S. Kirkpatrick, (R.) Miller.
Stockport, S. Jon. Crowther, M•Nicol.
New Mills, S. Preston.
Ashton-under Lyne, $£ 88 s$.
Oldham, S. (W.) Hill, Kkelton.
Rochdale, S. Cooper, Muff.
Bacup, S. Hutton.
Haslingden, S. Fearnside.
Blackburn, S. Drake.
Bury, S. Gloyne.
Bolton, S. (J.) Reynolds, sen.
Leigh, 尤8 8s.
Halifax, S Atmore, Vasey. jun.
Sowerby-Bridge,S.M‘Kittrick, Phillips.
Todmorden, S. Stamp, (M.) Day.
Burnley, S. Needham.
Colne, S. Worrell.
Skipton, S. Lumb.
Clithero, S. Bersey.
Grassington, S. Hopewell.
Keighley, S. Brldgnell.
Bingley, S. Ratcliffe.
Woodhouse-Grove,S.(T.)Hill.

Bradford, S. Reece, Nelson.
Huddersfield, S. Slater, and $\notin 1616 s$.
Holmfirth, £16 $16 s$.
Leeds, S. Griffith, Bunting, (M.) Wilson, and £16 16s.

Bramley, S. Naylor, Everett.
Wakefield, S. (R.) Newton, (T.) Jackson, sen.

Birstal, S. Highfield, Stephen Wilson.
Dewsbury, S. Bartholomew, Lilly.
Otley, S. Wilton.
Pateley Bridge, S. Todd.
Pontefract, S. Jon. Brown, sen.
Selby, S. Warrener.
Wetherby, S. Dixon.
Sheffield, S. Bogie, Doncaster, Walmsley, Beal.
Chesterfield, S. Rogerson.
Bakewell, S. Robbins.
Bradwell, S. James Johnson.
Rotherham, S. Burdsall, Geee.
Doncaster, S. Hardcastle.
Barnsley, S. Parkin.
Denky, S. Holroyd.
Derb., S. Jos. Taylor, sen. Bauks.
Belpar, S Pattison.
Cromford, S. White.
Retford, S. Fletcher, and £88s.
Nottingham, S. Hopkins, (E.) Roberts.
Ilkestone, S. George Wilson.
Mansfield, S. Moulton.
Newark, S. Sargent.
Grantham, S. Tattershall.
Leicester, S. Claxton.
Melton-Mowbray,S.(J.)Ward.
Ashby S. (L.) Kershaw.
Burton, S. Denton.
Uttoxeter, S. Bird.
Loughborough, S. (R.) Crowther, Poole.
Stamford, S. Butler.
Lincoln, S. Rought.

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Grimsby, S. Furness.
Market-Raisin, S. Mann.
Louth, S. Vaughan, Gregory.
Horncastle, S. (F.) West.
Alford, S. Towler.
Spilsby, S. Howarth.
Bost n, S. Croke.
Spalding, S. Barr.
Epworth, S. Draper.
Winterton, S. Ben. Barritt.
Gainsborough, S. (J.) Farrar.
York, S. Martindale, Leach,
Samuel Jackson.
Hull, S. Barker, Hopwood, Watson, Laycock.
Howden, S. Welborne.
Pocklington, S. Gates, John Taylor.
Bridlington, S. Ingham, and $\mathfrak{E}^{4} 4 \mathrm{~s}$.
Driffield, S. (7.) Taft.
Scarborough, S. Isaac, Jon. Brown, jun.
Pickering, S. Simmonite.
Malton, S. Slack, Carlton.
Easing would, S. Booth.
Whitby, S. Meek, Floyd.
Gisborough, S. Kellett.
Ripon, S. (T.) Harrison.
Thirsk, S. Holder.
Darlington, S. James Sykes, Armitage.
Barnard Castle, S.Garbutt (E.) Wilson.
Middleham, S. Lee.
Tanfield, £4. 4 s .
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Richmond, S. (J.) Pearson.
Newcastle-upon-Tyne, S. Turton.
Gateshead, S. Lessey.
Shields, S. (G.) Smith, Abrm. Farrar, (W.) Scholefield.
Sunderland,S.Marsden, Battye, Waterhouse.
Durham, S. Hollingworth.
Alstone, S. John Bumstead.
Hexham, S. Tranter.
Alnwick, S. Kane.
Carlisle, S. Barritt.
Whitehaven, S. Thompson.
Brough, S. Kemp.
Penrith, S. Frank.
Kendal, S. Hainsworth.
Dumfries, £1616s.
Douglas, S . Mercer,
and $£ 8$ 8s. s . and $£ 88$.
Ramsay, S. Rawson, $\} \begin{aligned} & \text { Sedg- } \\ & \text { wick }\end{aligned}$ and $\pm 88 s$. $\quad$
Edinburgh, S. Kittle.
Dunbar, S. Hudson.
Glasgow, S. Lancaster, (C.)
Burton, Nicholson.
Greenock, S. (R.) Smeatham.
Perth, S. Clegg.
Ayr and Kilmarnock, S. Stephenson.
Aberdeen, £16 16s.
Dundee, S. Yates.
Arbroath, S. Bryan.
Brechin, S. Kitchin.
Banff, S. Heywood.
Inverness, S. Willoughby.
Q. 10. How are the remaining forty-four wives to be provided for?
A. By the Districts, as follows: viz.

By the London District,

By the Norwich District,
By the Oxford District,
By the Portsmouth District,
S. Rowe, Jos. Wilson, Dawes, James Anderson, Prosser, Ransom, Appleton.
S. Bicknell, Dunn, J. Bumstead.
S. Hayman.
S. Coates, Brocklehurst.

By the Bristol District,
By the Birmingham District,
By the Shrewsbury District, By the Macclesfield District, By the Liverpool District,

By the Manchester District,
By the Halifax District,
By the Leeds District, By the Nottingham District,

By the Lincolnshire District,
By the Yor! District, By the Whitby District,
By the Newcastle District,
By the Carlisle District,
By the Edinburgh District,
S. Moody, Fielden, W. Harrison, jun
S. Thompson, Walton.
S. Pretty.
S. Green, Dalby.
S. T. Crowther 8l. 8s. Elliot 8l. 8s.
S. Leppington ; Melson 8l. 8s.; Spink $81.8 s$.
S. Aslin.
S. Womersley, Nother, Sewell.
S. Hanwell, Joseph Chapman, L. Andrews, J Robinson.
S. J. Gill, Samuel Ward, Simpson, jun.
S. Stones.
S. T. Gill, 12l. 12 s .
S. H. Taft, Crabtree.
S. Sugden, B. Harrison, sen.
S. V. Ward.
Q. 11. What is the number of Member in our Societies?
A. As follows: viz.

| ondon East | 3562 | Biggleswade | 138 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| London West | 2373 | Hertford Mission | 38 |
| Leigh, Essex, (last y ar ) | 70 | Brighthelmstone | 50 |
| Reading and Faruham | 185 | Cnichester Mission | 42 |
| Deptford | 94.0 | Norwich | 580 |
| Brentford | 320 | North Walsham | 125 |
| Colchester and Chelmsford | d 341 | Yarmouth | 600 |
| Ipswich | 420 | Lowestoff | 600 |
| Harwich | 411 | Bungay | 100 |
| Rochester | 1040 | Diss | 472 |
| Non-Residents | 2 | New Buckenham | 384 |
| Canterbury | 500 | Thetford | 320 |
| Non-Residents | 15 | Bary St. Edmund's | 156 |
| Ashford Mission | 55 | Ely - | 320 |
| Margate | 250 | Lynn | 54 |
| Dover | 295 | Suaffham | 240 |
| Rye | 810 | Winieach | 75 |
| Sevenoaks | 260 | W alsingham | 85 |
| Maidstone | 280 | Northampton | 420 |
| Bedford and Newport $\}$ |  | Towcester | 270 |
| Pagnell $\}$ | 660 | Daventry | 360 |
| Leighton Buzzard | 435 | Banbury | 311 |
| Luton | 404 | Brackley | 353 |
| St. Neot's | 308 | Oxford and High Wycomb | 360 |
| Huntingdon | 290 | Whitchurch - | 178 |


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| Kettering | 250 | Stroud and Cirencester | 400 |
| Wellingborough | 430 | Dursley | 304 |
| Witney | 220 | Downend | 450 |
| Chipping Norton | 210 | Gloucester | 245 |
| Portsmouth | 1150 | Cheltenhain | 124 |
| Salisbury | 580 | Weymonth | 280 |
| Shaftesbury | 364 | Bradford (Wilts) | 434 |
| Poole | 347 | Melksham | 360 |
| Isle of Wight | 250 | Shepton Mallet | 700 |
| Southampton | 4.57 | Midsummer Norton | 745 |
| Newbury | 340 | Babcary Mission | 80 |
| Hungerford | $38 \times$ | Haverford-west | 252 |
| Guernsey $\{$ English | 217 | Pembroke | 141 |
| Guernsey $\{$ French | 404 | Carmarthen, English | 113 |
| Jersey \{ English | 125 | Swansea, English | 252 |
| Jersey \{ French | 624 | Merthyr-Tydville, English | 150 |
| Alderney $\{$ English | 24 | Brecon, English | 151 |
| Alderney \{ French | 72 | Monmouth | 314 |
| Plymouth Dock | 1260 | Cardiff, English | 120 |
| Plymouth | 413 | Newport - | 320 |
| Launceston | 438 | Cardiff, Welsh | 320 |
| Stratton Mission | 140 | Swansea, Welsh | 124 |
| Liskeard | 652 | Brecon, Welsh | 175 |
| 'Tavistock | 238 | Merthyr, Welsh | 212 |
| Camelford | 440 | Llandilo | 235 |
| Kingsbridge | 177 | Carmarthen, Welsh | 240 |
| Redruth | 4408 | Cardigan | 129 |
| Truro | 3000 | Lampeter | 330 |
| St. Anstle | 800 | Aberystwyth | 190 |
| Bodmin | 620 | Machynleth | 357 |
| Penzance \& Scilly Islands | 2500 | Dolgelly | 312 |
| Helstone - | 3288 | Carnarvon | 242 |
| Exeter | 630 | Pwllheli - | 200 |
| Taunton | 382 | Holyhead | 200 |
| South Petherton | 298 | Beaumaris | 237 |
| Axminster | 190 | Llanrwst | 320 |
| Barnstaple | 409 | Ruthin and Denbigh | 319 |
| Dunster | 150 | Holywell - | 460 |
| Oakhampton Mission | 60 | Llangollen | 266 |
| Ashburton | 303 | Llanfyllyn | 260 |
| Brixham | 205 | Llanidloes | 231 |
| Bristol | 2040 | Birmingham - | 1380 |
| Kingswood | 383 | West Bromwich | 170 |
| Banwell - | 4.29 | Coleshill Mission | 60 |
| Bath | 650 | Redditch | 350 |
| Frome | 700 | Wednesbury | 1231 |
| Warminster | 220 | W orcester | 630 |


| ( 30 ) |  |  | 1814. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Evesham | 276 | Burnley | 710 |
| Stourport | 496 | Colne, (last year) | 560 |
| Dudley | 1330 | Skipton and Clithero | 700 |
| Wolverhampton | 490 | Grassingto : (last year) | 174 |
| Hinckley | 495 | Addinghe. a | 400 |
| Coventry | 330 | Keighls; (last year) | 900 |
| Shrewsbury | 1158 | Bingley, about - | 613 |
| Ludlow | 296 | Woodhouse Grove | 850 |
| Hereford | 100 | Bradford | 1630 |
| Ledbury | 140 | Huddersfield | 1012 |
| Kington | 282 | Holmfirth | 538 |
| Newtown | 243 | Leeds | 3500 |
| Wrexham | 320 | Ditto Non-Residents | 30 |
| Oswestry Mission | 97 | Bramley | 1170 |
| Chester | 695 | Wakefield | 1012 |
| Macclesfield | 1000 | Birstall | 1670 |
| Buxton | 349 | Dewsbury | 1140 |
| Congleton | 500 | Otley (last year) | 430 |
| Namptwich | 570 | Pateley Bridge | 406 |
| Northwich | 666 | Pontefract | 650 |
| Warrington | 400 | Selby (last year) | 444 |
| Burslem | 970 | Wetherby | 550 |
| Newcastle-under-Lyme | 834 | Sheffield | 2358 |
| Stafford | 265 | Chesterfield | 536 |
| Leek | 770 | Bakewell | 370 |
| Manchester | 2575 | Bradwell | 452 |
| Salford | 1560 | Rotherham | 876 |
| Stockport | 14.20 | Doncaster | 640 |
| New Mills | 683 | Barnsley | 485 |
| Ashton-under-Lyne | 220 | Denby | 380 |
| Oldham - | 730 | Derby | 780 |
| Rochdale | 870 | Belpar | 668 |
| Bacup | 410 | Cromford | 355 |
| Bury | 930 | Retford | 800 |
| Bolton | 1370 | Nottingham | 1400 |
| Blackburn | 600 | Ilkestone | 870 |
| Liverpool | 2660 | Mansfield | 548 |
| Prescott | 260 | Newark | 742 |
| Lancaster | 360 | Grantham | 540 |
| Garstang | 154 | Leicester | 672 |
| Preston | 560 | Melton Mowbray | 436 |
| Wigan, (last year) | 270 | Ashby-de-la-Zouch | 775 |
| Leigh - | 396 | Burton - | 360 |
| Ormskirk | 230 | Uttoxeter | 305 |
| Halifax | 1360 | Loughborough | 730 |
| Sowerby Bridge | 950 | Stamford | 420 |
| Todmorden | 1450 | Lincoln | 980 |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Grimsby | 546 | Newcastle-upon-Tyne | 1150 |
| Market Raisin | 490 | Gateshead | 813 |
| Louth | 908 | Shields | 1700 |
| Horncastle | 720 | Sunderland | 1474 |
| Alford | 400 | Durham | 682 |
| Spilsby | 460 | Alstone | 574 |
| Boston | 390 | Hexham | 360 |
| Spalding | 240 | Alnwick and Berwick | 250 |
| Epworth | 860 | Carlisle | 341 |
| Winterton | 580 | Brampton Mission | 23 |
| Gainsborough | 770 | Whitehaven | 470 |
| York | 1410 | Brough | 243 |
| Hull | 1780 | Penrith | 105 |
| Patrington | 400 | Kendal | 346 |
| Howden | 550 | Ulverstone Mission | 51 |
| Pocklington | 804 | Dumfries | 54 |
| Bridlington | 757 | Douglas | 1300 |
| Driffield | 560 | Ramsay | 1630 |
| Scarborough | 580 | Edinburgh and Dalkeith | h 311 |
| Pickering | 440 | Dunbar, \&cc. - | 65 |
| Malton | 635 | Glasgow, \&c. | 969 |
| Easingwould | 630 | Ayr, \&c. - | 190 |
| Whitby | 608 | Greenock, \&c. | 54 |
| Gisborough, | 660 | Perth, \&c. | 119 |
| Ripon | 594 | Aberdeen, | 340 |
| Thirsk | 700 | Dundee | 70 |
| Darlington | 974 | Arbroath | 100 |
| Barnard-castle | 1250 | Brechin | 128 |
| Middleham | 330 | Banff | 140 |
| Tanfield | 330 | Inverness, (last year) | 27 |
| Richmond | 800 |  |  |
| Total Number of members in Great Britain this year, Ditto ditto last year, |  |  | 173,885 |
|  |  |  | 162,003 |
| Increase in Great Britain, |  | - - | 11,882 |
| The Number of Members in Ireland this year is |  |  | 29,388 |
| Last year it wa | as - |  | 28,770 |
| Increase in Ireland |  | - - | 618 |
| At Bouville, in France, there areAt Gibraltar, |  |  | 14 |
|  |  |  | 65 |
| At Sierra Leone, in Africa, |  | t year's return) | 6 |


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The Methodist Societies in the United States of America, in July, 1813, (the date of the last returns,) including 171,448 Whites, and 42,879 Coloured People and Blacks:-Total

Total Number of members in the Methodist Socicties throughout the world, 436,397
N. B. There are 685 Regular Travelling Preachers now stationed in Great Britain.
56 ditto on our Foreign Missions. 114 ditto in Ireland.
678 ditto in the American Methodist Connexion.

## 1533 Total Number of Travelling Preachers throughout the world; who are not included in the preceding account of the numbers in society.

Q. 12. Who is appointed the President of the next Conference in heland?
A. Walter Griffith ; who, if unavoidably prevented from attending, has authority to nominate a substitute.
Q. 13. Who are the General Committee for guarding our priA vileges during the ensuing year?
A. The President and Secretary of the Conference; all the Preachers appointed for the two London Cireuits; the Superintendants of the Deptford and Brentford Circuits; William Marriott, sen. Esq. Joeeph Butterworth, Esq M. P. Christopher Sundius, Esq. Mr. Rubert Middleton, Mr. Joseph Bulmer, Mr. Launcelot Haslope, Mr. William Jerram, Mr. Thomas Allan, Mr. David Bruce; Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, M.P.; Thomas Holy, Esq. of Sheffield; John Ward, jun. Esq. of Durham; Mr James Ewer, of Bristol ; Mr. Joseph Dutton, of Liverpool; Mr James Murrow, of Liverpool; Mr. Benjamin Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Burton, of Manchester; and William Carne, Esq, of Penzance.
Q. 14. What collections for chapels are allowed to be made during the ensuing year?
A. 1. In the London East, London West, Deptford, Rochester, Dover, and Margate Circuits, for Canterbury chapel.
2. In the London East, London West, and Brentford circuits, fur Brentford chapel.
3. In the Rochester circuit, for Friendsbury chapel.
4. In the Rye, Leighton Buzzard, Luton, St. Neots, and Hurtingdon circuits, for Tunbridge-Wells chapel.

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5. In the Maidstone and Seven Oaks circuits, for Headcorn chapel:
6. In the Colchester and Ipswich circuits, for Little Bentley and Hadley chapels.
7. In the Harwich and Brentford circuits, for Chelmsford chapel.
8. In the Yarmouth, Lowestoff, Diss, New Buckenham, Bungay, and Swaffham circuits, for Basinghall chapel.
9. In the Bury, Norwich, Thetford, Ely, Lynn, Wisbeach, Walsingham, and North Walsham circuits, for Bury St. Edmunds chapel.
10. In the Oxford, Northampton, and Wellingborough circuits, for Towcester chapel.
11. In the Towcester, Whitchurch, Banbury, and Daventry circuits, for Great Marlow chapel.

12 In the Chipping Norton, Witney, Kettering, and Brackley circuits, for Enstone chapel.
13. In the whole of the Oxford district, we recommend that a collection be made at a proper time during the ensuing year, for the Banbury chapel.
14. In the Portsmouth circuit, for the Portsmouth chapel.
15. In the Isle of Wight, and Ponle circuit. for Cowes chapel.
16. In the Shaftesbury, Hungerford, and Southampton circuits, for King's Clair chapel.
17. In the Newbury circuit, for the Newbury chapel.
18. In the whole of the Norman Isles District, for Alderney chapel.
19. In the whole of the Plymouth Dock district, for Launceston chapel.
20. In the whole of the Cornish District, for the Tavistock chapel.
\%1. In the Plymouth and Plymouth Dock Districts, (in private only) for Chard chapel.
22. In the Exeter circuit for Topsham chapel.
23. In the Dunster circuit, for the Dunster chapel.
24. In the Barnstaple circuit, for the Chumleigh chapel.
25. In the whole of the Exeter District, for Brent and Modbury chapels: (the collection to be equally divided between the two chapels.)
26. In the Axminster, Melksham, and Weymouth circuits, for the Honiton chapel.
27. In the Bristol and Bath circuits, for the Westbury chapel. 28. In the Bradford, (Wilts,) and Frome circuits, for the Melksham chapel.
29. In the Gloucester, Downend, Kingswood, and Warminster circuits, for the Stanley chapel.

30 In the Dursley circuit, for the Bridge-gate and Acton chapels: the collection to be equally divided.
31. In the Midsummer Norton, Shepton Mallett, and Stroud circuits, for the Cirencester chapel.
32. Through the whole of the South Wales District, for the Neath chapel.
33. In the Birmingham, Uttoxeter, and Burton circuits, for the Litchfield chapel.
34. In the Red-ditch and Wednesbury circuits, for the Alcester chapel.
35. In the Worcester circuit, for the Droitwich chapel.

36 In the Stourport circuit, for the Frith Common chapel.
37. In the Evesham and Wolverhampton circuits, for the Broadway chapel.
38. In the Hinckley circuit, for the Athertone chapel.
39. In the Coventry circuit, for the Foleshill chapel.
40. In the Kington circuit, for the Kington chapel.
41. In the Wrexham, Shrewsbury, and Kington circuits, for the Whitchurch chapel.
42. In the Ledbury circuit, for the Ledbury chapel.
43. In the Ludlow circuit, for the Cole-Green chapel.
44. In the Macclesfield and Buxton circuits, for the Bollington chapel.
45. In the Stafford and Congleton circuits, for the Stafford chapel.
46. In the Leek and Newcastle-under-Lyme circuits, for the Leek chapel.
47. In the Northwich and Namptwich circuits, for Brereton chapel.
48. In the Burslem and Todmorden circuits, for Norton and Hanley chapels.
49. In the Salford and Manchester circuits, for Davyhulme chapel.
50. In the Manchester circuit, (in private only) for the Bridgewater chapel.
51. In the Stockport circuit, for Bullocksmithy chapel.
52. In the Bolton circuit, for Hooley Hill chapel.
53. In the Blackburn and Preston circuits, for the New Mills chapel.
54. In the Rochdale and Bacup circuits, for Bagslate chapel.
55. In the Liverpool circuit, for Pitt-street chapel.
56. In the Oldham and Prescot circuits, for the Lancester chapel.
57. In the Wigan circuit, for the chapel at Ashton in the Willows.
58. In the Burnley and Haslingdon circuits, for Accrington chapel.
59. In the Woodhouse Grove and Bingley circuits, for the Idle chapel.
60. In the Leeds circuit, for the Leeds new chapel.
61. In the Bramley, Wakefield, Pontefract, Selby, Otley, Pateley Bridge, Wetherby, and Dewsbury circuits, for the Heckmondwike chapel.
62. In the Sheffield circuit, for the Handsworth Woodhouse chapel.
63. In the Retford and Chesterficld circaits, for the Chesterfield chapel.
64. In the Bakewell circuit, for Bakewell, Beeley, and Foolow chapels.
65. In the Bradwell circuit, for the Bradwell chapel.
N. B. A collection is also to be made in Derby and Rotherham circuits, and to be equally distributed to the Bakewell and Bradwell circuits, for the relief of the four chapels last mentioned.
66. In the Belpar circuit, for the Ripley chapel.
67. In the Cromford circuit, for the Ashover chapel.
68. In the Sheffield and Barnsley circuits, for the Barnsley chapel.
69. In the Ashby and Mansfield circuits, for the Arnold and Basford chapels.
70. In the Nottingham, Bury, and Grantham circuits, for the Mansfield chapel.
71. In the Loughborongh circuit, for the Fiskerton chapel.
72. In the Ilkestone circuit, for the Oakham chapel.
73. In the Leicester circuit, for the Ashby chapel.

7t. In the Newark circuit, for the Sheeps-head chapel.
75. In the Stamford and Melton circuits, for the Grantham chapel.
76. In the Lincoln and Grimsby circuits, for the Martin and Clifton chapels.
77. In the Horncastle circuit, for the Wragby chapel.
78. In the Boston and Spalding circuits, for the Holbeach chapel.
79. In the Spilsby circuit, for the Spilsby chapel.
80. In the Epworth circuit, for the Ancotts, Garthord, West Butterwick, and East Butterwick chapels.
81. In the Market-Raisin, Winterton, Louth, and Gainsborough circuits, for the Dunnington chapel.
82. In the Alford circuit, for the Alford chapel.
83. In the York and Pickering circuits, for the Pickering chapel.
84. In the Hull circuit, for the Hull and Hessle chapels.
85. In the Howden and Malton circuits, for the Patrington chapel.
86. In the Pocklington circuit, for the MarketWeighton chapel.
87. In the Bridlington and Easingwold circuits, for the Rudstone chapel.
88. In the Driffield circuit, for the Windsford chapel.
89. In the Whitby circuit, for the Castleton clapel.
90. In the Darlington, Ripon, and Thirsk circuits, for the Stokesley chapel.
91. In the Middleham, Richmond, and Tanfield circuits, for the Askrigg chapel.
92. In the Barnard-Castle circuit, for the Frosterby and Headly-Clough chapels.
93. In the Newcastle circuit, for the Gateshead Fell chapel.
94. In the Durham and Gateshead circuits, for the Usworth chapel.
95. In the Sunderland, Shields, Alnwick, Hexham, and Alsione circuits, for the chapel in Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
96. In the whole of the Carlisle District, for the Maryport chapel.
N. B. It is recommended, that the above-mentioned regular collections for chapels, shall be completed by the end of February, 1815, at the latest.
97. On account of the very peculiar and distressing circumstances of the chapels in Cheltenham, Chester, Glasgow, Paisley, Ayr, Perth, Greenock, Elgin, and Montrose, the Conference is under the necessity of consenting that extraordinary applications may be made for their relief, according to the following plan: viz.

For Cheltenham, in the London, Kent, Norwich, Oxford, Portsmouth, Guernsey, Plymouth, Cornwall, Exeter, Bristol, and South Wales Districts.

For Chester, in the Birmingham, Slirewsbury, Macclesfield, Liverpool, and Manchester Districts.

For the chapels in Scotland: in the Halifax, Leeds, Sheffield, Nottingham, Lincolnshire, York, Whitby, Newcastle, Carlisle, Edinburgh, and Aberdeen Districts.
N. B. These extraordinary applications are to be made only in private, unless the Superintendants of the circuits consent that they shall be made in the public congregations. And the Preachers who may visit the several circuits on this business, shall do it at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Preachers of those Circuits respectively.
Q. 15. What method shall be adopted, in order to raise the necessary pecuniary supplies, for the support of our Missions?
$A$. We strongly recommend the immediate establishment of a Methodist Missionary Society in every District in the kingdom, (in which it has not been already accomplished,) on the general Plan of those Societies which have been formed in Yorkshire and elsewhere during the past year.
N. B. 1. The Thanks of the Conference are given to those of
our Preachers in the Leeds, Halifax, York, Sheffield, Cornwall, and Nerecastle Districts, who have been concerued in the formation of Methodist Missionary Societies; and to all the Members and Friends of the said Societies, for the very liberal and zealous support which they have afforded to us, in this important department of the work of God.
2. Mr. James Wond is appointed the General Treasurer for all our Missions, during the ensuing year: and all remittances whatsoever, on account of our Missionary Fund, are to be sent to him, at the Chapel-House, City-Road, London.
3. Mr. Ebmondson and Mr. Buckley are appointed to act as Joint-Secretaries to our General Missionary Committee in London, for the ensuing year.
Q. 16. What further directions shall be given respecting our Missionary affairs?
A. 1. Our Missionaries in Newfoundland shall be instructed to pay particular attention to St. John's.
2. Three Missionaries, in addition to the two already there, shall be sent to Newfoundland, two to Demerara, one to Montreal, and two to New South Wales.
Q. 17. What Regulations are necessary, respecting our Schools at Kingswood and Woodhouse-Grove?
A. 1. The Plan of Classical Education, originally drawn up by Mr. Wesley, for the use of Kingswood School, shall be forthwith revived and adopted in that School.
2. There shall be a General Vacation, at both the Schools, for one month in every year; and this Vacation shall take place in the last week in April, and the three first weeks in May.
3. The Annual Public Collection for the Schools, and for the Education of the Preachers' Children, generally, shall be made, as usual, in the month of October. But previously to the Public Collection, the Preachers shall apply, in private, to those of our Members, Hearers, and Friends, who lave already given in their names as Anmual Sulscribers, or who are likely to become such. The names of the Subscribers are to be published: and the Conference requires, that all proper endeavours shall be used by the Preachers, in every Circuit, without exception, to procure Private Subscriptions; without which the Public Collections will be very insufficient, in the present extended state of our Connexion.
4. The Committee for Kingszood School, for the ensuing year, are, John Barber, John Pipe, John Davies, sen. Jeremiah Brettell, John Sinich, sen. Robert Johnson, (Treasurer and Secretary,) samuel Taylor, and Thomas Roberts; with Messrs. James Ewer, James Davis, and John Hall, of Bristol.
5. The Committee for Woodhouse-Grove, for the ensuing year, are, Charles Atmore, Joln Stamp, William Radeliffe, Thornas

Stanley, (Treasurer,) Thomas Hill, Richard Reece, (Secrctary,) John Nelson, John Braithwaite, John Brownell, Walter Griffith, Jabez Bunting, Francis Wrigley, Robert Newton, George Highfield, and Thomas Bartholomew: with Messrs. Fawcett, of Bradford; B. Sadler, of Leeds; John Ashworth, of Halifax ; Holdsworth, of Wakefield; John Sutcliffe, of Sowerby Bridge; and Child, of Greengates.

Miscellaneous Orders and Resolutions of the Conference.

1. Resolved, That a dutiful Address shall be presented to his Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on behalf of this Conference; assuring him of our loyal and affectionate attachment to the person, family, and government of our venerable Sovereign; expressing our gratitude for our own religious Privileges, and the restoration of Peace to the nations of Europe; and earnestly intreating that his Royal Highness will be pleased to use his utmost endeavours in order to prevent the threatened revival of the African Slave-Trade, and to secure the immediate and universal abolition of that most inhuman and unchristian Traffic.
2. The Preachers are permitted to receive the usual and regular Allowances for their Children, from their Circuits, or from the Contingent Fund, until they attain the age of twenty years; unless, by marriage or otherwise, they shall at an early period become independent of their Parents in point of pecuniary support.
Q. 18. When and where shall our next Conference be held ?
A. At Manchesten, on the last Monday in July, 1815.

Signed on behalf and by order of the Conference, ADAM CLARKE, President. JABEZ BCNTING, Secretary.
Bristol, August 10, 1814.
N. B. 1. The Stationing Committee are to assemble at nine o'clock in the morning of the Monday before the commencement of the next Conference; and Messrs. Waddy, Marsden, Barker, and Barithwaite, are to meet at the same time, to audit and prepare the Accompts.
2. All Letters written to the President, in the course of the year, must be addressed to Dr. Adam Clarke, 2, HarpurStreet, London; and must be sent Post-paid.

## ADDRESSES.

The Address of the Irish Conference to the Britisia Conference.

## Dear Fathers and Brethren,

YOUR affectionate Address we have received, not as a matter of ceremonious usage, but as a returning assurance of that fel-
lowship which we have with you; and truly our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son, Jesus Christ. Joyful are we to feel that in all hings we are united in our common Head; sharing the same consolations of the Holy Ghost; feeling the same unfeigned zeal for the advance ment of the Kingdom of Christ ; and assured of the same hope of eternal life, unto which we are called.

We truly sympathize with you in the removal of so mony of your vencrable ministers from the church militant;-two have this year also taken their flight to God from amongst ourselves,-men of piety and zeal, and whose praise is in all the chunches. But while these veterans in the Lord's Hosts have been called from the scene of watfare to the reward of glory and eternal peace, we should be stinulated with an holy vigonr, and should awake to all those energies necessary to fill up the broken lines; and, with a similar fidelity and hardiness, encourage ene another to strive for the hope of the gospel.

It affords us no small pleasure that our feeble attempts to render ministorial ervices amongst us more useful and acceptable have not been di conntenanced, but rather encouraged by your approval; and that similar excrtions are likely to succeed towards the same ends, on your side of the water. For, however confident we may be, that without God nothing is holy-nothing is wise-nothing is strong; we are also persuaded, that when the necessary means of ministerial usefulness, both as to the matter and manner of preaching, are neglected, (where the opportunity of improvement is within our reach,) the Divine blessing cannot be expected; but, on the centrary, it will be prevented, in as much as negligence prevents the acquirement of knowledge, and enthusiastical presumption prevents the genuine inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

We have to deplore with you also the serious embarrassment of our pecunary affairs, which annually and unavoidably increases. The Methodists of Ireland are generally a poor people, and, as you justly observe, "The itinerant plan is an expensive one:" yet when we consider, that without the smallest aid of patronage or support from thosesources which have poured wealth into other clurches, we have been so graciously assisted in our good work, we are encouraged still to repose upon the fullness and sufficiency of Him, whose are all things, and to the abounding of whose love in the hearts of his people we have never unavailingly appealed.

We have heard, with joy, of your prosperity—of the success of the coepl-and of the extraordinary out-pouring of God's Spirit upon you, especially in the West of England. O beloved! highly tavoured of the Lord! Yes, Britain has had her penticostal visitations! From her has gone forth, (as from Judea in the former days.) the sure worl of prophecy; in her bosom was fist kindlod (iil these latter times) the ardent fire of Missionary
zeal: and as much distinguished by her pacifying policy, as by her love of the gospel. White she has conquered Peace, she has shed the glorious light of the Scriptures on all the nations of the earth!

With an holy gratitude we hail the return of Peace to the nations of Europe; and adore that awful Providence, which, after desolating the nations, has brought down the mighty from their thrones, and latghed to scorn the counsels of wicked men. This is the Lord's doings, and it is marvellous in our eyes !-It is our ardent prayer, in this auspicious moment, when Peace has resumed her seat in her sacred temple, and the sword is turned into a plough-share, and the spear into a pruning-hook, that benign peace and love may wore generally be felt amongst professing Chrstians; and that, by a cordial endeavour to keep the unity of the spirit in the bond of peace, we may " by love serve one another."

Feeling as we ought our abhorrence of the probahle continuance of that nefarious traffic in human blood-the Nlave Trade, we have, as a religious body of Ministers, humbly presented our Petition to both Houses of Parliament, thet his Mijesty's Ministers may be directed to use their utmost influence at the approaching Congress, for its instant and total abolition. In this, we believe, we speak the language of humanity, of religion, and of God.

In our religious relation to society, notwithstanding the political contentions excited in this country, and the daring outrages which have of late been frequeut and alarming, we have had no cause to fear-we have had no interruption of our meetings, nor obstruction of our active and vigorous itinerancy. Under a mild and libcral administration we have had peace in all our borders; and by a prompt and constant obedience to the laws of the Empire, our Society stands in the front of public confidence.

At our Conference, last year, a most cordial feeling of interest in the success of the British and Foreign Bible Society was operative: and, in order to further the important and benevolent views of that Institution, it was directed that a Public Collection should be made in each Circuit, in aid of its funds. We regret that in this we have not been as successful as the magnitude of the objects demands; but we have given our mite, and what is more than silver and gold, viz. many prayers to the "Father of Lights," that he would send forth his Truth as the morning, and his Righteonsness as the sun at noon day; "That the Gentiles may come to his light, and Kings to the brightness of his rising."

The state of our Missions will be laid before your Committee; and we bless the gracious Lord, that while this good work goes forward prosperously, we have, by great exertions, been nearly enabled to cover the expense of the last year.

We deeply and sincerely regret, that our venerated friend and brother, Dr. Clarke, did not find it convenient to attend our Conference: being, as we understand, so engaged as not to admit of his meeting ether your appointment, or our most affectionate wishes. We have, however, endeavoured, by looking to God in whom is our sufficiency, to supply that lack of service; and we have voted our beloved and reverend Brother, Adam Averell, into the chair; and feel it our duty to express our warmest approbation of the manner and spirit in which he discharged the office of President. Our case this Conference we consider as an extraordinary one, and wholly unprovided for: we theretore entreat you to make such provision as may in future prevent the recurrence of a similar inconvenience. The office of President amongst us next year, we trust you will fill as your best judgment shall detarmine. For the present we do not feel disposed to direct the man of your choice, but request that some one of your Body may be appointed.

We send, as our representative, our much-loved and highlyrespected Brother, Samuel Wood: and are always glad to recognize, in these interchanges of affection and confidence, that we are followers together of Christ Jesus.

We devoutly pray, that the riches of the grace and of the knowledge of Grod may abound in you-that in all things you may be approved by him who is Judge of all—and that we all may be glorified torether in the day of his coming.

Signed by Order, and on Behalf of the Conference, WILLIAM STEWART, Secretary.
Dublin, July 12, 1814.
The Answer of the British Conference to the Irish Addiess. Belowed and respected Brelhren,
YOUR Adlress, delivered to us by our respected Brother, Mr. Samuel Wood, has been read in full Conference; and we rejoice to learn from it, that the Great Lord of the Harvest continues to crown your labours with success. In common with you, we feel a union of heart with all the true ministers of Christ, but especially with those who inaintain the scriptural doctrines so ably explained by our late venerable Founder, and who support that excellent discipline which the test of seventy years has proved to be adnirably calculated to promote the genuine piety. Oher revivals of religion, in different ages of the Church, have rarely survived a generation; but that which had its rise at Oxford about the year 1729, continues to the present time in all its primitive vigour. This circumstance may be adduced in proof of the soundness of the doctrines and excellence of the discipline
maintained in our Connexion. For had not the preachers who preceded us continued to "hold fast the form of sound words," they would not have been instrumental in turning sinners from darkness to light ; and had they not exercised christian discipline, however ably they might have preached the grand doctrines of the Gopel, they would have witncssed little or no abiding fruit of their labours. But they were men of God, who took heed to themselves, and to all the flock over which the Holy Ghost had made them oversecrs : hence the hand of the Lord was with them, and many were brought to God, and built up in faith and love by their instrumentality. Our continued prosperity, as a religious body, evinces that we have not deviated, either in doctrine or discipline, from the scriptural path which they pointed out to us, by precept and example. With those eminent servants of the living God, who have gone to their great reward, several of us were personally acquainted; we still revere their memory, and earnestly desire to imitate their bright example, by devoting ourselves entirely to God, and by a faithful discharge of every ninisterial duty.

Nor are we without hope, that not only the present, but every succeeding race of Preachers in our Connexion, will, by exemplary holiness of life, and a faithful discharge of the duties of their high and holy calling, adorn their sacred profession. This hope, under God, we found upon the great care and caution used in the admission of Preachers upon trial or into full connexion; and the strict examination in point of doctrines, morals, and discipline, which every Preacher's character aunually undergoes in his respective District Meeting and in the Conference.

The following are chiefly the doctrines to which their unequivocal assent is demanded:-A Trinity of Persons in the Unity of the Godhead; the total depravity of all men by nature, in consequence of Adam's fall ; the atonement made by Christ for the sims of all the human race; justification by faith; the absolute necessity of holiness both in heart and life; the direct witness of the Spirit; and the proper eternity of future rewards and punishments. These, and the doctrines connected with them, you well know, form the system of our divinity. Nor is the examination of our Preachers on the subject of morals, in which we include tempers, words, and actions, less faithful; and it is well known, that a neglect of discipline would subject to censure any of our Preachers, however respectable for years, piety, and talents, Add to all this, that no man is so much as admitted upon trial among us, withont giving all the evidence that the nature of the subject will admit, that he enjoys a sense of his acceptance with God, and is going on to perfection.

But as suitable abilities, in addition to godliness and orthodoxy, are essential requisites for the work of the ministry, we neither
admit nor continue among us men, who, by neglecting to improve their minds, evidence their unfitness for the blessed work of feeding the Lord's people with knowledge and understanding. The advantages which our Preachers now possess for mental improvement are numerous; and we are happy to observe that in general they so avail themselves of those advantages, as to become workmen that need not to be ashamed.

The late glorious revival of the work of God in the West of England, excites our warmest gratitude to Him, who at his pleasure affords extraordinary times of refreshing from his presence. Such times you have been repeatedly favoured with in Ireland; and we trust that they will become general throughout the whole of our Connexion.

The zeal and liberality of our people, during the past year, in behalf of our Missions, have been unprecedented; and we have considerably increased the number of our Missionaries. Your great exertions in support of the same holy Cause, and of the work of God at large, merit our decided approbation.

We hail with you the return of peace, after a long-protracted and most sanguinary war; and we feel unfeigned gratitude to Him, who rules in the kingdoms of men, for employing the British government, under which we enjoy so much civil and religious liberty, as the principal instrument of restoring tranquillity to Europe.

We have appointed our highly respected Brother, Mr. Walter Griffith, the late President of our Conference, to preside at your next Conference; and we doubt not that our common Lord will make his visit a blessing, not only to your Conference, but to thousands, who shall in your metropolis, sit under his ministry. Signed in Behalf of the Conference,

Kingswood and Woodhouse-grove Schools.

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To Balance from the Conference, $1813,15689 \frac{1}{2}$
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Moore for the education of two Boys, 2000
To Ditto from Mr. $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Womersley } & 12 & 0 & 7\end{array}$
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field - $\quad 5 \quad 0 \quad 0$
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Board for the
Preachers, paid by the Woodhouse-
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To Cash from Mr. Hopkins,
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W. Marriott, Esq.

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Cheese $1916 \quad 2$
Groceries $\quad 6011 \quad 4 \frac{1}{2}$
Malt and Hops $\quad 4118 \quad 7$
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Wine - 188
Hats, Caps, andHose 35610
Woollen Cloth, mak-
ing and mending $11912 \quad 6$
Linen ditto, ditto $\quad 73 \quad 36 \frac{1}{2}$
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Kingswood and Woodhouse-grove Schools.

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Margate
Mr. Thomas Rowe
Francis Cobb
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J. Robison

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Mr. Tucker
J. Friend

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Mr. Wm. Bowra
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Mr. Bennet
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Wiley
North-Walsham


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Medicines $\quad 7 \quad 3 \quad 7 \frac{1}{2}$
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returned $\quad 1400$
Melksham ditto $510 \quad 0$
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John Keed, sen.
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Mr. Cole
Wellingborough
Witney
Chipping-Norton
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MANCHESTER, July 31, 1815.
Q. 1. WHAT Preachers are admitted into full connexion this year?
A. Robert Wood, Archibald M•Laughlin, John Bell, Samuel Blackburn, William B. Fox, James Bromley, Joseph Hutton, Joseph Bodycoat, Abralam Watmough, Thomas Heyes, John Hobson, Joseph Brougham, Richard Shepherd, Armand de Kerpezdron, John Slater, Ralph Scurrah, William Stokes, John Sumner, Matthew Day, Morgan Griffiths, Robert Owen, Joseph Lewis, John Mason, jun. Charles Hulme, Isaac Keeling, Jonathan Turner, Thomas Walker, William Lord, Peter Prescott, Joseph Fowler, Robert Emmett, Hugh Beech, Thomas Hall, John Ingham, Joseph Hunt, William Waterhonse, Isaac Aldom, Robert Pickering, John Scott, Barnabas Shaw, Samuel Wiide, Samuel Kellett, Joseph Deakin, William Asl, John Heap, Abraham Crabtree, Robert Nicholson, William Jackson, Luke Heywood, William Wilson, John Raby, Thomas Blackburn, Joseph Walker. In Ireland-Edward Cobain, Robert Cranston. Q.2. Who remain on trial?

Benjamin Hilcy,* Henry Olver, William Arnett, Robert Hayes, John Bicknell, William Levell, John Anderson, William Bacon, Thomas Moxon, Ebenczer Slewart, William Mowatt, Joseph Dunning, James Jones, jun. Jamcs Brooke, William Smith, Seth Morris, Oliver Henwood, Charles Hawthorn, Robert Garner, George Birley, James Dixon, Joseph Whitehead, Robert Bentham, James Mortimer, Daniel Jackson, jun. Thomas Stead, William Taylor, Robert Harrison, jun. William H. L. Eden, James Fowler, Joseph Mattison, Thomas Eastwood, Henry Ransar, Partes Haswell, George Mainwaring, Jonathan Porter, George Clarke, William Shackleton, Joseph Burgess, jun. John Gaskill, Thonas Bridgman, James Smetham, Thomas Ballinghall, James Miller, Samuel Leigh, Thomas Squance, Abraham Whitehcuse, Sampson Busby, Thomas Hurst. In IielandRobert Masaroon, John Campbell.

The above have travelled three years.
James Shoar, John Fordred, Thomas Armett, William Sharp, Gcorge Cubit, Edward B. Lloyd, Richard Eland, Johı Stevens, 'Thomas Savage, Henry Powis, John Piggott, John Weville,

[^2]Paul Orchard, James Ash, Samuel Crumpton, Joseph Thomas,
William Edwards, John Overton, John Robinson, John Bowers, Thomas Harris, Joseph E. Beaumont, Thomas Rowland, Christopher Newton, James Rosser, Richard Ellidge, John Dredge, Robert Ramm, George Barker, Thomas Heamer, Robert Morton, John Smith, 3d. Richard Leap, Thomas Barritt, John Morris, Richard Williams, Jonathin Raynar, Benjamin Clough, John Strong, John D. Allen, Richard Armstrong, William Lill, Jeremiah Boothby, William Vevers. In Ireland-William Pollock, John M‘Kenny.

The above have travelled two years.
Samuel Robinson, William Blundell, Ambrose Freeman, Benjamin Andrews, William Constable, Rovert Bryant, Thomas Osborne, George Taylor, Daniel Walton, Janes Sherriff, Thomas Eckersley, William Burgess, Benjamin Carvosso, Thomas Staton, Henry Pope, John Mannah, James Baker, Richard Bonner, James Methley, Richard Cooper, David Cornforth, Joseph Roberts, John Walsh, John Wilson, David Stoner, John Jackson, Joseph Rayner, George Tindale, James Beckwith, James Jarratt, Richard Greenwood, Juhn Mortier, John Burgar, John Lewis, sen. Joseph Ward, John Pickavant, Moses Rayner, William Westerman.

The above have travelled one year.
Q. 3. Who are now admitted on trial?
A. Richard Tabraham, William Annetts, William Ratcliffe, William Langridge, William Shrewsbury, John Brown, jun. Robert Newstead, William Beacoek, Roger Moore, Daniel Osborne, John Callaway, Thomas Chamberlaine, Elias Thomas, Robert Sherwell, Michael Head, John de Putron, Thomas Webb, Joseph Pratton, Benjamin Pearce, John Adams, Edmund Shaw, John Crowe, Thomas Moss, Thomas Hickson, James Hickson, William Ball, Matthew Gibbon, Joln Hague, Thomas Heywood, Sannuel Broadbent, Elijh Jackson, John Harland, Robert Carver, Thomas Atkinson, John Bechem, John Nowell, Thomas Robinson, Ralph Gibson, Thomas L. Hodg oon, Hodgson Casson, John Mc Owan, Alexander Strachan, John Hick, John Greaves, William White, George Orth, John Horner, Daniel Hillier, Thomas Heywood, Euoch Broster. In Ireland-John Jebbs, William Richey, Joseph Egerton, James Horne, Joln Hill, William M•Kee.
Q.4. What Preachers have died during the past year?
A. 1. We have this year to record the departure of Тномas Coke, LL. D. who died on his voyage with six Missionaries for Ceylon, and other parts of the East, on May 3, 1814. On the first day of that month he was indisposed; but not so as to excite apprehension of danger. On the following day he was able to take the air on deck. After he retired in the evening, he, as
usual, pressed the hand of the Missionary who attended him, and prayed the Lord to bless him. But when his apartneent was entered on the following morning, it was found that his spirit had escaped to the mansions of light. His remains were committed to the great deep in S. Lat. 2 deg. 29 min . E. Long. 59 deg. 29 min. until the grave and the sea shall give up their dead.

Dr. Coke was a Gentleman-Commoner of Jesus College, Oxford, where he took the degree of Doctor of Laws. He became acquainted with the writings of the late Rev. J. Fietcher, (which were instrumental in leading him to a saving knowledge of the gospel,) and with the Rev. J. Wesley and his Societies. From 1786, Dr. Coke had the principal direction of our Missions, and to this glorious cause he entirely yielded up all his time, strength, and talents. It has bcen truly stated, that for many years he "stooped to the very drudgery of charity, and gratuitously pleaded the cause of a perishing world from door to door." Under his influence, Missions were established in almost every English island of the West Indies. The flame of his Missionary zeal burst forth on British America. Methodist Societies were formed by him, or under his superintendance, in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the islands on the Eastern coast of the American Continent, and subsequently in the Bahamas and Beimuda; and to the coast of Africa also, he directed his zealous efforts.

Dr. Coke was characterised principally by his simplicity and fervonr of spirit. His ministry was generally acceptable, and his labours in promoting the great canse of religion, were highly estimated by all who knew their beneficial importance. A Life of this eminent man is preparing for the press.
2. John Davis, a native of London, who was employed as a Missionary in the West Indies. His piety was eminent : he lived in the spirit of lis Christian profession, and in that spirit he died. His talents as a Minister were respectable, and his labours were generally approved. The early close of a life and ninistry, which were equally devout and useful, is deeply lamented by those who knew him; and his reward is with the Lord.
3. Wilham Saunders, who on the lith of April, 1815, and in the 70th year of his age, was called to his great reward. He became an Itinerant Preacher in the year 1777, and continucd bis labours with general acceptance, until the year : 800 , when, in consequence of the increasing infirmitios of age, he was under the necessity of retiring. He continned, however, to preach occasionally, until he entered into his Mater's jog.
4. Isase: Beow, a native of Hawkesworth, near Otley, who was a faithful labourer in our Lord's vineyard for the space of 43 years. He begat his itinerant career in the yar 1rio, and in 15ns was forced by increasing infirmities to deaist. He settled
in Pontefract, where he preached occasionally, and as his strength would allow. He was well known and greatly beloved by our venerable father, Mr. John Wesley; who, when he had occasion to mention him, used to say, "Honest Isaac Brown." A chilc-like innocency appeared in his spirit, and his whole deportment was such as becometh the Gospel of Christ. He laboured hard and long, and his work is with the Lord, who did not suffer him to spend his strength for nought. His death was a true comment on those words of the Psalmist, "Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright ; for the end of that man is peace."
5. Josfrf Drake. He commenced his itinerant labours in the year 1794. His pitty was genuine, and his ministerial talents acceptable. The Church of God has been deprived of the services of this excellent man at an unexpected moment. He came to this Conference, apparently in good health: on Friday, the 11th of Augnst, he felt himself indisposed, returned the next day to Blackburn, and expired happy in God on the Wednesday following, in the 63 d year of his age, and the 21st of his Itinerancy.
Q.5. Are there any objections to any of our Brethren?
$A$. They were examined one by one.
Q. 6. Who have desisted from travelling?
A. 1. John W. Green; and in Ireland, James M‘Quigge.
2. Charles Burton, Thomas Jackson, jun. William Catton, John Rutledge, John Milne, and John Jones; who have voluntarily left the Work.
3. Peter Le Sueur; who had been employed as a French Missionary, but has sent in his resignation.
4. F. C. Reed, Peter White, and Richard Martin; who retire for want of health.
Q. 7. How are our Preachers stationed this year?
A. As follows: viz.

GREAT BRITAIN.
I. THE LONDON DIS'IRICT.

1 London East, James Wood, Samuel Bradburn, John Gaulter, Thomas Wood, James Buckley; David Jones, sen. Welsh Preacher: Thomas Vasey, sen.; Joseph Benson, Editor; James M•Donald, Assistant Editor; Thomas Blanshard, Book-Steward; James Creighton, Richard Rodda, George Story, Supernumeraries.
2 London West, Joseph Entwisle, Jonathan Edmondson, Jabez Bunting, James Needham; William Jenkins, Supernumerary.

3 Deptford, Joseph Sutcliffe, Edward Gibbon, Frederic Calder; William Palner, Supernumerary.
4. Brentford, John Knowles, John Scott, John Anderson.
5 Hindsor, Thomas Robinson, who is to change with the Brentford Preachers under the direction of the Superintendant.
6 High Wycomb, Henry Anderson, William Wilson; William Holmes, Supernumerary.

- Leith. Tssex, Philip Rawlins.
\& Cheimsford, James Anderson, Thomas Thompson.
9 Colchester, Joseph Griffith, Samuel Blackburn.
10 Manningtree, John Griffin, William Sharp, James Jarrat.
11 Ipswich, John Bustard, Willian Ash, Samuel Robinson.
12 Huntingdon, James Gartrell, Matthew Mallinson, Thomas Armett.
13 St. Neots, Josiah H. Walker, James Golding.
14 Bigeleswade, Issac Bradnack, John Crowe, John Brown, jun.
1.5 Redford, John Dean, John Cullen.

16 Nerport-Pagnell, John H. Rowe; George Rowe.
17 Ampthill, Hugh Ransom, Jolm Hague.
18 Leighton-Buzzard, Caleb Simmons, Jolna Bell.
19 Luton, Philip Jameson, William Hinson, Mark Dawes, James Shoar.
20 Reading, Robert Mack, Henry Pope.
21 Chichester, William Ratcliffe.
22 Brighthelmstone, John Newton, George Cubit, Joseph Whitehead.
N. B. The two single Preachers are to change between the Brighton and the Eastbourne side of the Circuit, under the direction of the Superiutendant.

> Jomi's Wood, Chairman of the District.
II. The canterbury district.

23 Rochester, William Myles, Samuel Woolmer, William Sutcliffe.
N. B. Brother Sutcliffe is to reside at Sheerness.
21. Canterbury, Rubert Wheeler, John Brown, sen. Thomas Ludlam.
75 Mascet, Samnel Kittle, Jonathan Williams; Benjamin Rhodes, Supernumerary.
$\therefore$ Dower, Jonathan Roberts, John Allen Lomas, William Appleton.
2 Ryc, Joseph Cusworth, George Sykes, sen. Richard Tabraham.
25 Staplecross, Joseph Wilson, James Baker. is dilford, Joseph Walker.

58 Kettering; William Towers, John Jackson.
59 Market-Harborongh, William Breedon, Daniel Walton.
Richard Gower, Chairman of the District.
v. the pontsmouth district.
60 Portsmouth, Robert Smith, James Gill, Thomas Rogers, James Brooke.
N. B. The single Preacher is to reside at Fareham.
61 Salisbury, George Gellard, Thomas Newton.
62 Shaftsbury, Mark Daniel, Richard Shepherd, Elias Thomas.
63 Poole, James Bumstead, William Jewett.
64 The Isle of Wight, Francis B. Potts, Benjamin Hiley, Edw. Lloyd.
N. B. Brother Lloyd is to reside at Ryde.
65 Southampton, James Etchels, John Coates, John Radford.
66 Newhury, John Aikenhead, Henry Powis.
67 Hungerford, Witliam Fowler, John Piggot, Thomas Webb. Swoindon, Thomas Eekersley.
N. B. Brother Eekersley is to change with the other single Preachers of the Hungerford Circuit, under the direction of the Superintendant. Robert Smith, Chairman of the District. vi. the guernsey district.
68 Guernscy, Alderney, and Sark, William Toase, William Fish, John Willis, Henry Mahy; Richard Robarts, Supernumerary.
69 Jerary, John De Quetville, Benj. Frankland, Nicholas Mauger, Armand De Kerpezdron; Amice Olivier, Robert James, Supernumeraries. William Toase, Chairman of the District.

> N. B. Brother Toase is appointed to act as General Superintendant of both Circuits, and of all the Societies, French as well as Englisl.
vil. the plymouth-dock district.
70 Plymouth-Dock, Francis Derry, Joshua Marsden; Thomas Warren, Supernumerary.
71 Plymonth, Joseph Burgess, William Burgess.
72 Launceston, William Baker, William Sleep.
73 Stratton, George Banwell.
$7 \pm$ Liskeard, William Jenkin, Benjamin Carvosso, Thomas Chamberlain.
75 Taristoch, James Jones, sen. Thomas Staton.

76 Camelford, Francis Truscott, Oliver Henwood.
77 Kingsbridge, Edward Chapman, Robert Sherwell.
Francis Truscott, Chairman of the District.

## viil. the cornwall district.

78 Redruth, Richard Treffry, Jolin Bryant, Thomas Bersey, William Stokes.
79 Truro, James Heaton, Charles Haime, Joseph Sanders.
80 St. Austle, Joseph Marsh, John Worden, John Adams.
81 Bodmin, James Odgers, Thomas Dodd, Sulomon Whitworth.
82 Pcnzance, Anthony Seckerson, Josiah Hill, Charles Colwell, John Sumner.
83 Scilly Islands, Joseph Dunning; William Trampleasure, Supernumerary.
84 LIelstone, George Russell, Nicholas Sibley, John Slater, Ralph Scurrah.
Richard Treffy, Chairman of the District. ix. the exeter district.

S5 Exetcr, George Dermott, William Pearson, sen.
86 Tiverton, Michael Cousin, James Sheriff.
87 Taunton, John Woodrow, William Sleigh, Joseph Lysk.
88 South Petherton, John Wright, Charles Hawthorn.
89 Axminster, James Akerman, James Ash, John Weville.
N. B. The two single Preachers are to change on the Honiton side of the Circuit, under the direction of the Superintendant.
90 Barnstaple, William Worth, John Harris, Henry Olver.
91 Dunster, James Alexander, Daniel Osborne.
92 Stickleputh, James Lancaster.
93 Ashburton, James Evans, Paul Orchard.
94 Brixham, Francis Wrigley, Edmund Shaw. John Woodrow, Chairman of the District.
$x$. the bristol histrict.
95 Bristol, John Barber, Joseph Taylor, jun. William Martin, John Rigg; Jeremiah Brettell, George Mowatt, Jonas Jaggar, Supernumeraries.
96 Kingsiwood, John Smith, sen. Robert Johnson, Governor of Kingswood School.
97 Banzell, George Deverell, JohnWheelhouse ; James Jay, Supernumerary.
98 Bath, Samuel Taylor; Thomas Roberts, John Watson, Supernumeraries.
N. B. Brother Taylor is to change with the Bristol Preachers one Sunday in three weeks.
99 Frome, John Riles, Thomas C. Rushforth: George Shadford, Supernumerary.
Batcombe, Isaac Aldom.
100 Warminster, Alexander Weir, who is to change with the single Preacher at Frome one Sunday in every month.
101 Stroud and Cirencester, Francis Collier, Richard Moody, Thomas Heyes.
102 Dursley, David Deakins, Samuel Webb, James Methley. 103 Dowenend, John Wood, John Appleyard.
104 Gloucester, Daniel Campbell, Mathew Day.
105 Cheltenkam, James M‘Byron, Samuel Lear.
106 Weymouth, Geoige Button, Joshua Fielden.
107 Bradford, Wilts, William Shelmerdine, Joseph Prosser.
108 Melksham, Charles Greenley, Henry Cheverton.
109 Shepton-Mallet, Joseph Bowes, William Radford, William Ashman, Supernumerary.
110 Midsummer-Norton, William Horner, Isaac Phenix.
111 Glastonbury, William Kaye.
The President, John Barber, Chairman of the District.
xi. the south wales district.
112 Haverfordxest, William Hayman, Seth Morris.
11: Pembroke, Richard Wintle, Robert Garner.
114 Carmarthen, William E. Miller: Joseph Cole, Supernumerary: Welsh, Hugh Hughes, John Williams, jun.
115 Sroansea, Thomas Ashton, Joseph Rayner: Welsh, Owen Rees.
116 Merthyr-Tydville, William Woodall: Welsh, Edward Anwy!, Lot Hughes.
117 Brecon, George Birley, James Dixon: Welsh, Robert Jones, sen. William Davies, jun.
118 Monmouth, William Brocklehurst, William Edwards.
119 Cardiff; English and Welsh, John Hughes, John Rogers.
120 Cowbridge-Wctsh: Griffih Hughes, Evan Parry.
121 Necoport, Simon Day, John Overton.
Simon Day, Chairman of the District.
XII. THI NORTH WALES DISTRICT.
122 Llandilo, John Jones, sen. Morgan Griffith.
123 Cardigan, John Davies, Owen Thomas.
124 Aberystwith, Edward Jones, 3d. Lewis Jones, Robert Owen.
125 Machynleth, Robert Roberts, Owen Jones.
126 Dolgelly, Robert Humphreys, David Evans.
127 Pwilhelli, 'Thomas Thomas, John Jones, jun.
128 Caernarvon, Evan Hughes, David Rogers.

129 Holyhead, William Jones, John Williams, sen.
130 Beaumaris, Williann Evans, Robert Jones, jun.
131 Llanrwest, William Hughes, Griffith Owen
132 Denbigh and Ruthin, Owen Davies, Samuel Davies, David Jones, jun.
133 Holywell, Edward Jones, 4th. David Williams.
184 Llangolien, William Batten, Humphrey Jones.
135 Llanfyllyn, Maurice Jones, Richard Bonner.
136 Llanidlos, Hugh Carter, Evan Edwards.
Owen Davies, Chairman of the District.
xiff. the birmingham district.
137 Birmingham, George Morley, Joseph Collier, Lewis Andrews.
138 West Bromwich, Thomas Mollard, who is to change with the Preachers of the Birmingham Circuit.
139 Coleshill, John Rernolds, jun.
140 Redditch, Willian Harrison, jun. Benjamin Andrews.
141 Wednesbury, Jonathan Crowther, William Rennison, John Thompson.
142 Worcester, William Henshaw, John W. Cloake.
N. B. The second Preacher is to reside at Bromsgrove.
143 Evesham, Edward Millward, James Allen.
144 Stourport, John Townsend, William Gilgrass, Joseph Thomas.
145 Dudley, Richard Waddy, John Hodgson, Samuel Sugden.
146 Wolverhampton, John Walton, John Mason, jun.
147 Hinckley, William Harrison, sen. James Hyde.
148 Coventry, Thomas Dowty, Charles Hulme.

> George Morley, Chairman of the Distrist.
XIV. THE SHREWSBURY DISTRICT.

149 Shrewsbury, John Davis, Samuel Crumpton.
150 Broseley, John Hodson, Richard Cooper.
151 Ludlow, William Timperley, Wuliam Annetts.
152 Hereford and Ledbury, Joseph Armstrong, Abraham Watmough, David Cornforth, William Ball.
153 Kington, John Squarebridge, John Rohinson.
154 Newitoren, Thomas Twiddy, Thomas Heywood,
155 Wrexham, James Fussel.
156 Whitchurch, Humphrey Parsons.
157 Oswestry, Joseph Pretty; James Scholefield, Supernum. John Hodson, Chairman of the District.
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## NV. The macclesfield district.

158 Macclesfield, Jonathan Barker, John James, John Bowers.
159 Buxton, Samuel Jackson, Isaac Keeling.
160 Conglcton, Cuthbert Whiteside, Joseph Lewis; George Lowe, Supernumerary.
161 Namptzeich, John Simpson, sen. Thomas Harris.
162 Northroich, Joseph Meek, William Jones.
163 Burslem, William Aver, James Blackett.
164 Newcastle-under-Lyme, Joseph Brookhouse, Richard Smetham, Robert Bentham.
165 Stufford, Luke Barlow, William H. L. Eden.
$16 i$ Leel, John Draper, William Arnett: John Wilshaw, Supernumerary.
Jonathan Barker, Chairman of the District.
XVI. TRE LIVERPOOI DISTRICT.
ifit Liverpool, Henry Moore, Thomas Cooper, John Pipe, Edward Hare ; Edward Jones, Ist. Welsh Preacher: Michael:Emmet, Edward Jones, 2d. Supernumeraries.
165 Chester, Thomas Pinder, Edward Oakes.
169 Harrington, Jonathan Brown, sen. Joseph Roberts.
170 Preseot, James Bridgnell, Joseph E. Bcaumont.
151 Wigran, Isaac Lilly, Robert Hayes.
N. B. Brother Hayes is to devote one half of his labours to the supply of the Leigh Circuit.
172 Leigh, James Spink.
173 Ornskirt, James Hopewell, James Mortimer.
174 Preston, John Fairbourne, Mathew Gibbon.
175 (xieistang, Richard Allen, John Wilson.
1:6 Lameastr, Nathaniel Elliott, John Walsh.
Henry Moore, Chairman of the District.
XUlI. TIIE MANCHESTER DISTRICT.
$1: 7$ Mawhester, Richard Recce, Adam Clarke, John Hickling, James Everctt, John Storry; John Bryan, Welsh Preacher: James D. Burton, Supernumerary.
178 Salford, Manchester, Charles Atmore, Robert Miller, Robert Martin.
179 Stockport, and our Chapel at Redhall, James Townley, David M'Nicol; Daniel Jackson, Supernumerary.
180 New Mills, near Stockport, John Hanwell, Thomas Rowland; James Ridal, Supernumerary.

181 Ashton-under-Lyne, and our Chapel at Moseley, John Jordans, Jonathan Turner.
182 Oldham, William Hill, William France.
183 Rochdale, James Bogie, Rubrit Melson.
184 Bacup, Thomas Hutton, Thomas Atkinson.
185 Haslingden, Joshua Fearnside, Donald Frazer.
186 Blackburn, John Ogulvie, John C. Leppi gton.
187 Bury, Robert Hopkıns, Thomas Davies.
188 Bolton, Thomas Taylor, Ednund Grindrod; George Gibbon, Supernumerary.
Adam Clarke, LL. D. Chairman of the District.
XVIII. THE HALIFAX DISTRICT.

189 Halifax, Cleland Kirkpatrick, Mark Day, Robert Wood; Zechariah Yewdall, Alexander Suter, Supernumeraries.
190 Sorverby-Bridge, William M•Kitrick, Thomas Walker.
191 Todmorden, Charles Gloyne, Samuel Sewell, Robt. Emmett.
192 Burnley, William Leach, Thomas Ste id.
193 Colne, Thomas Vasey, jun. Daniel Jackson, jun.
194 Skipton, Matthew Lumb, Thomas Barritt.
195 Clithero, Jo-eph Worrell, Thomas Key.
196 Grassington, John White, Jervis Shaw.
197 Addingham, Juhn Phillips, Isaac Clayton: John Wittam, Supernumerary.
198 Keighley, William Radcliffe, sen. John Aslin.
199 Bingley, Henry Taft, George Mainwaring.
200 Wrodhouse-Grove, Thomas Stanley, Thomas Hill.
N. B. Brother Stanley is Governor of Wood-house-Grove School.
201 Bradford, John Stamp, John Braithwaite.
202 Huddersfield, George Sargent, James Sykes, Thomas Moss. 203 Holmfirth, John Brownell, David Stoner.

John Stamp, Chairman of the District.
XIX. THE LEEDS DISTiICT.

204 Leeds, Walter Griffith, John Stephens, Jacob Stanley, Maximilian Wilsun: Timothy Crowther, Supernumerary.
205 Bramley, Thomas Bartholomew, Willam Atherton.
206 Wakefield, Robert Newton, Thoman Jackson.
207 Birstal, George Highfield, Stephen Wilson, Joseph Womersley; John Crosby, Supernumerary.
208 Derwstury, John Farrar, Thos. Skelton, Ambrose Freeman.
209 Otley, William Midgley, Joseph Robinson.
210 Pateley-Bridse, William Todd, Peter Prescott; William Hunter, Supernumerary.

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211 Pontefract, Robert Pilter, Joseph Fowler.
212 Selby, Thomas Garbut, Partes Haswell.

213 Wetherby, William Dixon, William Nother.
N. B. The Superintendant is to reside a Knaresborough. Walter Griffth, Chairman of the District.

214 Sheffeld, | Thomas Kelk, John Doncaster, John Walms. |
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| ley, William Beale; Charles Tunnycliffe |
| Supernumerary. |

215 Chesterfield, Thomas Ingham, Samuel Kellett.
216 Bakewell, John Beaumont, William Taylor.
217 Bradwell, James Johnson, John Smith, 3d.
218 Rotherham, John Burdsall, Thomas Gee: Jacob Newton, Supernumerary.
219 Doncaster, and Thorne Chapel, William Warrener, William Lord.
220 Barnsley, Jonathen Parkin, Robert Harrison, jun.
221 Denby near Hucddersfield, James B. Holroyd, Wm. Smith,
222 Derby, Joseph Taylor, sen. Theophilus, Lessey, jun.
223 Belper, Richard Pattison, Hugh Beech.
224 Cromford, Robert Crowther, Christopher Newton.
225 Retford, Thomas Fletcher, Samuel Wild.
226 Worksop, Joseph Chapman, Benjamin Pearce. Joseph Taylor, sen. Chairman of the District. xxi. the nottingham district.

227 Nottingham Circuit, andour Chapel at Hockley, Nottingham, Phillip Garrett, Josiah Goodwin.
228 Ilkestone, George Wilson, George Bellamy.
229 Mansfield, Marshall Claxton, John Dredge.
230 Newicrk, Edward Roberts, Samuel Hope.
231 Grantham, Thomas Tattershall, John Ingham.
232 Leicester, William Monlton, William Constable.
233 Melton-Mowbray, John Ward, Joseph Hunt, James Rosser.
234 Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Lawrence Kershaw, Edward Banks, Elijh Moman.
235 Burton, Isaac Muff, Francis Burgess.
Litchifeld, William Flint.
N. B. Brother Burgess and Brother Flint are to change under the direction of the Superintendant.
236 Uttoxeter, William Bird, Thomas Edwards.
237 Loughborough, Thomas Graham, William Homer.
238 Stamford and Peterborough, Edward Towler, Archibald M‘Laughlin, Richard Ellidge.
Philip Garrett, Chairman of the District.
XXII. THE LINCOLNSHIRE DISTRICT.

259 Lincoln, Thomas Rought, William Dalby.
240 Slectford, John Roadhouse, James Fowler:
241 Market-Raisen, Joseph Robbins, Thomas Slinger.
242 Louth, Martin Vaughan, Benjamin Gregory, Robert Pickering.
243 Horncastle, Thomas Rogerson, John Gill.
244 Alford, Thomas Wilton, Anthony Triffit.
245 Spilsby, William Howarth, Ebenezer Stewart; John Keeling, Robert Carr Brackenbury, Supernumeraries.
246 Boston, Corbet Cooke, Thomas Morton.
247 Spalding, James Penman, Thomas Edman.
Thomas Rought, Chairman of the District.
xxili. the hull district.
248 Hull, Isaac Turton, William Naylor, Henry S. Hopwood, Richard Watson.
249 Howden, William Welborne, John Mason, sen.
250 Driffield, Samuel Bardsley, Thomas Gill, George Barker.
251 Bridlington, Lawrence Kane, William Waterhouse, Joseph Agar.
252 Patrington, William Beswick, John Nowell.
253 Grimsby, John Furness, Thomas Fearnley.
254 Gainsborough, Philip Hardcastle, John Hannah.
255 Eproorth and Snaith, Francis West, William Barr, Robert Ramm, William Blundell.
256 Brigg, James Bate, Thomas Eastwood.
257 Winterton, Benjamin Barritt, Richard Greenwood, John Beechem.
Samuel Bardsley, Chairman of the District. xilv. the york district.
258 York, Miles Martindale, John Nelson, William Stones. 259 Pocklington, Samuel Gates, John Taylor ; another to be sent by the President.
260 Scarborough, Daniel Isaac, Jonathan Brown, jun.; Joseph Kyte, Supernumerary.
261 Pickering, George Smith, Richard Hardaker.
262 Malton, John Slack, William Carleton.
263 Easingroold, John Booth, Henry Ranson.
264 7hirsk, George Holder, Joseph Deakin.
265 Ripon, Thomas Harrison, George Tindale. Miles Martindale, Chairman of the District. xxv. THE whitby district.

266 Whitby, Aaron Floyd, Benjamin Hudson,

267 Gisborough, Thomas Laycock, John Morris.
268 Durlington, John Kershaw, James Beckwith.
269 Stockton, John Armitage. Thomas L. Hodgson; Thomas Dixon, Supernumerary.
270 Barnard-Castle and Weardale, Thomas Simmonite, John Bumstead, Thomas Hall.
271 Middleham, John Sedgwick, Thomas Hamer.
2ヶ2 Tanfield, William Hainsworth, Charles Adshead,
273 Richmond, John Pearson, Joseph Mattison, Enoch Broster. John Kershaw, Chairman of the District.
XXVI. THE NEWCASTLE DISTRICT.

274 Newcastle-upon-Tyne, William Bramwell, Joseph Mann, William Jackson; John Hudson, Supernum.
275 Gateshead, Theophilus Lessey, sen. Edward Batty.
276 North Shields, Zacharias Taft, Thomas Hewitt.
277 South Shields, Abruham E. Farrar, John Nicholson; John Waterhouse, Supernumerary.
278 Sunderland, George Marsden, Thomas Preston, Barnard Slater; Duncan Kaye, Supernumerary.
279 Durham, Joseph Hollingworth, Rnbert Jackson.
280 Alstone, Robert Nicholson, Charles Radcliffe.
281 Hexham, John Barritt, Jonathan Porter.
282 Morpeth, Duncan M‘Allum, William Veevers.
283 Alnwick and Berwich, William Tranter, John Heap. George Marsden, Chairman of the District.
XXVII. THE CARLISLE DISTRICT.

284 Carlise, John Rawson, James Sugden.
285 Whitchaven, John Poole, William Scholefield ; Robert Dall, .Supernumerary.
286 Brough, John Kemp, Joseph Burgess, jun.
287 Penrith, Joseph Frank, Arthur Hutchinson.
288 Kendal, John Lee, Robert Morton.
289 Ulverstone Mission, William Shackleton.
290 Dumfries, Robert Harrison, sen.
Arthur Hutchinson, Chairman of the District.
XXVIII. THE ISLE OF MAN DISTRICT.

291 Douglas, John Mercer, Robert Watkin.
Castletown, George Clarke, who is to change with the Donglas Prearhers under the direction of the Superintendant.
292 Ramsey, Edward Wilson, Ralph Gibson. John Mercer, Chairman of the District.
XXIX. THE EDINBURGH DISTRICT.

293 Edinburgh and Leith, Valentine Ward, John Bedford.
294 Dunbar and Dalkeith, Humphrey Stephenson, Thomas Bridgman.
295 Glasgow, Paisley, and Hamilton, John Lancaster, Samuel Warren, George Sykes, jun.
296 Ayr, and Kilmarnock, George Thompron, Hodgson Casson. 297 Greenock, and Port Glasgow, Abraham Crabtree, James Smeatham.
298 Perth and Criffe, William Clegg, Richard Heap.
299 Dunfermline, John Gaskell, who is to change with the Edinburgh Preachers.
Valentine Ward, Chairman of the District.
xxx. the aberdeen distiict.

300 Aberdeen, Joshua Bryan, Thomas Ballingall, James Miller. 301 Dundee, Thomas Yates. 302 Arbroath, William West.
N. B. The Preachers in Arbroath and Duridee are to change occasionally.
303 Brechin, Joseph Kitchen, John M‘Owen.
304 Banff, Luke Heywood, Alexander Strachan.
305 Elgin, Alexander Bell.
306 Inverness, George Willoughby.
N. B. The Preachers at Elgin and Inverness are to change for three weeks in every Quarter.
William West, Chairman of the Distriat.
IRELAND.

1. THE DUBLIN DISTRICT.

1 Dublin, William Smith, William Stewart, Samuci Kyle: Andrew Hamilton, jun. Editor; T. W. Doolittle, Book-Steward; John Kerr, William Ferguson, Supernumeraries.
2 Longford, Blakely Dowling, Michael Burrows: John Price, superannuated.
3 Drogheda, Henry Deery, Thomas Loughead; Richard Price, Supernumerary.
4 Oldcastle, Edward Johnson, William Pollock.
5 Wicklow, James M‘Cutcheon, William Finlay; Alexander Moore, George Mahon, Supernumeraries.
N. B. Brother Moore's name was omitted last year by mistake.
Henry Deery, Chairman of the District.
if. the waterford district.
6 Waterford, Samuel Wood, Robt. Banks; Daniel M‘Mullen, Supernumerary.
7 Carlore, James Sterling, Robert Bruce.
8 Newtownbarry, Charles Graham, J.hn Hadden.
Samuel Wood, Chairman of the District.
III. THE CORK DISThict.

9 Cork, Charles Mayne, F. Russel.
10 Bandnn, William Copeland, Robert Masaroon.
11 Skitborcen, John Carey.
12 Mallow, Thomas Browne, John Howe. Charles Mayne, Chairman of the District. iv. the limerick district.

13 Limerick, Matthew Tobias, Andrew Hamilton, sen. Wm. Reilly.
14 Milltozen, Juhn Waugh.
15 Roscrea. Jiohn Stewart, George Burrows.
16 Chugh-jordan, James Stewart Michael Murphy.
17 Mountrath, Gustavus Armstrong, Thomas Waugh.
Matthew Tobias, Chairman of the District.
v. the at ilone district.

18 Athlone, James Rutledge, John Rogers, Robert Carson;
James Rennick, superannuated.
19 Aurhrim, William Crook, George Hansbrow.
20 Castlebry, Thomas Ridgeway, Daniel Pedlow.
21 Bullina, John Clege, William Fonte.
22 Sligo, Archibald Murdoch, James Horne.
23 Boyle, Charles M‘Cormick, Samuel Downing.
A. Murdoch, Chairman of the District.
vi. the clones district.

24 Clones, John C. Irvine, Adam Averell, James Killen.
2.5 Killesandra, Francis Armstrong, Castor Clements.

26 Cavan, John Clendinnen, Williaun Keys.
27 Monaghan, William Douglas, J. Edwards, Wm. Armstrong;
Thomas Barber, superannuated.
Adam Averell, Chairman of the District.
vif. THE ENMISKILLEN DISTRICT.
28 Enniskillen, Robert Crozier, James C. Pratt, John Jebb; John M•Adam, Supernumerary.
N. B. Brother Jebb to change with Brother Armstrong of the Mountrath circuit, whenever he may find it necessary.
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29 Manorhamilton, Robert Strong, (ieorge M‘Elwain.
30 Bullyshannon, James S:a ith, John Campbui.
31 Ballinamallard, Matthew Stewart, J,hn Remmington ; JosephArmstrong, superanuated.
N. B. Letters to the Batinamallard circuitto ene directed to Irvinut: wn.
32 Brookborough, John M-Arthur, John Nesbitt; George Biown, superannuated.
Robert Crozier, Chairman of the District.
vif. the hondinderry disthict.
33 Londonderry, John Dinnan, Robert Smilh.
34 Strabane, Thomas Kerr, Iames Johnson; James Jordan,Supernumerary.
35 Nerotownstervart, James Irwin, Wiliam Gilcriest.
36 Stranorlar, Charles M Cord, Arch. Campbell.
John Dinnen, Chairman of the District.
1x. the belfast bietrict.
37 Belfast, Gcorge Stephenson, Matthew Lanktree; John Bredin, superannuated.
38 Carrichfergus, John Nelson, John Hill.
39 Coleraine, Altxander Sturgeon, Edward Cobain.
40 Lisburn, James Bell, William Kidd.
41 Dowonpatrick, William M'Cornock, James Carter; John Foster, Supernumerary.Matthew Lanktree, Chairman of the District.x. the newry district.
42 Nerery, Thomas Johnson, William Armstrong.
43 Dungannon, John Wilson, Robert Wilson.
44 Cookstown, Robert Balley, William Richey.
45 Charlemont, James Oiliffe, Simuel Harpur.
46 Armagh, Samuel Steele, Robert Cranstnn.
47 Lurian, James M•Kee, S. M•Dowall.
48 Tanderagee, David Waugh, Zachariah Worrell; John Mal- comson, superannuated.
T. Johnson, Chairman of the District.
IRISH MISSIONARIES.
1 The Wicklow Mission, Andrew Taylor.
2 Cove Mission, Richard Phillips.
3 Kinsale Mission, Joseph Harman.
4 Clare Mission, Francis Stephens.
5 Boylagh Mission, William Cornwall; to change with thejunior Preacher of the Ballyshannon circuit


7 New SouthIVales, Samuel Leigh.
III. AFRICA.

8 Sierra Leone, William Davies.
9 Cape of Good Hope, John M‘Kenny.
IV. AMERICA.

THE WEST INDIES.

1. the antigua district.

10 Antigua, Thomas Morgan, John Lewis, jun. Dan. Hillier. 11 St. Christopher's and St. Eustatius, James Whitworth, John Raby, Thomas Hurst, Jonathan Raynar, Thomas Blackburn.
12 Nevis, Samuel P. Woolley, John Mortier.
13 St. Bartholomew's, Jeremiah Boothby.
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14 Tortola and the Virgin Islands, George Johnstone, William Westerman, William Shrewsbury.
15 Dominica, Abraham Whitehouse.
16 St. Vincent's, John Dace, William Coultas, John D. Allen, William Beacock.
17 Barbadoes, Calvarley Riley.
18 Grenada, Myles C Dixon.
19 Trinidad, Gcorge Poole.
20 Demerara, Thomas Talboys, William Lill.Samuel P. Woolley, Chairman of the District.
21 Jamaica, John Wiggins, John Shipman, John Burgar, William White.
II. THE BAHAMA DISTRICT.22 New Providence and the neighbouring Islands, William Turton,William Duwson, Joseph Ward, RogerM ore, Michael Hedd.
William Tarton, Chairman of the District.
BERMUDA.
23 Bermuda, William Wilson, Moses Rayner.NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK, AND CANADA.
24 Halifax, William Bennett; Wm. Black, supernumerary25 Liverpool, Janes Knowlan.
26 Shelbourne, Richard Armstrong; James Mann, super- numerary.
27 St. Stephen's, Duncan M•Coll.
28 City St. John's, William Crosscomb.
29 Fredericton, One wanted; to be sent by the Committee.
30 Annapolis, James Dunbar; Brother Bennett is requested tovisit this Circuit.
31 Cumberland, Stephen Bamfird.
32 Horton, James Priestley; John Mann, supernumerary.
33 Lunenturgh, George Orth, German Missionary.
34 Manchester, and the East Part of the Province, John Harland.
35 Prince Edward's Island, John Hick; William Bulpitt, su-pernumerary.
36 Quebec, Richard Williams, John De Putron.
37 Montreal, John Strong.William Bennett, Chairman of the District, andGeneral Superintendant.
38 Carbonear, Sampson Busby.
39 Blackhead, William Eilis.

40 Port De Grave, John Pickavant.
41 Island Cove, John Lewis, sen.
42 St. John's, Thomas Hickson.
4.3 Bonavista, James Hickson.

William Ellis, Chairman of the District.
Q. 8. How many Preachers' Wives are to be provided for by the connexion this year?
A. Four hundred and one.
Q. 9. How many of these are to be provided for by particular Circuits?
A. Three hundred and sixty-six : viz.

London East, Sister (James) Wood, Bradburn, Gaulter, (T.) Wood, Buckley.

London West, S. Entwisle, Edmondson, Bunting, Needham.
Deptford, S. Sutcliffe.
Brentford, S. Knowles.
High-Wycomb, S. (Henry) Anderson.
Colchester, S. (J.) Griffith.
Manningtree, S . Crififfin.
Ipswich, S. Bustard
Huntingdon, S. Gartrell.
St. Neot's, S. Walker
Biggleswade, S. Bradnack
Bedford, s. Dean.
Newport-Pagnell, S. Rowe.
Ampthill, S. Ransom.
Leighton-Buzzard, S. (Caleb) Simmons.
Luton, S. Jameson.
Reading, S. Mack.
Brighthelmstone, S. (John) Newton.
Rochester, S. Myles, Woolmer, (W.) Sutcliffe.

Canterbury, S. Wheeler.
Margate, S. Kittle.
Dover, S. (Jonathan) Roberts, Appleton.
Rye, S. Cusworth, (George) Sykes, sen.
Staplecross, S. (J.) Wilson.
Sevenoaks, S. (T.) Martin.

Maidstone, S. Rossell. Norwich, S. Reynolds, sen. North Walsham, S. Revell.
Yarmouth, S. Gilpin.
Lowestoff, S. Butler.
Framlingham, S. Douglas.
Bungay, S. Bodycoat.
Diss, S. Padman.
New Buckenham, S. Theobald. Thetford, S. Britain.
Bury St. Edmund's and Cambridge, S. Pollard.
Ely, S. Ward.
Lynn, S. Chettle.
Swaffham, S. Leggatt.
Wisbeach, S. Millman.
Walsingham, S. Slugg.
Holt, S. Dunn.
Oxford, S. Gower.
Whitchurch, S. Burley.
Witney, S. Sydserff.
Chipping-Norton, S.(William) Griffith.
Banbury, S. Waller.
Brackley, S. Gostick.
Towcester, S. Denton.
Daventry, S. Pearson, sen.
Northampton, S. Simmons.
Wellingborough, S. (James) Sydserff.
Ketterimg, S. Towers.
Market-Harborough, S. Breedon.
Portsmouth, S. (Robert) Snith, (James) Gill, Rogers.

Salisbury, S. Gellard. Shaftsbury, S. Daniel.
Poole, S. (James) Bumstead.
Isle of Wight, S. Potts.
Southampton, S. Etchells.
Newbury, S. Aikenhead.
Hungerford, S. Fowler.
Guernsey, Alderney, and Sark,
with Jersey, S. Toase.
Plymouth-Dock, S. Derry, (J.) Marsden.
Plymouth, S. Burgess.
Launceston, S. Baker.
Stratton S. Banwell.
Liskeard, S. Jenkin.
Tavistock, S. Jones.
Camelford, S. Truscott.
Kingsbridge, S. (E.) Chapman.
Redruth, S. Treffry, Bryant, Bersey, Stokes, and $\notin 16$ 16s.
Truro, S. Heaton, Haime, Sanders, and $\notin 33$ 12s.
St. Austle, S. Marsh, Sleep.
Bodmin, S. Odgers.
Penzance. S. (J.) Hill, Colwell, and £33 12 s .
Helstone, S. Russell, Sibley, and $£ 3312 \mathrm{~s}$.
Exeter, S. Dermott.
Tiverton, S. Cousin.
Taunton, S. Woodrow.
South Petherton, S. Wright.
Axminster, S. Akerman.
Barnstaple, S. Worth.
Dunster, S. Alexander.
Ashburton, S. Evans.
Brixham, S. Shaw.
Bristol, S. Barber, Martin, Rigg, aud £16 16 s.
Kingswood, S.(Jno.)Smith, sen.
Banwell, S. Devérell.
Bath, S. (Samuel) Taylor.
Frome, S. Riles.
Warminster, S. Weir.
Stroud and Cirencester, S. (F.) Collier.

Dursley, S. Deakins.
Downend, S. (John) Wood.
Gloucester, S. Campbell.
Cheltenham, S. Byron.
Weymouth, S. Button.
Bradford(Wilts)S.Shelmerdine
Melksham, S. Greenley.
Shepton-Mallett, S. Bowes.
Midsummer-Norton, S.Horner
Haverfordwest, S. Hayman.
Pembroke, S. Wintle.
Carmarthen, S.(W. E.) Miller. Swansea, S. Ashton.
Merthyr-Tydville, S.Woodall.
Brecon, $\neq 1616 s$.
Monmouth, S. Brocklehurst.
Cardiff, S. (John) Hughes.
Newport, S. (S.) Day.
Birmingham, S. Morley.
Coleshill, S. Mollard.
Redditch, S. (J.) Reynolds, juu.
Wednesbury, S. (J.) Crowther,
Rennison.
Worcester, S. Henshaw.
Evesham, S. Millward.
Stoirport, S. Townsend.
Dudley, S. Waddy, Hodgson, Sugden.
Wolverhampton, S. Walton.
Hinckley, S.( W.)Harrison, sen.
Coventry, S. Dowty.
Broseley, S. Hodson.
Shrewsbury, S. (J.) Davis.
Ludlow, S. Timperley.
Hereford and Ledbury, $S$. Armstrong.
Kington, S. Squarebridge.
Newtown, S. Twiddy.
Wrexham, S. Fussell.
Whitchurch, S. Parsons.
Oswestry, S. Pretty.
Macclesfield, S. Barker, James.
Buxton, S. Jackson.
Congleton, S. Whiteside.
Namptwich, S. Simpson.
Northwich, S. Meek.

Burslem, S. Aver, Blackett. Newcastle-muder-Lyme, S. Brookhouse, Smetham. Sufford, s. Barlow.
Leek, S. Draper.
Liverpool, S. Moore, Cooper, Pipe, Hare.
Chester, S. Pinder, Oakes.
Warrington, S. (J.) Brown, sen.
Prescott, S. Bridgnell.
$\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { Wigan, } £ 88 \mathrm{~s} . \\ \text { Leigl }, \not \equiv 88 \mathrm{~s} .\end{array}\right\}$ S. Lilly.
Ormskirk, S. Hopewell.
Preston, S. Fairbourn.
Garstang, S: Allen.
Lancaster, S. Elliott.
Manchester, S. Recce, Clarke, Hickling, Everett, Sterry.
Salford, S. Atmore, (R.) Miller.
Stockport, S. Townley, M•Nicol.
New Mills, S. Hanwell.
Anton-under Lyne, S Jordan.
Oldham, S. (W.)Hill, France.
Rochdale, S. Bogie, Melson.
Bacup, S. Hutton.
Haslingden, S. Fearnside.
Blackburn, S. Ogilvie.
Bury, S. Hopkins.
Buiton, S. Grindrod, and $£ 16$ 183 s.
Halifax, S. Firkpatrick, Mark Day.
Sowerby-Bridge, S.M•Kittrick, and $\notin 16$ l
Burnley, S. Leach.
Todmorden, S. Gloyne, Sewell.
Colne, S. Vasey, jun.
Skipton, S. Lum!.
Clithero, S. Worrell.
Grassington, S. White.
Addingham, S. Phillips.
Keighley, S. Ratcliffe, sen. Aslin.
Bingley, S. (H.) Taft.
Wuodhouse-Grove, S. (T.) IIIl.

Bradford, S. Stamp, and E1G 16 s.
Hnddersfield, S. Sargent, (J.) Sykes.
Holmfirth, £16 16 s.
Leeds,S.(W.)Griffith,Stephens, (J.) Stanley, (M.) Wilson.

Bramley, S. Bartholomew, Atherton.
Wakefield, S. (R.) Newton, ('T.) Jackson.
Birstal, S. Highfield, (Stephen) Wilson, W omersley.
Dewsbury, S. Farrar, Skelton.
Otley, S. Midgley.
Pateley Bridge, S. Todd.
Pontefract, $\pm 16 \mathrm{l} 6 \mathrm{~s}$.
Selby, S. Garbut.
Wetherby, S. Dixon.
Sheffield, S. Kelk, Doncaster, Walmsley, Beal.
Chesterfield, S. Ingham.
Bakewell, S. Beaumont.
Bradwell, S. (James) Johnson.
Rotherham, S. Burdsall, Gee.
Doncaster, S. Warrener.
Barnsley, S. Parkin.
Denby, S. Holroyd.
Derby, S. (Jos.) Taylor, Lessey, jun.
Belper, S. Pattison.
Cromford, S. (R.) Crowther.
Retford, S. Fletcher, and $£ 88$ s.
Worksop, S. (Jos.) Chapman.
Nottingham, S. Garrett, Goodwin.
Ilkestone, S. Wilson.
Mansfield, S. Claxton.
Newark, S. (E.) Roberts, Hope.
Grantham, S. Tattershall.
Leicester, S. Moulton.
Melton-Mowbray, S.(J.) Ward
Ashhy-de-la-Zouch, S. (L.)
Kcrshaw, Bonks.
Burton, S Muff
Lit hfield s. Hnt.
Uttuxetcr, S. Bird.

Loughborough, S. Graham, Homer.
Stamford and Peterborough, S. Towler.
Lincoln, S. Rought:
Sleaford, S. Roadhouse.
Market-Raisen, S. Rubbins.
Louth, S. Vaughan, Gregory.
Horncastle, S. Rogerson, Gill.
Alford, $s$ Wilton.
Spilsby, S. Howarth.
Boston, S. Cooke.
Spalding, S. Penman.
Hull, S. Tuiton, Naylor, Hopwood, Watson.
Howden, S. Welborne, Mason, sen.
Driffield, S. (T.) Gill.
Bridlington, S. Kane,(W.)Waterhouse.
Patrington, S. Beswick.
Grimsby, S. Furness.
Gainsborough, S. Hardcastle.
Epworth and Snaith, S. (F.) West.
Brigg, S. Bate.
Winterton, S. (Ben.) Barritt.
York, S. Martindale, Nelson, Stones.
Pocklington, S. Gates, (John) Taylor.
Scarborough, S. Isaac, (Jon.) Brown, jun.
Pickering, S. (G.) Smith.
Malton, S. Slack, Carlton.
Easingwould, S. Booth.
Thirsk, S. Holder.
Ripon, S. (T.) IIarrison.
Whitby, S. Floyd, Hudson.
Gisborough, S. Laycock.
Darlington, S. Kershaw.
Stockton, S. Armitage.
Barnard Castle and Weardale, S. Simmonite, Bumstead.

Middleham, S. Sedgwick. Tanfield, S. Hainsworth. Richmond, S. (J.) Pearson. Newcastle-upon-Tyne, S. Bramwell, Mann. Gateshead, S. Lessey, sen. North Shields, S. Taft, \& $£ 88 \mathrm{~s}$. | For S. |
| :--- | South Shields, S. Hewitt. Farrar, \& $£ 8$ s. Sunderland, S. Marsden, Pres ton, Slater.

Durham, S. Hollingworth.
Alstone, S. (Rob.) Nicholson.
Hexham, S. (J.) Barritt.
Morpeth, £8 8s. $\}$ For $S$.
Alnwick and Ber- $\} \begin{aligned} & \text { For S. } \\ & \text { Tranter }\end{aligned}$
wick, $£ 88 s$.
arlisle, S. Rawson.
Whitehaven, S. Poole.
Brough, S. Kemp.
Penrith, S. Frank.
Kendal, S. Lee.
Dumfries, S. (R.) Harrison, sen.
Douglas, S. Mercer, For S. and $\mathscr{E} 88$ s. ${ }^{\text {. }}$ Wil- WatRamsay, S.(E.) Wilson, and $£ 88$ s. kin.
Edinburgh, S. (V.) Ward.
Dunbar and Dalkeith, S. (H.)
Stephenson.
Glasgow, S. Lancaster, (S.) Warren, Sykes, jun.
Ayr and Kilmarnock, S Thompson.
Greenock, S. Crabtree.
Perth, S. Clegg.
Aberdeen, S. Bryan.
Dundee, S. lates.
Arbroath, £16 16 s .
Brechin, S. Kitchen.
Banff, S. Heywood.
Inverness, S. Willoughby. $Q$. 10. How are the remaining thirty-four wives to be provided for?
A. By the Districts, as follows: viz.



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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| West Bromwich | *170 | Blackburn | - | 650 |
| Coleshill | 50 | Bury | - | 590 |
| Redditch | 344 | Bolton | - 1 | 1390 |
| Wednesbury | 1130 | Leigh | - | 446 |
| Worcester | 680 | Halifax | - 1 | 1300 |
| Evesham | 307 | Sowerby Bridg |  | 970 |
| Stourport | 499 | Todmorden | - | 1450 |
| Dudley | 1340 | Burnley | - - | 580 |
| Wolverhampton | 460 | Colne | - | 580 |
| Hinckley | 530 | Skipton | - | 423 |
| Coventry | 400 | Clithero | - | 400 |
| Shrewsbury | 693 | Grassington | - | 160 |
| Broseley | 683 | Addingham | - | 420 |
| Ludlow | 320 | Keighley | - | 850 |
| Hereford | 130 | Bingley |  | 800 |
| Ledbury | 160 | Woodhouse Gr | rove | 850 |
| Kington | 250 | Bradford | - | 1800 |
| Newtown | 246 | Huddersfield | - | 1012 |
| Wrexham | 298 | Holmfirth | - | 600 |
| Oswestry | 115 | Leeds | - | 3530 |
| Macclesfield | 1030 | Bramley | - | 1240 |
| Buxton | 380 | Wakefield | - | 1045 |
| Congleton | 469 | Birstall | - | 1680 |
| Namptwich | 570 | Dewsbury | - | 1041 |
| Northwich | 778 | Otley |  | 480 |
| Burslem | 1070 | Pateley Bridge | e | 500 |
| Newcastle-under-Lyme | 920 | Pontefract | - | 700 |
| Stafford | 305 | Selby | - | 600 |
| Leek | 833 | Wetherby | - | 570 |
| Liverpool | 2,30 | Sheffield | - | 2228 |
| Chester | 700 | Chesterfield | - | 500 |
| W arrington | 600 | Bakewell | - - | 362 |
| Prescott | 260 | Bradwell | - | *452 |
| Wigan, | 265 | Rotherham |  | 928 |
| Ormskirk | 231 | Doncaster | - | 620 |
| Preston | 760 | Barnsley |  | 470 |
| Garstang | 180 | Denby, near H | Huddersfield | d 410 |
| Lancaster | 475 | Derby | - | 780 |
| Manchester | 2800 | Belper | - | 850 |
| Salford | 1570 | Cromford | - | 380 |
| Stockport | 1310 | Retford | - | 780 |
| New Mills | 665 | Nottingham | - | 1359 |
| Ashton-under-Lyne | 240 | Ilkestone | - | 400 |
| Oldham - | 780 | Mansfield and | Worksop | 583 |
| Rochdale | 870 | Newark | - | 800 |
| Bacup | 390 | Grantham | - | 580 |
| Haslingden | 384 | Leicester | - | 662 |



| At Bouville, in France, there are |  | - | 25 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| At Gibraltar, - | - | - | 53 |
| At Sierra Leone, in Africa | - |  | 100 |
| At the Cape of Good Hope | - |  | 42 |
| In Ceylon | - | - | 50 |
| The total number at these places is, | this year |  | 270 |
| It was last year - |  | - | 175 |
| Increase at these places | - | - | 95 |

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Whites.
Blacks. Total.
Antigua, - $\quad 21 \quad 2965 \quad 2986$
St. Christopher's and St. Eustatius, $44 \quad 2945 \quad 2989$
Nevis, - $\quad$ - $\quad 34 \quad 1311 \quad 1345$

| St. Bartholomew's, | - | 23 | 643 | 666 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| Tortola and Virgin Islands | - | 76 | 2072 | 2148 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Dominica, (return of last year) $1 \quad 709 \quad 710$
$\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { St. Vincent's, (there was a mistake } \\ \text { last year of } 810 \text { too many) }\end{array}\right\} \quad 16 \quad 2638 \quad 2654$

| Barbadoes, | $:$ | - | 17 | 36 | 53 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Grenada, | - | - | 1 | 179 | 180 |  |
| Trinadad, | - | - | 4 | 216 | 220 |  |
| Demarara | - | - | - | 3 | 70 | 73 |
| Jamaica, | - | - | 22 | 2678 | 2700 |  |
| Bermuda, | - | - | 29 | 37 | 68 |  |


| $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { New Providence and the Bahama } \\ \text { Islands, }\end{array}\right\}$ | 404 | 660 | 1064 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total in the West Indies this year, |  | - | 17,856 |
| The real number last year, |  | - | 16,192 |
|  |  | - |  |

NOVA SCOTIA, \&c.

| Halifax, | - |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  | 164 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Liverpool, | - | - |  | - |  |  |  |  |  | 90 |
| Shelburne, | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 85 |
| City St. John's, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 163 |
| St. Stephen's, |  | - |  | - |  |  | - |  | - | 162 |
| Fredericton, |  | - |  |  |  |  |  | - |  | 45 |
| Annapolis, | - | - | - |  |  |  |  |  | - | 197 |
| Cumberland, | - | - |  |  |  |  |  |  | - | 140 |
| Horton, | - |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lunenburgh, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 30 |

N. B. Through a mistake of the Missionary who sent an account of the number is society in St. Vincent's last year, 810 too many were entered for that Island.

| Manchester, \&c. | - |  |  | 12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Prince Edward's Islánd, | - | - | - | 50 |
| Quebec, | - | - |  | 46 |
| Montreal | - | - | - | 40 |
| Newfoundland, |  |  |  | 460 |



| GENERAL RECAPITULATION. |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: |
| Number of members now in Great Britain, | 181,706 |  |
| in Ireland, | 29,357 |  |
| in France, | - | 25 |
| at Gibraltar, | - | 103 |
| at Sierra Leone, | 42 |  |
| at the Cape of Good Hope, | 42 |  |
| in Ceylon, | 50 |  |
| in the West Indies, | 17,856 |  |
| in Nova Scotia, \&c. | 1,759 |  |


Total number of members in the Methodist Societies
throughout the world,
N. B. There are 736 Regular Travelling Preachers now stationed in Great Britain.
132 ditto in Ireland.
74 ditto on our Foreign Missions.
687 ditto in the American Methodist Connexion.

1629 Total Number of Travelling Preachers throughout the world; who are not included in the preceding account of the numbers in society.
Q. 12. Who is appointed the President of the next Conference in Ireland?
$A$. John Barber; who, if unavoidably prevented from attending, has authority to nominate a substitute.
Q. 13. Who are the General Committee for guarding our privileves during the ensuing year?
A. The Presitiont and Secretary of the Conference; all the Preachers appcinted for the two London Circuits ; the Superintendants of the Deptford and Brentford Circuits; Adam Clarke. LL. D.; Jo-eph Butterworth, Esq. M. P. Christopher Sundius, Eeq. Mr. Robert Middleton, Mr. Joseph Bulmer, Mr. Launcelot Haslope, Mr. William Jerram, Mr. Thomas Allan, Mr. David Bruce, Mr. Thomas Marriott, Mr. William Kent; Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, M. P.; Thomas Holy, Esq. of Sheffield; John Ward, jun. Esq. of Durham; Richard Fawcett, Esq. of Bradford; Mr. Joseph Dutton, of Liverpool; Mr. James Murrow, of Liverpool; Mr. Benjamin Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Burton, of Manchester; William Carne, Esq. of Penzance; Mr. Joseph Holdsworth, of Wakefield ; and Mr. Richard Be ly, of Ratcliffe, near Bury.
Q. 14. What collections for chapels are allowed to be made during the ensuing year?
A. 1. In the London East, London West, aud Brentford circuits, for Brentford chapel.
2. In the London East circuit, for St. David's and Newington chapels.
3. In Ipswich, Colchester, St. Neots, and Biggleswade circuits, for Chelmsford chapel.
r. In the Harwich circuit, for Great Oakley chapel.
5. In the Leighton-Buzzard circuit, for Wing riapel.
6. In the Brighthetmstone circuit, for Easthourne chapel.
7. In the Huntingdon circuit, for St. Ives chapel.
8. In the Kent district, except the Rye and Staple Cross circuits, for Margate chapel.
3. In the Depiford, Bedford, and High-Wycomb circuits, for Tunbridge-Wells chapel.
10. In the Norwich circuit, for Wickam chapel.
11. In the Yarmonth circuit, for Filby chapel.
12. In the Diss, Bungay, Framlingham, and Buckenham circuits, for Cotton and Mcilis chapels.
13. In the Thetford and Bury St. Edmund's circuits, for Troston chapel.
14. In the Swaffham, Lynn, Ely, Lowestoft, Wisbeach, Wal-ingharn, and Holt circuit., for Downham chapel.
15. In the Oxford, Witncy, and Brackley circuits, for Weedon chapel.
16. In all the other circuits of the Oxford district, for Banbury chapel.
17. I: the Portsmouth circuit, for Fareham chapel.
18. In the Salisbury circuit, for Downton chapel.
19. In the Southampton, Poole, Shaftesbury, and Newbury circuits, for Cadman chapel.
20. In the Norman Isles district, for Romsey chapel.
21. In the Plymouth-Dock district, for Kingsbridge chapel.
22. In the Helstone, Truro, and Redruth circuits, for Ponsanooth chapel.
23. In the Penzance circuit, for Laddock chapel.
24. In the Penzance circuit, for Trescoe chapel.

25 In the Bodmin and St. Austle circuits, for Indian Queen's chapel.
26. In the South Petherton and Taunton circuits, for Ilminster chapel.
27. In the Axminster, Ashburton, and Brixham circuits, for Bridport chapel.
28. In the Dunster, Barnstaple, Exeter. and Tivertoñ circuits, for Dunster chapel.
29. In the Bristoland Bradford, Wilts, circuits, for- Cirencester and Painswick chapels. The monies collected to be divided between the two chapels in proportion to the amount of the debt of each.
30. In the Shepton-Mallet, Melksham, and Stroud circuits, for Chippenham chapel.
31. In the South Wales district, for the Welsh chapel at Swansea, and the Narbeth, Pont-ar-Dyllas, Pont-y-pool, and Caerlleon chapels.
32. In the Birmirgham, West Bromwich, Wednesbury, and Wolverhampton circuits, for Darlaston chapel.
33. In the Dudley and Worcester circuits, for the Droitwich chapel.
34. In the Stourport, Redditch,- and Evesham circuits, for Broadway chapel.
35. In the Hinckley and Coventry circuits, for Pershore chapel.
36. In the Newtown circuit, for Newtown chapel.
37. In the Shrewsbury district, except Newtown, for Stafford chapel.
38. In the Nantwich circuit, for Wheelock chapel.
39. In the Burslem circuit, for Longhorth chapel.
40. In the Newcastle-under-Lyme circuit, for Lower Lame chapel.
41. In the Macclesfield, Buxton, and Congleton circuits, for Whitchurch chapel.
4.2. In the Leck circuit, for Hartingdon chapel.
42. In the Northwich and Stafford circuits, for Sandbach chapel.
44. In the Liverpool and Ormskirk circuits, for Ormskirk chapel.
45. In the Chester and Garstang circuits, for Lancaster chapel.
46. In the Warrington and Preston circuits, for Ashton-in-the-Willows chapel.
47. In the Manchester, Salford, and Oldham circuits, and in the Isle of Man, for Ulverston chapel.
48. In all the other circuits of the Manchester district, except Haslingden and Bury, for Upper Mill chapel.
49. In the Todmorden circuit, for Mankinholes, Rodwell End, and Blackshaw Head chapel.
50. In the Burnley, Colne, and Clithero circuits, for Higham chapel.
51. In the Skipton circuit, for Gargrave chapel.
52. In the Sowerby-Bridge, W oodhouse-Grove, and Holmfirth circuits, for Buckden chapel.
53. Ia the Bradford circuit, for Great Horton and Wichfield chapels.
54. In the Huddersfield circuit, for Highfield and the Houses chapels.

5y. In the Leeds circuit, for Hobeck chapel.
56. In the Bramley circuit, for Pudsey chapel.
57. In the Selby circuit, for Aberford chapel.
58. In the Wetherby, Birstal, Dewsoury, Otley, Pately Bridge, Pontefract, and Wakefield circuits, for Knaresborough chapel.
59. In the Sheffeld circuit, for Thurgoland chapel.
60. In the Chesterfield circuit, for Brimmington chapel.
61. In the Bradwell circuit, for Castleton chapel.
62. In the Doncaster and Denby-Dyke circuits, for Bawtry chapei.
63. In the Barnsley circuit, for Dodworth chapel.
64. In the Belper and Bakewell circuits, for Alfreton chapel.
65. In the Cromford and Retford circuits, for Tansley chapel.
66. In the Rotherhan circuit, for siwinton chapel.
67. In the Derby circuit, for Oc khrook chapel.
68. In the Mansfield circuit, for Southwell chapel.
69. In the Grantham and Burton circuits, for Fiskerton clanpel.
70. In the Loughborough and Uttoxeter circuits, for Worksop chapel.
71. In the Mchton circuit, for Oakham chapel.
72. In the Ashby circuit, for Brecdon chapel.
73. In the Nottingham circuit, for Litchfield chapel.
74. In the Leicester and Ikeston circuits, for Kegworth chapel.
75. In the Stamford circuit, for Eye chapel.
76. In the Newark circuit, for Colsterworth chapel.
77. In the Lincoln and Sleaford circuits, for Nettleham and Welto a hapels.
78. In the Louth circuit, for Gayton chapel.
79. In the Spilsby, Boston, and Spalding circuits, for Tattershall chapel.
80. In the Epworth circuit, for Rawcliff chapel.
81. In the Brigg, Gainsborough, and Market-Raisen circuits, for Hibbaldstow chapel.
82. In the Grimsby and Winterton circuits, for Nettleton and Laceby chapels.
83. In the Howden circuit, fur Barnby, Ellerton, and Sandholme chapels.
84. In the Pocklington and York circuits, for Market-Weighton chapel.
85. In the Bridlington circuit, for Langtoft chapel.
86. In the Hull circuit, for Ashton-under-Lyne chapel.
87. In the Scarborough circuit, for Flixton chapel.
88. In the Patrington circuit, for Ottringham chapel.
89. In the Pickering and Driffield circuits, for Hornsea chapel.
90. In the Malton circuit, for Kirkby-Moor-Side chapel.
91. In the Easingwould circuit, for Eavingwould chapel.
92. In the Whitby circuit, for Robin Hood's Bay chapel.
93. In the Thirsk, Richmond, and Barnard-Castle circuits, for Gisborough chapel.
94. In the Ripon circuit, for Aldborough chapel.
95. In the Darlington circuit, and the Edinburgh district, for Darlington chapel.
96. In the Gisborough circuit, for Staindrop chapel.
97. In the Middleham and Tanfield circuits, for Burton chapel.
98. In the Newcastle district, (except Alnwick and Morpeth, and omitting the public collection at Newcastle,) for Gateshead chapel.
99. In the Morpeth and Alnwick circuits, and a public collection only at Newcastle, for the Blyth chapel.
100. In the Carlisle district, for Brough and Keswick clapels.
101. In the Aberdeen district, for the Leith and Dumfermline chapels.
Q. 15. What directions are necessary with respect to our Congregational Singing.
A. 1. Let no singing be allowed in any of our chapels, after the public service has been regularly closed by the Officiaing Preacher ; as we think that singing, at such times, tends to extinguish the spirit of devotion, and to destroy those serious impressions which may have been made on the congregations by the previous Ministry of God's Word.
2. Let our Rules respecting Singing, and especially those which restrict the useof Instrumental Music in our public worship, as published in our Minutes for the year 1805, be uniformly enforced.
3. Let the excellent Paper, inserted by Mr. Wesley, in the Arminian Magazine for 1781, and entitled, "Thoughts on the

Power of Music," be immediately $y_{7}$ reprinted in the Magazine, and also published in a separate form, that copies may be sent to every circuit. And let the Preachers promote, as much as possible, the restoration (in our Public Singing) of the style of Music which that Paper recommends, and which is exemplified in many of our best and oldest Tunes.
4. Let our Preachers take care to examine the Hymns whichs are to be sung in our chapels, when Charity Sermons are to be preached, or on other particular occasions; and let then reject all those which are not decidedly unobjectionable in point of sentiment and of poetry; and we carnestly recommend that our own authorised Hymins be generally. preferred for all such purposes.
Q.16. What further Regulation is expedient with respest to our Public Worship?
A. 1. The following Articles in the Plan of Pacification, adopted in the year 1795, shall be re-published in our Minutes; and the Preachers are dessired to remember that they are standing Rules of the Connexion: viz.
" The Lord's Supper shall be always administercd in Englend, according to the form of the Established Church; but the person, who administers shall have full liberty to give out hymns, and to use exhortations and extemporaty prayer.
"Wherever Divine Service is performed in Englănd, on the Lord's Day, in Church Hours, the Officiating Preacher shall read either the service of the Established Church, our venergale Father's Abridgement, or at least the Lessons appointed by the Calendar; but we recommend either the full Service or the Abridginent.
2. With a view to the full exccution of these Rules, and in order to meet the case of those of our Socigties, at home and abroad, who in accordance with the recommendation of the Conference, make use of Mr. Weslex's Abridgment of the Liturgy, our Book-Committee shall, without loss of time, puflish and advertise a new edition of the said Abridgment, both in the duodecimo size for individual accommodation, and in the quarto size to be used in the Pulpits:. -
Q. 17. Can anty additional methods be devised, in order to promote the mental improvement of our Preachers?
A.1. The Chairman of Districts shall, at each Districy Mecting, examine every Preacher on Trial, respecting the cousse of theological reading which he may have parsued in the course. of the preceding year. For this purpose, every such-Preachef is required to deliver to the Chairman of his District, a list of the Books which he has read since the preceding District-Meeting.: These lis's shall be laid before the Meeting, that the efinior Brethren may have an opportunity of giving to the junior Preachers, such advice and directions respecting their strivieséag may appear to be necessary.
2. Before any Preacher, having travelled four years, is recommended by his District-Meeting, for admission into full connexion, he shall undergo a carefnl examination, by the Chairman of that Meeting, respecting his acquaintance with Mr. Wesley's Works in general, and especially with his Sermons, and his Notes on the New Testament, in addition to the other Examinations required by our existing Rules: and no Preacher shall be so recommended, unless the result of his Examination be satisfactory to the Meeting.
3. Those Preachers on trial, who do not already possess Mr. Wesley's Works, are required to procure them, cluring the period of their probation; and shall be allowed to pay for them to our Book-Steward, if they desire it, by such instalments as may best suit their convenience.
4. We recommend to all our Preachers, Mr. Benson's Commentary on the Holy Scriptures; and we direct our BookSteward to allow those Preachers who shall choose it, to purchase that Commentary for their own use, at one half of the selling price.
Q. 18. In what manner shall our Rules respecting the Preachers' Auxiliary Fund, be executed?
A.1. All allowances proposed to be made out of that Fund in certain cases of peculiar affliction, to Preachers regularly stationed in circuits, shall be first proposed in the Quarterly Meeting, and recommended by the signature of one of the CircuitStewards. They shall then be examined in the District-Meetings, and receive their sanction. They shall next be submitted, after the cases of Superannuated and Supernumerary Preachers, and those of the widows and children of deceased Preachers have been considered, to the investigation of the Committee of Eleven, chosen, according to law, at every Conference. The decision of that Committee, if approved of by the Conference, shall be final. And no allowance for affliction shall be paid to Preachers, stationed on circuits as effective men, which has not been thus examined and approved.
2. A Report of the whole Receipts and Disbursements of the Auxiliary Fund, shall continue to be publislied annually, and a copy sent to every Subscriber of Ten Shillings or upwards. In the Preface to every such Annual Report shall be re-printed the following Rule, according to which all Subscriptions to it are strictly appropriated: viz.
" The monies raised for the Auxiliary Fund, shall be applied, after paying the Old Annuitants who have regular chaims upon ii, (1.) to supply the wants of Supernumerary Preachers, not yet declared superannuated:-(2.) to assist Preachers who have been visited by peculiar personal or family afflictions :-(3.) to furnish auditional aid to superannuated Preachers, whose legal allowance from the Me-
thodist Preacher's Annuitant Society is inadequate to their wants:-and, (4.) in general, to defray various miscellaneous expenses, respecting the Families of disabled or deceased Preachers."
3. Among the cases provided for under the preceding Rule, those of the Children of deceased Preachers shall be taken into particular consideration by the Committee of Eleven; and a sum not exceeding the amonnt of the usual provision for Children of living Preachers, shall be appropriated for their education and maintenance.
4. The relief to be occasionally granted to Preachers in the cases of affliction, described under the first Article of this Minute, is only to be allowed out of the Anxiliary Fund, in such instances of peculiar affliction as cannot be relieved in the ordinary aud regular way, by the exertions of the Circuits in which those Preachers labour. The District-Meetings, and the Committee of Eleven, are required to pay particular attention to this point.
5. Every Superintendant, in whose Circuit any Claimant on the Auxiliary Fund may reside, is required to lay the whole case of such Claimant before the District-Meeting of which he is a member; the particulars of which shall be entered upon the District-Minutes for the direction of the Committee of Eleven. On the same Minutes shall also be entered the exact age of those Children of deceased Preachers, in whose behalf any claim is made upon this Fund.
Q. 19. What plan shall now be adopted, in consequence of the death of Dr. Coke, the late General Superintendant of the Methodist Missions, for the future management of those important concerns?
A. 1. All our Missions shall be subject, as heretofore, to the general direction of the Conference, under whose authority the Missionaries have engaged in the work, and who are responsible to them for the provision of the necessary supplies, during the continuance of their engagements.
2. The spirifual concerns of the Missions shall be under the exclusive superintendance of the Conference; who shall, in particular, have the sole right of selecting and appointing Missionaries, according to the established Rules respecting the admission of Preachers into our Body,-of stationing, from year to year, the Missionaries so appointed,-and of trying, censuring, or recalling them, whenever such measures may seem expedient.
3. The Missions and Missionaries, appointed by the Conference, shall be superintended, during the intervals of the sittings of the Conference, by an Executive Committee, consisting of the Preachers stationed in London, and of the two General Treasurers mentioned in the succeeding Article of this Plan.
4. Two Joint-Treasurers for our General Missionary Fund, shall be annually chosen by the Confcrence; one of whom, for the convenience of the Missionaries, shall be a travelling Preacher stationed in London; the other, a respectable Member of our Society, not a Travelling Preacher.
5. The General Treasurers shall appoint a Banker, with whom they shall open an account, and in whose hands all monies received by them, for the support of the Missions, shall be regularly placed. No monies, so deposited, shall be withdrawn from the bank, without the mutual consent of the two Treasurers; except when one of them is absent, and bills are presented, which absolutely require immediate payment. And in such cxcepted cases, the sums drawn out by a separate order shall be specially notified to the Committee at their next meeting.
6. Two of the Preachers stationed in London shall be annually appointed to act as Secretaries to the Exccutive Committee, and the Conference, for Missionary Affairs.
7. The accounts of Reccipts and Disbursements, on account of our Missions, shall in future be made up to the 24th day of June in each year.
18. A Committee of Examination and Finance shall be annually chosen by the Confercnce, to meet on the Friday and Saturday which shall immediately precede the meeting of the ensuing Conference, and in the same city or town in which such Conference is to be held. This Committee shall consist of the President and Secretary of the Conference, for the time being;of the two General Treasurers, and those other Members of the Executive Committee who can attend;-of nine other Travelling Preachers;-and of nine respectable Members of our Society, not being Travelling Preachers, resident in the District or Districts contiguous to the place in which that Conference is to assemble.
9. To this Committee of Examination and Finance, detailed Accounts of our Missionary Receipts and Disbursements, during the preceding year, sliall be submitted for investigation; together with every question connected with the Financial Department of our Missionary business; and no such question shall be brought before the Conference, until a special report of their opinion has been drawn up and presented.
10. A General Report of the State of our Missions shall be annually prepared by the Executive Committec, and, if approved by the Committee of Examination and Finance, and by the Conference, shall be published and circulated. To this Report shall be appended, as usual, the Accounts of Receipts and Disbursements, as examined and audited by the last-mentioned Committee.
N. B. 1. In order to facilitate the immediate adoption of the foregoing plan, Mr. Wood, the present General Treasurer, is
requested to close his Missionary Account at the time when this Conference shall finish its sittings. The Account, made up to that period, shall be published; and a new Account opened by the new Treasurers, which shall be closed, according to the 7th Article of the Plan. on the 24th of June, 1816, and presented to the Committee of Examination and Finance, in the end of the following month.
2. The Executive Committee, in conjunction with the BookCommittee, are directed to take into serious consideration the best method of furnishing the Preachers, the Missionary Societies, and all other Friends to the Cause, throughout the Country, with regular and early communications of Missionary Intelligence.
3. We recommend to our Preachers and People the establishment of Missionary Prayer-Meetings, to be held in our Chapels once a month, wherever it can be made convenient.
4. No Missionary in the West-Indies, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Canada, or Bermuda, shall be permitted to draw a bill for more than fifty pounds at one time, without previous advice and explanation of the extraordinary nature and circumstances of the case. No Missionary stationed in the East shall be permitted to draw a bill for more than one hundred and fifty pounds at one time, without similar advice and cxplanation. And where there are more than one Preacher on the particular station, at which any such bill is drawn, all their names shall be affixed to the bill.
Q. 20. Who are the Geueral Treasurers and Secretaries for our Missions, for the ensuing year?
A. Thomas Thompson, Esq. M.P. and Mr. James Wood are respectfully requested to accept the office of Joint Treasurers; and Mr. Buckley and Mr. Thomas Wood are appointed Joint Secretaries.
Q. 21. Who shall compose the Committee of Examination and Finance, for our Missionary Affairs, for the next year?
A. 1. The President and Secretary of the Conference, the General Treasurers, and the Preachers in London, are, ex officio, members of that Conmittee.
2. The nine Preachers, appointed according to rule, are the following: viz. Henry Moore, Adam Clarke, Charles Atmore, Walter Griffith, George Highfield, Richard Reece, Samuel Taylor, Robert Smith, and George Morley.
3. The following persons, viz. Joseph Butterworth, Esq. M.P. Mr. David Bruce, Mr. Joseph Bulmer, Mr. William Marsden, Mr. John Cooper, Mr. Thomas Marriott, Mr. Richard Smith, (all of London,) Mr. Hulett, of Brompton, and Mr. Jennings, of Rotherhithe, are respectfully requested to act as the nine other members of the Committee.
Q. 22. What increase shall be made this year in the number of our Foreign Missionaries?
$A$. In compliance with the pressing requests received from abroad, and in humble dependence on the blessings of God, and the continued exertions and liberality of our Friends, and of the Public, we authorize our Executive Committee to send, out, as soon as convenient,

Four additional Missionaries to the West-Indies, \&c. Four ditto ditto to the British Provinces in North America;

| Two ditto | ditto <br> ditto | to Newfoundland; and <br> to Ceylon and the East. |
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| Six | ditto |  |

N. B. Several other proposals respecting the extension of our Missionary Efforts, which were laid before the Conference, are referred to the consideration and discretion of the Committee.
Q. 23. What is the judgment of the Conference respecting that part of our work, which las been usually termed The Home-Missions?
A. 1. The terms, Home-Missions and Home-Missionaries, shall be disused.
2. All the stations in England, which have been called HomeMissions, shall from this time be considered, either as distinct and regular circuits, or as appended to the regular circuits to which they are contiguous.
3. The Preachers employed in such stations, and heretofore considered as Home-Missionaries, shall be henceforth considered as additional Preachers, subject to the authority of the DistrictMeetings, and to every part of our discipline, like all other Preachers.
4. Those expenses, connected with the employment of such Preachers, which cannot be raised among the people for whom they labour, or in the circuits to which they are attached, shall be first examined and approved by the Quarterly-Meetings, and then allowed by the District-Mectings, to be paid out of the Yearly Collection, according to the same rules which direct the payment of all other ordinary and extraordinary deficiencies in the circuits.
5. In order to provide for the expenses which may be incurred by the employment of additional Preachers, for the purpose of carrying the Gospel and its ordinances into those parts of our own country which are in a great degree destitute of the ordinary means of religious iustruction,-as well as to prevent, if possible, the necessity of future Extraordinary Collections, by making the yearly Income of the Contingent Fund more equal to the average amount of the demands upon it,-an Annual Public Collection, for the Support and Spread of the Gospel at home, shall be made in all our congregations throughout the kingdom, in the early part of the month of July; which shall be brought to the
easuing Conference, and applied in aid of the old-established learly Collection, which is made privately in the Classes.
6. In Address to our Congregations, on the design and necessty of this Collection, shall be prepared; copies of which shall be sent to every Circuit, for the guidance of the Preachers who may be employed in making it.
Q. $\because 4$. What regulation is necessary, respecting Public Collections?
A. We direct our Superintendants to be punctual in making the General Collections, which are requisite for the support of the work at large, at those times of the year at which they are regularly appointed to be made; and we intreat our Friends so to arrange the times of their various Local Collections, as not to interfere with measures which are essential to the very existence of Methodism.
N. B. I. The regular times of our general Congregational Collections are as follow: viz.
(1.) The Public Collection for Kingswood and WoodhouseGrove Schools, and for the Education of the Preachers' Children, generally, is to be made in the month of October.
(2.) The Collections allowed for Chapels in cases of distress, are to be made in January or February at latest.
(3.) The Public Collection for Missions is to be made in May; except in places where a Collection has been made for that purpose at Missionary Meetings, or by means of Missionary Societies; in which cases the Public Collection may be omitted.
(t.) The Collection to be applied in aid of the Contingent Fund, for the support and spread of the Gospel at home, is to be made in July.
II. The Private Collections for the General Purposes of the Connexion are also to be made as usual: viz.
(1.) Private Subscriptions for the Schools, Sic. are to be solicited from our private Members, Hearers. and Friends, in every Circuit, in the month of October, previously to the making of the Public Collection for the same purpose.
(2.) The Private Yearly Subscription in the Classes, for the support of the work at home, is to be proposed at the time of the March Visitation, and the sums contributed are to be collected as soon as convenient, and brought to the District Meetings.
(3.) The Private Snbscriptions for the Preachers' Auxiliary Fund, are to be collected as soon as possible after Midsummer.
Q. 25. What steps can be taken in order to prevent an increase of the general debt of the Connection?
A. 1. On considering the present embarrassed state of our finances, and the absolute necessity of economical arrangements, we solemnly and unanimously agree, That the number of Preachers to be employed in the Connection at home, shall not at the next Conference be allowed, on any account whatever, to exceed on the whole, the number of Preachers stationed at the present Conference. If additional Preachers shall appear to be urgently wanted in some particular circuits, such wants shall, for that time, be supplied by withdrawing Preachers from those circuits in which the necessity for their labours is of a less pressing nature, or in which the success of past exertions has been comparatively small and inconsiderable.
2. We again most earnesly advise and exhort our friends to use the utmost caution with respect to the crection of new cha-pels;-to remember especially Mr. Wesley's advice, "Beware of building expensive chapels;"-and not to engage in any such undertaking, in the present state of our affairs, without a moral certainty that the income from seat-rents, together with the subscriptions that may be raised in the circuit to which the new chapel is to belong, will be such as to prevent future embarrassment, and meet all the additional expenses of every sort, without that help from other parts of the Connexion which it is now found so very difficult to obtain. And we call the attention of of our Preachers and Societies to the following Minute of the year 1813; viz. "Our friends who may contemplate in future the erection of new chapels, are earnestly entreated to inquire, before any decisive step be taken, whether, by the building of such chapel, an additional travelling Preacher will not be rendered necessary; and whether, in that case, they can support him out of the funds of the chapel, or of their own circuit."
3. It is agreed, That all claims on the Contingent Fund for travelling expenses, shall first pass through a Quarterly Meeting, and be signed by the Circuit Steward, as approved, before they are proposed to the District Meeting or to the Conference.
Q. 26. Can any amendment be nade in the existing rule concerning letters sent to our public schools?
A. In future, the Preachers who write to the Governors or to the boys, shall either send their letters post-paid, or refund the amount of the Postage to the Governors at the ensuing Conference.
Q. 27. Who are the Committee for Kingswood School for the ensuing year?
A. John Barber, Chairman; Samuel Taylor, Secretary; Robert Johnson, Treasurer; Joseph Taylor, jun. William Martin, John Rigg, Jeremiah Brettell, John Smith, sen. Thomas Roberts, and John Wood ; with Thomas Roberts, Esq. Mr. John Hall, and Mr. James Wood, of Bristol.

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Q. 28. Who are the Committee for Woodhouse-Grove for the ensuing year?
A. Walter Griffith, Chairman ; John Stamp, Secretary ; Thomas Stanley, Treasurer; Thomas Bartholomew, George Highfield, John Braithwaite, John Stephens, Jacob Stanley, Cleland Kirkpatrick, Charles Gloyne, Robert Newton, William Radcliffe, sen. Henry Taft, and Thomas Hill ; with Messrs. Fawcett, of Bradford; B. Sadler, of Leeds; John Ashworth, of Halifax; Holdsworth, of Wakefield; John Sutcliffe, of Sowerby Bridge; and Child, of Greengates.

## Miscellaneous Orders and Resolutions of the Conference.

1. No motion shall be discussed, at any future Conference, proposing a new rule that would affect our Connexion in general, unless notice be given of such motion at least on the day before it is brought forward.
2. The cordial and unanimous thanks of the Conference are given to the Rev. J. M. Bletsoe, M. A. for his valuable and gratuitous services as Head Master of the School at WoodhouseGrove; and he is requested to accept from the Conforence, as a token of their respect, a set of Mr. Wesley's Works, elegantly bound, which our Book Steward is hereby directed to transmit.
3. The Superintendants of Circuits are directed to explain to those Quarterly Meetings, which shall request it, the reasons which induced the Conference of last year to pass the resolution, by which, in conformity to a practice which had been previously and voluntarily introduced by our friends in several circuits, the Preachers are permitted, in certain cases which that resolution describes, to receive a small allowance for their children until the age of twenty years: but though the Conference fully depends on the conviction, which such explanations will produce, of the equity and necessity of that particular measure, they are desirous to guard against all reasonable ground of complaint, and to secure the perfect confidence of their societies; and have therefore resolved as follows: viz. That, in future, no new proposal, which is designed to effect a general augmentation of the income of the Preachers, in the Connexion at large, shall be definitively adopted as a rule, until it shall have received the assent of a majority of the District Meetings throughout the kingdom, at the time when the financial affairs of the Districts are transacted; during which time, according to an existing rule, the Circuit Stewards of every circuit in each District are to be invited to attend the District Meeting, and shall have a right to vete on every such proposal respecting any general increase of allowances.
Q. 29. When and where shall our next Conference be held?
A. In London, on the last Monday in July, 1816.

Signed on behalf and by order of the Conference, JOHN BARBER, President. JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary.
Manchester, Aug. 18, 1815.
N. B. 1. The Stationing Committee are to assemble at nine o'clock in the morning of the Monday befure the commencement of the next Conference: and Messrs. Waddy, Brathwaite, and Warren, are to meet at the same time to audit and prepare the General Accounts.
2. All Letters written to the President, in the course of the year, should be sent post paid, and addressed to the Rev. John Barber, Montague-Street, Bristol.

The Address of the Irish Conference to the British Conference.

## Dear Fathers and Brethren,

GRACE be unto you, and peace from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. According to our annual usage, we address you, and feel assured of that mutual love-which is by Him-"from whom the whole body fitly joined together, and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working, in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body."

Your address we received as a pledge of your affection for, and confidence in us; and we rejoice to feel, that with you, God hath given unto us an understanding of the Truth which is according to his will, and by which Truth we are saved. Through grace, by the unfeigned faith of the Gospel, we have been raised up together, and have been made to sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus; and have seen and felt the exceeding riches of his grace and his kindness towards us." When our merciful Lord visited this island by the Messrs. Wesleys, and the first Methodist Preachers, our fathers were instructed in the Truth as it is in Jesus; they saw themselves lost, guilty, and undone sinners by nature and practice; they, by sincere repentance and lively faith, were led to the all-sufficiency of the Atonement by the blood of our Lord God and Saviour; they rejoiced in the full assurance of their adoption, and cleansed themselves-perfecting holiness in the fear of the Lord:-in this same faith have we been instructed, and being comforted by its experimental power in our own hearts, we have testified the grace of God, and have laboured and continued unto this day. Since the beginning of this blessed work, almust
every year has been marked with some signal token of divine favour, and the word of the Lord has been greatly multiplied among us: and it is matter of thanksgiving that the last year also has been favoured with "times of refreshing coming from the presenee of the Lord." In several Cireuits there has been a great enlargement of our Zion, and though from various eireum. stanees, our increase does not appear, yet we have seen many turned " from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God."

The Irish Missions still continue to bless our land ;-several of the Catholies have, during the last year, been enlightened and turned to God, and not a few of the careless Protestants brought to that knowledge of God, in whieh standeth eternal life.

The opening prospects of the Eastern Mission to Ceylon, \&c. afford to us a pleasing hope of future labour and success; and though we deeply deplore, (as indeed must all the lovers of Missionary labours, the untimely removal of our highly-venerated friend and brother, Dr. Coke,-yet we have learned not only to adore the inserutable dispensations of God, but also that, HE who rules over all things in the heavens and in the earth, in roisdom and love, hath the means of accomplishing all good ends-to all his creatures, in his own hands.

Our pecuniary embarrassments, and many other weighty subjects which have eome before our Conference, have not only prolonged our sitting, but have seriously and deeply exercised our minds : but by an humble looking to God, and we trust a tender and faithful attention to the interest of our connexion on this side of the water, we have been led to the most amicable means of adjustment. Our little bark has been often tossed upon a tempestuous sea; but He whose wisdom guides the helm, has hitherto saved us from being shipwrecked; and to his guidance we still look, that we may find the haven of peace.

These eventful times among the nations are strongly marked by the Divine interference; and whilst we learn to adore the deep and unsearehable eouncils of God, we feel gratitude to Him whose-is the victory, and the glory, and the kingdom, for ever!

Your very judieious choiee of our President as afforded an unspeakable satisfaction; and while we express our gratitude for the appointment of our esteemed and much-loved Brother Griffith, we are still disposed to leave to your wisdom the ehoice of the President of our next Conference; and so much the more freely, because we have found your choice of our Presidents from time to time, most perfectly correspond with our best wishes, and tending to strengtien the bonds of brotherhood between the two eountries.

We send as our Representative to your Conference our beloved Brother, Matthew 'Tobias; and we commend him and you, dear

Fathers and Brethren, " to God and the Word of his grace, which is able to build you up, and give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified."

Signed on Behalf, and by Order, of Conference, ROBERT CROZIER, Secretary.
Dublin, July 21, 1815.

## The Answer of the British Conference to the Addres* from the Imish Conference.

## Dear Brethren,

CASTING our regards on the religious world, to trace the counsel and glory of God in his sanctuary, we rejoice to observe, that the general character of Christianity, in the present age, is strongly marked by "good will to men.". The diffusion of the sacred Scriptures in every language; Missionary efforts to instruct the heathen; evangelical preaching at home; gratituitous instruction of children; and benevolence to the poor in every form; attract an union of heart, and rivalship of exertion among all good men. In all these pious efforts, the Methodists, according to the utmost of their power, have been among the most distinguished, and often so far taken the lead, that our Christian brethren of other denominations, have been excited to emulation, and have adopted our plans.

With regard to the work of God, on this side the water, we are happy to add, that we have cause of continued joy. Our increase of numbers during the past year, has been about eight thousand. Conversions among us are very frequent; and wherever a chapel has been erected, with few exceptions, a greater or a less revival of religion has ensued. -So circumstanced, our ministry daily becomes a charge more weighty and impressive to ourselves. We have sinners to address more enlightened with knowledge than in former years, and on whose minds divine truths can produce little effect unless accompanied with the peculiar power of God. We have a vast body of believers to instruct and edify, who are very much exposed to the temptations of the age. We find it necessary to urge them to go back to the New Testament, and to the early writings of Methodism for models of purity, of self-denial, and of entire devotedness to God, that we may bear our trials with Christian temper, and cheerfully embrace the will of our heavenly Father.

With regard to Missionary labours, it is pleasing to say, that heaven has cast a gracious smile on all our work. Some defects of discipline in the West Indies have been surmounted, and the islands begin to assume the form of English circuits. In Nova Scotia, in Newfoundland, and the adjacent Isles, the inhabitants
evince great affection for the Missionaries, and continue to solicit a greater portion of their labours.-In Ceylon, that Divine infuence which prompted the late Rev. Dr. Coke to sail for the East, and the Conference to second his views, has disposed all ranks of men to recelve the Missionaries with the utmost kindness and affection. The general cry in the breasts of all good men is, "Come over and help us." We are about so far to comply with their requests. as to send over six additional labourers. The priest of the Budhu Temple, whose conversion gave us so much joy, continues steadfast in his views, and assiduous in labours. He has sent us over about five hundred verses cf a new translation of the Sacred Scriptures into the Cingalese dialect, written on the palmetto leaf, accompanied with a grateful address. The execuion obviously indicates the author to be a man of letters, and of great hope to the work in the East.

With regard to the expenses of Missions so extensive, the Great Author of the work seems to have become responsible for the demands. He has whispered in the hearts of his children, "The gold is mine, and the silver is mine, saith the Lord."Feeling the impulse, they have formed themselves into Missionary Associations in all parts of England, and come forward with a liberality highly pleasing.

Labouring therefore together in a work so glorious, we cordially enter into all your views of unity and love between the brethren of both countries. It mutually strengthens our hands, and exhibits a Christian temper calculated to recommend religion to the world. Your gratitude for the light and help which your fathors received from the first Methodists Preachers that visited Irelard, indicates your high sense of the value of the Gospel, and expresses a sentiment truly Christian. We rejoice that you hold fast those truths, and cherish piety with constant care. We rejoice not less to hear that sinners have been converted, whelher Catholic or Protestant in exterior name. But with regard to sinners converted from the Catholics, we have generally found them to be persons of good understanding, and sound religion; for men of less firm principle have seldom resolution to make the sacrifices and endure the reproaches, to which such persons, on joining with us become exposed. We exhort, and encourage you, brethren, to persevere in every good effort, that your ministry may ever be a transcript of all that ought to pass between God and your hearers, and that you may continue to win over a multitude of sinners to the Lord.

Brother Tobias, your Representative, has in all things been attentive to your business, and rendered himself agreeable to us, by communicating all the requisite information respecting the affairs of Ireland.

We have appointed our dear Brother, and respected President, Mr. Barber, to preside at your next Conference, believing that he will be able to advise and assist you in all your affairs.

Signed on behalf of the Conference, assembled at
Manchester, Aug. 14, 1815,
JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary.
The following Address, voted by the Conference, held in Bristol, 1814, was sent on September 7th, with a Letter from the President, to the Right Honourable Lord Viscount Sidmouth, Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, requesting that his Lordship would have the goodness to present the Address to the Regent. With this request his Lordship complied in the most obliging and prompt manner, as the following Letter proves, with which his Lordship honoured the President.

Sir, $\quad$ Whitehall, 9th September, 1814.
I have had the honour to lay before the Prince Regent, the very loyal and dutiful Address of the Ministers of the People called Methodists, belonging to the Religious Societies first established by the Rev. John Wesley, deceased,-transmitted to me with your Letter of the 7th instant.-And I have the satisfaction to acquaint you, that His Royal Highness was pleased to receive the same in the most gracious manner.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servant, Sidmouth.

## To the Rev. Dr. Adam Clarke, Harpur Street.

The next day, Saturday, September 10, the Address, as below, was printed, the first article in the Gazette.
The Address of the Methodist Confenence to the Prince Regent.
To His Royal Highness George, Prince of Wales, Regent of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.
The humble Address of the Ministers of the People called Methodists, belonging to the Religious Societies, first established by the Rev. John Wesley, deceased. May it please your Royal Highness,
WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Ministers of the People called Methodists, belonging to the Religious Societies first established by the Rev. John Wesley, deceased, beg leave most humbly to approach your Royal Highness, and to offer to you our heartfelt congratulations on the happy termination of the late sanguinary and protracted war, and on the restoration of peace, among the various nations which compose the great European family.

In the astonishing events which have led to these auspicious results, we devoutly recognise the special agency of that Almighty Being, who doeth according to his will, in the army of heaven, and anong the inhabitants of the earth: all whose works are truth, and his ways judgment, and who in the recent dispensations of His Providence, has made it signally manifest, that those who walk in pride He is able to abase.

We gladly avail ourselves of this opportunity to assure your Royal Highness, that both we and the numerous societies whom we represent, are firmly and unalterably attached to the excellent Constitution of our Country; and that in sentiments of most loyal and affectionate respect for the Person, the Family, and the Government of our venerable Sovercign, we are not behind any other class of his Majecty's subjects. His long affliction we have sincerely lamented; and for his present and eternal welfare we incessantly pray. For your Royal Highness also, we offer up to God our continual supplications, that his best blessings may rest on yourself and on your Regency; that you may be his minister for good to this nation and to mankind; and that after having long lived at the head of a free, faithful, and prosperous people, you may finally receive a crown of righteousness, which fadeth not away.

With our prayers, we shall not fail to continue, as we have ever donc, our strenuous exhertations to the people of our charge; that they may be taught, both by our precepts and example, while they fear God, to honour the King, and to adorn our holy religion by an uniformly peaceable demeanour, and by a cheerful subjection to lawful authority.

In these principles of Christian loyalty, we were, as a religious body, carefully instructed by the Founder of our Societies-they are embodied in our standing rules of discipline, and we are confirmed in our adherence to them, by our thankful recollection of the privileges which we enjoy. Those privileges we consider as greatly enlarged and secured, by a recent statute, entitled, "An Act to repeal certain Acts, and amend other Acts, relating to religions worship and assemblies, and persons teachingor preaching therein." For this extension and establishment of religious liberty, we are solicitious to express our warmest gratitude to your Royal Highness, under whose councils the measure was introduced into Parliament, and unanimously passed into a law. And while we are thus acknow'edging our own obligations, we cannot omit to advert, with similar feelings of 'respectful and grateful satisfaction, to the legal facilities which are now afforded to pious persons of all den minations, for the peaceable diffusion of the manifold blessings of Christianity, in those populous countries which compose the British Empire in India.

We cannot, however, conceal from your Royal Highness, that
amidst the many occasions of congratulation and thankfulness which late events have produced, there is one subject, which, as men, as Christians, and as Ministers of the Gospel of Peace, we can contemplate with no other emotions than those of the deepest regret. We refer to that article of the treaty with France, from which it appears, that the influence of your Royal Highness has not obtained, as yet, the consent of the French Government, to abandon their purpose of reviving the Slave Trade.

The renewal of that detestable traffic, under any modifications, or for any period, however limited, we most earnestly deprecate as a calamity of incalculable magnitude. The miseries in which it will involve thousands of our unoffending fellow-creatures, we regard as constituting but a part of the mischief with which it is pregnant ; it will operate most injuriously, if not fatally, on those benevolent plans which have been formed, and partially executed, for civilizing and Christianizing the inhabitants of the African Continent.

In some of those plans, the religious community to which we belong are peculiarly interested, having for some years established schools on the western coast of Africa, for the education of negro children, with encouraging appearances of ultimate success. On this ground, therefore, as well as on general principles of humanity, justice, and religion; and because we wish to see our own country at least fully rescued from the guilt of innocent blood, by the exertion of its utmost influence on this question, we are anxious that the question should undergo such further discussion, in the approaching Congress at Vienna, as may lead, we humbly trust, to that great consummation, the immediate, the universal, the unqualified abolition of the Slave Trade.

Impressed with these feelings, we have read with no common satisfaction, the answer of your Royal Highness to the unanimous addresses of the two Houses of Parliament on this smbject, in which you were graciously pleased to intimate, that your unremitting exertions will be used to give effect to their wishes for the abolition of this trade.

Accept, Sir, of our most hearty tlanks for this declaration, worthy of a British Prince. And may Almighty God crown your renewed exertions in a cause so holy, with complete success ! May it be your high honour, and that of the nation over which you rule, to be recorded in the page of history, as the principal instrumeuts employed by Divine Providence, first in restoring liberty and peace to Europe, and then in terminating for ever, the wrongs and the desolations of Alica.

Signed, by order and in behalf of the Methodi-t Ministers, assembled at their seventy-first Annual Conference, Adam Clarke, President.

[^3]Kingswood and Woonhouse-grove Schools.


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| Kirkham | 0106 | Pigs' Keeping | 2 |  |
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| Riggall | 0106 | Bills) | 32 | 8 |
| Alnwick \& Berwick | 9100 | Expenditure of the |  |  |
| Ayr | 100 | School at Wood- |  |  |
| Aberdeen | $8 \quad 0 \quad 0$ | house-Grove, from |  |  |
| Arbroath | 1100 | June 24, 1814, to |  |  |
| Ampthill | $\begin{array}{lll}7 & 1 & 9\end{array}$ | June 24, 1815. |  |  |
| Brentford | 1766 | Flour | 28013 | 0 |
| Bedford | $\begin{array}{llll}9 & 5 & 0\end{array}$ | Butchers' Meat | 28115 | 0 |
| Biggleswade | $9 \quad 510$ | Cheese, \&c. | 50 | 0 |
| Brighton | 15120 | Groceries | 9011 | 0 |
| Mr. C. Cook | $\begin{array}{lll}1 & 1 & 0\end{array}$ | Malt \& Hops | 52 | - |
| Wm. Marten | 100 | Cows' Keeping | 8510 | 6 |
| John Marten | 100 | Do. purchased | $40 \quad 0$ | 0 |
| Everett, Hartfield | 100 | Potatoes | 2515 | - |
| Miss Eliza Doddeswell | 100 | Hats, Caps, and |  |  |
| Mr. Tomsett | 100 | Stockings . | 6114 | - |
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| Beves | 010 | ing and mending | 16614 | - 9 |
| Colbrun | 0106 | Linen, do. do. | $82 \quad 5$ | 5 |
| Mrs. Pocock | 0100 | Shoes | 1077 | 76 |
| Mr. Everitt, Groom- |  | Coals | 556 | 69 |
| bridge | 0100 | Candles, Soap, and |  |  |
| Thomas Killick | 0100 | Lamp Oil | 4716 | 0 |
| John Killick | 0100 | Washing \& Ironing | 611 | 0 |
| Sinall sums | 106 | Stationary | 1029 | 96 |
| Bungay | $\begin{array}{lll}3 & 7 & 0\end{array}$ | Letters | 1710 | 0 |
| Bury St. Edmunds | 15186 | Labour in the Field |  |  |
| Banbury | 14140 | and Garden | $37 \quad 9$ | 9 |
| Brackley | 1100 | Salaries | 1086 | 6 |
| Bodmin | $\begin{array}{llll}14 & 511\end{array}$ | Servants' Wages | 8716 | 6 |
| Mr. W. Chapple | 100 | Taxes | 74.11 |  |
| T. Craddock | 100 | Furniture | 428 | 86 |
| West | 0106 | Repairs | 13715 | 51 |
| Sandys | 015 | Ironmongery | 1116 | 66 |
| Williams | 076 | Blacksmith's Bills | 153 | 36 |
| Small sums | 2196 | Boys' Pocket Money | Y 1917 | 70 |
| Barnstaple | $\begin{array}{lll}13 & 4 & 0\end{array}$ | Cartage | $36 \quad 5$ | 50 |
| Brixham | 6100 | Travelling Expenses | 215 | 50 |



Kingswood and Woodhouse-grove Schools.

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| Goodfellow | 11 |  | First Year. |  |  |  |
| John and Charles |  |  | Rob. Hodgson | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Robinson | 11 | 0 | Jos. Harrison | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Mr. John Sherwin | 110 |  | Henry Gates | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker | 11 |  | James Sedgwick | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| John Wood | 10 | - | Samuel Warren | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Mrs. Wood | 10 | 0 | James Doncaster | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Small sums | 03 |  | John Ollivier | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Bacup | 612 | 6 | Jno. W. Kershaw | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Bury | 56 | 0 | Geo. Thompson | 12 | 0 | 0 |
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| Mrs. Bealey | 10 | 0 | Thomas Yates | 12 | 0 | 0 |
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| John Baker | 10 |  | Preachers' Daugh |  |  |  |
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| Geo. Wood | 010 | 0 | Cecilia Byron | 8 | 8 | 0 |
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| Small sums | 010 | 6 | Sarah Doncaster | 8 | 8 |  |
| Blackburn | 149 | 6 | Mary Crowther | 8 | 8 |  |
| Mrs. Aspinall | 010 | 0 | Helen Campbell | 8 | 8 |  |
| Mr. Jos. Banning | 10 | 0 | Jane Wood | 8 | 8 |  |
| Jos. Crewe | 010 | 0 | Jane Woolmer | 8 | 8 |  |
| Wm. Coulliurst | 010 | 0 | Mary Simpson | 8 | 8 |  |
| John Wesley Dall | 010 | 6 | Eliza Riles | 8 | 8 |  |
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| Rich. Entwisle | 010 | 0 | Mary Howarth | 8 | 8 |  |
| John Edge | 10 | 0 | Eliz. Bridgnell | 8 | 8 |  |
| Jos. Fish | 010 | 0 | Charlotte Kane | 8 | 8 |  |
| Gee | 010 | 0 | Mary Gower | 8 | 8 |  |
| Jos. Hainsworth | 010 | 6 | Martha Reece | 8 | 8 |  |
| Rich. Jackson | 010 | 0 | Mary A. Gates | 8 | 8 |  |
| King | 10 | 0 | Martha Taylor | 8 | 8 |  |
| Mrs. Kenyon | 011 | 0 | Fifth Year. |  |  |  |
| Mr. Jas. Pickup | 010 |  | Mar. Hainsworth | 8 | 8 |  |
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| James Shorrock | 010 | 0 | Mary A. Daniel | 8 | 8 |  |
| T. Wilkinson | 010 | 0 | Ann Vasey | 8 | 8 |  |
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| Mr. John Baxendale, |  | Amelia Button | 8 8 0 |
| jun. | 0106 | Hannah Chettle | 880 |
| Bailey | 1110 | Mary Dean | $8 \quad 80$ |
| Wm. Cannon | 010 ¢ 6 | Eliz. West | 880 |
| George Cliff | $010^{\circ} 6$ | Mary A. Towler | 880 |
| R. Holland, Esq. | 110 | A. Rought | 88 |
| Mr. Wm. Hall | 0106 | M. A. Leppington | 8 |
| John Kirkham | 0106 | E. Leppington | 80 |
| John Lord | 100 | Jane M•Donald |  |
| Peter Rothwell, Esq. | 200 | Eliz. Aver | 880 |
| Mr. T. Rothwell | 100 | Ann Miller | 880 |
| A Friend | 100 | Mary Watson | $8 \quad 80$ |
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| Small sums | 2160 | Frances Ingham | 880 |
| Burnley | 18146 | Eliza Reynolds | 880 |
| Bingley | 6160 | Mary E. Atmore | S 80 |
| Mr. T. Whitby | 200 | Mary Wintle, | 880 |
| Small sums | 160 | Eliz. Howarth | 880 |
| Bradford, Yorkshire | 20130 | Eliz. Burdsall | $8 \quad 80$ |
| Bramley | $\begin{array}{llll}31 & 3 & 0\end{array}$ | Ann Whiteside | 880 |
| Birstal | 15180 | Marg. Sykes | 0 |
| Mr. Thos. Crowther | 110 | Eliz. Ogilvie | 880 |
| Messrs. G. and T. |  | Mary Welborne | 880 |
| Crowther | $0 \quad 0$ | Eliza Garrett | 880 |
| Mr. Isaac Crowther | 220 | Hannah Kittle | 880 |
| Gaunt | $1 \begin{array}{lll}1 & 1 & 0\end{array}$ | Paulina Riles | 880 |
| Wm. Hirst | $1 \begin{array}{lll}1 & 1 & 0\end{array}$ | Sus. Button | 880 |
| Jos. Jackson | 100 | Catherine Grant | 880 |
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| Mortimer | 0106 | Frances Gates | 880 |
| J. Pearson | 1110 | Mary A. Farrar | 880 |
| Sam. Scholefield | 00 | Mary Parkin | 880 |
| Sharp | 0 0 | Ann Aver | 380 |
| John Wade | 1 1 0 | Harriot Shaw | 88 |
| Small sums | 0 | Mary Edmondson | 88 |
| Bakewell | $\begin{array}{lll}7 & 16 & 2\end{array}$ | Carol. Campbell | 88 |
| Bradwell | 1063 | Jane Sutcliffe | - $8 \quad 80$ |
| Barnsley | $1414 \begin{array}{ll}14 & 0\end{array}$ | Prud. Brookhouse | 88 |
| Belper 1 | 1280 | Ann Wood | 88 |
| Burton 1 | $14 \quad 00$ | Eliza Gower | 880 |
| Friends | 100 | Ann Aikenhead | 880 |

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| Mrs. Hastings |  | Anna Gilpin | 880 |
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| Francis Cover | 010 | Maria Moulton | 880 |
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| George Locking | 010 | Mary Gee | 88 |
| Martin Lowish | 010 | Sarah Alexand | 88 |
| John Parking | 010 | Amelia Bowes | 88 |
| James Stephenson |  | Sarah Bogie | 88 |
| R. T. R.Walton, Esq | q. 1 | Betsy Crowth | 88 |
| Small sums |  | Kezia Yates | 88 |
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| Camelford | 16 | Catherine W |  |
| Mr. Mabyn |  | Ann Ogilvie |  |
| Ivey |  | Eliz. Simpson |  |
| rs. Rosevear | 10 | Eliza Hare | 88 |
| Mr. T. P. Rosevear |  | E. M. Kershaw |  |
| Mrs. Pearse | 010 | M. W. Vasey | 88 |
| Mr. Robert Pearse | 010 | Eliz. Gee | 88 |
| Lobb | 010 | Ann F. Pattison | 88 |
| Martin, Ackland | 010 | Eliza Welborne | 88 |
| Small sums |  | Jemima Slack | 83 |
| Cheltenham | 70 | Mary Meek | 88 |
| Carmarthen |  | Mary A. Laycock | 88 |
| Cardiff |  | Carol. Burdsall | 88 |
| Cardigan | $15^{\prime}$ | Jane Smith | 88 |
| Canterbury | 1713 | Jemima Yates | 88 |
| Mr. James Blackley | y 010 | Jane Mercer | 88 |
| Chittenden | 010 | Eliza Buckley | 88 |
| Fordred | 011 | First Year. |  |
| rs. Mary Neal | 10 | Eliza Wintle | 88 |
| Jemima Neal | 11 | Mary Miller | 88 |
| mall sums | 014 | Mary A. Jones | 88 |

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| Congleton | 1014 | 0 | Mary Woolmer | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Mr. Andrew | 10 | 0 | Mary Rossell | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Barlow | 10 | 0 | Eliza Marsden | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Hadfield | 010 | 6 | Mary H. France | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Jackson | 010 | 6 | Eliz. Kitchen | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Samuel Wood | 010 | 6 | Ann Oakes | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Colne | 413 | 0 | Mary H. Mercer | 8 |  | 0 |
| Mr. Battinson | 010 | 0 | Eliza Aikenhead | 8 |  | 0 |
| Sagar | 11 | 0 | Sarah Rogerson | 9 | 8 | 0 |
| Small sums | () 8 | 0 | Sarah Crowther | 8 |  | 0 |
| Chesterfield | S 12 | 10 | Sarah Gloyne | 8 |  | 0 |
| Mr. Fox, Newbold | 11 | 0 | Eliza Turton | 8 |  | 0 |
| Thomas Johnson | 07 | 6 | Mary A. Wheeler | 8 |  | 0 |
| Cromford | 87 | 6 | Sarah Gower | 8 |  | 0 |
| Carlisle | 50 | 0 | Elizabeth Poole | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Clithero | 510 | 0 | Mary Sykes | 8 |  | 0 |
| Deptford | 310 | 8 | Alice A. West | 8 |  | 0 |
| Mr.' Boddy | 010 | 6 | Dorothy Draper | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| Mrs. Brames | 010 | 0 | Sarah Barker | 8 | 8 | 0 |
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| C.Crookenderı, jun | 010 | 6 | money borrowed | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| Dawes | 11 | 0 | By Cash to Mr. Av | cre, |  |  |
| Dawes, jun | 11 | 0 | Burslem | 3 | 7 | 0 |
| Evans | 010 | . 6 | Ditto to Widow Du | 1m- |  |  |
| Ford | 010 | 6 | bleton, for 2 daug | gh- |  |  |
| Harry | 010 | 0 | ters for the two la |  |  |  |
| Jno. Hall, jun. | 010 | 6 | years | 33 | 12 | + 0 |
| James Hall | O 10 | 6 | Ditto to Mr. Barb | ber |  | $1 i$. |
| Miss Sarah Hall | 010 | 6 | for his soll on ac |  |  |  |
| Mr. Hargrave | 10 | 0 | count of clothing | g 12 |  | 0 |
| Jennings | 20 | 0 | Ditto to Mr. Rough |  |  |  |
| T. Jones | 010 | 6 | over-paid | 3 | 5 | 11 |
| King | $\bigcirc 10$ | 0 | Balance in the hand |  |  |  |
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| Raby | 010 | 6 | the expenditure |  |  |  |
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| Seager | 010 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Messrs. Stark \& Son | 10 | 0 |  | $\because 673$ |  | 1 |
| Mr. Sedgar | 10 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| Warren | 010 | 6 |  |  |  |  |

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A Friend
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Dover
Mrs. Cowley
Mr. Birch
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Towell
Friend
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Mrs. Hayward
Small sums
Diss
Daventry
Dursley
Downend
Dolgelly
Mr. Bloomer
Miss Brinton
A Friend
Mr. Gordon
Rogers
J. Stinson

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Mr. Battell
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Small sums
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Mr. George Bays
Farthing
Mrs. Hance
Mr. David Holtby
Mrs. Hornby
Mr.W.Lownsborough $010 \quad 6$
W. Parkin

Wm. Topham
Mrs. Tweedy
Mr. Wm. Wright
Field
Wilberforce
Day
Heb
Darlington
Mr. Pickering
J'Anson
C. Dove

Appleton
R. Walker

Geo. Middleton
Mattison
Durham
Mr. Barry
Kilburn (last year)
Middleton
Steel
Ward
Douglas, Isle of Man $10 \quad 0 \quad 10$
Dunbar
Dunfermline

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- Blunt, Esq.

Mr. Bishop
Fussell
A Friend
Mr. Griffith
Humphries
Oldfield
Perch Sinkins
Messrs. B. B. and T. Poole
Framlingham
Guernsey, English
Mr. John Angel
Bredthaft
Mrs. Dorcas
Mr. P. De Jersey
N. Robin
A. Simon

Alex. Thorn
Mrs. E. A.
French
Three Friends
Gloucester
Garstang
Grantham
A Friend
Mr. Gay
Redshaw
Grimsby
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| A Friend | 100 |
| Mr. R. Penniston | 0106 |
| J. Penniston | 0106 |
| Bonnifant | 0106 |
| Parker | 0106 |
| P. Riggall | 0106 |
| W. Riggall, jun. | 0106 |
| Mrs. Garnish | 0106 |
| Mr Hobson | 0106 |
| A Friend | 0106 |
| Mr. J. Clark | 0106 |
| A Priend | 0106 |
| Small sums | 0150 |
| Hull | $5415 \quad 6$ |
| Mr. A. Atkinson | 0 0 6 |
| Mrs. Binks | 220 |
| Mr. Blaine | 110 |
| Mrs. C. Briggs | 110 |
| Mr. Baron | 110 |
| Collinsun | 110 |
| Geo. Cookman | 0106 |
| Richard Ellis | 0106 |
| Fawcett | 110 |
| Robert Garbutt | 110 |
| Gibson | 110 |
| Wm. Gibson | 100 |
| Henry Green | 0106 |
| John Gibson | 0106 |
| John Hill | 220 |
| Holmes | 110 |
| James Henwood | 0106 |
| W. Hebblewhite | 0106 |
| Samuel King | 290 |
| Lowthorp | 220 |
| Thomas Lee | 0106 |
| Lowther | 0106 |
| S. Middleton | $1 \begin{array}{lll}1 & 0\end{array}$ |
| Simeon Malleys | 110 |
| Moxon | 1110 |
| Plunsmer | 1110 |
| John Pukr | 110 |
| John Pura $n$ | 0106 |
| J. Richerdson | $2 \quad 20$ |
| Mark Robinson | 0106 |

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Mr. Ashworth
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| Mr. H. Rothwell | 0 | 5 | 0 |
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| Geo. Rushton | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| A Friend | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| Ipswich | 9 | 8 | 0 |
| Jersey, English | 5 | 13 | 6 |
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| Mr. David Bruce 110 |  |
| Blackman 1 |  |
| Hutchinson 1 |  |
| Mrs. Hutchinson 1100 |  |
| W. Marriott, Esq. 220 |  |
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| Mrs. Smallwood 110 |  |
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| Brody $\quad 0 \begin{array}{llll}10 & 0\end{array}$ |  |
| Capt. Green, Cannon- <br> Street, St. George's 100 |  |
| Mr. E. Fowler 10110 |  |
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| London West $\begin{array}{llll}151 & 5 & 6\end{array}$ |  |
| Joseph Butterworth, |  |
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| Wm. Cooper 1110 |  |
| Wm. Kent 1110 |  |
| Matthison 1110 |  |
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Mr. J. Brame

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Mr. M. Ashton
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Mrs. Brown
Mr. Byrom
Mrs. Cotter
Mr. Cain
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| J. Cramp | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Thos. Rowe | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| A Friend | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Maidstone | 12 | 17 | 6 |  |
| Mr. Holland | 0 | 10 | 6 |  |
| Jarman | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Hazell | 0 | 10 | 6 |  |
| Laddrook | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Mrs. Ruck | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Mr. T. Sutton | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| A Friend | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Market Harboro' | 6 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Melksham | 12 | 5 | 0 |  |
| Midsummer Norton | 15 | 17 | 0 |  |
| Merthyr Tydville | 4 | 11 | 0 |  |
| Monmouth | 8 | 15 | 6 |  |
| Machynlleth | 5 | 3 | 8 |  |
| Marclesfield | 20 | 1 | 6 |  |
| Mr. Thos. Allen | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| J. Birchinall | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| J. H. Beaumont | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Jos. Harvey | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Geo. Pearson | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Samuel Ditto | 2 | 2 | 0 |  |
| Geo. Ditto, jun. | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Nath. Ditto | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Mrs. Palfryman | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Mr. J. Thorley | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| David Yates | 2 | 2 | 0 |  |
| A Friend (Mr. -) | 1 | 1 | 0 |  |
| Manchester | 57 | 9 | 0 |  |
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| Rob. Barnes | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
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| Mrs. Barker | 0 | 10 | 6 |  |
| Mr. Butterworth | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Clegg | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
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| John Heywood | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| John Hull | 0 | 10 | 6 |  |
| Hammett | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
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Westhead
Mr. Jos. Yates
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| Mr. Jas. Hind | 0106 |  |
| Pearson | 110 |  |
| Wright | 1110 |  |
| W. a Friend | 1110 |  |
| Mrs. Mathers | 110 |  |
| Small sums | 0100 |  |
| Market Raisen | 1130 |  |
| Malton | 21160 |  |
| Mr. Carr | 100 |  |
| Peacock | 0106 |  |
| Spink | 0106 |  |
| Middleham | 8 0 0 |  |
| Mr. F. Allison | 0106 |  |
| Peter Buck | 100 |  |
| A. Bearpark | 100 |  |
| M. Laidman | 100 |  |
| Newport Pagnell | 1000 |  |
| Norwich | $16 \quad 36$ |  |
| Mr. Jer. Cozens | 100 |  |
| Thomas Wiley | 0100 |  |
| North Walsham | 550 |  |
| New Buckenham | 15166 |  |
| Northampton | 950 |  |
| Mr. Angrave | 100 |  |
| Mrs. Wood | 100 |  |
| T. Wood, Esq. | 100 |  |
| A small sum | 050 |  |
| Newbury | 1420 |  |
| Mr. Atlee | 100 |  |
| Mrs. Clarke | 0100 |  |
| Mr. Carter | 0100 |  |
| Mrs. Dew | 100 |  |
| Mr. Harwood | 100 |  |
| Hall | 100 |  |
| Harbert | 100 |  |
| Hughes | 100 |  |
| Lodge | 100 |  |
| Shaw | 0100 |  |
| Turner | 200 |  |
| Mrs. Ditto | 100 |  |
| Mr. Webb | 0100 |  |

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| Northwich 9185 |  |
| Mr. J. Bradshaw 010 |  |
| John Highfield 0106 |  |
| John Lea 100 |  |
| Newcastle-under- |  |
| Lyme 2060 |  |
| Messrs. Burrow \& Son 100 |  |
| Mr. Stirrup 1100 |  |
| New Mills $\quad 1226$ |  |
| Late J. Heald, Esq. 200 |  |
| Nottingham $\quad 39 \times 26$ |  |
| Newark 201311 |  |
| Mr. G. Scales 110 |  |
| W. Bamforth 11 |  |
| Thos. Boler 10 |  |
| Thos. Booth 0106 |  |
| Wm. Rippinghall 0106 |  |
| F. Egglestone 00106 |  |
| $\begin{array}{lllll}\text { John Bush } & 0 & 10 & 6\end{array}$ |  |
| Thomas Gillson 0106 |  |
| John Graves $\quad 0100$ |  |
| John Baxter 010 |  |
| Thos. Watson 010 0 |  |
| Michael Noton 0100 |  |
| Robert Robarts 0060 |  |
| Mrs. Chubb 0100 |  |
| Reynor . 0100 |  |
| Small sums $\quad 220$ |  |
| $\begin{array}{lllll}\begin{array}{l}\text { Newcastle-upon- } \\ \text { Tyne }\end{array} & & 19 & 9 & 0\end{array}$ |  |
| Newport, Monmouth- <br> shire $1040$ |  |
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| Mr. Thos. Greathead | 0 | 10 | 6 |  |
| Joseph Groves | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| James Hulett | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Robert Hokins | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Joseph Kirton | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Mrs. Sarah Knight | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Mr. John Mianley | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| John Miller | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| John Nightingale, Esq. | 1 | 1 | 0 |  |
| Mr. Geo. Oshorne | 1 | 1 | 0 |  |
| Mrs. Mar. Ridge | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Mrs. John Stroud | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Mrs. S. | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Mr. Wm. Saxton | 0 | 10 | 0 |  |
| Willian Thomas | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| William Thompson | 0 | 10 | 0 |  | Mr. Mary Weaver 100 Miss Walker $\quad 0100$

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## $\mathrm{N}^{\mathrm{o}}$. LXXIII.

## LONDON, July 29, 1816.

Q. 1. WHAT Preachers are admitted into full connexion this year?
A. John Anderson, Joseph Whitchead, John Bicknell, William Levell, William Bacon, James Jones, William Mowatt, Thomas Moxon, Benjamin Hiley, James Brooke, Oliver Henwood, Joseph Dunning, Charles Hawthorn, Henry Olver, Seth Morris, Robert Garner, George Birley, James Dixon, Robert Bentham, William H. L. Eden, William Arnett, James Mortimer, Robert Hayes, Donald Yrazer, Daniel Jackson, jun. Thomas Stead, George Mainwarise, Partes Haswell, William Taylor, Robert Harrison, jun. William Smith, James Fowler, Ebenezer Stewart, Thomas Miorton, Thomas Eastwood, Henry Ranson, Joseph Mattison, Jonatimn Purter, William Shackleton, Joseph Burgess, George Clarke, Thomas Bridgman, James Smetham, John Gaskill, Thomas Ballingall, James Miller, Thomas Squance, Abraham Whitehouse, Sampson Busby. In Ireland-Robert Masaroon, John Campbell.
Q. 2. Who remain on trial?
A. Samuel Leigh, James Shoar, Thomas Armett, John Fordred, Richard Eland, John Stevens, Thomas Savage, Edward B. Lloyd, Henry Powis, John Piggott, John Ash, JohnWeville, Paul Orchard, William Edwards, John Overton, Joseph Thomas, John Robinson, Samuel Crumpton, Juhn Bowers, Thomas Harris, Joseph E. Beaumont, Thomas Rowlands, Thomas Barritt, John Smith, 3d. Christopher Newton, John Dredge, Richard Ellidge, James Rosser, George Barker, Robert Ramm, John Morris, Thomas Hamer, William Vevers, Thomas Morton, Richard Heap, John M•Kenny, Benjamin Clough, Jonathan Raynar, John D. Allen, William Lill, Jeremiah Boothby, Richard Williams, John Strong, Richard Armstrong, George Cubit, William Sharp. In Ireland-William Pollock.

The above have travelled three years.
Samuel Robinson, Henry Pope, Jumes Jarratt, James Baker, Robert Bryant, Thomas Osborne, George Taylor, John Jackson, Daniel Walton, Thomas Eckersley, William Burgess, Benjamin Carvosso, Thomas Staton, James Sherriffe, James Methley, Joseph Rayner, Richard Bonner, Beniamin Andrews, Richard Cooper, David Cornforth, John Wilson, Joseph Roberts, David Stoner, Ambrose Freeman, William Constable, John Hannah, William Blundell, George Tindalc, James Beckwith, Enoch

Booster, John Mortier, John Burgar, William Westerman John Lewis, sen. William White, Mosts Rayner, Joseph Ward John Lewis, jun. John Pickavant, John Walsh, Rieharc Greenwood. In Insiduli-Fruncis Stcphens, William Cornwall James Horne.

The above have travelled iwo years.
Thomas Robinson, Willian Ratcliffe, John Crowe, Johr Hague, John Rrown. jun. Richard Tabraham, Robert Newstead John Greaves, William Langridge, Joseph Pratton, Thoma: Webb, Elias Thomas, Robert Sherwell, .Iohn Adams, Danie Osborne, William Hill, jun. William Jat!, William Annetts Thomas Heywood, David Ninwick, Thomes Moss, Bonjamin Pearce, John E.owell, John Beechem, Thomas L. Hodgson, Ralph Gibson, Hodgson (asson, John Mc Owan, Alexandex Strachan, Samuel Broadbent, Robert Carver, Elsha Jackson, John Callaway, John Horner, Danicl Hillier, William Shrewsbury, Willian Beacock, Nichael Head, Roger Moore, John Hick, George Orth, John de Putron, Thomas Hickson, James Hickson, Thomas Atkinson, Josisua Wrate. In Ireland-John Jebb, Joseph Edgerton, William Richey, John Hill, William M•Kee.

The above have travelled one year.
Q. 3. Who are received oit trial?
A. Ninian Barr, John Fishpool, Thomas Catterick, Stephen Swinyard, Peter Le Sueur, James Catts, Thomas Payne, Richard Pope, John Colmer, John Smith, 4th, Richard Martin, Richard Knight, Benjamin Shaw, Samucl Brown, James Booth, John Barry, William Pollard, George Jackson, John Haigh, George Bacon, Timothy Ingle, Thomas Galland, Robert Alder, Arthur Jeweti.
Q.4. What Preachers have dicd this year?

1. William Ault. He was a young man of an excellent spirit, amisble nanners, ardent piety, and burning zeal to promote the glory of God. From early life, he was instructed in the doctrines and precepts of our holy religion; and such was his diposition and attention to Divine things, that, when only seven years of age, he had read the whole of the Old and New Testament siven times. After his conversion, God was pleased to separate him to the work of the ministiy; and he went forth, preaching with success the gospel of his grace. Daring some years, he had a strong conviction that he was called to visit heathen lands, especially the dark region of India. Breathing the spirit of his Divine Redeemer, he off red himelf to the Missionary work in Co,, m ; and the Conference, judging that the Great Head of the Church had endowed him with distingoishad talents, and suitable qualifications for that important Mission, accepted his offer. On his vogage to India, the pious nad cx-
cellent wife of his youth was removed by the hand of death; to which providential bereavement he was assisted to bow witi Christian submission, and proceeded to the scene of his active exertions. Before he reached Bombay, he and his colleagues were deprived of their venerable leader, Dr. Coke; but, on their arrival there, were received by gentiemen, whose kind and seasonable aid gave considerable facilities to their subsequent operations. Brother Ault entered on his work in the vigorous exercise of faith and love, and his arduous and incessant labours were crowned with success. Thus was he proceeding, when his labours were interrupted by an affliction, which soon put a period to his useful life. His end was that of the perfect man and faichful minister. His removal is sincerely lamented by all who knew him; and several affectionate tributes of respect have veen puiblickly paid to his memory, by the highest authorities of that country.
2. Bensamin Rhodes. This venerable and excellent man was brought to the knowledge of God, and of his truth at an early period of life. When he was yet a child, the Father of Lights revealed his Son in the heart of his servant, and made him happy in his love.

Having received a divine call to the work of the ministry, he willingly devoted all his talents to the duties of his holy calling; and it pleased the Great Head of the Church, not only to qualify him for these duties, but to bless him with many seals to his ministry.

For about half a century he was engaged in calling sinners to repentance; during which time he always enjoyed the $c$ onfidence of his brethren, and was highly respected as a faithful and laborious servant of the Lord. During the last years of his life, he resided with his family at Margate, where he was always found ready for any part of his Master's work of which he was capable.

Mr. Rhodes was a man of great simplicity and integrity of mind; he was warmly and invariably attached to the whole economy of Methodism. His life was a practical explication of his faith; and his character, both in the church and in the world, was creditable to hiriself, and honourable to religion.
3. Richard Rodda, a man of sound judgiment, of strict morals, of considerable talents, and abond.unt in the work of the ministry. He sought the Lord when about thirteen years of age, followed him fully, and was rendered a blessing to many souls; not only in his public labours as a preacher of the gospel but by his judicious counscl:, his Christian sympathy, and his tender coneern for those socicties he was called to wateh over. Thirtythree years he endured the toils of an itimerant life; and when he could nolonger bear them, he laboured in London in proportion to his strangth, from 1202 till his death, October 30, 1805. His YOL.IV.
prayer in his last illness, that the struggle might be short, "was graciously answered; and, what was of infinitely greater value, he had great peaee and joy in the God of his salvation.
4. George Shadford. He died at Frome on the 11th of March, 1816, in the 78th year of his age. In 1768 he commenced his itinerant labours. Early in the spring of 1773, he set sail for Ainerica as a Missionary, where he staid about four years, and then returned to England; where he continued to liabur, till, by age and infirmities, he was foreed to beeome a supornumerary in 1791. When retired from public service in the church, he evinced the same unabated love to the souls of men, and desire for the prosperity of vital godliness, whieh he bad exemplified in the vigour of his bealth. He outlived neither his piety nor his usefulness. His beneficence to the poor was limited only by his peeuniary ineome. For fifty-four years he had enjoycd a sense of the divine favour; and had long lived in the possession of that love which excludes all slavish fear. A little before his death, he was asked, whether all was clear before him; to which he replied, with great feeling, "I bless God, it is:" and added, "Vietory, victory, through the blood of the Lamb!" As a token of respeet to his brethren, he has left a hundred pounds to the Preachers' Fund, to be paid at the death of his widow.
5. John Crosby, a native of Whitby, in Yorkshire. He'was brought to a saving knowledge of God when about the age of twenty-one years, by the ministry of an evangelical clergyman, at Piekering. In the year 1783 he began his itinerant labours, and travelled twenty-eight years with an unblamable and pious character. His preaching was close, praetical, experimental, and to the use of edifying. Integrity, meekness, and pure humility, adorned his eonduet throagh the whole of his Christian warfare. Fint years and a half he was a Supernumerary; during which time he was ealled to suffer many and severe affictions, which he bore with uninterrupted patienee and resignation to the will of God. In the affliction which closed his earthly carecr, his spiritual joys often abounded. Some of his last words were, "I am very happy, and am only sorry I have not strength to tell you what I feel; but I have now got all I ever wished for,-victory, victory, at the lant !" He died at Bolton, on the 29th of March, 1816, in the 62d year of his age.
6. John Bakber. He was born in the neighbouhood of Hayfield, in Derbyshire. When about twenty-two years of age, he was soundly converted to God; and from the time of hi, eonversion, became a truly decided character. Soon after he had received the mercy of God, he was called to publish it to others; and having acted for some tine as a Loeal Preacher, was admitted on the itinerant plan, and laboured as a Tri-
velling Preacher for thirty five years. The esteem in which Mr. Barber was held by'his bretbren in the ministry, is provod by their making choicc of him twice as the President of their Conferenec. He was the first President who died during the year of his Presidency.

As a man, a Christian, and a Christian Minister, peculiar comprehension of mind, and inflexible firmness of character, distinguished every part of his conduct. Next to his concern for personal salvation, his regard for the work of God in general, and especially for that part of it which is carrying on among the Methodists, was constantly evinced. For this he labonred, and for this he lived. He was a man of prayer. His preaching was blessed to thousands in various parts of Great Britain, particularly on the subject of Christian holiness. Strong attachment to every part of discipline in the Methodist Societies, rendered him greatly useful in many plaees; and while he breathed Christian kindness to all who love the Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity, his whole religious and ministerial life was enployed in serving his generation among the people with whom Gud had called him. As a Christian friend and fellow-labourer, the memory of John Barber is dear to many, who have experienced in him the syinpathy of a brother, and the tenderness of a father. The last year of his life was peculiarly comfortable and useful; his death was sudden, but peaceful and happy. He entered into rest on Sunday, April 28, 1816, in the 59th year of his age.
7. Duncan Kay. He was a native of Scotland. In early life he was brought to the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ ; and became a Local Preacher, and continued to act in that capacity about thirty-eight years. Having been strongly recommended to Mr. Wesley in the year 1786, he was appointed as a Travelling Preacher, and laboured in the various duties of that office fourteen years. During the last twelve years of his life, he was never able to co out of his house, but gradually sunk to the grave. On Friday, May 10, he was taken to his eternal joy, in the 88th year of his age. He was plain, upright, and pious, and an acceptable and useful Preacher.
8. Geonge Gibbun. He was born at Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, April 2, 1744. He was converted to God when he was twenty years of age. In a short time he was persuaded that it was his duty to call sinners to repentance, and acted as a Local Preacher till the year 1780, when he was eailed out to travel. Since 1813, when he retired from his itinerant labours, he preached occasionally, as his health and opportunities would permit. During his last iliness, his mind was serene and comfortable, and although he did not express any very acstatic raptures, he could say,
: Not a cloud doth arise, to darken the skies, Or hide for a moment my God from my eyes."
9. Samuel Bradburn. He was born in the Bay of Gibraltar, and on the return of his parents to Great Britain, settled in Chester. When he was young, it plcased the Lord to convince him of the necessity of a change of heart, and of redemption through the blood of the everlasting covenant.

Having joined the Methodist Society, and his heart glowing with love to God, and with strong desire for the salvation of inmortal souls, he was soon called to preach the gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ; first as a Local Preacher in the year 1773, and then as an Itinerant in 1774. His Divine Master having endowed him with extraordinary gifts for the work of the ministry, he soon became remarkably popular, and it was frequently with pleasure that thousands listened to his discourses.

His ministry was owned of God for the salvation of many, and, for several years, he was considered not only as one of the first preachers in the land, for all the higher powers of persuasive cloquence, but as a faithful labourer in the vineyard of the Lord.

For a few of the last years of his life his strength and memory gradually failed him, but it was gratifying to his friends to observe, that as he drew near to the eternal world, he became more spiritually minded and more truly and deeply serious. His peculiar vivacity of mind, which had frequently been a source of temptation to him, was brought more fully under the controul of Divine grace. In the last letter which he ever wrote, he remarkod, that though he was unable to preach, he found that the Lord Jesus Christ was his all.

For several months before his death, he was not able to preach at all; and on Wednesday, July 24, was seized with a fit, which nearly deprived him of the power of speech. He was conveyed to bed, where he lay, without being able to converse with his weeping family, till the Friday morning, when his soul entered, we trust, the paradise of God.
10. (Ircland.) Thomas Edwards. He travelled twenty years in our Connexion. He was a man of great plainness and simplicity, of humility and zeal, of integrity and punctuality. He lived accerding to the Gorpel which he preached, and died in the full assmance of that faith which he had long experienced. Some of his lant words were, "I have fought a good fisht. I have finished my course, I have kept the faith;-I an saved by grace."
Q.5. Are there any objections to any of our Brethrea?
A. They were examined one by one.
Q. 6. Who have desistcd from travelling?
A. 1. Samuel Blackburn, Edmund Shaw, and Edward Roberts.
2. John Bedford, Thomas Chamberlain, Wiliam Jones, (of Wales, ) and Griffith Owen, have voluntarily retired from our work.
Q. 7. How are our Preachers stationed this year?
A. As follows: viz.

GREAT BRITAIN.

## I. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

1 London East, Joseph Entwisle, Thomas Wood, John Rilcs, George Marsden, Richard Watson ; Thomas Thomas, Welh Preacher: Thomas Vasey, sen.; Joseph Benson, Editor; James M•Donald, Assistant Editor; Thomas Blanshard, Book-Steward; George Story, James Creighton, Supernumerarics.
2 London Wcst, James Wood, Samuel Taylor, Jabez Bunting, James Nerdham; William Jenkins, Supernumerary.
3 Deptford, Joseph Suteliffe, Edward Gibbons, Frederic Calder; William Palmer, Supernumerary.
4. Brentford, Jacob Stanley, John Scott, John Anderson.

5 Windsor, Thomas Moxon, Thomas Robinson.
6 Hightycomb, James Burley, William Hicks: William Holmes, Supernumerary.
7 Leigh, Essex, Philip Rawlins.
8 Chelmsford, James Anderson.
9 Colchester, Joseph Griffith, Solomon Whitworth.
10 Manningtree, John Griffin, William Sharp, James Jarrat.
11 Ipsteich, John Bustard, William Ash, George Bacon.
12 Huntingdon, William Theobald, John Smith, 2d, Matthew Mallinson.
13 St. Neots, Josiah Walker, Thomas Armett.
14 Biggleswade, Isaac Bradnack, James Golding, Richard Eland.
15 Bedford, John Smith, sen. John Dredge,
16 Neroport-Pagnell, Thomas Slugg, William Pollard.
17 Ampthill, James Gartrell, John Crowe.
18 Leighton-Buzzard, John Hodgson, John Hagne.
19 Luton, Philip Jameson, William Appleton, Thomas Thompson, Joseph Brougham.
20 Reading, John Waterhouse, James Methley.
21 Chichester, James Lancaster.
$\therefore$ Brighthicmstone, John Newton, Henry Cheverton, Benjamin Fiankland.
N. B. The two last Preachers are to change betwe on the Brighton and the Eastbourne side of the Circuit, under the direction of the Superintendant.
James Wood, riluairman of the District.
1I. 'THE CANTERBUKY DISTRICT.
23 Cantcrbury, Robert Wheeler, Janes Bromley.
24. Rochester; John Gaulter, Joseph Cusworth.

25 Sheerness, John Rossell, Jonathan Roberts.
N. B. Brother Roberts is to reside at Sitting. bourne.
26 Margate, Samuel Kittle, John Allen Lomas.
27 Dyar, Joha Knowles, John H. Rowe, George Rowe,
23 Ryc, Gcorge Sykes, sen. Wilham Pearson, jun, Jumes Baker.
29 Sandimest, Joseph Wilson, Samuel Robinson.
30 Ashford, .loseph Gostick.
31 Sevenoaks, Thomas Martin, John Fordred; John King, Supernumerary.
32 Maidstone, William Towers, Joseph Walker. John Gauller, Chairman of the District.
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33 Norwich, John Reynolds, sen. John Bicknell.
34 North Walokam, Tohn Gill, Timothy Ingle.
35 Yarmouth, Villiam Gilpin, William Sutcliff.
36 Lowestoff, Thomas Padman, Stephen Butler.
37 Framlingham, William Beswick, William Blundell.
us Bungry, Gcorge Deverell, who is to change once a month, on the Lord's Day, with the Preachers of the Norwich Circuit.
39 Diss, Benjamin Leggatt, John Stevens.
40 Attleborough, Moses Dunn, Leonard Possnett.
41 Bury St. Edmunds, Thomas Pollard, George Taylor.
42 Fidi, Henry Tuck, James Jones, jun.
Joln Reynolds, sen. Chairman of the District.
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43 Lymn, John Chettle, James Spink.
44. Wulsingham, George Douglas, William Bacon.

45 Ü̈beach, Benjamin Millman, Richard Ellidge.
46 Thetfird, Joseph Britain, Robert Bryant.
47 Sïaffham, Marmaduke Revell, William Levell.

48 Ely, Samuel Ward, John Brown, jan. Richard T.abrabam.
49 Cambridge, James Mole.
N. B. Brother Mole is to change occasionally with the Preachers of the Bury St. Etinund's Circuit, on the Lord's Days only.
John Chettle, Chairman of the District.
v. THE oxford disthict.

50 Oxford, Richard Gower, Daniel Walton.
51 Whitchurch, near Aylestury, Thomas Fearnley, Robt. Mack.
52 Wïtury, John Sydserff, Arthur Jewett.
53 Banbury, James Waller, Joseph Pratton.
54 Chipuing-Norton, Samuel Lear, John Greeves.
55 Brackley, George Wilson, Willan Langridge.
50 Triecester, John Mason, sen. John Jackson.
57 Dtventry, David Deakins, John Pigott.
58 Northampton, William Fowler, Samuel Wild.
59 Wellingborough, William Breedon; James Sydserff, Supernumcrary.
60 Higham Ferrers, John Ward, James Sheriff.
N. B. Brother Sheriff shall change with the Wellingborough Preacher, on the Lord's Day, once a month.
61 Kettering, William Hinson, John Cullen.
62 Market-Harborough, Samuel Sugden, Benjamin Miley. Richard Gower, Chairman of the District. vi. the ports wouth district.

63 Portsmouth, William Myles, John Dean, Thomas Rogers, Edward B. Lloyd.
64 Salisbury, Samuel Woolmer, Thomas Newton.
65 Shaftsbury, Mark Daniel, Isaac Phenix. Wincanton, William Jewett.
66 Poole, James Bumstead, Richard Shepherd.
67 The Isle of Wight, Francis B. Potts, John Willis, John Coates.
N. B. Brother Willis is to reside at Ryde.

68 Southampton, Alexander Weir, Benjamin Shaw.
69 Winchester, William Griffith, Robert Garner.
70 Nerobury, John Aikenhead, Joseph Dunning.
71 Hungerford, James Etchels, William Harding. Swindon, John Radford.
N. B. Brother Radford and Brother Harding are to change, under the direction of the Superintendant.
William Myles, Chairman of the District.
VII. TIIE GUERNSEY DISTRICT.
$\therefore$ Gumsoy, Alderney, an. Sark, William Toase, William Fi:h. Henry Mahy, Henry Powis; John De Quctevilie, Supernumerary.
-3 Jersey, Richard Robarts, Nicholas Mauger, Peter Le Sueur ; Anice Olivier, Robert James, Supernumeraries.
N. B. Brother Toase is appointed to act as General Superintendant of both Circuits, and of all the Societies, Fiench as well as English.
Willium Toase, Chairman of the District.
VIII. THE PLYMOUTH-DOCK DISTRICT.

If Plymouth-Dock, Rubert Smith, George Russell.
75 Plymouth, Joseph Burgess, William Burgess.
76 Launceston, William Baker, Thomas Staton.
7: Strutton, George Banwell.
78 Liskeard, James Heaton, Charles Colwell, Oliver Henwood.
79 Tavistock, William Worth, Joshua Wade.
80 Canclford, Francis Truscott, Richard Martin.
81 Kingsbridge, William Sleep, John Smith, 4th.
Francis Truscott, Chairman of the District.
IX. THE CORNWALL DIOTRICT.

84 Redruth, Richard Treffry, John Appleyard, Ralph Scurrah, John Hawtrey; William Jenkin, Supernumerary.
83 Truro, Charles Haime, Nicholas Sibley, James Odgers. 84 St. Austle, Joseph Marsh, Thomas Dodd, John Worden. 85 Bodmin, Richard Moody, Benjamin Carvosso, John Adams; James Evans, Supernumerary.
s6 Penzance, Anthony Seckerson, Joseph Sanders, Josiah Hill, Paul Orchard.
87 Scilly Islands, William Trampleasure.
38 Helstone, William Beale, Thomas Bersey, John Slater, Robert Sherwell.
Richard Treffry, Chairman of the District.
X. THE EXETER DISTRICT.

89 Exeter, William Pearson, sen. James Akerman.
Salterton, John Bryant: With whom one of the Exeter Preachers shall change every third week.
@0 Tiverton, James Jones, ṣen. John Sumner.

91 Taunton, John Woodrow, Francis Wrigley, Joseph Lysk, N. B. Brother Wrigley, though the Senior Preacher, declines the Superintendency.
92 South Petherton, John Wright, Charles Hawthorn.
93 Axminster, James Alexander, James Ash, John Weville.
94 Barnstaple, Willian Sleigh, John Harris, Henry Olver.
95 Dunster, Matthew Day, Daniel Osborne.
96 Sticklepath, Elias Thomas.
97 Ashburton, Francis Collier, John Robinson.
98 Brixham, Edward Chapman, William Hill, jun. John Woodrow, Chairman of the District.

> xi. the bristol district.

99 Bristol, Walter Griffith, George Morley, Joseph Taylor, jun. William Martin; Jeremiah Brettell, George Mowatt, Supernumeraries.
100 Kingswood, George Dermott; Robert Johnson, Governor of Kingswood School.
101 Bantwell, John Wood, John Wheelhouse.
102 Bath, James Buckley, Theophilus Lessey, jun.; John Watson, Thomas Roberts, Supernumeraries.
103 Frome, George Gellard, Seth Morris. Batcombe, Isaac Aldom.
104 Warninster, William Harrison, jun. who is to change occasionally with the single Preacher at Frome.
105 Stroud, William Shelmerdine, Richard Wintle, Thomas Eastwood.
N. B. Brother Eastwood is to reside at $\mathrm{Ci}-$ rencester.
106 Dursley, Caleb Simmons, Joseph Robinson, Thomas C. Rushforth.
107 Downend, Jonas Jaggar, Joshua Fielden.
108 Gloucesier, Daniel Campbell, Jonathan Williams.
109 Cheltenkam, James M•Byron, Benjamin Andrews.
110 IFymonth, George Button, Francis Derry.
111 Bradfitcl, Wilts, John Ogilvie, Joseph Prosser.
112 Melisham, Joseph Bowes, William Raford.
113 Síctlon-Mallet, Charles Greenley, William Flint; William Ashm:n, Supernumerary.
114 Midsumnar Norton, William Horner, Elijah Morgan.
115 Somerton, William Kaye, Thomas Webb.
Walter Griffith, Chairman of the District.
xil. the swansea district.
115 Süans:a, Thomas Ashten, Owen Rees; John Keeling, $\mathrm{Su}_{\mathrm{i}}$ e ernumerary.
116 Mertlyr-Tydville. William Woodall, Morgan Griffith, Owen Thomas.

| 119 Brecon, George Birley, Evan Parry, William Davie 1i9 Monnouth, William Brockiehurst, William Edwards. 120 Cardiff; James Dixon, Griffith Huthes, David Jones, 121 Newport, Simon Day, Joseph Rayner. <br> Simon Day, Chairman of the District |  |
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122 Carmarthen, Thomas Warren, Ilugh Hughes, John Williams ; Joseph Cole, Supernumerary.
123 Llandilo, John Jones, sen. Robert Jones, sen.
$1: 4$ Cardigan, John Davies, Lot Hughes.
125 Haverfordwest, William Hayman, John Overton.
126 Pembroke, Thomas Twiddy, John Regere.
127 Aberystwith, Edward Jones, 3d. Evan Edwards.
Thomas Warren, Chairman of the District.
Xiv. the ruthin district.

128 Ruthin and Denbigh, William Evans, Maurice Jones.
129 Holywe ll, Samuel Davies, Robert Owen.
130 Llangollen, William Batten, Juhn dones, jun.
13. Llanfyllyn, Lewis Jones, Humphrey Jone:.

132 Machynleth and Dolgeily, Robert Humphreys, Evan Hughes, Owen Jones.
133 Carnarvon and Pwellhelli, Robert Roberts, David Jones, jun. Robert Jones, jun.
134 IIolyhead and Beaumaris, David Rogers, John Williams; William Hughes.
135 Llanresst, David Evans, Richard Bonner. David Rogers, Chairman of the District.
xv. the birmingham mistrict.

136 Birmingham, Henry Moore, Joseph Collier, Lewis Andrews.
137 West Bromweich, Wiiliun Homer, who is to change with the Preachers of the Birmingham Circuit.
138 Wednesbury, Thomas Hutton, Thomas Fletcher, John Walton.
139 Wolverhampton, Edward Millward, Jolin Mason, jun.
140 Dudley, John W:Amsley, Hugh Ransom, James Allen.
141 Stourport, Thomas Dowty, William Gilgrass, Joseph Thomas.
142 Worcester, Jonathan Edmondson, who is to change occasionally with the Stourport Preachers on the Lord's Day, at the expense of the Worcester Circuit.
143 Evesham, Michael Cousin, David Nunwick.
144 Redditch, John W. Cloake.

145 Bromsgrove, William Stukes.
N. B. Brother Cloake and Brother Stokes are to change once in three weeks on the Lord's Day.
146 Coventry, John Simmons, William Constable.
147 Hinckley, William Harrison, sen. George Bellamy.
118 Colcshill, John Reynolds, jun.
119 Litchfield, Joseph Lewis.
N. B. Brother Reynolds and Brother Lewis are ta change once a month on the Lurd's Day. Henry Moore, Chairman of the District.
xvf. the shrewsbury dietrict.
150 Shrewsbury, Cuthbert Whiteside, Samuel Crumpton.
151 Bröseley, John Hodson, David Cornforth.
152 Lullozi, Wiliam Timperley, William Ball.
153 Hereford and Ledbury, Abraham Watmough, Hugh Beech,
Thomas Heywood.
N. B. The Superintendant is to live on the Ledbury side of the Circuit.
154 Kington, John Squarebridge, William Annetts.
155 Newtown, Hugh Carter, Edward Jones, 4t'h, Edward Anwyl, James Scholefield, Supernumerary.
156 Wrexham, James Fusiel.
157 Whitchurch, Humphrey Parsons.
158 Oswestry, Joseph Pretty.
John Hodson, Chairman of the District.
XVII. THE MACCLESFIELD DISTRICT.

159 Macclesfield, Jonathan Barker, James Gill.
160 Buxton, Samuel Jackson, John Bowers.
161 Congleton, John Denton, Robert Bentham; George Lowe, Supernumerary.
162 Namptwich, Juhn Simpson, sen. Thomas Harris.
163 Nort/züch, Joseph Meek, William Jones.
164 Burslem, James Bridgnell, Thomas Pinder.
165 Newcustli-undei-Lyme, Joscph Brookhouse, Richard Smew tham, Charles Hulme.
166 Staford, Lake Barlow, William H. L. Eden.
167 Leek, John Draper, Joseph Mrmstrong, John Wilshaw, Supernumerary.
Jonathan Barker, Chairman of the District.
xill. the liverpool district.
Ifs Lierpoc\%. Thomas Cooper, Owen Davies, John Pipe, Richard Waddy; Edward Jones, 1st. WelshPreacher: Michael Emmet, Edward Tones, 2d. Supernumeraries.


# 153 Oldham, William France, William E. Miłter. 

184 Rochdale, James Bogie, John Bryan.
185 Bacup, John Doncaster, Thomas Atkinson.
186 Haslingden, John Simpson, jun. Joseph Roberts.
187 Blackburn, Robert Miller, Joshua Marsden.
188 Bury, Robert Hopkins, Richard Cooper; Thomas Taylor, Supernumerary.
189 Bolton, George Highfield, Edmund Grindrod. The President, Richard Reece, Chairman of the District.
xX. THF HALIFAX DISTRICT.

190 Halifax, Cleland Kirkpatrick, Mark Day; Zechariah Yewdall, Alexander Suter, wipernumeraries.
191 Sorerby-Bridge, John Burdsall, Robert Wood.
192 Todmorden, Charles Gloyne, Samuel Sewell, Robert Pickering.
193 Burnley, William Leach, Thomas Stead; Charles Tunnycliffe, Supernumerary.
194 Colnc, Thomas Vasey, jun. George Tindale.
195 Skipton, Samnel Gates, Thomas Barritt.
196 Clithcro, Joscph Worrell, Thomas Key.
197 Grassington, John White, and one to be sent by the President.
198 Addingham, John Phillips, Isaac Clayton; John Wittam, Supernamerary.
199 Keighley, Matthew Lumb, Joseph Womersley.
200 Binglcy, Henry Taft, George Mainwaring.
201 Woodhouse-Grove, Miles Martindale, William Radcliffe, sen.
N. B. Brother Martindale is Governor of Woodhouse-Grove School.-All Letters for Woodhouse-Grove should be sent by way of Bradfori.
202 Bradford, John Stamp, John Braithwaitc, James Brook. 203 Huddersfield, Gicorge Sargent, James Sykes, David Stoner. 204 Holmfirth, William M•Kitrick, William Vevers.

Cleland Kirkpatrich, Chairman of the District. XXI. THE LEEDS DISTRICT.

205 Leeds, John Stephens, Edward Harc, John Jordan, David M•Nicol.
206 Bramley, Thomas Bartholomew, William Atherton.
207 Wakeficld, Robert Newton, Thomas Stanley.
208 Birstal, Jonathan Crowther, John Hughes, Joshua Fearnside.
209 Deresbury, Inhn Booth, William Tranter, Thos. Skelton.
210 Otley, William Midgley, Pcter Prescott.
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211 Fateley-Bridge, William Nother, Donald Frazer; William Hunter, Supermimerary.
212 Pontefract, Robert Pilter, Joseph Fowler.
213 Selby, Thomas Garbut, Partes Haswell.
214 Knaresboroush, Iohn Armitage, Mark Dawes.
Jonathan Crovether, Chairman of the District.
XXII. THE SHEFFIFLD DISTRICT.
215 Sheffeld, Thomas Kelk, John Brownell, John Davis, Thomas Jackson.
216 Chesterficld, Thomas Ingham, Samuel Kicllett.
217 Bakewell, James Johnson, Thomas Savage.218 Bradwell, Isaac Keeling, Christopher Newton, JamesRidall, Supernumerary.
219 Rotherham, Maximilian Wilson, Abraham E. Farrar;Jacob Newton, Supernumerary.
220 Doncaster, William Warrener, William Lord.
221 Barnsley, John Hickling, Robert Harrison, jun.
222 Denby, near Wakefield, Jonathan Brown, sen. Joseph En Beaumont.
223 Derby, Joseph Taylor, sen. Edward Oakes.
224 Belper, $\quad$ ichard Pattison, Archibald M‘Laughlin.
225 Cronford, Robert Crowther, Jervis Shaw.
226 Retford, Thomas Tattershall, Robert Hayes.227 Worksop, William Dixon, Benjamin Pearce.Joseph Taylor, Chairman of the District,
xXil. THE NOTTINGHAM DISTRICT.
228 Nottingham Circuit, and our Chapel at Hockley, Nottingham, Phillip Garrett, Josiah Goodwin, Thomas Walker.
229 Ilkestone, John C. Leppington, James Hyde.
230 Mansfield, Marshall Claxton, James Kosser.
231 Newiark, John Slack, Samuel Hope.
232 Grantham, Lawrence Kershaw, Francis Burgess.
233 Leicester, William Moulton, Joseph Hunt; Joseph Bod-dicoat, Supermumerary.
234 Melton-Mowebray, Benjamin Wood, John Hobson, JohnSmith, 3d.
235 Ashby-de-la-Zouch, John Townsend, William Bird, Wm.Mowatt.
236 Burton, Isaac Muff, William Taylor.
237 Uttoxeter, Edward Banks, Thomas Edwards.
238 Loughborough, Thomas Graham, Samuel Webb.
239 Stamford and Peterborough, Edward T.wler, ThomasEdman, Thomas Hayes.Philip Garrett, Chairnan of the District.

## XXIV. THE LINCOLN DISTRICT.

240 Lincoln, Daniel Isaac, William Dalby.
241 S'eaford, John Roadhouse, Joseph Hutton.
242 Market-Raisen, Joseph Fobbins, Thomas Slinger.
243 Louth, John Furness, Joseph Frank, Thomas Galland.
244 Horncastle, Thomas Rogerson, Benjamin Gregory.
245 Alford, Thomas W'ilton, Thomas Morton.
246 Spilsby, Thomas Rought, Ebenezer Stewart; Robert C. Brackenbury, Supernumeraries.

247 Boston, Corbet Cooke, James Fowler.
24.8 Spalding, James Penman, Thomas E•kersley. John Furness, Chairman of the District.
xxv. the hull district.

249 Hull, Isaac Turton, William Naylor, William Hill, John James.
250 Hrwden, Thomas Gee, Joseph Whitehead.
251 Driffeld, Francis West, William Smith, Robert Ramm.
4.52 Bridlington, Lawrence Kane, Joseph Agar, Williarn Waterhouse; Joseph Chapman, Supernumerary.
253 Patrington, 'Thomas Gill, Anthony 'Triffit.
254 Grimsby, Martin Vauglan, Danicl Jarkson, jun.
255 Gainshorough, Philip Hardcastle, John Hannah.
956 Eproorth, William Howarth, John Nowell.
257 Snaith, William Rennison, Richard Greenwood.
2.53 Brigg, James Bate, Gerrge Barker.

959 Winterton, Samuel Bardsley, William Todd, John Beecham. Samuel Bardslyy, Chairman of the District.

## xxvi. the york district.

260 York, Theophilus Lessey, sen. John Nelson, William Stones.
261 Pocklington, Thomas Simmonite, William Barr, Thomas Hall.
262 Scarborough, Stephen Wilson, John Pearson.
263 Pickering, Henry Anderson, Ambrose Freeman.
264 Malton, Jonathan Parkin, Robert Melson.
265 Easingroould, William Welborne, John Dace.
266 Thirsk, George Holder, John Taylor.
267 Ripon, William Carleton, John Nicholson.
Theophilus Lessey, sen. Chairman of the District.
xxvil. the whitby district.
268 Whitby, George Smith, Benjamin Hudson.
269 Gisborough, Thomas Laycock, John Morris.
270 Darlington, John Kershaw, Robeat Einmet.

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271 \text { Stockton, John Beaumont, Thomas L. Hodgson, James } \\
\text { Beckwith.; Thomas Dixon, Supernumerary. } \\
272 \text { Barnard-Castle and Weardale, Isaac Lilly, John Bumstead, } \\
\text { Joseph Deakin. } \\
273 \text { Midäleham, John Sedgwick, Richard Hardaker. } \\
274 \text { Tanfield, William Hainsworth, William Shackleton. } \\
275 \text { Richmond, John Aslin, Lake Heywood, Joseph Mattison. } \\
\text { John Kershaw, Chairman of the District. }
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## XXVIII. THE NEWCASTLE DISTRICT.

276 Nerecastle, William Bramwell, Joseph Mann, Henry Ransom; John Hudson, Supernumerary.
277 Gateshead, Edward Batty, Robert Jackson.
278 North Shields, Zacharias Taft, Thomas Hewitt.
279 South Shields, John Farrar, William Jackson.
280 Sunderland, Thomas Preston, Barnard Slater, Joseph Hollingworth.
281 Durham, John Fairbourn, Jonathan Porter. 282 Alstone, Robert Nicholson, Robert Morton. 283 Hexhiom, John Barritt, Charles Radcliffe. 284 Morpeth, Duncan M•Alium, Thomas Ballingall.
285 Aluwick and Berwich, George Willoughby, John Heap. N. B. The Preachers are to change between Alnwick and Berwick, every fourth week. William Bramwell, Chairman of the District.

## XXIX. THE CARLISLE DISTRICT.

286 Carlise, Benjamin Barritt, John Rawson.
287 Whitchaven, John Poole, William Scholefield; Robert Dall, Supernumerary.
288 Brough, Charles L. Adshead, Enoch Broster.
289 Pemith, Arthur Hutchinson, Robert Watkin.
290 Kenda!, John Lee, Thomas Hamer.
z91 Ulucrstone, Gicorge Clarke.
292 Dumfrics, Thomas Harrison.
John Poole, Chairman of the District.
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293 Douglas, Edward Wilson, John Kemp.
Castletown, Ralph Gibson, who is to change with the Donglas Preachers under the direction of the sioperintendant.
294 Ramsey, Jihn Mercer, Jweph Burgess, jun.
N. B. Br:sher Borgess is to resicle at Peel. John inercer, Chairman of the District.
XXXI. THE EDINBURGH DISTRIt,

295 Edinburgh, Leith, and Lalkeith, Valentine Ward, John Lancaster, James Shoar.
296 Dunbar and Haddington, Humphrey Stephenson, who is to change occasionally with the Edinburgh Preachers.
297 Glasgow, Samuel Warren, Alexander Bell, Thomas Moss. 298 Paisley, George Sykes, jun.
299 Greenock, Abraham Crabtree.
N. B. One half of the labours of Brother Sykes, on the Lord's Day, is to be given to the Greenock Circuit.
300 Ayr, and Kilmarnock, George Thompion, Modgson Casson.
301 Perth and Criffe, William West, Thomas Bridgman.
302 Durfermline, Richard Heap.
N. B. One half of the labours of one of the Perth Preachers is to be given to the Dunfermline Circuit; and Brother Heap is to change occasionally with the Edimburgh Preachers.
Valentine Ward, Chairman of the District. xxxil. the aberdeen district.
303 Aberdeen and Peterhead, Joshua Bryan, Janes Smeatham, Alexander Strachan.
304 Dundee, William Clegg.
305 Arbroath, Thomas Yates.
306 Brechin, Joseph Kitchen, John M‘Owen.
307 Banff, James Sugden, James Miller.
308 Elgin, Thomas Mollard.
309 Inverness, Robert Harrison, sen.
Joshua Bryan, Chairman of the District. IRELAND.
I. THE DUBLIN DISTRICT.

1 Dublin, Willian Smith, James Rutledge, George Burrows; Andrew Hamilton, jun. Editor; Thomas W. Doolittle, Book-Steward; John Kerr, William Ferguson. Supernumeraries.
2 Longford, Blakeley Dowling, Michael Burrows: Richard Price, Supernumerary; John Price, superannuated.
3 Drogheda, Matthew Tobias, Thomas Loughead.
4 Oldcastle, John Carey, Wiiliam Pollock.
5 Wicklow, James Stuant, Robert Carson; Alexander Moore, George Mahon, Supernumeraries. Matthers Tobias, Chairman of the District.

[^5]II. THE WATERFORD DISTRICT.

6 IIraterford, Samuel Wood, Daniel Pedlow.

* Carlow, James Sterling, Archibald Campbell.

8 Newownbarry, Charles Graham, John Clendinnen.
9 Ross, Robert Banks.
Samuel IVood, Chairman of the District.
III. THE COKK DISTRIt T.

10 Cork, Francis Russcl, Willian Stewart; Daniel M'Mullen, Supernumerary.
11 Bandon, Gustavus Armstrong, Thonas Wraugh.
12 Shibbereen, Francis Stephens.
13 Mallow, William Copeland.
Irancis Russcl, Chuirman of the District.
1v. THE LIMLEICK District.
14 Limerich, Charles Mayne, William Reily.
15 Milltown, Robert Bruce.
16 Roscrea, John Stuart, William Crook.
17 Clough-jordan, Jolin Howe, Joshua Harman.
18 Monentrath, Joln Hadden, John Waugi: ; James Rennick, smperammuated.
Charles IItyne, Chairman of the District. v. THE athlone distuict.

19 Athlone, John Rogers, Richard Philips; James M‘Keown, superannuated.
20 Aughrim, Michael Murphy.
$\because 1$ Castlebar, Andrew Iamilton, sen. John Clegg.
22 Ballina, Thomas Ridgeway.
23 Sligo, Archibald Murdoch, James M'Cutchen.
24. Boylc, Robert Strong, Samuel Downing. Archibald Murdoch, Chairman of the Distriet. vi. THE CloNes district.

25 Clones, John C. Irvinc, Adam Averell, James Killen.
26 Killesandra, Robert Crozic: : John Stephenson, superannuated.
27 (avan, William Eevs, George EAnsbrow.
98 Auchnacloy and Monagh:\%, Wiliam Bourlas, Edward Johnson : 'Thomas Barber, William Armstrong, superannaatul.
Adam Aicrell, Chaiman of the District.
VII. THE ENNISKILLLS DISTRICr.
$\because 0$ Linniskillcn, Charles M‘Cormick, James C. Pratt, Willi.m Gilcriest : Johin M•Adam, Supernumerary.

30 Manorhamilton, (Veorge M‘Elwain, Juhn Menaington.
31 Ballyshannon, James Smith, John Campbell.
N. B. The single Preacher to change with the Boylagh Missionary.
32 Ballinamallard, Matit iv Stewart, James Olliffe: Joseph Aruetome macranumated.
33 Brookborough, Francis Amstrong, Jhn Nesbitt; George Rown, superanmuated.
Matthew ituart, Chimman of the District.
vili. the fondondigry disthict.
34 Londonderry, John Dinnen, Rubert Smith.
35 Strabane and Stranorlar, John M•Arthur, Castor Clements: James Jordan, superanatated.
36 Nerotownstewart, J. Irwin, William Finley.
John M:Arther, Chairman of the Dis.tict.
ix. the belfast district.

37 Belfast, George Stephenson, Matthew Lanktree; Jokn Bredin, superannuated.
38 Carriclfergus, Thomas Johnson, Edward Cobain.
39 Coleraine, Alexander Sturgeon, Samuel Kyle.
40 Lisburn, James Bell, William Kidd.
41 Downpatrick, William M‘Cornock, James Carter; John Foster, Supernumerary. Alcxander Sturgeon, Chairman of the District. x. the newry district.

42 Nerory, Henry Deery, David Wangh; Thomas Browne, Supernumerary.
43 Cookstoren, Robert Bailey, William Richey.
44 Charlemont and Dungannon, Samuel Harpur, Sam. M‘Dowall.
45 Armagh, Samuel Steele, Robert Cranstnn.
46 Lurgan, James M‘Kee, William Armstrong: John Madcomson, superannuated.
47 Tanderagee, John Wilson, Zachariah Worrell. Henry Deery, Chairman of the District.

## IRISH MISSIONARIES.

1 The Wicklow Mission, Andrew Taylor.
2 Youghall Mission, Robert Masaroon.
3 Cove Mission, John Nelson.
4 Clare Mission, John Jebb.
5 Aughrim Mission, James Horne.
G Ballina Mission, William Cornwall.
7 Boylagh Mission, William M•Kee.
8 Letterkenny Mission, Edward Hazkton.

## 9 Derry and Antrin Mission, Gideon Ousley, Arthur Noble, William Hamilten, William Foote, James Edgerton.

10 Castle Blayney Mission, Charles M'Cord, Thomas Kerr, King Barton.
11 Netery Mission, Samuel Alcoran, John Johnson.
12 Killesandra Mission, John Hamilton.
13 Cookstown Mission, Robert Wilson.
14 Belfast Mission, John Hill.
FOREIGN MISSIONS.
I. EULOPE.

1 Gib̈raltar, Thomas Davies.
3 Beuville and Periere, in France, To be supplied by the French Preachers in the Guernsey District. Our Supernumerary Brethren are requested to assist in this work.
3 Brussels, Armand de Kerpezdron.
II. ASIA.

4 Ceylon: including the following Stations; viz.Columbo, Jaffnapatam, Batticaloe, Point de Galle, and Matura.

James Lynch, George Erskine, Thomas Squance, Benjamin Clough, John M•Kenny, Samuel Boadbent, Rebert Carver, Elijah Jackson, and John Callaway; assisted by A. Armour, and by Petrus Panditta Sekarra.

James Lynch, Chairman of the District.
5 Mudras, William M. Harvard.
6 Bombay, John Horner.
7 New SouthWales, Samuel Leigh.
N. B. The following Brethren are also appointed as additional Missionaries for Asia, under the direction of the Committee in London: viz. William B. Fox, Thomas Osborne, Robert Newstead, John Barry.
III. AFRICA.

8 Sierra Lcone, William Davies, Samuel Brown.
9 Cape of Good Hope, Barnabas Shaw.
IV. AMERICA.

7HE WEST INDIES.
I. the antigua district.

10 Antigua, Samuel P. Woolley, Jonathan Raynar, John D. Allen, Moses Rayner.

11 St. Christopher's, | George Johnstone, Jeremiah Boothby, Wil- |
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| liam White; Thomas Blackburn, Super |
| numerary. |

12 St. Eustatius, William Shrewsbury.
13 Nevis, Calvarley Riley, Robert Alder.
14 St. Bartholomew's, Daniel Hillier.
15 Tortola and the Virgin Islands, James Whitworth, John Raby, Stephen Swinyard.
16 Dominica, William Beacock.
17 St. Vincent's, Thomas Morgan, William Crosscomb, William Coultas.
18 Barbadoes, William Westerman.
19 Grenada, William Lill, George Poole.
20 Trinidad, Abraham Whitehouse.
21 Demerara, Thomas Talboys, John Mortier.
Samuel P. Woolley, Chairman of the District. jamaica distmict.
22 Kingston, John Wiggins, John Shipman, George Jackson.
23 Spanish Toron, John Lewis, jun. William Ratcliffe.
24. Morant Bay, John Burgar.

25 Bove Rock, John Colmar.
John Wiggins, Chairman of the District.
N. B. The Preachers of this District are to change, under the direction of the Chairman. bahama district.
26 Newo Providence, William Wilson, sen. William Dowson; William Turton, John Rutledge, Supernumeraries.
27 Eluthera, Joseph W ard.
N. B. Brother Turton is to visit America, on account of his health.
28 Harbour Island and Abaco, Roger Moore.
29 Long Island, Michael Head.
William Wilson, Chairman of the District.

> ST. DOMINGO.

30 Port au Prince, John Boown, sen. James Catts. bermuda.
31 Bermuda, William Wilson, jun. William Ellis.
nova scotia, new brunswick, and canada.
32 Halifax, William Bennett; Wm. Black, supernumerary. 33 Liverpool, James Knowlan.

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U. Shellurnc, Richard Armstrong; Jancs Mann, supernomerary.
$\therefore$ St. Ster hon's, Stephen Bamford.
3t City St. J!in's, Thomas Paync.
:7 Fredericton, Thomas Catterick.
38 Anuapolis, Jancs Dunbar.
39 C'mberland, Duncan M \& Coll.
40 Forton, James Priestley; John Munn, supernumerary.
41 Limenthurgh, George Orth, German Missionary.
42 Munchesier, John Fishpool.
43 Prince Edward's Island, John Hick, Sampson Busby; James Bulpit, Supcrnumerary.
44. Quebec, Richard Willams, John De Putron, French Missionary.
45 Montreal, John Strong.
William Bennett, Chairman of the District, and General Superintendant.
N. B. Three additional Missionaries are appointed for new stations in Canada, under the direction of the Committee; viz. Henry Pope, James Booth, Richard Pope.

NEWFOUNDLAND.
46 St John's, John Pickavant, Ninian Barı.
4.7 Carboncar, George Cubit, Richard Knight.
4.8 Blackhead, John Walsh, Thomas Hickson.

49 Fort De Grave, John Lewis.
50 Island Cove and Perlican, John Bell, John Haigh,
51 Bonawista, James Hickson.
John Bell, Chairman of the District.
Q. 8. How many Preachers' Wives are to be provided for by the connexion this year?
A. Four hundred and forty-nine.
Q. 9. How many of these are to be provided for by particylaf Circuits?
$A$. Three hundred and ninety-nine : viz.
London East, Sister Entwisle, Chelmsford, S. Anderson. ('T.) Wood, Riles, Marsden, Watson.
London West, S. (James) Wond, (S.) Taylor, Bunting, Noedtham.
Deptiond, S. Sutcliffe, Calder. Brenterd, S. (J.) Stanley.
High-Wycomb, S. Burley, Appleton.

Colchester, S. (J.) Griffith. Manningtree, S. Giriffin. Ipswich, S. Bustard Huntingdon, S. Theobald. St. Neot's, S. Walker Biggleswade, S. Bradnack. Bedford, S. Smith. Newport-Pagafll, S. Sluggo Ampthill, S. Gartrell.

Leighton-Buzzard, S. Hodgson.
Luton, S. Jameson.
Reading, S. Waterhouse.
Brigathelnistone, S. Newton.
Canterbury. S. Wheeler.
Rochester,S.Gaulter, Cusworth.
Sheerness, S. Rossell.
Margate, S. Kittle.
Dover, S. Knowles, (J.) Rowe.
Rye. S.(G.) Sykes, (W.) Pearson, jun.
Sandhurst, S. (J.) Wilson.
Sevenoaks, S. (T.) Martin.
Maidstone, S. Towers.
Norwich, S. J.) Reynolds, sen.
North Walsham, S. Gill.
Yarmouth, S. Gilpin.
Lowestoff, S. Padman.
Framlinghari, S. Beswick.
Bungay, S. Deverell.
Diss, S. Leggatt.
Attleborough, S. Dunn.
Bury St. Edmund's, S. Pollard.
Holt, S. Tuck.
Lynn, S. Chettle.
Walsingham, S. Douglas.
Wisbeach, S. Millman.
Thetford, S. Britain.
Swaffham, S. Revell.
Ely, S. Ward.
Oxford, S. Gower.
Whitchurch, S. Mack.
Witney, S. Sydserff.
Banbury, S. Waller.
Chipping-Norton, S. Lear.
Brackley, S. (G.) Wilson.
'Towcester, S. (J.) Mason, sen.
Daventry, S. Deakins.
Northampton, S. Fowler.
Wellingborough, s. Breedon.
Higham-Ferrers, S. (J.) Ward.
Kettering, S. Hinson.
Market Harborough, S.Sugden.
Portsmouth, S. Myles, Dean, Rogers.
Salisbury, S. Woolmer (T.) Newton.
Shaftsbury, S. Daniel.

Poole, S. (Fames) Bumstend
Isle of Wight, S. Potis.
Southampton, S. Weir.
Winchester, S.(Win.) Griffith.
Newbury, S. Aikenined.
Hungerford, S. Etcheils.
Guernsey, \&ic. S. Toase.
Jersey, S. Mahy, Le Suar.
Plymouth-Dock, S. Simith. Russell.
Plymonth, S. Burgess.
Launceston, S. Biner.
Stratton, S. Banwdl.
Liskeard, S. Heaton, Colwell.
Tavistock, S. Worth.
Camelfor, S . Truscott.
Kingsbridge, S. Sleep.
Rodruth,S.'Treffry, Appleyard, sicurrah, Hawtrey.
Truro,S Haime, Sibley, Odgers.
St. Austle, S. Marsh, Worden, Trampleasure.
Bodmin, S. Moody.
Penzance, S. Sanders, Hill, aud $\mathscr{E} 1616 s$.
Heistone, S. Beal, Bersey, Slater.
Exeter, S. Akerman.
Salterton, S. Bryant.
Tiverton, S. (J.) Jones, sen.
Taunton, S. Woodrow.
South Petherton, S. Wright,
Axminster, S. Alexander.
Barnstaple, S. Sleigh.
Dunster, S. Day.
Ashburton, S. (F.) Colier.
Brixham, S. Chapman.
Bristol, S. Griffith, Morley, Martin, and £16 16 s .
Kingswood, S. Johnson, Dermott.
Banwell, S. (John) Wood.
Bath, S. Buckley.
Frome, S. Gellard.
Batcome. S. Aldom.
Warminster, S. (W.) Harrison, jun.
Stroud,S.Shelmerdine, W intle.

Dursley, S. Simmons, Ru*iforth.
Downead, S. Jaggar.
rioncester, S. Catminell.
Cheitenham, S. M•Byron.
Veymouth. S. Butcon.
Inadford, (Wilts,) S. Ogilvie.
Malksham, S. Bowes.
Sheptun-Itallete, S. Greenley.
Mideummer-Norton, S. Horner
Somerton, S. Kaye.
Swansea, S. Ashton.
Merthyr-Tydville, S.Woodall.
Brecon, £ 16 16s.
Monameth, S. Brocklehurst.
Cardiff, S. Hughes.
Newport, S. Day.
Carmarthen, S.('T.) Warren.
Llandilo, S. (J.) Jones, sen.
Cardigan, S. (J.) Davies.
Haverfordwest, S. Hayman.
Pembruke, S. Twiddy.
A berystwith, s. (E.) Jones, 3d.
Ruthin and Denbigh, S. (W.) Evan:
Holywell, S. (S.) Davies.
Llangollen, S. (WW.) Batten.
Llmytyn. S. (L.) Jones.
Nachnilicth, \&c. S. (R.) Humpareys.
Carnarvon, \&c. S. (R.) Roberts
Hoiybead, \&c. S. (J.) Williams.
Llamws!, S. (1.) Evans.
Birmingham, S.Moore, Collier, Andrews.
West Bromwich, S. Homer.
Wednesbury, S. Hutton, Fletcher.
Wolverhampton, S. Millward.
Dudley, S. Walmsley, Ranson, Allen.
Stourport, S. Dowty.
Worcester, S. Edmondson,
Evesham, S. Cousin.
Redditch, S. Cimake.
Bromsgrove, S. Stokes,
Coventry, S. Simmons.
linckley,S.(V.)Harrison, sen.
Coleshill, S. (J.) Reynolds, jun.
Litchfield, S. Lewis.
Shrewabay. S. Waiteside.
Broscley, S. Hodson.
Ludlow, S. Timperley.
Hereford, \&c. S. Watmough.
Kingtin, S. Squarebridge.
Nowtown, S. (E.) Jones, 4th.
Wrexham, S. Fussell.
Whitchurch, S. Parsons.
Oswestry, S. Pretty.
Macclesfield, S. Barker, Gill.
Buxton, S. (S.) Jackson.
Congleton, S . Denton.
Namptwich, S. (J.) Simpson, sen.
Northwich, S. Meek.
Burslem, S. Eridgnell, Pinder.
Newcastle-under-Lyme, S.
Brookhouse, Smetham.
Stafford, S. Barlow.
Leek, S. Draper.
Liverpool, S. Cooper, (O.)
Davies, Pipe, Waddy.
Chester, S. Aver, Blackett.
Warrington, S. Floyd.
Prescott, S. Thompson.
Wigan, S. Holroyd,
Leigh, S. Hopewell.
Ormskirk, S. Dixon.
Preston, S. Hill.
Garstang, S. Allen.
Lancaster, S. Elliott.
Manchester, S. Reece, Clarke,
Henshaw. Everett, Stcrry.
Salford, S. Atmore, (Jon.)
Brown, jun. Eastwood.
Stockport, S. Townley, Hopwood.
New Mills, S. Hanwell.
Ashton-under-Lyne,S.Ludlam
Oldham, S. France, (E.) Miller.
Rochdale, S. Bogie, Bryan.
Bacup, S. Doncaster.
Haslingden, S.(J.)Simpson, jun.
Blackburn, S. (R.) Miller.

Bury, S. Hopkins.
Boiton, S. Highfield, Grindrod.
Halifax, S. Kirkpatrick, Mark Day.
Sowerby-Bridge, Burdsall, (R.) Wood.
Todmorden, S. Gloyne, Sewell
Burnley, S. Leach.
Colne, S. ('Г.) Vasey, jun.
Skipton, S. Gates.
Clithero, s. Worrell.
Grassington, S. White.
Addingham, S. Phillips.
Keighley, S. Lumb, W omcrsley.
Bingley, S. (H.) Taft.
Woodhouse-Grove, S. Radcliffe
Bradford, S. Siamp, and £16 $16 s$.
Hiddersfield, S. Sargent, (I.) Sykes.
Holmfirth, £16 16s.
Leeds, S. Stephens, Hare, Jordan, M•Nicol.
Bramley, S. Bartholomew, Atherton.
Wakefield, S. (R.) Newton, ('T) Stanley.
Birstal, S. (J.) Crowther, (J.) Hughes, Fearnside.
Dewsbury, S. Booth, Skelton.
Otley, S. Midgley.
Patelcy Bridge, S. Nother.
Pontefract, S. Pilter.
Selby, S. Garbut.
Knaresborough, S. Armitage.
Sheffield, S. Kelk, (J.) Davies, Jeckson, and $£ 1616 s$.
Chesterfield, S. Ingham.
Bakewell, S. (James) Jolinson.
bradwell, S. Keeling.
Rotherham, S. (11.) Wilson, (A.) Fums.

Doncaster, S. Warrencr.
Barnsley, S. Hickling.
Denuy, S. (Jno.) Brown, sen.
Derby, S. (Jos.) Taylor, sen, Oake,

Belper,S. Pattison, M'Laughlin
Cromford, S. (R.) Crowther.
Retford, S. Tattersh.ill.
Work op, S. (W.) Dixon.
Nottingham, S. Garrett, Good. win.
Ilkestone, S. Leppingtou.
Mansiield, S. Claxton.
Newark, S. Slack, Hope.
Grantham, S. (L.) Kershaw.
Leicester, S. Moulton.
Meton-Morhray,S.(B.) Wood
Ashbrede-la- 'Stuch, S. Townsens, Bird.
Burton, S. Muff.
Uttoxeter, $\therefore$ Banks.
Loughborcugh, S. Grahan, Webo.
Stamesed, S. Towler.
Lincoln, S. Isaac.
Sleaford, S. Ro:dhouse. Market-Raisen, S. Rubbins. Louth, S. Furness, Frank. Horncastle, S. Rogerson.
Alfurd, S . Wilton.
Spilsby, S. Rought.
Boston, S. Cooke.
Spalding, S. Penman.
iHull, S. 「urton, Naylor, (W.) Hill, James.
Howden, S. Gee.
Driffield, S. (F.) West.
Bridlington, S. Kane, Waterhouse.
Patrington, S. Gill.
Grimsby, S. Vanghan.
Gainsborough, S. Hardcastle.
Epworth, Howarth.
Snaith, S. Rennison.
Brigg, S. Bate.
Winterton, S. Todd.
York, S. (T.) Lessey, sen. Nelson, Stones.
Pocklington, S. Simmonite, Barr.
Scarborough, S. (S.) Wilson, (J.) Pearson.

Pickering, S. Anderson.
Malton, S. Parkin, Melson.
Easingwould, S. Welborne.
Thirsk, S. Holder.
Ripon, S. Carlton.
Whitby, S. (U.)Smith,Hudson.
Gisborough, S. Laycock.
Darlington, S. (J.) Kershaw.
Stockton, S. Beaumont, and £8. 8s. to S. Heywood.
Barnard Castle S. Lilly, Bumstead.
Middleham, S. Sedgwick.
Tanficld, S. Hainsworth.
Richmond, S. Aslin, and 8l.8s. to S. Heywood.
Newcastie-upon-Tyne, S. Bramwell, Mann.
Gateshead, S. Batty.
North Shields, S. (Z.) Taft, Hewitt.
South Shields, S. (J.) Farrar, (W.) Jackson.

Sunderland, S. Preston, Slater. Hollingsworth.
Durham, S. Fairbourn.
Alstone, S. Nicholson.
Hexham, S. (J.) Barritt.
Morpeth, £16.16s.

Alnwick and Berwick, S. Willoughby.
Carlisle, S. (B.) Barritt, Rawson.
Whitehaven, S. Poole, Scholefield.
Brough, S. Adshead.
Penrith, S. Watkins.
Kendal, S. Lee.
Dumfries, S. (T.) Harrison.
Douglas, S. (E.) Wilson, Kemp.
Ramsay, S. Mercer.
Edinburgh, S. Ward,Lancaster.
Dunbar, S. Stephenson.
Glasgow, S. (S.) Warren, (A.) Bell.
Paisley, (G.) Sykes, jun.
Greenock, S. Crabtrec.
Ayr and Kilmarnock, S. (G.) Thompson.

Perth, £16. $15 s$.
Aberdeen, S. (Jos.) Bryan, (Jas.) Smetham.
Dundee, S. Clegg.
Arbroath, S. Xates.
Brechin, S. Kitchen.
Banff, S. (J.) Sugden.
Elgin, S. Mollard.
Inverness, S. (R.) Harrison, sen.
Q. 10. How are the remaining fifty wives to be provided for ? A. By the Districts, as follows: viz.

By the London District,
By the Canterbury District,
By the Norwich District,
By the Lynn District,
By the Oxford District,
By the Portsmouth District,
By the Guernsey District,
By the Bristol District,
By the Swansea District,
By the Carmarthrn District,
By the Ruthin District,
S. (J.) Anderson.
S. Lomas, (G.) Rowe, Walker, (J.) Roberts, and Gostick.
S. Bicknell, (W.) Sutcliffe.
S. Spink.
S. Wild.
S. Jewett, Shepherd.
S. Robarts.
S. Fielden, Jonathan Williams, Jaggar, Prosser.
S. Rees, (M.) Griffith.
S. Hughes, (John) Williams, R. Jones, Edwards.
S. (M.) Jones, (E.) Hughes, (O.) Jones, (D.) Jones, (W.) Hughes.

By the Birmingham District,
By the Shrewsbury District,
By the Macclesfield District,
By the Liverpool District,
By the Manchester District, By the Halifax District,
By the Sheffield District,
By the Nottingham District,
By the Lincolnshire District, By the York District,

By the Newcastle District,
S. Walion, (John) Mason, jun.

Gilgrass.
S. Beech, Anwyll.
S. Armstrong.
S. Arnett.
S. (J.) Marsden.
S. Brook, Pickering.
S. Lnve.
S. Walker, Hunt, Hobson, Hayes.
S. Dalby, Gregory.
S. Dece. (J.) Taylor, Nictarison, Hall.
5. Heap.
Q. 11. What is the number of Members in our Societies?
A. As follows: vie,

| London East | - | 4000 | Norwich | 700 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| London West | - | 2600 | North Waisham | 210 |
| Deptford | - | 1140 | Yarmouth | 985 |
| Brentford | - | 410 | Lowestoft | 360 |
| Windsor | - | 96 | Framlingham | 972 |
| High-W ycombe |  | 290 | Bungay | 16 |
| Leigh, Essex |  | 74 | Diss | 480 |
| Chelmsford | - | 120 | New Buckenham | 580 |
| Calchester | - | 235 | Thetford | 505 |
| Manningtree |  | 422 | Bury St. Edmund's and? |  |
| Ipswich | - | 460 | Cambridge $\xi$ | 250 |
| Huatingdon | - | 368 | Ely - - | 452 |
| St. Neots | - | 288 | Lynn | 510 |
| Biggleswade |  | 235 | Swaffham | 310 |
| Bedford | - | 303 | W isbeach | 430 |
| Newport Pagnell |  | 236 | W alsingham | 412 |
| Ampthill | - | 200 | Holt | 487 |
| Leighton Buzzard |  | 535 | Oxford | 250 |
| Laton |  | 490 | Whitchurch | 66 |
| Reading | - | 120 | Witney | 270 |
| Chichester |  | 96 | Chipping Norton | 240 |
| Brighthelmstone |  | 293 | Banbury - | 370 |
| Rochester - | - | 1200 | Brackley | 380 |
| Cantertury | - | 600 | Towcester | 260 |
| Margate |  | 275 | Daventry | 364 |
| Dover | - | 450 | Northampton | 460 |
| Rye |  | 630 | Wellingborough | 450 |
| Sandhurst |  | 900 | Kettering - | 125 |
| Ashford | - | 100 | Sarket Harborough | 120 |
| Sevenoaks | - | $2-0$ | Portsmouth - | 1180 |
| Maidstone | - | 250 | Salisbury | 1000 |



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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Redditch = | 230 | Bury | 610 |
| Wednesbury | 970 | Bolton | 1310 |
| Worcester | 780 | Halifax | 1500 |
| Evesham | 271 | Sowerby Bridge | 1000 |
| Stourport | 490 | Todmorden | 1500 |
| Dudley | 1340 | Burnley | 620 |
| Wolverhampton | 420 | Cohne | 600 |
| Hinckley | 580 | Skipton | 495 |
| Coventry - | 400 | Clithero | 400 |
| Shrewsbury | 740 | Grassington | 160 |
| Broseley | 746 | Addingham | 445 |
| Ludlow | 370 | Keighley | 870 |
| Hereford and Ledbury | 330 | Bingley | 850 |
| Kington - | 244 | Woodhouse Grove | 920 |
| Newtown | 261 | Bradford | 2100 |
| Wrexham | 157 | Huddersfield | 1120 |
| Whitchurch | 165 | Holmfirth, last year's ret | n 600 |
| Oswestry | 115 | Leeds - | 3972 |
| Macclesfield | 1030 | Bramley | 1250 |
| Buxton | 400 | Wakefield | 1130 |
| Congleton | 470 | Birstall | 1684 |
| Naniptwich | 580 | Dewsbury | 1018 |
| Northwich - | 760 | Otley | 580 |
| Burslem | 1173 | Pateley Bridge | 500 |
| Newcastle-under-Lyme | 980 | Pontefract | 830 |
| Stafford | 326 | Selby | 700 |
| Leek | 840 | Wetherby | 700 |
| Liverpool | 2960 | Sheffield | 2300 |
| Chester | 700 | Chesterfield | 580 |
| Warrington | 560 | Bakewell | 364 |
| Prescott | 230 | Bradwell | 480 |
| Wigan | 220 | Rotherham | 966 |
| Leigh | 374 | Doncaster | 660 |
| Ormskirk | 231 | Barnsley | 520 |
| Preston | 800 | Denby | 4.50 |
| Garstang - | 188 | Derby | 820 |
| Lancaster | 450 | Belper | 1200 |
| Manchester | 3200 | Cromford | 420 |
| Salford | 1680 | Retford | 496 |
| Stockport - - | 1380 | Worksop | 250 |
| New Mills | 800 | Nottingham, last year | 1359 |
| Ashton-under-Lyne | 360 | Ilkestone - | 440 |
| Oldham - | 800 | Mansficld - | 588 |
| Rochdale | 840 | Newark | 800 |
| Bacup | 373 | Grantham | 590 |
| Haslingden | 416 | Leicester | 658 |
| Blackburn | 700 | Melton Mowbray | 4.7 |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ashby-de-la-Zouch | 820 | Middleham | 414 |
| Burton | 320 | Tanfield | 450 |
| Litchfield | 41 | Richmond | 900 |
| Uttoxeter | ¢80 | Newcastle-upon-Tyne | 1450 |
| Loughborough | 677 | Gateshead | 1024 |
| Stamford and Peterboro' | 580 | North Shiclds | 910 |
| Lincoln | 760 | South Shields | 810 |
| Sleaford | 330 | Sunderland | 1700 |
| Markct Raisen | 518 | Durlam | 815 |
| Loutl | 970 | Alstone | 450 |
| Horncastle | 660 | Hexham | 430 |
| Alford | 400 | Morpeil | 150 |
| Spissby | 500 | Alnwick and Derwick | 140 |
| Boston | 500 | Cartisle | 360 |
| Spalding | 250 | Whitehaven | 588 |
| Hull | 2000 | Brough | 268 |
| Howden | 590 | Penrith | 107 |
| Driffield | 708 | Kendal | 314 |
| Bridlington | 800 | Ulverstone | 51 |
| Patrington | 346 | Dunfries | 57 |
| Grinstby | 750 | Douglas | 1958 |
| Gainsborough | 800 | Ramsey | 1670 |
| Epworth and Snaith | 890 | Edinburgh and Lcith | 500 |
| Brigg - | 460 | Dunbar and Dalkcith | 100 |
| Winterton | 560 | Glasgow and Paisley | 1211 |
| York | 1850 | Ayr and Kilmarnock | 230 |
| Pocklington | 1050 | Greenock and Port Gla |  |
| Scarborough | 670 | gow | 100 |
| Pickering | 562 | Perth and Crieff | 124 |
| Malton | 700 | Dunfermline |  |
| Easingwould | 646 | Aberdeen | 225 |
| Thirsk | 950 | Peterhead | 30 |
| Ripon | 770 | Dundee | 60 |
| Whitby | 728 | Arbroath | 74 |
| Gisborough | 620 | Brechin | 130 |
| Darlington | 675 | Banff | 136 |
| Stockton | 623 | Elgin | 36 |
| Barnard Castle and Wear dale | $1820$ | Inverness | 31 |
| Total Number of membe | s in G |  | 191,680 |
| Ditto ditto |  | last year, | 181,709 |
| Increase in Great Britain |  | - - | 9,971 |
| The Number of MembLast year it was | in Ire | land this yeat is | 28,542 |
|  | - | 促 | 29,357 |



Q. 12. Who is appointed the President of the next Conference in Ireland?
A. Richard Reece; who, if unavoidably prevented from attending, has authority to nominate a substitute.
Q. 13. Who are the General Committee for guarding our privileges during the ensuing year?
A. The President and Secretary of the Conference; all the Preachers appointed for the two London Circuits; the Superintendants of the Deptford and Brentford Circuits; Adam Clarke, LL. D.; Joseph Butterworth, Esq. M. P.; Christopher Sundius, Esq. Mr. Robert Middleton, Mr. Joseph Bulmer, Mr. Launcelot Haslope, Mr. William Marriott, Mr. Thomas Allan, Mr. David Bruce, Mr. Thomas Marriott, Mr. William Kent, Thomas Shepherd, Esq.: Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, M.P.; Thomas Holy, Esq. of Sheffield; John Ward, Esq. of Durham; Richard Fawcett, Esq. of Bradford; Mr. Joseph Dutton, of Liverpool; Mr. James Murrow, of Livernool; Mr. Benjamin Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Burton, of Manchester; William Carne, Esq. of Penzance; Mr. Joseph Holdsworth, of Wakefield; and Mr. Richard Bealy, of Ratcliffe, near Bury.
Q. 14. What collections for chapels are allowed to be made during the ensuing year?
A. 1. In the London East circuit, for George's chapel in the East.
2. In the London West circuit, and in the Lceds district, for the Che'sea chapel.
3. In the Colchester, Chelmsford, Manningtree, and Ipswich circcits, for Elmstead Market chapel.
4. In the Bolton, Oldham, and Stsckport circuits, for Biggleswade chapel.
5. In the Huntingdon and Bedford circuits, for Asplice chapel.
6. In the Luton, Newport-Pagnell, Brighton, and HighWycombe circuits, and in the Ampthill circuit, for Eastbourne chapel.
7. In the Canterbury district, except in the Rye and Sandhurst circuits, and privately through the Cornish district, for Tun-bridge-W ells chapel.
8. In the Rye and Sandhurst circuits, for Ashford chapel.
9. In the Leighton- Buzzard and St. Neots circuit, for Boughton chapel.
10. In the Norwich and Lynn districts, for Lynn chapel.
11. In the Oxford, 'Towcester, Banbury, and Daventry circuits, for Enstone chapel.
12. In the Witney and Chipping-Norton circuits, for Adderbury chapel.
13. In the Northampton, Kettering, Wellingborough, MarkctVOL. IV.

Harborough, Whitchurch, and Brackley circuits, for Kimbolton chapel.
14. The case of the Oxford chapel being considered as extraordinary, the Preachers on the Oxford circuit have leave to print a staternent of it, and to send a copy to every Superintendant.
15. In the Portsmouth district, except Newbury, for Gosport chapel.
16. In the Hungerford circuit, for Broadtown chapel.
17. In the Southampton circuit, for Ramsey chapel.
18. In the Shaftesbury circuit, for Sturminster chapel.
19. In Guernsey, for St. Peter's and the Forest chapels.
20. In the Plymouth-Dock district privately, and in Ply-mouth-Dock circuit publickly, for Alderney chapel.
21. In the '「avistock circuit, for Beer Alstone chapel.
22. In the Camelford and Liskeard circuits, for St. Teath chapel.
23. In the Launceston circuit, for the Filea Mill chapel.
24. In the Truro circuit, for Summercourt chapel.
25. In the Helstone circuit, for Gorran chapel.
26. In the Bodmin circuit, for St. Mawe's chapel.
27. In the St. Austle circuit, for Roach chapel.
28. In the Penzance circuit, for Land's-end chapel.
29. In the Redruth circuit, for Trithanas chapel.
30. In the 'Tiverton and Taunton circuits, for Crediton chapel.
31. In the whole of Exeter district, for Tiverton chapel.
32. In the Petherton circuit, for Lowham chapel.
33. In the Axminster and Barnstaple circuits, for Honiton chapel.
34. In the Barnstaple circnit, for Barnstaple chapel.
35. In the Brixham circuit, for Brixham chapel.
36. In the Bristol circuit, for Westbury chapel.
37. In the Midsummer-Norton and Shepton circuits, for Cameron chapel.
38. In the Downend circuit, for Iron Acton and Bridegate chapels.
39. In the Melksham and Bradford, (Wilts,) circuits, for Chippingham chapel.
40. In the Shepton-Mallet circuit, for Stoke Lane clapel.
41. In the Frome, Kingswood, Banwell, Warminster, Stroud, Cheltenham, and Weymouth circuits, for Tewksbury and Easington chapels. The collection to be equally divided after the expense of collecting is defrayed.-N. B. In Banwell the collection is to be private only.
42. In the Dursley circuit, for Easington chapel.
43. In the Gloucester circuit, for Tewksbury chapel.
44. In the three Welsh districts, for Dolgelly chapel.
45. In the Swansea circuit, for Burrow's Green chapel.
46. In the Cardiff circuit, for Landaff chapel.
47. In the Haverfordwest circuit, for the Dale chapel.
48. In the Carmarthen circuit, for Lanon chapel.
49. In the Worcester and Hinckley circuits, for Broadway chapel.
50. In the Redditch, Bromsgrove, and Evesham circuits, for Studley chapel.
51. In the Wednesbury, Wolverhampton, and Coventry circuits, for Hocker Hill chapel.
52. In the Birmingham, Bromwich, and Dudley circuits, for Winoll chapel.
53. In the Stourport circuit, for Higley chapel.
54. In the Wrexham and Whitchurch circuits, for Ledbury chapel.
55. In the Shrewsbury and Ludlow circuits, for Didleston Heath chapel.
56. Collections are to be made in the Hereford, Broseley, and Kington circuits, and the monies are to be paid to Mr. Hook, of Kempley.
57. In the Macclesfield and Buxton circuits, for Presbury chapel.
58. In the Namptwich, Burslem, Congleton, Newcastle, and Northwich circuits, and privately in the Manchester circuit, for Namptwich chapel.
59. In the Stafford circuit, for Gnosall chapel.
60. In the Leek circuit, for Kingsley chapel.
61. In the Chester circuit, for Kinnerton chapel.
62. In the Chester circuit, for Pattershull chapel.
63. In the Preston circuit, for St. Hellen's chapel.
64. In the Garstang circuit, for Pilling clapel.
N. B. The monies collected in the whole Liverpool district for this purpose, to be divided as the district shall determine, according to the necessities of each of the four last-mentioned chapels.
65. In the Burnley, Bradford, and Clithero circuits, for Barnoldswick chapel.
66. In the Addingham, Skipton, and Colne circuits, for Hebden chapel.
67. In the Keighley circuit, for Keighley chapel.
68. In the Bingley circuit, for Bingley chapel.
69. In the Halifax, Sowerby-Bridge, Huddersfield, and Todmorden circuits, for Idle chapel.
70. In the Leeds circnit, for Meadow-lane chapel.
71. In the Pontefract circuit, for Knottingley chapel,
$\because 2$. In the Shefficld circuit, for Thurgoland chapel. P2
73. In the Chesterfield circuit, for Brimington chapel.
74. In the Bakewell and Retford circuits, for Foolow chapcl.
75. In the Bradwell and Barnsley circuits, for Tideswell chapel.
$7 \%$. In the Denby-Dale circuit, for Skilmanthorpe chapel.
77. In the Derby circuit, for Spooden chapel.

7s. In the Belper circuit, for Ripley chapel.
79. In the Cromford circuit, for Winster chapel.
80. In the Sheffield and Rotherham circuits, for Worisep chapel.
81. In the Nottingham circuit, for Kimberley chapel.

8?. In the Grantham circuit, for Suton chapel.
83. In the Melton-Mowbray circuit, for Missendine chapel. .
84. In the Stamford circuit, for Elton chapel.
85. In the Ashby-dc-la- Zouch circuit, for Hartshorn chapel.
86. In the Burton, Mansfield, and Uttoxeter circuits, for Repton chapel.
87. In the Loughborongh circuit, for Diesworth chapel.
88. In the Horncatle circuit, for Wragby chapel.
89. In the Boston circuit, for Leak chapel.
90. In the Lincoln, Spilsby, Alford, and Spalding circuits, for Dunnington chapel.
91. In the Bridlington circuit, for Wansford chapel.
93. In the Epworth, Gainsborough, and Grimsby circuits, for West Butterwick chapel.
94. In the York circuit, for the new chapel in York.
95. In the Scarborough circuit, for Brompton chapel.
96. In the Malton and Easingwould circuits, for Thornton chapel.
97. In the Pickering circuit, for Kirby Moorside chapel.
98. In the Pocklington circuit, for Easingwould chapel.
93. In the 'Thirsk circuit, for Sand Hutton chapel.
100. In the Ripon circuit, for Ripon chapel.
101. In the Whitby, Gisborough, and Darlington circuits, for Whitby chapel.
102. In the Stockton circuit for South Carlton chapel.
103. In the liichmond, Middleham, and Tanfield circuits, for Morton and Hurst chapels.
104. In the Barnard-Castle circuit, for Barningham and Hamsterley chapels.
105. In the Sunderland, Newcastle, North Shields, and South Shields circuits, a private collection for Vine-strect chapel, in Sunderland.
106. In the Sunderland circuit, a public collection for Swallwell chapel.
107. In the Isle of Man district, for Ramsey chapel. 108. In the Edinburgh circuit, for Dunfermline chapel.
109. In the Aberdeen district, for Peterhead chapel.
Q. 15. Who are the Committee for Kingswood School for the ensuing year?
A. Walter Griffith, Chairman; George Morley, Secretary; Robert Johnson, Treasurer; Joseph Taylor, jun. William Martin, Jeremiah Brettell, George Dermott, James Buckley, Thomas Roberts, and Jonas Jaggar; with Thomas Roberts, Esq. Mr. John Hall, Mr. Thomas Exley, and Mr. James Wood, all of Bristol.
Q. 16. Who are the Committee for Woodhouse-Grove School for the ensuing year?
A. John Stamp, Chairman; John Braithwaite, Sccretary; Miles Martindale, Treasurer ; Cleland Kirkpatrick, John Burdsall, Charles Gloyne, Matthew Lumb, Menry Taft, William Radcliffe, George Sargent, John Stephens, Edward Hare, Thomas Bartholomew, Robert Newton, Thomas Stanley, and Jonathan Crowther; with Messrs. Fawcett, of Bradford; B. Sadler, of Leeds; John Ashworth, and (i. B. Browne, of Halifax; Holdsworth, of Wakefield; John Sntcliffe, of Willow Hall; and Child, of Greengates.
Q.17. Who are the General Treaturers and Secretaries for the Methodist Missions, for the ensuing year?
A. Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, M. P. and Mr. James Wood, (whose address is, No. 12, Bow Street, Bloonslnury, London,) are respectfully requested to continue in office as Joint Treasurers; and Mr. George Marsden and Mr. Watson are appointed Joint Secretaries.
N. B. 1. The cordial and unanimous thanks of the Conference are presented to Mr. Thompson and Mr. James Wood, for their valuable services as Treasurers, and to Mr. Buckley and Mr. Thomas Wood, for their faithful labours as Secretaries during the past year; and they are hereby requested to accept such thanks.
2. The Conference has also unanimously resolved, That the warmest thanks of this Body be respectfully presented to Joseph Butterworth, Esq. M. P. for the promptitude and ability with which he kindly undertook, at the request of the Committee, the defence of our West-Indian Missionaries, in the House of Commons, during the last session of Parliament.
Q. 18. Who are the Committee of Examination and Finance, for our Missionary Affairs, during the ensuing year?
A. 1. The President and Secretary of the Conference, the General Treasurers, and those other Members of the London Executive Committee, who can attend the next Conference, (including the Superintendants of Dentford and Brentford,) are, ex officio, members of this Committee.
2. The nine Preachers, appointed according to rule, are the
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following: : viz. Joseph Taylor, sen. Henry Moore, Adam Clarke, Walter Griffith, John Stamp, James Buckley, Jonathan Barker, Edward Hare, Robert Newton.
3. The following persous, viz. Thomas Holy, Esq. Mr. Jonathan Beet, Mr. John Joner, Mr. Henry Longden, (all of Sheffield;) Mr. Thornely, of the Barnsley circuit; Mr. Law and Mr. Clarke, of the Rotherham circuit; Mr. Fox, of the Chesterfield circuit; and Mr. Morley, of Doncaster, are respectfuliy requested to act as the nine other members of the Committee.
N. B. The members of this Committee are desired to meet in the Vestry of Carver-street chapel, Sheffield, at nine o'clock in the morning of the Friday immediately preceding the Meeting of the next Conference; at which time the Treasurers' Accounts of our Missionary Receipts and Disbursements, from June 24, 1816, to June $24,18: 7$. shall be submitted to their investigation; together with every question connected with the Financial Department of our Mis ionary Business, and the General Annual Report of the State of the Missions, to be prepared by the Executive Committee.
Q. 19. What increase shall be made this year in the number of our Foreign Missionaries?
A. In compliance with pressing requests received from abroad, and in humble dependance on the blessing of God, and on the continued exertions and liberality of our friends, and of the Public, we authorize the following additions to the Appointments made at the last Conference, viz.

One Missionary for France;
One for Brussels, \&c.
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One additional for Prince Edward's Island.
Three additional for new stations in the Canadas; and
Four additional for Newfoundland; beside Trwo, who are just gone to supply vacancies occasioned by the removal of Brothers Ellis and Busby to other Stations.
Q. 20. What direction shall be given respecting our Missionary Affairs in general?
A. On hearing the Reports of the Missionary Committees, the Conference resolves,

1. That all our Missionaries shall be personally responsible to the Book-Steward for ali books, which they may order from him
for the purpose of sale at their respective Stations. But they shall be left at liberty, at their several District-Meetings, to apply the produce of such sales, if they deem it expedient, to the payment of their Ordinary Deficiencies as Missionarics, so far as it will go; and shall pay the Book-Steward what they owe to him by sending him an Order on the Missionary Treasurer it: London, to the amount of those Ordinary Deficiencies which they have received out of the Book-Money: Provided that when such Orders are sent, the Chairman of the District shall always transmit, at the same time, to the Treasurers for the Missions, an exact account (in detail) of the purposes to which those monies are applied, for the re-payment of which the said Orders are given.
2. That no monies whatsoever shall be paid to the Missionaries in the West-Indies, either from the produce of book-sales, or from any other source, for any other purposes than those which are ordinary and regular, until the approbation of the Committee at home has been first asked and outained. All proposals for extraordinary allowances, whether for afflictions, or any other similar purposes, shall be entered upon the District-Minutes, but not acted upon until sanctioned by the Committee. The only exception allowed from the operation of this Rule, shall be the annual payment of such sum as may be immediately wanted for the use of the vessel employed in bringing the Missionaries from the several Islands to the District-Meeting, and in conveying them to their new appointments.
3. That all monies, intended for the Mission Fund, shall be remitted in a distinct and separate manner, unmixed with Monies belonging to any other Fund; and that our Friends be requested to address such remittances to the Gencral Treasurers for the Missions, and not to any other person ; in order to prevent mistakes and delays.
4. That the additional Printing-Press and Types, requested by the Missionaries at Columbo, shall be immediately sent to that Station.
Q.21. Are any regulations necessary respecting our Schools at Kingswood and Woodhouse-Grove?
$A .1$. Let it be understood, that the most suitable time for boys to enter at either School, is the last week in the month of May; that is, immediately after the annual vacation.
5. The preference, in selecting Boys to fill up vacancies in the Schools, shall always be given according. to the seniority of the Fathers of those Boys, who are candidates for admission, in our itinerant work; except when a Parent, though senior, has one Boy aiready in cither School.
6. Let the Rule which enacts, Hiat no Boy shall be admitted
to cither of the Schools, until his Father shall have subscribed Five Guineas at least towards the purchase of Woodhouse-Grove, be uniformly and constantly enforced.
7. A regular Anmual Report of the Schools, with a List of the Subscribers, and of Publie Collections, and an account of the Expenditure, shall be published in a separate form; and a Copy given to eaeh Subscriber of Ten Shillings and upwards: The Account printed in the Appendix to our Minutes shall therefore inclade, in future, only the Publie Collections, and the total amount of Private Subseriptions in each Circuit, together with an Account of the Expenditure.
Q. 22. What directions shall be given on the Affairs of our Book-Room?
A. 1. Let the Travelling Preachers be allowed to have Mr, Benson's Commentary on the New Testament, for their own use, at the price of Four Shillings for each Part.
8. It is agreed, in compliance with an application made by our respected Brethren, the Local Preachers of Liverpool, that all Loeal Preachers, regularly entered as sueh on the Plan of the Circuit to which they belong, who request the privilege, shall be allowed to purchase Mr. Benson's Commentary on the Old ''estament, for their own use, at a deduction of 25 per cent, from the selling price.
9. Every Superintendant shall transmit annually to the BookSteward, in detail, the account of Stock on hand in. his Circuit.
10. The Book-Committee are authorised to undertake a new monthly Publication, to be called The Youth's Instructer and Guardian.
Q. 23. How may we provide against the difficulties and ineonveniencies resulting from the death of any President of the Conference, who may die during the year of his Presideney?
A. In every such case, the last surviving Prsident shall immediately enter again into the office so vacated; and shall be considered, for the remainder of that year, and until the election of a successor at the ensuing Conference, as having all the powers, privileges, and authorities of the Presideney, and responsible for all its duties.
Q. 24. How can we best discharge the present large Debt of the Connexion, including the Monies borrowed and and left unpaid at the close of the last Conference, and also the Deficiency of the present year?
A. As we are exceedingly reluctant, in these times of general pressure and distress, to make any new or special application to our People for this purpose, we agree, that we will take upon ourselves, as a Body of Travelling Preaehers, the whole Debt; and have made such arrangements among ourselves, as will en-
able us, we trust, to accomplish in one year the entire extinction of it, by voluntary sacrifices and exertions. Till these arrangements can be carried into effect, the sum wanted shall be borrowed on Interest, in order that the regnlar claims on the Contingent Fund may be immediately discharged.
N. B. 1. The four General Congregational Collections are to be made as usual, during the ensuing year, and as nearly as possible at the regular times specificd in page 128 of the Minates of 1815; namely, The Collection for our Public Schools, and for the Education of the Preachers' Children, should be made in October; - the Collection allowed for Distressed Chapels, according to the Lists inserted at page 225, \&c. of these Minutes, should be made in January or Fcbruary; -the Missionary Collcction (except in places where such a Collection is made at Annual Missionary Meetings,) should be made in May, and sent to the General Trcasurers for the Missions, in time to be included in their Annual Account, which will close on the 24th of June, 1817:-and the Public Collection in aid of the Contingent Fund, for the Support and Spread of the Gospel at Home, should be made in the beginning of $J u l y$, that the amount of what is raised in each Circnit may be certified to the Representatives of the several Districts, and by them communicated to the Clerks, in the weck preceding the Meeting of the next Conference.
11. The three Gcneral Private Subscriptions are also to be made as usual, in every circuit. See Minutes of 1815, p. 128.

## Miscellaneous Orders and Resolnations of the Conference.

1. The Conference recommend to our Congregations, on the Lord's Day Forenoon, the use of the Psalms and Hymns, first collected by Mr. Wesley, cnlarged by Dr. Coke, and now used in some of our Chapels in London.
2. The Minutc, made last year, which declares, that "the relief to be occasionally granted to Preachers in cases of Affliction, is only to be allewed out of the Auxiliary Fund, in such instances of pcculiar affliction as cannot be relieved in the ordinary way, by the exertions of those Circuits on wohich such Preachers labour,"-shall be annually reprinted, with the otier Rules respecting the Distribution of the Ausilitary Fund, in the Report of that Fund.
3. Resolved, That the Conference approve of the conduct of their Book-Committee in London, in having refused to facilitate the circulation of a Book on Ecclesiastical Claims, which was printed in Scotland, and published by a Member of our Conmexion; and deem it a public duty to declarc, in the fear of

God, their most decided disapprobation of various passages contained in that Book, as well as of the general spirit and style of it, which the Conference believe to be unbecoming and unchristian.
4. Resolved, That two Sets of the Works of Mr. Wesley, and of Mr. Fletcher, with Copies of our Large Hymn Book, and of Mr. Benson's Apology for the Methodists, shall be presented, in the name of the Conference, to the Rev. Messrs. Sac, of Berlin; in token of our Christian affection for them, and as a memorial of the high gratification which the Conference derived from their friendly visit, and interesting communications, in its sitting of Tuesday, August 6.
5. Resolved, That the cordial thanks of the Conference be presented to Mr. William Marriott, Mr. Thomas Marriotey, and Mr. Rance, (Executors of the late William Marriott, Esq. of London,) for the prompt and kind manner in which they were pleased to pay, (without deducting the sums charged for the Legacy Duty,) the sums bequeathed by Mr. Marriott to the Funds of our Connexion; viz. a sum of 500 l . to the Itinerant Methodist Preachers' Annuitant Society, for the Support of Superannuated Preachers, and of Widows of Deceased Preachers; and a further sum of 400 l . to Kingswood School.-And the Conference take this opportunity of publickly recording their affictionate respect for the character and memory of the late Mr. Marriott; whose unfeigned piety, abounding liberality, and steadfast attachment to the cause of religion among the Methodists, were "in life and death the same."
Q. 25. When and where shall our next Conference be held?
A. In Shefficld, on the last Monday in July, 1817.

Signed on behalf and by order of the Conference,
RICHARD REECE, President. JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary.
London, Aug. 14, 1816.
N. B. 1. The Stationing Committee are to assemble at nine o'clock in the morning of the Monday before the commencement of the next Conference: and Messis. Waddy, Braithwate, and Warien, are to meet at the same time to audit and prepare the General Accounts.
2. It is particularly requested, that all Letters written to the President or Secretary, in the course of the year, on Public Lusiness of any kind, may be sent post paid.-'The President's Address is, Oldham-Street Chapel, Manchester; that of the Secretary, No. 16, Canterbury Place, Lambeth, London.

## The Address of the Irish Conference to the British Conference.

## Beloved Fathers and Brethren,

With heartfelt satisfaction we embrace the occasion presented by the lapse of another year, to renew our mutual interchange of cordial regard, and strengthen the hands of brotherly affection.

We rejoice that our mion with you is in Him who is the centre of spirits, and the head of all his mystical members; in whom we are one in interest and affiction, and from whom we derive light, strength, and consolation.
On the sudden death of our respected brother, Mr. Barber, who was appointed to be our President, we participated with you in feelings of deep regret. The loss of such an excellent minister of Christ, and the solemn lesson, so forcibly taught, that we are momentarily liable to be called to our final account, produced in our minds, we trust, their proper effect. Besides, we entertained fears lest we should be deprived of a President from England; but these four- were soon dissipated, when we learned that the late President had appointed Dr. Clarke, whom we cordially love, to preside among us; and that the kind and prompt exertions of some of your respected body induced him to come. We entertain such a grateful sense of the lively interest which these Brethren took in our favour, that by an unanimous vote of Conference we return them our herrty thanks.

With deep concern we have to deplore our want of usual success. This we believe must be principally attribated to the uneasy state of the minds of our people, occasioncel by their different views respecting the ordinances of Baptism, and the Lord's Supper being administered by our own Preachers. This question has occupied the minds of our peopie, and of numbers that attend on our ministry. They have debated the matter at larse, and sometimes with too much warmth; feelings unfavourable to religion have been excited; the minds of many bave been distracted with controversy : and we fear the Spirit of God has been grieved. Mean time, we have to sustain considerable pecuniary embarrassment.

From the united influence of these two powroful causes, we should probably yield to depression, did we not call to recollection the far greater difficulties through which the primitive Apostles of Christ urged their way; the privations sustained, and hindrances overcome, by our immediate forerunners in this glorious work; and, above all, that cheering promise," Lo I am with you alway, even to the end of the world." Strengthened
thus, we " thank God and take courage :" saying each, with humble confidence, "Thou shalt guide me with thy counsel, and afterward receive me to glory."

To allay the fever throughout the Connexion in Ireland, and as far as possible to mect the views of all united with us, we have granted the sacred ordinances of Baptism and the Lord's Supper to our recpie; but accompanied with such limitations and restrictions, as we trust will satisfy all reasonable men. Thus have we endeavoured to direct our bark through this narrow, this dangerous strait; alumed, as well we might be, for its safety, but for this conseling reflection, that Jesus sits at the helm.

Besidcs, we indulge the hope of future success from the union of all our Brethren in the ministry: we are all of one heart and of one soul; and that which threatened to divide us, has, through the providence of him, who ruleth all events to his glory, contributed to cement us more closely togcther.

Again we believe it will be our duty to testify our gratitude for the presidency of our beloved Brother, Dr. Cearke, from whose information and interest in our welfarc, we have derived much adrantage, and to whom we are deeply indebted.

We find our Brethren on your side of the water so solicitous to send us a suitable President, that we shall not dictate to you respecting the present appointment; but assure you, that whomsoever you shall think proper to send, we will cheerfully and cordialiy receive.

We send to you, as our Representative, our Brother Mayne, who has proved himself faithful, and who will, we believe, render hinself acceptable to you, by informing you of all things which concern our affairs.

While we rejoice in the success of Missionary exertions abroad, it is still farther ground of gratitude, that our Missionaries have been blest in their labours at home. In the course of last year, new ground has been broken up, the word of God widely distributed, many sinners awakened, several blest with a sense of the Divine favour, and some who were the ripe fruit of the Mission, have escaped away to the mansions of light. Thus encouraged, we have increased the number of Irish Missionaries, and look up with humble confidence, that God will bless their labours still more abundantly.

In a sense, indeed, we are all Missionaries; and our prayer $\mathrm{i}=$, that we may possess more of the true Missionary spirit, and that the kingdon of Christ may spread, till the whole earth is filled with his glory.

Signed on behalf of the Conference,
S. IVOOD, Secretary.

Dusinn, July 17, 1816.

The Answer of the Butish Conference to the Addreis from the Irish Confarence.

## Dearly leloved Brethren,

Having heard much of the peculiar circumstances of the Irish Methodists at the present inportant crisis, we have waited with considerable anxiety for your annual dddress; the reading of which has revived in our bosoms sentiments of sympathy and brotherly affection.

The disturbed state of our Societies under your care, on the subject of the administration of the Ordinances of Baptism and the Lord's Supper by our own Preachers, has, no doubt, greatly perplexed your minds. Concerned for the best interests of all your people, whether they desire to receive the Sacraments from the hands of their own Preachers or not, we are persuaded you have adopted that plan, which has appeared to you, upon the whole, best calculated, eventually, to restore and establish peace. We cannot, therefore, disapprove of the steps which you have taken in granting the requests of those Societies which desire to have the privileges of the Ordinance; among themselves. And we perceive the propriety of such grants, especially as many of the members of the Societies were educated amongst the Presbyterians, and had no opportunity of reeciving the Lord's Supper, in many places, except from the hands of those who deny the atonement of our Saviour. We hope that those of our dear Brethren, who entertain other views on this subject, will kindly allow their Brethren who differ from them, to be thus gratifiet, especially as they think they can claim it as a Divine right. From experience we can say, that mutual forbearanee on the matter it dispute, and that alone, can preserve in Christian unity a body of people, who have been so varionsly celneated. We have reason to bless God, that on this sulject disputes have long sincc eeased in England. We have mothing now to oceupy our mind:, but the promotion of primitive Christianity, by inculeating evangelical doctrine, by the exercise of godly diseipline, and by insisting on the necessity of sound Christian faith, and holy living; and we are happy to say, that pure and undefiled religion never flourished more, both among the Preachers and the people, than since we had these Ordinanees among ourselves. To God be all the glory! These things, we are informed, were distinctly stated to you by our respected Brother, Dr. Adam Clamee.

Your complaint of want of suceess in your ministerial labours, in the past year, must be painful to your minds, and we have heard it with regret: however, your work is with the Lord, and your reward with your God. You need not be discouraged, for he who is your Employer, is also you: Helper : and we trust,

That with $u s$, yon will be at once stimulated to redouble your efforts, and encouraged to believe, that your success in the ensuing year will be nore abundant. Remember, you are God's scrvants, and preach His truth.
We rejoice to hear that your Missionaries have been favoured with success and earnestly pray that those of your countrymen who are immersed in ignorance, superstition, and sin, may be called out of darkness into marvellous light.

It is with the warmest gratitude to our common Lord, that we inform you, that in our extensive connexion in England, we enjoy perfect peace, and general prosperity: in almost every place where our Brethren have laboured, the "savour of the lnowledge of Christ" is spread abroad; and the hope of more extensive usefulness in future is fully warranted by present appearances.

On the extraordinary success of our Foreign Missions, we need not say any thing, as the fame of it is spread abroad; and every succeeding account from our Brethren affords us further matter of joy in the Lord.

Death has been permitted, during this year, to remove from us several of our much esteemed and aged Brethren; amongst whom is our respected late President, Mr. Jahn Barber. The number, indced, has not exceeded what might have been expected according to the course of nature; but there is one circumstance, which ought not to be overlooked : their departure, though preceded by various infirmities, was in several cases, sudden and unexpected. We regard these strokes as admonitory to ns, and as loudly calling upon us to be watchful, faithful, and diligent, that whenever the Lord may coll us, we may be found of him in peace, without spot and blameless.

We ought not to conceal from you, that our Societies, which are most numerous in the populous manufacturing districts, feel, in common with others, the pressure of the times; which circumstance has rendered it inconvenient to our people to increase their contributions towards the general expenditure of the Connexion according to their wishes. In consequence of this, we have cheerfully agreed to forego some of our usual claims, and to make such other pecuniary sacrifices and exertions among ourselves, as will for the present relieve our Connexion from its embarrassments. We are informed that you have made similar sacrifices; and perhaps in worse circumstances.

Brother Charles Mayne has been cordially received by us, as a brother in Christ, and as your Representative, the duties of which office he has discharged with fidelity and diligence.

We have appointed our beloved Brother, and respected Pre-
sident, Mr. Reece, to hold your next Conference, knowing that he is every way qualified to advise and assist you in all your affairs.

And now, dearly beloved Brethren, let us " Give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the Word." Be not discouraged: remember the dying words of our venerable Founder, "The best of all is, God is with us." May the Great Head of his Church ever " be the glory in the midst of us, and a wall of fire around us."

Signed on behalf of the Conference, assembled in London, August 14, 1816, JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary.

*The Balance placed, nt the close of the last Conference, in the hands of the School-Treastrers, amounted, according to the Report in the Appendix to the Minutes of 1815, p. 11, to £1022 16s. 5d. But of this sum, as the said Report further stater, Nine Hundred and Eight Pounds were borroved; that is, received in advance, by the Governors of the Schools, from the General Treasurer, as part of the sum to be allowed, being the surplus of the lncome of the year 1814-15 above the total expenditure of that year, was therefore only fllt 16 ss. 5d.; and is carried to the amount of this year, in the statement now published.
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## SHEFFIELD, July 27, 1817.

## Q. 1. WHAT Preachers are admitted into full connexion

 year?A. Samuel Leigh,* James Shoar, Thomas Armett, Richard Eland, John Fordred, John Stevens, Thomas Savage, Edward B. Lloyd, Henry Powis, Jolın Piggott, John Ash, Johr Weville, Paul Orchard, William Edwards, John Overton, Joseph Thomas, John Robinson, Samuel Crumpton, John Bowers, Thomas Harris, Joseph E. Beaumont, Thomas Rowland, John Smith, 3d. Christopher Newton, Johin Dredge, Richard Ellidge, James Rosser, George Barker, Robert Ramm, John Morris, William Veevers, Thomas IIamer, Robert Morton, Richard Heap, William Sharp, John M•Kenny, Benjamin Clough, Jonathan Raynar, John Strong, Richard Williams, Richard Armstrong, George Cubit. In Ireland-William Pollock.
Q. 2. Who remain on trial?
A. David Stoner, Samuel Robinson, James Jarratt, James Baker, Robert Bryant, George Taylor, John Jackson, Daniel Walton, Thomas Eckersley, William Burgess, Benjamin Carrosso, Thomas Staton, James Sheriffe, James Methley, Joseph Rayner, Richard Bonner, Benjamin Andrews, Richard Cooper, David Cornforth, John Wilson, Joseph Roberts, Ambrcse Freeman, William Constable, John Hannah, George Tindale, James Beckwith, Richard Greenwood, Thomas Osborne, Henry Pope, John Mortier, William Westerman, John Lewis, William White, Moses Rayner, Joseph Ward, John Pickavant, John Walslı. In Ireland-Francis Stephens, William Cornwall, James Horne.

The above have travelled three years.
Enoch Broster, Thomas Robinson, John Crowe, John Hague, John Brown, jun. Richard Tabraham, John Greaves, William Langridge, Joseph Pratton, Thomas Webb, Elias Thomas, Robert Sherwell, John Adams, Daniel Osborne, William Hill, jun. William Ball, Thomas Heywood, Thomas Mosśs, Benjamin Pearce, John Nowell, John Beechem, Thomas L. Hodgson, Kalph Gibson, Hodgson Casson, John M•Owan, Alexander Strachan, Joshua Wade, William Ratcliffe, Robert Newstead, Samuel Broadbent, Robert Carver, Elisha Jackson, John Cal-」away, John Horner, Daniel Hillier, William Shrewsbury, * N. B. Brother Leigh should have been admitted last year.

William Beacock, Michael Head, Roger Moove. John Hick, George Orth, John de Putron, Thomas Hickson, James Hickson. In Ireland-John Jebb, Joseph Edgerton, William Richey, Johu Hill, William M‘Kee.

The above have travelled troo years.
John Smith, 4th, John Smith, 5th, William Pollard, George Bacon, Timothy Ingle, Thomas Galland, Arthur Jewett, Charles Cook, John Jackson, Joseph Jackson, William Lallman, Ninian Barr, John Fishpool, Thomas Catterick, Stephen Swinyard, James Catts, Thomas Payne, Richard Pope, John Colmar, Richard Knight, Samuel Brown, James Booth, George Jackson, John Haigh, Robert Alder, John Smedley, William Birt, Josep's Chapman, jun.

The above have travelled one year.
Q. 3. Who are now received on trial?
A. Samuel Trueman, Thomas Shepherd, Peter M•Owan. Daniel M•Allum, M. D. Edward Edwards, Walter Lawrey, David Jones, 3d, John Maddocks, Matthew M. Thackray, James Underhill, John Hudson, Adam Clarke Avard, George Miller, William Binning, Robert Lusher.
N. B. Eleven of these are appointed for Foreign Missions.
Q.4. What Preachers have died since the last Conference?
A. 1. In Great Britain the five following, viz.
(1.) Thomas Taylor, who was brought to the knowledge of the truth as it is in Jesus, in early life. He commenced his itinerant career in the year 1761; and was a most laborious, faithful, and eminently successful Minister of Christ, for the long space of 56 years. In the early part of his public life, when Methodism was but in its infancy, he had, together with his cotemporaries and fellow-labourers in that great work, to endure much from hunger, cold, wearinses, and persecution but he met and surmounted these difficulties with a truly apostolical intrepidity; and, under circumstances which would have overwhelmed a mind of ordinary energies, he pursued, with indefatigable assiduity, a course of study and labour of mucommon magnitude. Though for many of the first years of his ministry he had to take long and frequent journeys, and to preach a great number of sermons, yet, by habits of early rising, and a diligent improvement of his whole time, he acquired a respectable share of useful literature. To this, however, he conscientiously avoided giving a prominency in his preaching, and made it strictly subordinate and subservient to the doctrines of the Gospel. His discourses, which were always short, were chiefly of a practical and experimental character; and to the last. he was very fervent and impressive in the pulpit. He was a lover of Christian discipline, as established amongst the Methodists;
and was zealous and firm in its enforcement. As a Pastor, he evinced the most commendable diligence, visiting, where it was at all practicable, every part of the flock of Christ under his care; for which purpose he generally set apart two hours in the day: and this practice he continued to the last week of his life. In his family, he set the Lord always before him, studying how he might best promote the salvation of his household; and, in the worship of the family, he was most regular, and delightfully solemn. In the private circle of his fricnds he was cheerful and improving, knowing well how to combine rational instruction with spiritual edification. His natural temper was independent and irritable; but these imperfections were so habitually under the subduing influence of Divine grace, as to be rarely perceptible even to his most intimate friends; and, in the decline of life, he imbibed a heavenly sweetness of spirit which was seldom interrupted. In short, the gogd degree of learning which he attained, his extensive labours, his unceasing activity in the best of causes, the almost unparalleled length of his course of efficient ministerial duties, and, above all, his close and constant walk with God, and universal devotedness to his glory, placed him in the highest class of the servants of God on eárth; and, we have no doubt he is now found near the throne of Him, in whose blood he had washed his robes. His death was sudden, and to his friends, unexpected: but, with respect to himself, it was doubtless followed by an abundant entrance into the Kingdom of God. He died at Birch-House, near Bolton, the residence of his friend, Roger Holland, Esq. on the 16th of October, 1816, in the 79th year of his age; having, only a few hours before his departure, in an animated sermon, set forth the deep things of God.
(2.) Alexander Suter, who was brought to God in the prime of life, under the ministry of Mr. Thomas Olivers. The intensity of his zeal attracted the notice of the Rev. John Wesley, by whom he was appointed a class-leader, in London. His sphere of usefulness was soon enlarged by successful attempts to preach the Gospel. In 1779 he commenced the itinerant life, and laboured arduously 33 years. Bodily indisposition then compelled him to retire, in a great measure, from his general labours; bnt he still continued occasionally to publish the tidings of salvation, as far as strength of body would permit, for five years more. He closed his earthly carcer, and entered upon a blissful immortality, March 9th, 1817, in the 63d year of his age. He shunned not to declare the whole counsel of God; and often censured, what he believed to be a growing evil amongst the Methodists, conformity to the world, especially in the fripperies of drass. Through the whole of his lingering
illness, he was resigned; he was happy. When informed of the extreme precariousness of his life, and the probable suddenness of his dissolution, he exclaimed-" Bless the Lord, his will be done!" And as he approached the confines of the king of terrors, he often said, " It is not a dark valley. There is no darkness at all. No! the Sun of Righteousness hath risen there with healing in his wings."
(3.) James Daniel Burtun, who was a native of Manchester. His parents taught him, from his infancy, to know, fear, and love God, as the principal end of man. When he was about the age of 16, an awful Providence, of which he was an cyewitness, was sanctified to his effectual awakening. He very soon obtained the peace of God; and gave unquestionable evidence of a sound and scriptural conversion. In his 21st year he was called out to travel. He cheerfully left an affuent home, and many flattering prospects of a worldly nature, to preach, amongst perishing sinners, the unsearchable riches of Christ; and, in a few years, he became an able minister of the Gospel. His affable, uniform, and pious deportment endeared him to all bis intimate friends, and caused him to be greatly and generally beloved, in the different circuits in which he laboured. His course was short. In the tenth year of hisitinerancy his health failed. For more than two years and a half, he was the subject of severe and complicated afflictions, which he bore with exemplary patience. Often, under the most painful sufferings, his expressions of resignation and gratitude to God were such as affected and delighted all who heard them. A few hours before his death, he was asked if he was happy? He replied, "O yes! very happy. What now should I do without my Saviour ?" He triumphantly entered into his Masters joy on the 24th of March, 1817, in the 33d year of age.
(4.) John Harkis, of the Barnstaple circuit, who was a Christian of sterling piety, and served the Lord with perseverance and fidelity. As a preacher, he was generally acceptable, and always useful. He died in the month of May, in the 37 th year of his age, and the 7th of his itinerancy, happy in God.
(5.) Willam Appleton; a man of genuine piety, amiable temper, and ardent zeal for the glory of God, and the welfare of immortal souls. He began to travel in the year 1810; and, in the circuits where he laboured, was made a blessing to many persons. On the 1st of last June, Mr. Appleton preached thrice, and administered the Lord's supper to the society at Lutor. The word was attended with Divine unction. The next morning, while travelling in a gig, having lost the reins, he leaped out of the carriage, by which his ancle was dislocated, and his leg dreadfully fractured. During the painful operation of setting
the bone, and through the whole of the affliction, which ended in his death, he evidenced the utmost resignation to the Divine will, often saying, "My heavenly Father does all things well." In taking leave of his dear wife and children, he enceuraged her to look to the Lord for support; and earnestly prayed, that, if his infant boy should be spared, God would make him a good man, and a missionary. Mr. Appleton mentioned to his Superintendant that God had been preparing him for this affliction; that he had been as happy for a month back as he could be. The night before his death, afier a little sleep, he exclaimed, "Glory be to him that sitteth upon the throne, and to the Lamb for ever! Glory be to the Father, for his mercy and grace manifested to us! Glory be to God the Son, who hath redeemed us by his most precious blood! Glory be to God the Holy Ghost the Sanctifier! O, ye angels of light, assist me to praise Him! O what glory-what glory-what glory is this !" He continued exceedingly happy till near two o'clock on the following afternoon, June 21, when he entered into the joy of his Lord, in the 38th year of his age.
2. The following Preachers have died while on Forcign Missions, viz.
(1.) Jenemah Boothby, who died at Roseau, in the island of Dominica, July 14th, 1816. He went as a Missionary to the West Indies in the year 1813; and had laboured with zeal and success in that part of our Lord's vineyard to the time of his last sickness. His health had in general been good from the time of his going abroad; and, to all appearance, he was likely to have been long spared as an Ambassador for Christ to the Heathen; but, by a peculiar and mysterious providence, was early removed from his sphere of usefulness to an eternal bome. He preached on the evening of the 4th of July to a large congregation; when a person of the name of K__ came into the chapel, with a determination to disturb Mr. Boothby. He finished the sermon evidently with some difficulty, being much hurt at the man's behaviour'; and, after service, stepped up to him, and requested that he would go with him into the house, hoping to convince him of the impropriety of his conduct. The rude reply which he made to Mr. Boothby, drew such a crowd of people round about them, that he had to pass out of the chapel into the open air to enter his house, instead of going the usual way. The servant, who was in the house, was so confused and alarmed, that, for some minutes, she could not open the door ; and, as Mr. Boothby was in a high state of perspiration, and without his hat, he took cold, which immediately affected his lungs, brought on a pleurisy fever, and, in a few days, terminated in his death. During his affliction, his mind was in a
blessed state; and, a little time before his death, he desired Mr. Dakin to inform all his dear friends that he blessed God that ever he set his foot on Dominica.
(2.) John Lewis, jun. a native of Wales, who was a Missionary on the island of Antigua, and died July 17, 1816. His death was rather sudden: for, though he had been a little unwell, he was not at all suspected to be in any immediate danger before the day on which he died. But though his call was sudden, and he was in the bloom of life, he was not found unprepared. His soul was happy in his God, and Jesus was his support and refuge in his short, but painful affliction. He was a young man of eminent piety, and of very promising talents and usefulness; and, after labouring only two years as a Missionary, was taken to his eternal rest.
(3.) John Burgar, a native of London. He was strongly attached to our doctrines and discipline. Being anxious to promote the welfare of his fellow-creatures, he left his native country to preach the Gospel of the Grace of God to the poor Heathell. The Lord blessed his labours in the island of Jamaica, especially at Morant Bay, where he joined above 200 members to the society in about nine months. The Gentlemen of that place were so far pleased and satisfied with his condnct during that period, that, after his death, they generously voted at their Vestry Meeting one hundred pounds sterling to his widow, as a testimony of the high sense which they had of the excellency of his character and proccedings during the time he had the charge of that congregation. But amidst his prospects of usefulness, notwithstanding the great want of faithful labourers in that island, the Lord saw fit to remove him from the labours and trials of mortality, to the joys of paradise, on the 1st of August, 1816, in the 28 th year of his age. His remains were attended to the grave by some thousands of mourners, who deeply lamented the loss of their beloved Minister.
(4.) Willing Licl, who went out as a Missionary to the West Indies, in the year 1814; and, on December 28th, 1816 , was called from the field of labour to the rest of glory. For some time before his death, he had been unwell; but not so as to cause him to retire from the work of the Ministry, in which his soul delighted. He continued to labour in the island of Grenada to the last Lord's Day before his death. During his affliction, he was truly happy in God; and, in corversation with the Honourable R. Orley, expressed that happiness in strong language. He was a man of mild and amiable manners; and lived and died in the true spirit of a Christian.
(5.) John Mann, who was called into the work as a Mis. sionary in the year 1786. He was appointed for Nova Scoti...
and continued to labour there and in New Brunswick till through age and infirmity he was under the necessity of retiring. But, for several years before his death, though he could not fill up the place of a regular travelling Preacher, he preached occasionally, and continued united to his brethren; and his heart was still engaged in the cause of his heavenly Master. On February 27th, 1817, he was called to his eternal home, after having been a Minister of Christ upwards of thirty years.

## 3. In Ireland, two have died: viz.

(1.) John M•Adam, who heard and received the gospel with all readiness of mind, about the 17th year of his age; and having experienced pardoning mercy, was called to publish it to others. After labouring as a regular itinerant preacher for some years, he was employed as an Irish Missionary; till his arduous exertions destroyed his constitution. A rheumatic complaint obliged him to return from his beloved labours, and become a Supernumerary. His last days were marked with gracious manifestations of Divine love. One who visited him says-" He was filled with such abundance of peace and joy, that he began to praise God, and continued rejoicing and exhorting, with little intermission, for nearly forty-eight hours. He belicved that the Lord had cleansed him from all sin. Some of his words were"Clory, glory-my mother is in heaven, my sister is in heaven, and I am sure that I shall be there also!", He was an affectionate fellow-labourer, and zealous in the discharge of his ministerial duty.
(2.) Daniel M‘Colm, who travelled a short time in Ireland as a Missionary. By sleeping in damp beds, and by unremittng certions in the ministry, a consumption was induced; and atcer a painful warfare of temptation, and long and severe sufferings, he died rejoicing in the Lord.
Q.5. Are there any objections to any of our Brethren?
A. They were examined one by one.
Q.6. Who have desisted from travelling?
A. 1. Thomas Blackburn and John Gaskell.
2. Luke Barlow has entered into business.
3. Benjamin Shaw, Richard Martin, William Amnetts. Thomas Atkinson, and Jolin D. Allen, retire from want of bealth.
Q. 7. Howare our Preachers stationed this year?
A. As follows: viz.
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1 London East, Joseph Entwisle, John lieynolds, sen. John Riles, George Marsden, Richard Watson;David Williams, Welsh Preacher: Tho-mas Vasey, sen.; Joseph Benson, Editor;Thomas Blanshard, Book-Steward; GeorgeStory, William West, James Creighton,Supernumeraries.
a London West, James Wood, Samuel Taylor, Jabez Bunting, James Needham; William Jenkins, Su- pernumerary.
3 Wallham-Abbey, Charles Cook.
4 Deptford, Thomas Kelk, John Knowles, John H. Rowe.
5 Brentford, Jacob Stanley, George H. Rowe, John Bicknell.6 Windsor, John Scott, Samuel Robinson.
7 HighWycontb, James Burley, William Hicks: WilliamHolmes, Supernumerary.
8 Leigh, Essex, Matthew Mallinson.
9 Chelmsford, James Anderson.
10 Colchester, John Anderson, Thomas Robinson.
11 Manningtree, Joseph Britain, John Nowell.
12 Ipswich, Benjamin Millman, Stephen Butler, JamesGolding.N.B. Brother Golling shall divide his laboursequally between the Manningtree and Ips-wich Circuits.
13 Huntingdon, William Theobald, William Levell.1f St. Neots, John Griffin, dames Baker.
N. B. Brother Baker shall divide his laboursequally between the Biggleswade and St.Neots Circuits.
15 Biggleswade, Isaac Bradnack, George Taylor.
16 Bedford, John Smith, sen. Joseph Brougham.
N. B. Brother Brougham shall divide hislabours equally between the Bedford andthe Ampthill Circuits.
17 Ampthill, James Gartrell.
18 Nerwport-Pagnell, Thomas Slugg, William Pollard.
19 Leighton-Buzzard, John Sydserff, Benjamin Hiley.
20 Luton, William Muulton, Heniy Cheverton, JamesRosser.
21 Reading, John Waterhouse, James Methley.
22 Chichester, James Lancaster.
23 Brighthclmstone, John Newion, Benjamin Frankland.James Wood, Chairman of the District.
11. THE CANTERBURY DISTRICT.
24 Canterbury, James Bromley, John Hawtrey.

25 Rochester, John Gaulter, Joseph Cusworth; Willian Palmer, Supernumerary.
26 Sheerness, John Rossell, Jonathan Roberts.
27 Margate, Willian Gilpin, John Allen Lomas.
28 Dover,
29 Dcal,
30 Rye, John Hodgson, William Pearson, jun. James Jarrat.
31 Sandlurist, Edward Gibbon, George Sykez, sen. James Hopewell.
32 Maidstone, William Towers, Joseph Walkcr.
33 Ashford, John Fordred.
34 Sevenouks, John Dcan, Richard Cooper; John King, Supernumerary.
The President, John Gaulter, Chairmain of the I)istrict.
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35 Norwich, Barnard Slater, Joshua Bryan.
56 North Walsham, John Gill, George Bacon.
37 Yarmouth, Philip Jamcson, Josiah Goodwin.
us Lorestoff; Thomas Padman, Isaac Phenix.
39 Framlingham, Samuel Ward, John Sterens.
40 Diss, Benjamin Leggatt, William Sharp.
41 Attleborough, Moses Dunn, Leonard Possnett.
42 Bury St. Edmunds, Thomas Follard, Thomas Thompson.
43 Holt, George Devarch, James Jones, jun.
Benjamin Leggatt, Chairman of the Districh.
IV. THE LYNN DISTRICT.
44. Lynn, Cuthbert Whiteside Ebenezer Stewart.

45 İulsingham, Georgc Douglas, William Bacon.
46 Wisbeach, James Waller, Richard Tabraham.
47 Thctford, Thomas Tattershall, Archibald M‘Laughlin.
48 Swaffham, Marmaduke Revell, Robert Bryant.
19 Ely, Thomas Wilton, Richard Ellidge, John Brown, jun.
N.B. Brother Ellidge is to reside at Chatteris.

50 Cambridsc, James Mole.
N. B. Brother Mole shall change occasionally on the Lord's Day with the Preachers of the Bury St. Elmund's Circuit.
Cullbert Whiteside, Chairman of the District.

> V. THE OXFORD DISTRICT.

51 Oxford, Richard Gower, Edward B. Lloyd.
52 Whitchurch, near Aylesbury, Thomas Fearnley, Robt. Mack.
53 Hitnry, Joseph Gostick, John Jackson.

54 Banbury, John Cullen, Arthur Jewett.
55 Chipping-Norton, Samuel Lear, John Greeves.
56 Brackley, George Wilson, Samuel Trueman.
57 Towcester, John Mason, sen. William Langridge.
58 Daventry, David Deakins, John Crowe.
59 Northampton, Willian Fowler, Samuel Wild.
60 Wellingborough, William Breedon.
61 Higham Ferrers, John Ward, James Sheriffe.
N. B. Brother Sheriffe shall clange with the Wellingborough Preacher, on the Lord's Day, once a month.
62 Kettering, William Hinson, Richard Eland.
63 Market-Harborough, Samuel Sugden, Joseph Pratton.
Richard Gower, Chairman of the District.
vi. the portsmouth district.

64 Portsmouth, Joseph Sutcliffe, Anthony B. Seckerson, Thomas Martin.
65 Salisbury, Samuel Woolmer, James Bumstead.
66 Shaftsbury, John Wright, Thomas Newton.
67 Poole, George Button, John Coates.
68 Isle of Wight, Francis B. Potts, Edward Batty, William Harding.
N. B. Brother Harding is to reside at Ryde.

69 Southampton, Alexander Weir, Solomon Whitworth.
i0 Winchester, William Griffith, Robert Garner.
N. B. Brother Garner is to reside at Andover.

71 Newbury, Thomas Rogers, Joseph Dunning.
T2 Hungerford, James Etchels, Richard Shepherd Swindon, John Radford.
N. B. Brother Radford and Brother Shepherd shall change under the direction of the Superintendant.
Joseph Sutcliffe, Chairman of the District.
vif. the guernsey district.
73 Guernscy and Sarl, William Toase, Henry Powis; John De Queteville, Supernumerary.
74 Alderney, Amice Olivier, Daniel Jackson, jun.
75 Jersey, Nicholas Manger, Thomas Rowland, Peter Le Sueur ; Henry Mahy, Robert James, Supernumeraries.
$\therefore$. B. Brother Toase is appointed to act as General Superintendant of all the Societies, French as well as English. The Preachers are to change under the direction of the Superintendant.
Hilliam Toase, Chairman of the District.

## VIII. THE PLYMOUTH-DOCK DLSTHICI.

76 Plymouth-Dock, Rubert Smith, George Russell.
${ }_{7}$ Plymouth, Josish Hill, John Wi''iv, Joseph Thomas.
78 Launceston, James Jones, sen., Thomas Staton.
79 Stratton, George Banwell.
80 Liskeard, James Heaton, William Jewett, John Smith, 4th.
81 Tavistock, John Woodrow, Joseph Lysk, Daniel Osborne.
82 Camelfurd, Joseph Burgess, William Burgess.
83 Kingsbridge, William Sleep, Joshua Wade.
Robert Smith, Chairman of the District.
ix. the cornwall diotilict.

84 Redruth, Mark Daniel, Joseph Sanders, Ralph Scurrah.
85 Falmouth, Richard Treffry, John Sumner; William Jen, kin, Supernumerary.
86 Truro, Francis Truscott, Nicholas Siblcy, Jas. Odgers. 87 St. Austle, John Appleyard, Charles Coluell, Benjamin Carvosso.
88 Bodmin, Richart Moody, Charles Hawthorne, John Adams; James Evanc, Stpernumerary.
89 Ponarnce, Richard Rebarts Iames ikermai, John Siater.
90 Siciliy 1suzads, Oliver Henwood.
31 Helistone, William Beale. Charles Haime, Thomas Bersey, Robert Sherwell.
Fiarcis Truscott, Chairman of the District.
x. the exeter misthict.

32 Exeter, Joscph Marsh, Paul Orchard; Thomas C. Rushforth, Supernumerary.
Gutterton, John Pryant: With whom one of the Exeter Preachers shall change cvery third week.
93 Trocton, William Baker, William Hill, jun.
94 T'aunton, Francis Wrigley, John Hodson, Henry V. Olver.
95 Soith Petherton, William Harrison, jan., Thomas Dod.
96 Axminster, John Worden, Elias Thomats, Thomas Shepherd.
97 Barnstaple, William Sleigh, John Pigrott.
98 Dunster, Matthew Day, James Ash.
99 Ashburton, Francis Collier, John Robinson.
100 Brixham, Ediward Chapman, John Weville.
Francis Wrigley, Chairman of the District.
xi. the bristol mistrict.

101 Bristol, Walter Griffith, Thomas Wood, George Morley, Joseph Taylor, jun. William Martin; Jeremiah Brettell, George Mowatt, Supernumeraricz. Watson, Thomas Roberts, Supernumeraries.
105 Frome, George Gellard, William Kaye; Simon Day, Supernumerary.
Batcombe, James Sydserf.
106 Warminster, Joshua Fielden, who shall change with the Preachers at Frome once a month on the Lord's Day.
107 Stroud, William Shelmerdine, Richard Wintle, Philip Rawlins.
108 Dursley, Caleb Simmons, Joseph Prosser, Jos. Robinson. 109 Downend, William Horner, Jonas Jaggar.
N. B. Brother Jaggar, though he was Superintendant of this circuit last year, requested that Brother Horner might have that office this year.
110 Gloucester, Daniel Campbell, Jonathan Williams.
111 Cheltenham, James M. Byron, W. H. L. Eden.
112 Weymouth, William Worth, Samuel Kittle.
113 Bradford, Wilts, John Ogilvie, Isaac Aldom.
114 Mellisham, Joseph Bowes, William Radford.
115 Shepton-Mallet, Charles Greenlcy, William Flint; William Ashman, Supernumerary.
116 Midsummer-Norton, Thomas Ashton, Seth Morris.
:17 Somerton, Thomas Eastwood, Thomas Webb. Walter Griffith, Chairman of the District.
xit. the first welsh district: (English Preaching.)
118 Swansea, James Alexander, Thomas Talboys.
119 Merthyr-Tydville, William Trampleasure.
120 Brecon, William Timperley, John Rogers.
121 Monmouth, Joseph Hunt, John Overton.
122 Cardiff, George Birley, William Edwards.
123 Newoport, William Brocklehurst, Joseph Rayner.
124 Carmarthen, Joseph Collier; Joseph Cole, Thomas Warren, Supernumeraries.
125 Haverfordzest, William Hayınan, William Pearson, sen.
N. B. Though Brother Pearson is the senior Preacher, Brother Hayman retains the Superintendency for this year, according to our general usage, because he held that office in the same Circuit during the prereding year.

126 Pembroke, Thomas Twiddy, William Ball. Joseph Collier, Chairman of the District.
xif. the second welsh district: (Welsh Preaching.)
127 Merthyr-Tydville and Brecon, Griffith Hughes, Owen Thomas, Morgan Griffith.
128 Cardiff, Hugh Hughes, David Jones, 1st.
129 Carmarthen and Llandilo, John Davies, Robert Jones, 1st. John Williems, 2 d.
130 Cardigan, William Davies, Lot Hughes.
131 Aberystwith, Robert Jones, 2d. Richard Bonner.
132 Ruthin and Llangollen, William Lvans;' William Batten, John Jones, 2d.
133 Denbigh and Llanriest, Morris Jones, David Evans.
134 Holywell, Samuel Davies, Robert Owen.
135 Llanfyllyn, Lewis Jones, Humphrey Jones.
136 Machynileth and Dolgelly, Evan Hughes, Evan Edwards, Owen Rees.
137 Carnarvon and Prollheli, Robert Humphreys, Owen Jones, David Jones; Robert Roberts, Supernumerary.
138 Holyhead and Beaumaris, David Rogers, John Williams, William Hughes. David Rogers, Chairman of the District. XIV. THE BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT.

139 Birmingham, Henry Moore, Robert Wheeler, Francis Derry.
140 West Bromevich, William Homer, who shall change with the Preachers of the Birmingham Circuit.
141 Wednesbury, Thomas Hutton, Thomas Fletcher.
142 Wolverhampton, Edward Millward, John Mason, jun.
143 Dudley, John Walmsley, Hugh Ransom, James Allen.
144 Stourport, Thomas Dowty, Richard Smetham.
145 Worcester, Jonathan Edmondson, who shall change occasionally with the Stourport Preachers on the Lord's Day, at the expense of the Worcester Circuit.
146 Evesham, Michael Cousin, Thomas Edwards.
147 Redditch, John W. Cloake.
148 Bromsgrove, William Stokes.
N. B. Brother Cloake and Brother Stokes shall change once in three weeks on the Lord's Day.
149 Coventry, John Simmons. William Constable.
150 Hinckley, Isaac Muff, John Wheelhouse, Robert Hayes.


## XVI. THE MACCLEGFIELD DISTRICT.

162 Macclesfeld, James Gill, John Chettle.
163 Buxton, William Lord, Thomas Armet.
$16+$ Congleton, John Denton, Charles Hulme; George Lowe, Supernumerary.
165 Numptwich, John Draper, John Hague.
166 Northroich, Jonathan Crowther, Samue! Crumpton.
167 Burslem, James Bridgnell, Samuel Jackson.
168 Nerecastle-under-Lyme, John Doncaster, John Hughes, William Jones.
169 Stafford, George Poole, John Bowers.
170 Leek, Thomas Graham, William Taylor; John Wilshaw, Supernumerary.
Jonathan Crowther, Chairman of the District.
XVII. THE LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.
iti Liexpool and Prescott, Owen Davies, Adsm Clarke, Richard Waddy, Robert Newton, Philip Garrett, William France; Edward Jones Sd. Welsh Preacher; Michael Errmett, Edward Jones 2d, Supernumeraries.
172 Chester, William Aver, James Blackett.
173. Warrington, Aaron Floyd, John Rigg; Timothy Crowther. Supernumerary.
174 Wigan, James B. Holroyd.
155 Leigh, William Dowsor.

176 Ormskirk, John Heap.
177 Preston, Thomas Hill, Joseph Lewis.
178 Garstang, William Arnett, Joseph Jackson.
179 Lancaster, Calverley Riley, Robert Harrison, jun. Adam Clarke, LL. D. Chairman of the District. XVIII. THE MANCHESTER DISTRICT.

180 Manchester, Richard Reece, John Pipe, William Henshaw, William M‘Kitrick; Thomas Thomas, Welsh Preacher: John Townsend, Supernumerary.
181 Salford, Manchestcr, Charles Atmore, William Bramwell, Jonathan Brown, jun.
182 Stockport, James Townley, Henry S. Hopwood; Daniel Jackson, sen. Supernumerary.
183 New Mills, near Stockport, Thomas Pinder, Daniel Walton.
184 Ashton-undcr-Lyne, and our Chapel at Moseley, Thomas Ludlam, John Morris.
185 Oldhan, James Macdonald, William E. Miller.
186 Rochdale, James Bogie, John Bryan.
187 Bacup, Joseph Meek, Thomas Slinger.
188 Haslingden, John Simpson, jun. Joseph Roberts.
189 Blackburn, Robert Miller, Joshua Marsden.
190 Bury, John Simpson, sen. Robert Martin,
191 Bolton, George Highfield, Jonathan Turner. Richard Recce, Chairman of the District.
XIX. THE HALIFAX DISTRICT.

192 Halifax, Robert Hopkins, Joseph Fowler; Zechariah Yewdall, Supernumerary.
193 Sorocrby-Bridge, John Burdsall, George Mainwaring.
194 Todmorden, Thomas Bartholomew, Joseph Worrell, Robt. Pickering
195 Eurnley, John Stamp, William Vevers, Charles Tunnycliffe, Supernumerary.
196 Colne, Thomas Vasey, jun. George Tindale.
197 Skipton, John Fairborne, Joseph Mattison.
198 Clithero, John White, John Wilson.
199 Grassington, William Todd, who shall change occasionally with the Preachers of the Skipton Circuit.
200 Addingham, Thomas Laycock, John Walton, JohnWittam, Supernumerary.

201 Keighley, Matthew Lumb, John Thompson.
202 Bingley, John Sedgwick. Jaseph E. Beaumont.
203 Woodhouse-Grove, Miles Martindale, William Radeliffe, sen.
N. B. Brother Martindale is Governor of Woodhouse-Grove School.-All Letters for Woodhouse-Grove should be sent by way of Bradford.
204 Bradfora', Isaac Turton, Joseph Womersley.
205 Huddersfield, Thomas Cooper, John Hanwell, David Stoner, 206 Holmfirth, Mark Day, Christopher Newton. John Stamp, Chairman of ihe District.

SX. THE LEEDS DIST: ICT.
207 Leeds, John Stephens, Edward Hare, John Jordan. David M‘Nicol, Joseph Agar.
208 Bramley, Cleland Kirkpatrick, William Atherton.
209 Wakefield, Thomas Stanley, James Sykes.
210 Birstal, George Sargent, Henry Taft.
211 Derosbury, John Bootli, Joseph Brookhouse.
212 Cleckheaton and Heckmondwike, Richard Heap, who shall change once in six weeks with the Birstal Preachers, and once in six weeks with the Dewsbury Preachers.
213 Otley, Thomas Skelton, Peter Prescott.
g14 Pateley-Bridge, William Nother, William Tranter, William Hunter, Supernumerary.
215 Pontefract, William Midgley, Joshua Fearnside; Jonathan Brown, sen. Supernuis irary.
216 Selby, Philip Hardcastle, Samuel Sewell.
217 Knaresborough, John Armitage, Mark Dawes.
John Stephens, Chairman of the District.
218 Sheffield, John Brownell, John Davis, Thomas Jackson, Robert Wood.
219 Chestcyfield, Richard Pattison, William Waterhonse.
220 Bakewell, James Johnson, Jervi Shaw.
221 Bradwell, Istac Keeling, James Mortimer; James Ridall, Supernumerary.
222 Rotherham, Maxinilian Wilson, Abraham E. Farrar; Jacob Newton, Supernumerary.
223 Doncaster, William Harrison. sen. Jances Bate.
224 Barnsley, John Hickling, Benjamin Pearce; George Sykes, jun. Supernumerary.
225 Denby, near Wakefield, Robert Crowther, Thomas Sav:ge. 226 Derby, William Leach, Edward Oakes. VOL. IV. U

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227 \text { Belper, } & \text { Joseph Taylor, sen. Donald Frazer. } \\
228 \text { Cromford, } & \text { John Reynolds, jun. Thomas Morton. } \\
229 \text { Retford, } & \text { Isaac Lilly, Robert Hayes. } \\
\text { 230 Worksop, } & \text { William Dixon, Thomas Ballingall. } \\
& \\
& \text { Joseph Taylor, sen. Chairman of the District. }
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> XXIII. THE NOTTINGHAM DISTRICT.
o31 Nottingham, Jonathan Barker, Frederick Calder, Thomas Walker.
232 Ilkestone, Josiah H. Walker, Thomas Moxon.
233 Mansfeld, Lewis Andrews, Benjamin Andrews.
234. Neturth, John Slack, Benjamin Hudson.
©35 Grantham, Lawrence Kershaw, Ioseph Armstrong.
236 Leicester, John Aikenhead, Samuel Hope; Joseph Boddicoat, Supernumerary.
2.7 Melton-Mowbray, Benjamin Wood, John Hobson, John Smith 3d.
238 Ashby-de-la-Zouch, William Warrener, William Bird, John Roadhouse.
239 Burton, Thomas Ingham, Samuel Kellett.
240 Uttoxetcr, Edward Banks, Thomas Harris.
${ }^{2}+1$ Loughborough, Samuel Webb, William Dalby.
942 Stamford and Peterborough, James Penman, Thomas Edman, William Mowatt.
Jonathan Barker, Chairman of the District.
xXili. the lincoln district.
2.3 Lincoln, Daniel Isaac, Robert Emmet.

244 Sleaford, Joseph Hutton, Richard Greenwood.
24.5 Market-Raisen, John C. Leppington, James Hyde.
21.6 Louth, John Furness, Joseph Frank, Thomas Galland. John Keeling, Supernumerary.
247 Horncastle, Joseph Griffith, Benjamin Gregory.
248 Alford, Samuel Bardsley, Joseph Robbins,
249 Spilshy, 'Thomas Rought, Thomas Eckersley; R.C. Brackenbury, Supernumerary.
y50 Boston, Edward Towler, Francis Burgess.
251 Spalding, Robert Warkin, William Key.
Samuel Drodsley, Chairman of the District.
XXIV. THE IIULI, DIS'TRICT.
$\because 52$ Inull, Wiilliam Myles, William Hill, James Everett, John James.
253 Howelen, Thomas Gee, Joseph Whitehead.
254 Driffield, Francis W est, Willian Smith.
255 Bridlington, Thomas Preston, Joseph Pretty, John Hannah. Joseph Chapman, Supernumerary.

256 Patrington, Thomas Gill, Anthony Triffit.
257 Grimsby, Martin Vaughan, Robert Ramm.
258 Gainsborough, Charles Gloyne, George Barker.
259 Eproorth, William Howarth, Robert Morton.
260 Snaith, William Rennison, John Beechem.
g61 Brigg, Willian Coultas, Thomas L. Hodgson.
262 Barton, Corbet Cooke, Henry Tuck.
William Mylis, Chairman of the District.
xxv. the york disthict.

263 York, Theophilus Lessey, sen. John Nelson, William Naylor, I'artes Haswell.
N. B. Brother Haswell is to reside at Tadcaster.

264 Pocklington, Thomas Simmonite, William Barr, Thomas Hall.
265 Scarborough, Stephen Wilson, John Pearson; Willian Beswick, Supernumerary.
266 Pickering, Henry Anderson, Charles Radcliffe.
267 Malton, Jonathan Parkin, Robert MINon.
268 Easingwould, William Welborne, Robert Bentham.
269 Thirsk, Join Beaumont, John Taylor: Samuel Gates, Joseph Dakin, Supernumeraries.
270 Ripon, William Carleton, John Nicholson.
Theophilus Lessey, sen. Chairman of the District.
xxvi. the whitby disthict.

271 Whitly, Geurge Smith, William Stones.
272 Gisborough, Wllliam Hainsworth, Jonathan Porter.
273 Darlington, John Kershaw, Thomas Stead.
$27 \pm$ Stockton, John Bumstead, Isaac Clayton, George Clarke;
Thomas Dixon, Supernumerary.
275 Barnard-Castle and Weardale, Thonias Rogerson, Nathaniel Elliott, John Smith, 5th.
276 Middleham, John Philips, Richard Hardaker.
277 Tanfield, George Holder, William Shackleton.
278 Richmond, John Aslin, Luke Heywood; one to be sent by the President.
John Kershaw, Chairman of the District.
xxvil. the newcastle district.
279 Newcastle-upon-Tync, EdmundGrindrod, JohnStorry, Henry Ransom; John Hudson, Supernumerary.
280 Gateshead, Thomas Garbutt, Robert Jackson.
281 North Shitlds, Robert Pilter, Myles C. Dixon.
282 Sunderland and South Shields, John Braithwaite, John Farrar, Joseph Mann, Joseph Hollingworth.

xxxi. the aberdeen district.

305 Aberdeen, Valentine Ward, John M‘Owan.
306 Peterhead, Thomas Mollard, who is to change occasionally with Brother M'Owan.
307 Dundee and Cupar, William Clegg.
308 Arbroath, James Spink.
309 Brechin, Thomas Yates, Thomas Hewitt.
N. B. The Preachers in the two preceding Circuits shall change regularly.
310 Banff, James Sugden, John Jackson.
311 Elgin, James Shoar.
312 Inverness, Robert Harrison, sen.
N. B. Brother Shoar and Brother Harrison shall change occasionally.
Valentine Ward, Chairman of the District.
IRELAND.
I. the dublin district.

1 Dublin, Samuel Wood, Thomas Loughead, Edward Cobain; Andrew Hamilton, jun. Editor ; Thomas W. Doolittle, Book-Steward; John Kerr, William Fergu son, Supernumeraties.
2 Longford, Charles M‘Cord, William Keys; Richard Price, Supernumerary; Jolin Price, superannuated.
3 Drogheda, Matthew Tobias, James M‘Kce.
4 Castleblaney, William M•Cornock.
5 Oldcastle, Francis Armstrong, John Carey.
6 Wicklow, James Stuart, William Reilly; Alexander More, superannuated; George Mahon, Superımmerary.
Matthew Tobias, Chairman of the District.
il. the waterford district.
7 Waterford, Francis Russel, Daniel Pedlow.
8 Carlow, Charles Graham, Archibald Campbell.
9 Nerotownbarry, William Douglas, John Clendinnen.
10 New Ross, Robert Banks. Francis Russel, Chairman of the District.
III. The CORK district.

11 Cork, John Stuart, William Stuart; Daniel M'Mullen, Supernumerary.
12 Bandon, Thomas Waugh, John Jebb.

13 Skilbercen, Robert Masaroon; John Waugh, Supernumerary.
14. Mallow, William Copeland.

John Stuart, Chairman of the District.
IV. THE LIMERICK DISTRICT.

15 Limerick, Charles Mayne, Samuel Harpur.
16 Milliown, Robert Brucc.
17 Roscrea, Samuel Steel, William Crook.
18 Clough-jordan, John Howe.
19 Mountrath, John Hadden, John Rogers; James Rennick, superannuated.
Samuel Stcel, Chairman of the District.

## V. THE TULLAMORE DISTRICT.

20 Tullamore, James Stirling, Richard Philips; James M‘Keown, superannuated.
21 Aushriin, Michael Murphy.
ye Castlebar, Andrew Hamiton, sen. John Clegs.
2.: Ballina, Thomas Ridgeway.

21 Sligo, James Rutledge, William Foote; King Barton, Supernmmerary.
25 Boyle, Rohert Strong, Samucl Downing.
Thomas Ridgervay, Chairman of the Distriet.
vi. the clones district.

26 Clones and Cavan, James Smith, Adam Averell, John Nesbitt.
27 Killesandra and our Chapel in Clones, John Crozier Irvine, John Stephenson, superannuated.
28 Monaghan and Aughnacloy, Blakeley Dowling, Edward Johnson: Thomas Barbor, William Armstrong, superannuated.
John Crozier Irvine, Chairman of the District.
VII. THE ENNISKILLEN DISTRICT.

29 Fnniskillen, Robert Crozier, George Hansbrow.
30 Manorhamilton, Clarles M'Cormick, John Remmington; William Hamilton, Supernumerary.
31 Ballyshannon, (ieorge M‘Elwain, John Campbell; Robert Smith, Supernumerary.
32 Irvinstown, James Oliffe, James Calcut Pratt; Joseph Armstrong, superanuuated.
33 Broolborough, Michael Burrows; George Brown, superannuated; John Foster, Supernumerary. Robert Crozier, Chairman of the District.

VIIT. THE LONDONDERRY DISTRICT.
34 Londonderry. Edward Hazelton, George Burrows.
35 Strabane and Stranorlar, John M‘Arthur, Wiiliam Gilchrist, Castor Clements: James Jordan, superannuated.
36 Neretownstewart, James Irwin, Wiliiam Finley; Matthew Stuart, Robert Carson, Supernumeraries. James Irwin, Chairman of the District.
IX. THE BELFAST DISTRICT.

37 Belfast, William Smith, Thomas Johnson, Matthew Lanktree, Supernumerary; John Bredin, superannuated.
38 Carriclifergus, James Carter, Samuel Kyle.
39 Coleraine, George Stephenson, Robert Cranstnn.
40 Lisburn, Alexander Sturgeon, Zachariah Worrell.
41 Downpatrick, James Bell, Samuel M‘Dowall.
Thomas Johnson, Chairman of the District.
x. the newry district.

42 Newry, Henry Deery, David Waugh; Thomas Brown, Supernumerary.
43 Cookstown, Robert Bailey, Iames M‘Cutcheon.
4.4 Charleniont and Dungannon, Thomas Kerr, James Johnson.

45 Armagh, Archibald Murdoch, William Pollock.
46 Lurgan, Gustavus Armstrong, William Armstrong: John Malcomson, superannuated.
47 Tanderagee and our Chapel in Londonderry, John Dinnen, Samuel Alcorn; John Wilson, Supernumerary.
Henry Deery, Chairman of the District.

## IRISH MISSIONARIES.

1 Hïcklow Mission, Andrew Taylor.
2 Cove and Youghall, John Nelson, Joshua Harman.
3 Killaloe, James Horne.
4 Galway, Francis Stephens.
5 Ballina, William Cornwall.
6 Letterkenny, Robert Wilson.
7 Derry and Antrim, Gideon Ousley, William Kidd, Arthu: Noble, William Richey, William M•Kee.
8 Killesandra, John Hamilten.
9 Cookstoren, Joseph Edgerton.
To be under the direction of Brother Bailey.
10 Belfast, John Hill. requested to assist in this work.
II. ASIA.

Ceylon.
4.cumbo, William M. Harvard, Benjamin Clough; assisted by $\Lambda$. Armom.
5 Jqfinapatam, James Lynch, Thomas Squance, Robert Carver, G Tinncumalec, Samuel Broadbent.
7 Batticuloc. Elisha Jackson.
s Point de Galle. Grorge Erkine, John M Kenny.
9 Matura, John Caliaway; William Lallman, Assistant Missimary.
Wm. B. Fox, Thomas Osborne, and Robert Newstead, are to receive their appointments on their arrival in Ceylon.
W. B. For, Chairman of the District.

10 Madras, To be supplied by one of the Preachers from Ccylon, and another shall be sent to his help, from this country, by the Committee.
11 Bombay, John Horner. Another shall be sent by the Committee.
12 New South Wales, Samuel Leigh, Walter Lawrey.
III. AFRICA.

13 Sierra Leone, William Davies, Samuel Brown.
14 Cape of Good Hope, One may be sent by the Committee.
15 Little Namacquas, Barnabas Shaw, Edw. Edwards.
16 Mauritius and Madagascar, Two may be sent by the Committee.

## IV. AMERİCA.

THE WEST INDIES.
17 Antigua, Samuel P. Woolley, John Maddocks, David Jones, 3d.
18 St. Christopher's, William Gilgrass, Joseph Chapman, jun. Patrick French.
19 St. Eustatius, John Smith, 2 d.

20 Nevis, John Dace, Daniel Hillier.
21 St. Bartholomew's, William White.
2) Tortola and the Virgin Islands, James Whitworth, George Jackson, John Colmar.
23 Dominïca, William Beacock.
24. St. Vincent's, George Bellamy, John Smedley, Stephen Swinyard.
25 Tobago, Jonathan Rayner.
26 Barbadoes, Moses Raynar.
27 Grenada, William Shrewsbury, William Goy.
28 Trinidad, Abraham Whitehouse.
29 Demerara, John Mortier, Matthew Thackray. William Gilgrass, Chairmain of the District. jamaica district.
30 Kingston, George Johnstone, William Ratcliffe.
31 Spanish Town, John Hudson.
32 Morant Bay, John Wiggins.
33 Gratefiul Hill, James Underhill.
34 Montego Bay and Falmouth, John Shipman, James Horne. George Johnstone, Chairman of the District. BAHAMA DISTR1CT.
3.5 New Providence, William Wilson, sen.

36 Eluthera, Michael Head.
37 Harbour Island, Joseph Ward; William Turton, Supernumerary.
38 Abaco, Roger M, ore.
William Wilson, Chairman of the District. st. domingo.
39 Port au Prince, John Brown, sen. James Catts.
40 Cape Henry, 'Two to be sent by the Committee.
BERMUDA.
41 Bermuda, William Sutcliffe; William Wilson, jum. who may return home in the spring if his health require it.
nova scotia, and new brunswick.
42 Halifax, James Priestley; William Black, James Knowlan, Supernumeraries.
43 Liverpool, William Crosscombe.
44 Shelburue, Adam Clarke Avard; James Mann, Super. 45 St. Stephen, Duncan M'Coll.

46 Yarmouth, Vacant.
4. St. John's, Stephen Bamford.

48 Fredericton, William Burt.
49 Annapolis, Sampson Busby.
50 Cumberland, James Dunbar.
51 Ramshay, Thomas Payne.
52 Horton, William Bennett, Robert Alder.
53 Netcymert, George Miller.
54 Bay Chaleure, Vacant.
55 Lunenturgh, Petit Riviere, and Broad Cove, George Orth, German Missionary.
56 Charlotte Town, Prince Edrward's Island, John Strong.
57 Foyou and Bedeque, Ditto, John Fishpool.
William Bennett, Chairman of the District.
CANADAS.
58 Quebet, John Hick.
59 Montreal, James Booth, Richard Pope.
60 Kingston, Thomas Catterick, and another to be sent by the Committce, if necessary.
61 Corntall, Henry Pope.
62 Melburn, Richard Williams, William Binning.
63 William Henry, John De Putron, French Missionary.
64 Fort Wellington, Edward Johnston.
William Crosscombe is appointed to preside as Chairma" of the District.

NEWFOUNDLAND.
65 St John's, George Cubit.
66 Carbonear, John Walsh.
67 Harbourgrace, Ninian Barr.
68 Blackhead, John Pickavant.
69 Western Bay, John Haigh.
70 Island Cove and Perlican, John Bell.
71 Port De Grave, James Hickson.
72 Bonavista, Thomas Hickson.
73 Trinity Harbour, William Ellis.
74 Fortune Bay, Richard Knight.
75 Hant's Harbour, John Lewis.
John Bell, Chairman of the District.
N. B. William Ash and Robert Lusher are appointed for Foreign Missions, but their particular stations are left to the determination of the Committee, who are also authorised to make any alterations in the appointments above-mentioned which they may deem necessary.
Q. 8. How many of the Brethren are to receive this year from the Connexion the usuallowance for a Preacher's Wife?
$A$. Four hundred and eighty-three.
Q. 9. How many of these allowances are to be paid by particular Circuits?
A. Four hundred and forty-three: viz.

By the London East Circuit, for
Sisters Entwisle, Reynolds, sen. Riles, (G.) Marsden, Watson, (J. H.) Rowe.
London West, S. (James)
Wood, (S.) Taylor, Bunting, Nesdham.
Deptford, S. Kelk, Knowles. Brentford, S. Stanley, (G. H.) Rowe.
Windsor, S. Scott.
High-W ycomb, S. Burley.
Chelmsford, S. (Jas.)Anderson.
Colchester, S. (John) Anderson.
Manningtree, S. Britain.
Ipswich, S. Millman.
Huntinedon, S. Theobald.
St. Neot's, s. Guiffin.
Biggleswade, S. Bradnack.
Bedford, S. Smith, sen.
Ampthill, S. Gartrell.
Newport-Pagnell, S. Slugg.
Leighton-Buzzard, S. (John) Sydserff.
Luton, S. Moulton.
Reading, S. (John) Waterhonse.
Brighton, S. (John) Newton.
Canterbury, S. Bromley.
Rochester,S.Gaulter, Cusworth.
Sheerness, S. Rossell.
Margate, S. Giilpin.
Dover, S. (Jos.) Wilson.
Deal, S. Bustard.
Rye, S.Hodgson, Pearson, jun.
Sandhurst, S. (G.) Sykes, sen.
Maidstone, S. Towers.
Ashford, S. Fordred.
Sevenoaks, S. Dean.
Norwich, S. (B.) Slater, Bryan.

North Walsham, S. (J.) Gill.
Yarmonth, S. Jameson, Goodwin.
Lowestoff, S. Padmañ.
Framlingham, S. (S.) Ward.
Diss, S. Leggatt.
Attleborough, S. Dunn.
Bury St. Edmund's, S. Pollard.
Holt, S. Deverell.
Lynn, S. Whiteside.
Walsingham, S. Douglas.
Wisbeach, S. Waller.
Thetford, S. Tattershall.
Swaffham, S. Revell.
Ely, S. Wilton.
Oxford, S. Gower.
Whitchurch, S. Mack.
Witney, S. Gostick.
Banbury, S. Cullen.
Chipping-Norton, S. Lear.
Brackley, S. (Geo.) Wilson.
'Towcester, S. Mason, sen.
Daventry, S. Deakins.
Northampton, S. Fowler. Wellingborough, S. Breedon. Higham-Ferrers, S. Ward. Kettering, S. Hinson. Market Harborough, S. (Sam.) Sugden. Portsmouth, S. Sutcliffe, Martin; and 16l. 16s. to brother Seckerson.
Salisbury, S. Woolmer, (James)
Bumstead.
Shaftsbury, S. Wright.
Poole, S. Button.
Isle of Wight, S. Potts.
Southampton, S. Weir.
Winchester, S. (Wm.) Griffith. Newbury, S. Rogers.

Hungerford and Swindon, S. Etcheils, Radford.
Guernsey, Sark, Alderney, \& Jersey, S. Toase, Le Sueur, Olivier.
Plymouth-Dock, S. (Robt.) Suith, Russell.
Plymouth, S. (Josiah) Hill.
Launceston, s. (J.) Jones.
Stratton, S. Banwell.
Liskard, S. Heaton, Jewett.
Tavistock, S. Woodrow.
Camelford, S. Burgess.
Kingsbridge, S Sleep.
Redruth, S.S. Daniel, Sanders, Scurrah, Sumner.
Falmouth, S. Treffry.
Truro, S. Truscott, Sibley, Odgers.
St. Austle, S. Appleyard, Colwell.
Bodmin, S. Moody.
Penzance \& Scilly Isles, S. Robarts, Akerman, (John) Slater, Henwood.
Helstone, S. Beal, Haime, Bersey.
Exeter \& Salterton, S. Marsh, Bryant.
Tiverton, S. Baker.
Taunton, S. Hodson.
South Petherton, S. Harrison, jun.
Axminster, S. Worden.
Barnstaple, S. Sleigh.
Dunster, S. (Matt.) Day.
Ashburton, S. (F.) Collier.
Brixham, S. (E.) Chapman.
Bristal, S. (Walt.) Griffith, (Thos.) Wood, Morley, (Jos.) Taylor, jun. (W.) Martin.
Kingswood, S. Dermott. Banwell, S. (John) Wood.
Bath, S. Buckley.
Frome \& Batcome. S. Gellard, (Jas.) Sydserff.

Warminster, S. Fielden.
Strour, S. Shelmerdine, W' intle.
Dursley, S. (C.) Simmons, Prosser.
Downend, S. Horner.
Gloncester, S. Campbell.
Cheltenham, S. M•Byron.
Weymouth. S. Worth.
Bradford, Wilts, S. Ogilvie.
Melksham, S. Bowes.
Shept n-Mallett, S. Greenley, Flint.
Midsummer-Norton, S. Ashton.
Somerton, S. Eastwood.
Swansea, S. Alexander.
Merthyr-Tydville, S. Trampleasure.
Brecon, S. Timperley.
Monmouth, S. Hunt.
Cardiff, S. Birley.
Newport, S. Brocklelurst.
Carmarthen, S. (Joseph) Collier.
Haverfordwest, S. Hayman. Pembroke, S. T'widdy.
The Twelve circuits of the second Welsh District-Sisters Hughes, (M.) Griffith, (D.) Jones, (J.) Davies, (J.) Williams, 1st. (J.) Williams, ${ }^{2 d}$, (R.) Jones, (W.) Evans, (W.) Batten, (M.) Jones, (S.) Davies, (L.) Jones, (E.) Hughes, (E.) Edwards, (O.) Rees, (R.) Humpnircys, (O.) Jones, (W.) Hughes.

Birmingham, S. Moore, Wheeler, Derry.
West Bromwich, S. Homer. Wednesbury, S. Hutton, Fletcher.
Wolverhampton, S. Millward. Dudley, S. Walmsley, (Hugh) Ransom, (J.) Allẹn.
Stourport, S. Dowty, (R.) Smetham.
Worcester, S. Edmondson.
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Evesham, S. Cousin.
Redditch, S Cloake.
Bromsgrove, S. Stıkes,
Coventry, S (Jno.) Simmons.
Hinckley, S. Muff, (Robert) Hayes.
Litchfield and Coleshill, S. Brooke.
Shrewsbury, £16. 16s. to Brother Claxton.
Wellington, S. Watmough.
Broselty, S. Squarebridge, Parsons.
Ludlow, S. (Jno.) Jones, sen.
Ledbury. S. Beech.
Kington. S W oodall.
Newtown, S.Carter, (E.) Joncs, 4th.
Wrexham, S. Fussell.
Whitchurch, S. (E) Jones, 1st.
Macclesfield, S. (James) Gill, Chet te.
Buxton, S Lord.
Congleton, S Denton.
Namptwich, S. Draper.
Northwich, S:(Jona.)Crowther.
Burslem, S. Bridgnell, (Saml.) ' ackson.
Newcastle, S. Doncaster, Highes.
Stafford, ↔. Poole.
Leek, S. Grahanı.
Liverpool and Prescott, (O.) Davies, Clarke, Waddy, Newton, (i:rrett, France, (Edward) Iones 9 d .
Chester, S. Aver, Blackett.
Warrington, S Floyd.
Wigan, S. Holroyd.
Leigh, S. Dowson.
Orm-kirk, s. Heap.
Preston, S. Hill, Lewis.
Garstang, S. Arnett.
Lancaster, S. Rilfy.
Manchester, s. Rcece, Pipe, Henshaw. (Josh) Marsden, and $£ 16$ 16s. to 1 bruithe M•Kittrick,

Salford, S. Atmore, Bramwell, (Jona.) Brown, jun.
Stockport, S. Townley, Hopwood.
New Mills, S. Pinder.
Ashton, S. Ludlam.
Oldham, S. Macdonald,(W.E.) Miller.
Rochdale, S. Bogie, Bryan.
Bacu", S. Meek.
Haslingdon, S. Simpson, jum.
Blackbarı, S. (R.) Miller.
Bury, S Simpson, sen.
Boton. S. Highfield, Turner.
Halifax, S. Hopkins, Fowler, Pick ring.
Sowerby-Bndge, S. Burdsall, Mainwaring.
Todmorden, S. Worrell, and £16 16s. to Brother Bartholomew.
Burnley, S. Stamp.
Colne, S. Vasey.
Skipton, S. Fairbourn.
Clithero, S. White.
Grassington, S. Todd.
Addingham, S. Laycock.
Keighley, S. Lumb, (Jno.) Thompson.
Bingley, S. Sedgwick.
W.odhouse-Grove, , Radcliffe

Bradford, S Turton, Wumersly.
Huddersfield, S. Cooper, Hanwell.
Holmfirth, S (Mark) Day.
Leeds, S Stephens, Hare', Jordan, M'Nicnl.
Bramley, S. Kirkpatrick, Atherton, Sewell.
Wakefield, S. (T.) Stanley, (J.s.) Sykes.

Birstal, S Sargent, (H.) Taft.
Dews'ury, S. Booth, Brookhoure.
Otley. S. Skelton
Pateley Bridge, S. Nother.
r'ontctract, S. Midylcy, Fearnside.

Selby, S. Hardcastle.
Knaresborough, S. Armitage, Dawcs.
Sheffield, S. (John) Davies, (T.) Jackson, (R.) Wood, and $£ 1616 s$. to BrotherBrownell.
Chesterfield, S. Pattison.
Bakewell, S. Johmson.
Bradwell, S. Kecling.
Rotherham, S. Wilson, (A.) Farrar.
Doncaster, S. Harrison, sen.
Barnsley, S. Hickling.
Denby, S. (R.) Crowther.
Derby, S. Leach, Oakes.
Belper, S. (Jos.)'Taylor, Frazer, (T.) Haycs.

Cromford, S. Reynolds, jun.
Retford, S. Lilly.
Worksop, S. Dixon.
Nottinghan, S. Barker, Calder, (T.) Walker.

Ilkestone, S. (Jos.) Walker.
Mansfield, S. Andrews.
Newark, S. Slack, Hudson.
Grantham, S. (L.) Kershaw.
Leicester, S. Aikenhead.
Melton-Mowbray,S.(B.)Wood
Ashby-de-la-Zouch, S. Warrener, and £16 l6s. to Brother Bird.
Burton, S. Ingham.
Uttoxeter, S. Banks.
Loughborough,S. Webb, Dalby
Stamford and Peterborough, S. Penman.
Lincoln, S. Isaac, Emmett.
Sleaford, S. (Joseph) Hutton.
Market-Raisen, S. Leppington.
Louth, S. Furness, Frank.
Horncastle, S. (J.) Griffith.
Alford, S. Robbins.
Sphoy, S. Rought.
Bortin, S. Fowler.
Spalding, S. W:itkine.
Hull. S. My:es, (W.) I'ill, Everett, James.

Howden, S. Gee.
Drifficld, S. (F.) West.
Bridlington, S. Preston, Pretty.
Patrington, S. (Thos.) Gill.
Grimsby, S. Vaughan.
Gainsborough, S. Gloyne.
Epworth, S. Howarth.
Snaith, S. Rennison.
Brigg, S. Coultas.
Barton, S. Cooke.
York, S. Lessey, sen. Nelson, Naylor, Haswell.
Pocklington, S. Simmonite, Barr, Hall.
Scarborough, S. (S.) Wilson, (Jno.) Pearson.
Pickering, S.(Henry)Anderson.
Malton, S. Melson, and £16 to Brother Parkin.
Easingwould, S. Welborne, Bentham.
Thirsk, S. Beaumont (John) Tayler.
Ripon, S. Carlton, (Jno.) Nicholson.
Whitby, S. (G.) Smith, Stones.
Gisborough, S. Hainsworth
Darlington, S. Kershaw.
Stockton, S. (Jno.) Bumstead
Barnard Castle, S. Rogerson Elliott.
Middleham, S. Phillips.
Tanfield, S. Holder.
Richmond, S. Aslin, Heywood. Newcastle-upon-Tyne, S.

Grindrod, Storry, Ranson.
G:terhead, S. Garbut, (R.) Jackson.
North Shields, S. Pilter, Dixon. Sunderland, S. Firrar, Mann, Hollingsworth, and £16 16s. to Brother Braithwate; also £8. 8s. for S. (W.) Jackson.
Durhat, S , $\mathbf{R}$, It.) Nich lison, and £\& 8s. for S.(W. )Jackson 1-tone, S. S ho efield.
Hexham, S. (Thos.) Harrison.

Morpeth, S. (J.) Barritt.
Alnwick, S. (Zech.) Taft.
Berwick, S. Willoughby.
Carlisle, S. (B.) Barritt.
Whitehaven, S. Stephenson, (Jas.) Sinetham.
Brough, S. Adshead.
Penrith, S. Rawson.
Kendal, S. (Geo.) Thompson.
Ulverstone, S. (R.) Allen.
Dumfries, S. (Jno.) Poole.
Douglas, Isle of Man, S. (E.) Wilson, Kemp.
Ramsay, Ditto, S. Mercer, (J.) Burgess, jun.
Edinbuns, S. Lancaster, Dredge.

Dunbar, £10 16s. to Brother $\mathrm{M}^{\text {© }}$ Allum, sen.
Glasgow, S. Warren, Bell. Paisley, S. Kitchen. Greenock, S. (Jis.) Miller. Ayr, S. Hamer. Perth, S. Bridgman. Dunferinline, S. Crahtree. Aberdeen, S (Val.) Ward. Peterhead. S. Mollard. Dundee, S. Clegg.
Armoath, S. Spink. Brechin, S. Xates.
Banff, S. (J.) Sugden.
Elgin, S. Shoar.
Inverness, S. (R.) Harrison, sen.
Q. 10. How are the forty remaining allowances for Preachers' Wives to be paid?
A. By the District Meetings, out of the Yearly Collection: viz.

By the London District,
By the Canterbury Disurict,
By the Lymn District,
By the Oxford District,
By the Portsmouth District,
By the Exeter, District,
By the Bristol District,

By the First Welsh District,
By the Birmingham District,
By the Halifax District,
By the Leed: District, By the S -effield District,
By the Nottingham District,
By the Lincolnshire District, By the Hull District,

By the Whitby District,
By the Carhsle District,
By the Aberdeen District,
S. Cheverton.
S. Hawtrey, (Jona.) Roberts, Lomas.
S.Stewart, Ellidge, M‘Laughlin.
S. Wild.

- S. Coates, Batty, Garner, Shepherd.
S. Orchard, Olver.
S. Kaye, Rawlins, Jaggar, (Jon.) Williams, Aldom, Kittle.
S. Talboys.
S. Mason, jun.
S. Mattison.
S. Prescott, Tranter.
S. Waterhouse, Bate.
S.Armstrong, Hope, Hobson, Roadhouse, Kellett, Mowatt.
S. Gregory
S. (G.) Barker, Tuck, (W.) Smith.
S. Purter, (Geo.) Clarke.
S. L…
S. Hewitt.
Q. 11. What is the number of Members in our Societies?
$A$. As follows: viz.

| London East | - | 4270 | Walsingham | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Waltham A bbey |  | 113 | Wisbeach | 75 |
| London West | - | 2780 | Thetford | 541 |
| Deptford |  | 1210 | Swaffham | 310 |
| Brentford | - | 410 | Ely | 415 |
| Windsor | - | 96 | Cambridge | 120 |
| High-W ycombe |  | 300 | Oxford | 265 |
| Lcigh, Essex | - | 70 | Whitchurch | 260 |
| Chelmsford | - | 120 | W itney | 300 |
| Colchester | - | 258 | Banbury | 360 |
| Manningtree |  | 416 | Chipping Norton | 380 |
| Ipswich |  | 480 | Brackley | 365 |
| Muntingdon | - | 375 | Towcester | 50 |
| St. Neots | - | 960 | Daventry | 52 |
| Biggleswade |  | 196 | Northampton | 480 |
| Bedford |  | 320 | Wellingborough | 140 |
| Newport Pagnell |  | 245 | Higham-Ferrers | 250 |
| Ampthill | - | 150 | Kettering | 13 |
| Leighton Buzzard |  | 525 | Market Harborough | 150 |
| Luton |  | 490 | Portsmouth | 1166 |
| Reading | - | 120 | Salisbury | 00 |
| Chichester | - | 91 | Shaftesbury | 380 |
| Brightnelmstone |  | 293 | Wincanton | 100 |
| Canterbury |  | 420 | Poole | 428 |
| Rochester |  | 950 | Isle of Wight | 300 |
| Sheerness |  | 430 | Southampton | 260 |
| Margate |  | 291 | Winchester | 300 |
| Dover | - | 396 | Newbury | 358 |
| Rye |  | 616 | Hungerford | 339 |
| Sandluurst |  | 310 | Swindon | 96 |
| Ashford | - | 110 | Guernsey $\{$ English | 255 |
| Sevenoaks |  | 265 | Guernsey \{ French | 492 |
| Maidstone | - | 454 | Alderney $\{$ English | 0 |
| Norwich | - | 680 | Alderney \{ French | 7. |
| North Walsham |  | 245 | Jersey \{ English | 172 |
| Yarmouth |  | 685 | Jersey \{ French | 658 |
| Lowestoft | - | 360 | Plymouth Dock | 1110 |
| Framlingham | - | 274 | Plymouth | 624 |
| Bungay |  | 130 | Launceston | 730 |
| Diss | - | 450 | Stratton | 480 |
| Attleborough | - | 495 | 1 iskeard | 970 |
| Bury St. Edmund's |  | 320 | Tavistock | 450 |
| Holt | - | 313 | Camelford | 650 |
| Lynn |  | 504 | Kingsbridge | 225 |



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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Wigan | 230 | Bradwell | 499 |
| Leigh | 358 | Rotherham | 1000 |
| Oraskirk | 231 | Doncaster | 650 |
| Preston | 1100 | Barnsley | 565 |
| Garstang | 250 | Denby | 454 |
| Lancaster | 349 | Derby | 850 |
| Manchester | 3650 | Belper | 1200 |
| Salford - | 1780 | Cromford | 480 |
| Stockport - | 1550 | Retford | 530 |
| New Mills | 760 | Worksop | 26.5 |
| Ashton-under-Lyne | 480 | Nottingham | 1400 |
| Oldham - | 842 | Ilkestone | 400 |
| Rochdale | 1200 | Mansfield | 575 |
| Bacup | 350 | Newark | 787 |
| Haslingden | 424 | Grantham | 550 |
| Blackburn | 710 | Leicester | 589 |
| Bury | 500 | Melton Mowbray | 499 |
| Bolton | 1256 | Ashby-de-la-Zouch | 816 |
| Halifax | 1470 | Burton - | 295 |
| Sowerby Bridge | 923 | Uttoxeter | 413 |
| Todmorden | 1650 | Loughborough | 680 |
| Bupnley | 635 | Stamford | 5.50 |
| Colne | 700 | Lincoln | 835 |
| Skipton - | 500 | Sleaford | 975 |
| Clithero | 500 | Market Raisen | 490 |
| Grarsington | 190 | Louth | 1120 |
| Addughans | 453 | Horncastle | 60.5 |
| Keighley | 1030 | Alford | 380 |
| Bingley | 830 | Spilsby | 500 |
| Woodhouse Grove | 920 | Boston | 600 |
| Bradford | 1900 | Spalding | 300 |
| Inuldersfield | 1180 | Hull | 2020 |
| Holmfirs | 720 | I lowden | 560 |
| Leeds | 4013 | Driffield | 710 |
| Bramley | 1220 | Bridlington | 730 |
| Wakefichd | 1176 | Patrington | 346 |
| Birstall | 154.3 | Crimsby - | 730 |
| Dewsbury | 1000 | Cainsborough | 640 |
| Oiley - | 600 | Epworth | 450 |
| Pateloy Pridge | 530 | Snaith - - | 370 |
| Pontefract | 860 | Brigg | 460 |
| Selby - | 740 | Winterton | 563 |
| Knairesborough | 800 | York | 1930 |
| Sheffield | 2377 | Pocklington | 94.5 |
| Chesterfield - | 573 | Scarborough | 820 |
| Bakewell - - | 352 | Pickering | 530 |




## WEST INDIES.

|  | Whites. | Blacks \& Coloured. | . Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Antigua - | 25 | 3552 | 3577 |
| St. Christopher's | 33 | 2552 | 2585 |
| St. Eustatius | 6 | 314 | 320 |
| Nevis | 19 | 1183 | 1202 |
| St. Bartholomew's | 14 | 447 | 461 |
| Tortola and the Virgin Islands | 67 | 1664 | 1781 |
| Dominica - | 4 | 633 | 637 |
| St. Vincent's | 16 | 2760 | 2776 |
| Barbadoes | 10 | 4.4 | 54 |
| Grenada | 2 | 171 | 173 |
| Trinidad | 9 | 267 | 276 |
| Demarara | 9 | 956 | 965 |
| Anguila | 10 | 14.0 | 150 |
| Jamaica | 25 | 4129 | 4147 |
| Bermuda | 26 | 62 | 88 |
| Bahamas | 562 | 584 | 1146 |
| Total in the West Indies this year, | 837 | 19,451 | 20,288 |
| Last year, | 825 | 18,113 181 | 18,938 |
| Increase in the West Indies, | 12 | 1.338 | 1,350 |

In the British Dominions in North America, viz.
nova scotia, new brunswick, \&c.

| Halifax | - | 180 | Ramshay | 120 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Liverpool | - | 90 | Horton | 75 |
| Shelburne | - | 97 | Newport | 86 |
| Yarmouth | - | 12 | Prince Edward's Island | 129 |
| St. Stephen's | - | 122 | Manchester | 13 |
| Fredericton | - | 92 | Lunenburgh | 75 |
| City St. John's | - | 128 |  |  |
| Annapolis | - | 230 |  | 1539 |
| Cumberland | - | 80 |  |  |
| canadas. |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec, | - | 48 | MilburneandWilliamHenry 16 |  |
| Montreal | - | 67 |  |  |
| Cornwall | - | 14 |  | 166 |
| Kingstone | - | 21 |  |  |

## NEWFOUNDLAND.

| St. John's | 60 | Western Bay | 50 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Carbonear | 75 | Trinity Harbour | 8 |
| Blackhead | 133 | Harbour Grace | 14 |
| Port de Grave - $\quad 26$ |  |  |  |
| Island Cove and Perlican | 155 |  | 648 |
| Bonavista - 127 |  |  |  |
| Total in Nova Scotia, the C | Canad | s, and Newfoundland, | 2,35\% |
| Being an increase since the last returns of - |  |  | 529 |
| General total of Members, under the care of our Foreign Missionaries, this year |  |  | $23.05 \%$ |
| Last year it was |  | - - | 21,09" |
| Increase of Members in the partment of our work | For | ign Missionary De- | 1,960 |

## GENERAL RECAPITULATION.

| Number of Members now in Great Britain, | 193,670 |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
|  | in Ireland, | 21,031 |
|  | in France, at Brussels, and at |  |
|  | Gibraltar, | 175 |
|  | in Southern \& Western Africa, | 157 |
| in Ceylon \& Continental India | 54 |  |
|  | in New South Wales, | 30 |
| in the West Indies, | 20,283 |  |
| in British America, including |  |  |
| Newfoundland, |  | 2,353 |

Number of Members under the care of the British and Irish Conferences
Number of Members under the care of the several Conferences in the United States of America, as stated in their Minutes for 1817, (being an increase of 13,688, since the last Report in 1815 ;)

| Whites, | 181,442 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Coloured and Blacks, | 43,411 |

Total number of Members in the Wesleyan Methodist Societies throughout the world, exclusively of the regular travelling Preachers
N. B. There are 671 Regular Travelling Preachers, (besides 48 supcrannuated or supernumerary,) now stationed in Great Britain.
104 ditto in Ireland, (benides 26 superannuated or supernumerary.
101 ditto on onr Foreign Missions, (besides 4 supernumeraries.
716 ditto in the American Methodist Connexion.

1592 Total Number of Travelling Preachers, (besides supernomerary and superannuated Preachers, ) throughout the world.
Q. 12. What collections for chapels are allowed to be made during the ensuing year?
A. 1. In the London East circuit, for St. David's and Walworth chapels.
2. In the Daptiord circuit, for Greenwich chapel.
3. In the Colchester circuit, for Coggeshall chapel.
4. In the Chelmsford and Manningtree circuits, for Abberton chapel.
5. In the Ipswch circuit, for Chattisham chapel.
6. In the Biggleswade circuit, for Stevenage chapel.
7. In the Bedford circuit, for $W$ ooton chapel.
8. In the Luton, Leighton Buzzard, and Newport-Pagnell circuits, for Fenny Stratford chapel.
9. In the Rochester circuit, for Friendsbury chapel.
10. In the Rye, Maidstone, Sevenoaks, and Margate circuits, for Ramsgate chapel.
11. In the Dover circuit, for Buckland chapel.
12. In the Sandhurst circuit, for Sandhurst chapel.
13. In the North $W$ alsham circuit, for Reepham chapel.
14. In the Framlingham circuit, for Rossinghall chapel.
15. In the Auleborough circuit, for Brockdish chapel.
16. In the Bury circuit, for chapel.
17. In the Holt circuit, for Holt and Briston chapels.
18. In the Walsingham, Wisbeach, Thetford, Ely, and Cambridge circuits, for Swaff ham chapel.
19. In the Lynn and Swaffham circuits, for Norfolk-upwell chapel.
20. In the Daventry circuit, for Weedon chapel.
21. In the Towcester, Higham-Ferrers, Kettering, and Wellingborough circuits, for Silverston chapel.
22. In the Chipping-Norton circuit, for Longcompton chapel.
23. In the Oxford and Brackley circuits, for Watlington chapel.
24. In the Whitchurch circuit, for Whitchurch chapel.
25. In the Witney circuit, for Freeland chapel.
26. In the Market-Harborough circuit, for Market-[Iarborough chapel.
27. In the Salisbury circuit, for Downton chapel.
28. In the Shaftebury circuit, for Henstride chapel.
29. In the Isle of Wight circuic, for Newport chapel.
30. In the Hungerford circuit, for Marlborough chapel.
31. In the Guernsey District, for Forest chapel.
32. In the Liskard circuit, for st. Neots chapel.
33. In the Camelford circuit, for Trelil chapel.
34. In the Penzance circuit, for Bridge chapel.
35. In the Redruth and Falmouth circuits, for Stethians chapel.
86. In the Bodmin circuit, for Labbock chapel.
37. In the Helstone circuit, for Coverack chapel.
38. In the Truro and St. Austle circuits, for St. Colomb chapel.
39. In the Bath and Kingswood circuits, for Westbury chapel.
40. In the Banwell and Midsummer-Norton circuits, for Pill chapel.
41. In the Frome and Warminster circuits, for Tuerton chapel.
42. In the Melksham, Weymouih, and Somerton circuits, for Westbury chapel.
43. In the Dursley and Gloncester circuit,, for Cirencester chapel.
44. In the Stroud, Bradford, and Downend circuits, for Cheltenham chapel.
45. In the Cheltenham and Batcomb circuits, for Downend chapel.
46. In the Bristol and Shepton-Mallet circuits, for Melksham chapel.
47. In the Swansea circuit, for Burrowsgreen chapel.
48. In the Monmouth circuit, for Pontypool chapel.
49. In the circuits which last year composed the Carmarthen district, for Kilcenin and New Quay chapels; one third of the collection for Kilcenin, and the remainder for New Quay.
50. The following chapels are to be begged for in the circuits which last year composed the Ruthin district: viz. Holywell, Minera, Llandryllo, Llanfyllyn, Riduarff, Llanrwst, Llandidan, Denbigh, Llanbrynmair, Pennal, Llwyngwril, Trawslynydd, Llangafni.
51. In the Wednesbury and Worcester circuits, for Darlaston chapel.
52. In the Dudley circuit, for Stourbridge chapel.
53. In the Stourport circuit, for the Frith-Common chapel.
54. In the Birmingham and Evesham circuits, for Broadway chapel.
55. In the Redditch, Bromsgrove, and West Bromwich circuits, for Alcester chapel.
56. In the Coventry circuit, for Foleshill chapel.
57. In the Hinckley circuit, for Hinckley chapel.
58. In the Litchfiell circuit, for Litchfield chapel.
59. In the shrewsbury, Wellington, Broseley, and Ludlow circuits, for the $W$ ellington chapel.
60. In the New Town circuit, for Carno chapel.

6i. In the Kiugton circuit, for Pool-Hill chapel.
62. In the Congleton circuit, for Congleton and Sandbach chapels.
63. In the Namptwich circuit, for Buerton chapel.
64. In the Macclesfield circuit, for Frodsham chapel.
6.5. In the Northwich circuit. for Cranage chapel.
66. In the Burslem circuit, for Norton chapel.
67. In the Newcastle circuit, for High Street chapel.
68. In the Leek circnit, for Waterfall and Biddulph-Moor chanels.

69 In the Stafford circuit, for Drayton chapel.
70. In the Wigan circuit, for Ashton chapel.
71. In the Leigh circuit, for Tildsley-Banks and Ormskirk chapels.
$\because 2$. In the Rochdale and Bacup circuits, for Bullock Smithy chavel.
73. In the Oldham circuit, for Royton chapel.
74. In the Bury circuit, for Ratcliffe Bridge chapel.
75. In the Stockport and New Mills circuits, for Bagslate chapel.
76. In the Bolton circuit, for Little Lever chapel.

7\%. In the Halifax circuit, for Brighouse chapel.
78. In the Sowerby Bridge circuit, for Mill Bank chapel.
79. In the Todmorden circuit, for Laddenden chapel.
80. In the Burnley circuit, for Burnley chapel.
81. In the Colne circuit, for Tranden chapel.
82. In the Skipton, Clithero, Grassington, and Addingham circuits, for Buckden chapel.
83. In the Keighley, Woodhouse-Grove, Huddersfield, and Holinfirth circuits, for Cowms chapel.
84. In the Bradford circuit, for Great Horton chapel.
85. In the Bingley circuit, for Bingley chapel.
86. In the Leeds circuit, for Wesley chapel, Leeds.
87. In the Wakefield circuit, for Woodlesford chapel.
88. In the Bramley, Birstal, and Pontefract circuits, for Kippax chapel.
89. In the Selby circuit, for Selby chapel.
90. In the Leeds, (privately only,) Knaresborough, Dewsbury. and Pateley Bridge circuits, for Knaresborough chapel.
91. In the Sheffield circuit, for Bradfield chapel, (privately only.)
92. In the Chesterfield circuit, for Eckington chapel.
93. In the Bakewell circuit, for Bakewell chapel.
94. In the Bradwell circuit, for Bradwell chapel.
95. In the Sheffield and Rotherham circuits, for Bawtry chapel.
96. In the Barnsley circuit, for Dodworth chapel.
97. In the Derby circuit, for Ashbourne chapel.
98. In the Belper circuit, for Heanor chapel.
99. In the Cromford and Retford circuite, for Middleton chapel.
100. In the Granthan circuit, for Grantham chapel.
101. In the Melton Mowbray circuit, for Somerby chapel.
102. In the Asliby-de-la-Zouch circuit, for Mersham chapel.
103. In the Uttoxeter circuit, for Boylston chapel.
104. In the Nottingham, Ilkeston, Newark, Leicester, Burton,

Loughborough, and Stamford circuits, for Mansfield chapel.
105. In the Mansfield circuit, for Eastwood chapel.
106. In the Sleaford circuit, for Broughton chapel.
107. In the Market Raisen circuit, for Fulston chapel.
108. In the Horncastle cirtuit, for Kirkby chapel.
109. In the Spilsby and Alford circuits, for Tattershall chapel.
110. In the Spalding circuit, for Holbeach chapel.
111. In the Hull and Snaith circuits, for Barton chapel.
112. In the Gainsborough circuit, for Gainsborough chapel.
113. In the Howden, Driffield, Bridlington, Patrington,

Grimsby, Epworth, Brigg, and Barton circuits, for Rawcliffe chapel.
114. In the York circuit, for Wheldrake chapel.
115. In the Pickering circuit, for Millington chapel.
116. In the Scarborough circuit, for West Luton chapel.
117. In the Pocklington circuit, for Snainton chapel.
118. In the Thirsk circuit, for Thirsk chapel.
119. In the Ripon circuit, for Dallowgill and Galph chapels.
120. In the Gisborough circuit, for Redcar chapel.
121. In the Darlington circuit, for Hutworth, Gainford, and Ileighington chapels.
122. In the Whitby circuit, for Lythe chapel.
123. In the whole of the circuits in the Carlisle district, for sedbergh chapel.
124. In the Douglas and Ramsey circuits, for Douglas chapel. 125. In all the circuits in the Edinburgh and Aberdeen districts, for Haddington chapel.
N. B. The preceding grants of collections for chapels were all recommended in the Minutes of the District-Meetings; and as, in general, they relate exclusively to circuits within the limits of the District, from which they were respectively proposed, the Conference has readily sanctioned them.-Brother Robert

Humphreys, also, received permission, on account of the very distressing uigency of the case, to address a circular letter to every circuit in the kingdom, requesting the donation of One Guinea, (and no more,) from each of them, tor a chapel in Wales.-Various other cases of chapels, whit h need extensive assistance, were duly stated and consid red. But on account of the peculiar circumstances of the times, and of the Connexion, the Conference was under the painful necessity of declining to authorize, for the present year, any chapel-collections whateyer, except those included in the foregoing list.
Q. 13. What is the judgment of the Conference on the general qucstion respecting the relief of those of oar chapels, which need more pecuniary assistance than can be obtained in the circuits to which they locally belong?
A. 1. We are of opinion that it is exceedingly desirable io provide some plan for accomplishing this important object, which shall be less inconvenient to the circuits, and more proluctive to the Trustees, than the mode of collecting for chapels now practised among us.
2. The thanks of the Conference are respectfully presented to those friends who have transmitted various suggestions and projects, relating to this subject; and they are assured that it is a business in which the Conference decidedly feels that the preachers and peopit at large have a common interest with the Trustes.
3. The President and Secretary are authorized and directed to invite such a number of Trustees of chapels as they may think proper, to meet a similar number of Preachers, (to be also invited by them for that purpose,) at Leeds, on the Saturday immediately preceding the next Conference, in order to devise and bring before the Conference, in a clear and well-digested form, some plan of general and efficient relief for such chapels as are deeply involved in debt, and have not local means of meeting their own expenses.
4. The President and Secretary are also authorized and directed to invite a select number of Preachers and Trustees to meet in London, in the month of April or May, 1818, as a preparatory Committee, for the purpose of examining and arranging all proposals or suggestions, relative to a General Chapel Fund, which any of our friends have already furnished, or may deem it proper, before that period, to furnish. This preparatory Committee shall lay the result of theis examination before the subsequent Meeting at Leeds.
Q. 14. What further measure can be adopted to prevent in futurc the imprudent erection of chapels?
A. 1. As the repeated cautions and entreaties of the Conference have in various instances been disregarded, we now deem it neces-
sary to the honour and security of the Connexion, to appoint Five Brethren annually as a Chapel-Commitice. To this Committee every proposal for the erection or purchase of any new or additional chapel, with clear and full explanations of the necessity alleged, of the expense contemplated, and of the subscriptions, and other local income, likely to be raised, shall be submitted by the Superintendant of the circuit, before he shall give any sanction to such erection or purchase, or allow any step to be taken in the actual execution of the proposal: and no chapel shall be built or purchased without the consent of a majority of this Committee.
2. The Chapel-Comnittee for the ensning year are, The President, the Secretary, Mr. James Wood, Mr. Entwisle, and Mr. Samuel Taylor.-dpplications to this Committee should be sent, post paid, to the President.
Q. 15. Who is appointed the President of the next Conference in Ireland?
A. John Gaulter; who, if unavoidably prevented from attending, has authority to nominate a substitute.-Our Secretary is requested to accompany the President to the Irish Conference.
Q. 16. Who are the General Comnittee for guarding our privileges during the ensuing year?
A. The President and Secretary of the Conference; all the Preachers appointed for the two London Circuits; the Superintendants of the Deptford and Brentford Circuits; Adam Clarke, LL. D.; Joseph Butterworth, Esq. M. P.; Christopher Sundius, Esq. Mr. Robert Middleton, Mr. Joseph Bulmer, Mr. Launcelot Haslope, Mr. William Marriott, Mr. Thomas Allan, Mr. David Sruce, Mr. Thomas Marriott, Mr. William Kent, Thomas shepherd, Esq.: Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, M.P.; Thomas Holy, Esq. of Sheffield; John Ward, Esq. of Durham: Richard Faweett, Esq. of Bradford; William Carne, Esq. of Penzance; Robert Carr Brackenbury, Esq. of Raithby Hall, Lincolnshire; Mr. Joseph Dutton, of Liverpool; Mr. James Murrow, of Liverpool; Mr. Benjamin Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Burton, of Manchester; Mr. Joseph Holdsworth, of Wakefield; Mr. Richard Bealy, of Ratcliffe, near Bury; Mr. James Cole, of Kettering; and the Rev. Thomas Roberts, of Bath.

Q: 17. Who are the Committee for Kingswood School for the ensuing year?
A. Walter Griffith, Chairman; George Morley, Secretary; Robert Johuson, Local Treasurer; Thomas Wood, Joseph Taylor, jun. William Martin, Jeremiah Brettell, George Dermott, James Buckley, Thomas Roberts, William Horner, and Jonas Jaggar; with Mr. John Hal!, Mr. Thomas Exley, and Mr. James Wood, all of Bristol.
Q. 18. Who are the Committee for Woodhouse-Grove School for the ensuing year?
A. Cleland Kirkpatrick, Chairman; William Radeliffe, Secreiary; Miles Martindale, Local 'Treasurcr; Thomas Bartholomew, Robert Hopkins, George Sargent, John Stephens, Isaac Turton, Edward Hare, Thomas Stanley, Henry Taft, M.D. John Jordan, and John Sedgwick; with Mr. Fawcett, of Bradford ; Mr. B. Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Ashworth, and Mr. G. B. Browne, of Halifax ; Mr. Holdsworth, of Wakefield; Mr. Sutcliffe, of Willow IJall; Mr. Whitley, of Bivgley; and Mr. Child, of Greengates.
Q. 19. Who are the General Treasurers and Secretaries for the Methodist Missions, during the ensuing year?
A. Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, M. P. and Mr. James Wood, (whose address is, No. 12, Bow Street, Bloomsbury, London,) are respectfully requested to continue in office as Joint Treasurers; and Mr. George Marsden and Mr. Watson are appointed Joint Secretaries.
N. B. It was unanimously resolved, 1. That the cordial thanks of the Conference be presented to Mr. Thompson and Mr. Wood, for their valuable services as Treasurers, and to Mr. Marsden and Mr. Watson, for their faithful labours as Secretaries for the Missions, during the past year.
2. That the warmest thanks of this Body are eminently due to Mr. Watson, for his able and triumphant "Defence of the Wesleyan Methodist Missions in the West Indies," published during the last year, at the request of the Missionary Committee.
3. That the respectful thanks of the Conference be also presented to Mr. John Irving, of Bristol, for his generous support of our Missions, by the grant of a gratuitous passage in his ships to the West Indies, for three Missionaries, and for the wife of one of them, during the past year.
Q. 20. Who are the Committee of Examination and Finance, for our Missionary Affairs, during the ensuing year?
A. The President and Secretary of the Conference, the General Treasurers and Secretaries of the Missions, and those other Members of the London Executive Committee, who can attend; Francis Wrigley, Henry Moore, Adam Clarke, LL.D., Walter Griffith, Jonathan Crowther, Richard Reece, James Buckley, Robert Smith, and John Stephens; together with whom the following Gentlemen are respectfully solicited to act as Members of this Committee; viz. Samuel Hague, Esq. Benjamin Sadler, Esq. Mr. W. G. Scarth, all of Leeds; Mr. Holdsworth and Mr. Spicer, both of Wakefield; Richard Fawcett, Esq. of Bradford: Mr. John Ashworth, of Halifax; Mr. James Hargraves, of the Bramley circuit; and Mr. John Sutcliffe, of the Sowerby-Bridge circuit.
N. B. This Committee are requested to meet in the Vestry of the Old Chapel, at Leeds, precisely at nine o'clock in the morning of the Friday immediately preceding the Meeting of the next Conference; at which time the Treasurers' Accounts of Missionary Receipts and Disbursements for the year shall be submitted to their investigation; together with every question connected with the Financial Department of our Missionary Business, and the General Annual Report of the State of the Missions, to be prepared by the Executive Committee.
Q. 21. What increase shall be made this year in the number of our Foreign Missionaries?
A. 1. In compliance with pressing requests received from various quarters, and in humble dependence on the blessing of God, and on the continued exertions and liberality of our friends, and of the Public, we have already appointed the following : viz. One additional for New South Wales.
One additional for the Little Namacquas. Three additional for the Canadas. One additional for Newfoundiand. One additional for Jamaica.
N. B. One additional Missionary is also granted to St. Christopher's; and a new Mission is to be undertaken in Tobago. But two of the Brethren who were previously stationed in the West Indies are appointed for these purposes.
2. The Committee are directed, as soon as they conveniently can, to send two Missionaries to Cape Henry, in St. Domingo; and also to take proper steps for sending two additional Missionaries to Continental India, one of whom shall join Brother Horner at Bombay, and the other assist the Missionary at Madras.
3. The Committee are further authorized to send two Missionaries to the Mauritius and Madagascar;-one, if they deem it expedient, to Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope;-and three more (additional,) if they find it necessary, to fill up the Vacancies which are left in the Stations for Nova Scotia and Canada.
4. Exclusively of the above-mentioned new or additional Missionaries, twelve other Missionaries are this year to be sent out to the West Indies, in order to supply the places of those who have died, or removed to other Missions, and of those who have returned from foreign Stations, after having completed the usual term of service.
Q. 22. What directions shall be given respecting our Missionary Affairs in general?
$A$. 1. When any Preachers, who are already employed in the work at home, offer themselves at their respective District-Meetings for foreign service, the Chairman shall immediately transmit an account of such offers to the Committee in London, and shal!
state distinctly whether the candidates can, or cannot, conveniently attend at the Conference then next ensuing.: In the case of those who can attend the Conference, a Committee shall be thes appointed, for the purpose of examining them as to their fitness for our foreign work, and shall report to the Conference the result of their examination. And in case of those who cannot attend the Conference for this purpose, they shall be directed to attend the Committee in London, in order to be examined by them, at such time as they shall appoint, previously to the Meeting of the Conference.
2. The Conference adopts the following Resolutions, unanimously recommended by the Preachers and other friends who composed this year the Committee of Examination and Finance, and directs that they shall be forthwith carried into effect: viz.
(1.) That in every District, where it has not been already done, a District Missionary Society shall be immediately formed, under the direction of the Chairman of the District, and of the Executive Committee in London;-or that, at least, a DistrictTreasurer for contributions in aid of our Missions shall be appointed in every District, to whom all monies raised for the said Missions by any Branch Missionary Society, within the limits of that District, shall be uniformly paid, so as to be remitted through that medium only to the General Treasurers.
(2.) That even in circuits where no Branch Missionary Society has yet been formed, all monies collected among $u$ s, in any mode whatsoever, for Missionary purposes, shall be uniformly paid to the Missionary Treasurer for the District, and by him remitted once in every quarter, or oftener, to the General Treasurers.
(3.) That all Missionary monies and accounts shall be strictly kept separate, by the Superintendants of the respective circuits at home and abroad, from the monies and accounts of our Bookroom, and from all other monies, accounts, and collections whatsoever, according to the Minute of the Conference of last year.
(4.) That the Missionaries shall be peremptoriiy prohibited from drawing Bills for Mi -sionary expenses um any other person than the General Treanurers; and that, in order to prevent any such irregularities, printed Forms of Bills shall be forwarded to each Missionary Station; of which forms, and no other, the Missionaries shall be required to make use, when they have occasion.
(5.) That snitable Premises for a Methodist Missionary House and Office, shall be immediately procured, in some central situation in London, affordin;s sufficient accommodation for the orderly transaction of ail our Missionary business, and for a Depot of proper Articles which are wanted in the Outfit of Missionaries; and that for the further assistance of the Treasurers
and Secretaries, a competent Clerk shall be appointed, and statedly employed, in order that there may be a regular system of book-keeping, in respect to all our Misssonary Receipts and Expenditures.
3. The Conference approves of the object and outline of the following Plan of a General Wesleyan-Methodist Missionary Society, drawu up at the request of the Committee of Examination and Finance; and directs the Executive Committee to make such additional arrangements as may be necessary for perfecting it, and carrying it into fall effect.

## Plan of a General Wesleyan-Methodist Missionary Society.

The Methodist Societies and Congregations, with others, friends to Christian Missions in general, and to the Methodist Missions in particular, having in different parts of the kingdom formed themselves into Missionary Societies, for the purpose of aiding the said missions by their donations and subscriptions, and for effectually providing for the collecting of the same; the Conference, deeply impressed with gratitude to God, for these animating proofs of their Christian zeal ad benevolence, and anxious to give full efficiency and regularity to a mode of raising supplies for the numerous and important missions carried on under its direction, which, though but recently intraluced, promises to render the most essential service to the Mission cause, both by directing the attention of the religious puolic to the state of the heathen, and by engaging their assistance and prayers, directs as fotlows :

1. That all the members of Methodist Missionary Societies, for every district or place in which they may be formed, and all subscribers to the Methodist Missions, shall be considered members of a General Society, to be entitled, "The General Wesleyan-Methodist Missionaiy Suciety."
2. That all Societies which have been, or may be hereafter, formed, in the Districts into which the Methodist Comexion is divided, and bearing the name of those districts respectively, shall be entitled, "Methodist Missionary Auxiliary Societies," for the district in which they have been or may be formed; and that the Societies formed in the particular Circuits of any district, shall be entitled, "Methodist Missionary Branch Societies," for the circuit, or for the city, town, or village, in which they are established.
3. That a public meeting of this Society shall be held annually in London, in the City Road Chapel, or elsewhere, in or about the month of May.
4. That the accounts of the receipts and expenditures of this Society shall be made up yearly by the General Treasurers,
from June 24 to June 24 , which, after having been submitted for minute investigation to the Committee of Examination and Finance, in the month of July following, according to the existing rule of the Confcrence, shall be printed, together wilh the General Report of the state of the Missions, and of the proccedings of the Executive Committee.
5. That it shall be most earnestly recommended to all the Auxiliary and Branch Societies, in connexion with the General Society, to make up tieir accounts in like manner, on the 24th of June in every year, and to transmit them to the General Secretaries in London, within the month of July following, and not later, in order to their publication in the General Report.
Q. 23. Is any regulation necessary respecting our Schools at Kingswood and Woodhouse-Grove?
A. Let it be well understood, that all parents, who send their sons to either school, must pay the whole of their travelling expenses thither.
Q. 24. What measures shall be adopted with a view to the permanent improvement of our general finances, and in order, especially, to lessen the present disparity between the average income and the average expenditure of the Connexion, as they respect the Contingent Fund?
A. 1. We agree, that in future no Preacher shall receive from that Fund the allowance for a servant, unless he have travelled ten years at least, or unless he have one or more children. When a Preacher, not having travelled ten years, has only one child, he shall be allowetl only four pounds annually, towards the expense of a servant; but if he have more than one child, he may claim the full allowance of eight pounds per annum.
6. No circuit shall receive from the Contingent Fund any sum for its Ordinary Deficiencies, in which the regular allowance for board to each Preacher has been more that fourteen shillings weekly; except, (1.) The private yearly collection, raised in such circuit, shall exceed the amount of its claims for ordinary deficiencies; or except, (2.) The family of the Preacher, towards whose support such deficiencies are asked, shall include more that four children chargeable on the circuit ; or except, (3.) The Preacher towards whose support the deficiencies are asked, shall have travelled more than twenty years ; or except, (4.) The District Meeting, on examining the case, shall be of opinion that there are peculiar circumstances which should induce them to recommend to the Conference, and the Conference shall consequently grant a special exemption from this rule.
N. B. Although the Conference have deemed it necessary to adopt the foregoing regulations, in order to prevent a premature increase of allowances for board in those circuits which are not
able to provide for that increase by their own local resourcesi without bringing claims on the Contingent Fund,-they at the same time take this opportunity of renewing their former recommendation, that the stated allowance for board shall not in any case be less than ten shillings and sixpence per week for each married Preacher and his family.
7. The Conference directs and requires the Chairman, and other members of every District Meeting, to be very exact in the examination of all claims on the Contingent Fund for the article of house-rent, and to make every proper and possible reduction in that branch of our general expenditure.
8. The public collection, in aid of the Contingent Fund, for the support and spread of the Gospel at home, (commonly called The July Collection,) shall be made in every congregation on the second Sunday in July, at the latest ; and every Superintendant is required to pay, or cause to be paid, the sum collected in his circuit, to the Treasurer of the Contingent Fund, and to no other person, on the first day of the meeting of every Conference.
N. B. The Superintendants are directed to attend exactly to all the directions concerning the four General Consregational Collections, which were published at p. 233 of the Minutes of 1816; and also to the directions respecting the Three General Private Subscriptions, which will be found in the Minutes of 1815, p. 128, -The subscriptions and collections for the Schools, \&c. to be made in October, are to be sent to Mr. Entwisle, (City Road Chapel, London, who is appointed the General Treasurer of the School Fund for the ensuing year.
9. Every Superintendant is required earnestly to invite and urge the attendance and assistance of the Circuit Stewards at the District-Meeting, according to our rule, during the time when the financial affairs of the District, to which they belong, are under consideration. And in order to facilitate this object, let it be understood and announced, that the financial business of the District shall in future always commence at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the second day of every District Meeting.
Q. 25. Is any advice or recommendation necessary respecting those Sunday Schools which belong to us, or are aided by collections in our chapels?
A. It is the deliberate judgment of the Conference, that wellconducted Sunday Schools are of the greatest utility and importance, and descrve the zealous support of our Preachers and friends; but that in order to secure and perpetuate the full religious benefit, which such institutions are capable of affording, it is essentially necessary that they should be connected as closely as possible with the Church of Christ ; and that the school-hours should be so arranged as not to interfere, more than is absoVOL. IV,
teachers and children, on those ordinances of public worship, which are appointed by God. The Conference therefore directs the re-publication of the following Minutes made in 1808, viz.
" 1. Let all the Travelling Preachers, where Sunday Schooks are established, be members of the Committees of those Schools which belong to us; and let the Superintendant preside in their Mectings.
" 2. As many of the children, as can possibly be accommodated with room, ought invariably to attend our public worship, at least once on every Lord's-day."
Q. 26. What is our Rule respecting Preachers excluded from our body for immorality?
A. No such Preacher shall at any subsequent period be allowed to ke a Local Preacher, Class Leader, or even a Private Member of Society, without the consent of the Conference previously obtained.
Q. 27. When and where shall our next Conference be held?
A. In Leeds, on the last Monday in July, 1818.

> Signed on behalf and by order of the Conference, JOHN GAULTER, President. JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary.

Sheffibld, Aug. 9, 1817.
N. B. 1. The Stationing Committee are to assemble at six o'clock in the morning of the Monday before the commencement of the next Conference. Brothers Warren and France are to meet at the same time to audit and prepare the General Accounts. And Brother Thomas Jackson, the Sub-Secretary, is likewise to attend, for the purpose of compiling from the Dis-trict-Minutes various Lists, \&c. which will facilitate the business of the subsequent Conference.
2. It is particularly requested, that all Letters written to the President or Secretary, or other Preachers, whether during the sittings of the Conference, or in the course of the year, on public business of any kind, may be sent post paid.-The President's Address is, Methodist Chapel, Rochester; that of the Secretary, No. 16, Canterbury Place, Lambeth, London.

The Address of the Irish to the British Conference.

## Beloved Fathers and Brethren,

WITH the sincerest affection we present to you our annual address. The recollection of our mutual relation, and of the sacred bonds by which we are united, with a review of the evi-
dences you have given of your lively concern for our best interests, has increased in our hearts, towards you, the warmest feelings of grateful love.

Your letter of the 4th of August last, addressed, " to the Preachers and Members of our Societies," was indeed most seasonable; many were encouraged and strengthened by it in their determination to continue in one body, notwithstanding the various powerful attempts, made by some persons, to promote disunion amongst us. With the liveliest joy we have heard of the peace and pioperity of your extensive connexion; and the extraordinary success of our Foreign Missions affords additional matter of Christian exultation. These gracious evidences of the presence and blessing of the "Great Head of the Church," lead us to look forward, with earnest expectation, for the final overthrow of "the power of darkness," " when the kingdoms of this world shall become the kingdoms of our God and of his Christ."

But, dear Fathers and Brethren, we must not conceal from you, the distressing state of our Connexion in Ireland. We hoped that our Pacific Plan, respecting the administration of the ordinances, by the Preachers, to those of our Societies who claimed them from us, would have generally succeeded in meeting the religious views of our people, and in removing the uneasiness which prevailed in many of their minds. But certain persons, influenced by motives best known to themselves, have misrepresented our designs, have unhappily succeeded in rending our Connexion, and have attempted to organize a system of itincrancy in opposition to ours. On this account, together with the extraordinary pressure of the times, our pecuniary embarrassments have been greatly increased, and difficulties of the most sericus kind present themselves to our view. And here we beg to present our most cordial and thankful acknowledgments to many of our sympathizing friends in England, both Preachers and People, for the instances of their liberality which have been so seasonably bestowed upon us. We cannot but view it as "fruit which shail abound to their account," "a sacrifice of a sweet-smelling savour, acceptable to God through Christ Jesus our Lord."

In this time of painful exercise, we are led to examine our hearts in the presence of the Lord; and we assure you, dear Fathers and Brethren, that though humbled in the dust on account of our imperfections and infirmities, yet we feel no consciousness of having in anywise departed from the doctrine and discipline of the Gospel ; and never was Methodism, in its principles and practice, more dear to us than at the present time.

We rejoice, that, in the midst of our sufferings, our gracious Lord has not left us without manifest tokens of his favour.

The labours of our Irish Missionaries have been, during the
last year, much owned of God in the conversion of sinners. On the Derry and Antrim Missions, especially, the Lord has truly made bare his arm; several hundreds have been brought to the knowledge of the trith; and a general reformation has been effected in that part of the country. For further information upon this subject, we refer you, with great pleasure, to the third and last Report of the Hibernian Methodist Missionary Society, with the Appendix.

We consider it also matter of unfeigned gratitude to God, that there never did exist amongst us greater unity of affection, a more lively sense of the Divine presence, a more cheerful readiness of mind to make every necessary sacrifice, or a more fixed determination to stand or fall together in our Master's work, than have been manifested at the present Conference. Circumstanced as we now are, these things appear to us additional evidences of the good Providence of God in our behalf.

The appointment of our highly respected brother, Mr. Reece, to be cur President, and the faithfulness with which he has discharged the duties of that office, have given us the greatest satisfaction. To the wise and affectionate counsel of our beloved brother Mr. Moore, also, we are much indebted, in our present most trying situation. At the same time, we cannot but regret, that we were not favoured with the presence and co-operation of our dear brethren, Messrs. Benson and Bunting, whom you were pleased to appoint as our further assistants in this important crisis of our affairs.

Our beloved brother Tobias has been chosen our representative to your body. As he is deeply interested in the prosperity of our Connexion, so he is fully capable of giving yon accurate information respecting our state. We have no doubt but you will affectionately receive him in the Lord.

Finally, dear Fathers and Brethren, " pray for us, that the Word of the Lord may have free course, and be glorified, even as it is with you;" and that we may be delivered from unreasonable men. "And the Lord is faithful, who will stablish you, and keep you from evil." Amen.

Signed by order and on behalf of the Conference, S. WOOD, Secretary.

The Answer of the British Conference to the Address from the Irish Conference.

## Very dear Brethren,

We are sensibly affected by the assurances which you continue to give us of your attachment to us, and to the doctrines and discipline of Methodism. Our interests and yours are the same.

We are engaged in one common cause, -the cause of God. We can truly say, that "ye are in our hearts to die and live with you." Seeing then that " there is one body and one spirit, cven as we are called in one hope of" our "calling; one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in" us " all;" let us still " keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace," and in righteousness of life.

During the last year, as you are doubtless aware, considerable agitations of a political nature have occurred, in various parts of this country. Some evil-minded men, disciples of infidelity, have taken advantage of the distresses of the poor, to foment and increase those agitations, by the circulation of seditious and blasphemous publications, under ensnaring titles, and in cheap forms. The danger was seen; our people were admonished; and they heard the voice of pastoral affection and caution. In this time of trial, the Methodist Connexion has been steady to the principles of the Bible, so zealously maintained and exemplified by our venerable Founder;-and has given new proof of attachment to the person and family of our beloved Monarch, of obedience to the laws, of gratitude for unexampled civil and religious privileges, and of zeal for the support of our unrivalled constitution. We rejoice, Brethren, to know, that these are also your sentiments, and that you are resolved with us to "fear the Lord and the King," and to " meddle not with them that are given to change."

Most tenderly do we sympathize with you in the afflictions which you and your people bave endured from the difficulties of the present times, occasioned by a war of extraordinary duration and sacrifice, and aggravated by the failure of the last harvest. These difficulties have been severely felt by us, and indeed by all Europe. But, blessed be God, we have reason to hope for a brighter day. Our trade, in several of its branches, is reviving. Our industrious poor are returning to their usual occupations. Our hopes of the approaching harvest are cheering. "The pastures are clothed with flocks; the vallies also are covered with corn ; they shout for joy, they also sing."
In this year of peril and suffering, "the Lord of hosts" has been "with us; the God of Jacob" has been "our refuge." We have been led to value, if possible, more highly than ever, the importance of scriptural Christianity. "In the world" we have had " tribulation," but in Christ we have had "peace;" and our beloved people have manifested that patience, with long-suffering and joyfulness, which nothing but religion could inspire; and which has rendered them dearer to us than ever, while it fills our bearts with the liveliest gratitude to fod. We have enjoyed
much peace and harmony as a body; the work of God among us has been generally advancing; in some places the Divine Spirit has been poured out in rich abundance; our missionary zeal has taken a wider range; we have received from our missionaries in foreign parts the most encouraging intelligence: and, notwithstanding the pressure of the times, we have raised, in the last year, upwards of seventeen thousand pounds for their support, exclusive of the balance of the preceding year. We still feel, however, that we are debtors "both to the Greeks and to the Barbarians; both to the wise and to the unwise;" and we are determined, God being our helper, to continue and increase our exertions, until the glory of the Lond shall fill the whole earth.

But if our hearts are touched with sorrow for those providential calamities which you have suffered in common with us; how much more are we distressed by that great " fight of affliction" -that "fiery trial," which has been peculiar to yourselves! That your Pacific Plan respecting the administration of the Sacraments, in some instances, by our own Preachers, should have been rejected and despised-that any of those, whom you regarded as your children in the Lord, should have been found capable of denying to their brethren the exercise of those rights of conscience which are secured to them by the laws of God and their country-that they should, for such a cause, have separated themselves from those with whom they once " took sweet counsel, and walked to the house of God in company"-that they should have made a schism in the body of Christ, and set up a new itinerancy in opposition to you, is to us, as well as to you, a subject of the deepest regret.

We charitably hope, however, that they have erred through good, though mistaken motives; and we trust you will continue to use every proper means to restore to the fold those wandering sheep. As servants of God, you will " not strive ; but be gentle unto all men; apt to teach, patient, in meekness instructing those that oppose themselves." The union, the firmness, and the spirit of sacrifice, manifested by you on this occasion, have filled us with admiration of the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ which is in you. In addition to the pecuniary relief which some of our people in England afforded you in the hour of your distress, we have directed our Book- Steward to make certain arrangements with your Book-Steward, which will further contribute to that object: and it would have afforded us unfeigned pleasure, had the circumstances of the times permitted, to have rendered still more liberal and effectual assistance.

We reposed great confidence in our late excellent President, Mr. Reece, and the other brethren appointed to accompany
him to your last Conference; and are happy to hear that in your opinion our confidence was well founded.-Our beloved Brother Mr. Tobias was cordially received by us, both as your representative, and as a brother whose personal qualities ensure to him our growing esteem and affection. We doubt not but you will be gratified to hear, that we have unanimously appointed our much-respected Brother and President, Mr. Gaulter, to be the President of your next Conference; that we have also unanimously requested our Secretary, Mr. Bunting, to accompany him; and that he has consented, if the Lord will, to comply with our request. We trust the Divine presence will go with them; that their visit to Ireland will be to you a great blessing; and that seeing the grace of God in you, their hearts will be glad.

We greatly rejoice in the continued success of the Missions which you liave established in the darkest and most destitute parts of your island. We have afforded them such increased assistance as our circumstances and pledges to the public would allow; and our hearts' desire and prayer to God is, that he may so bless the various means now in operation for bettering the condition of Ireland, that the generous inhabitants of that fine and fertile country, emancipated from the bondage of ignorance and sin, may " be filled with the fruits of righteousness which are by Christ Jesus unto the glory and praise of God."

We feel, dearly beloved Brethren, that the interchange of annual addresses is not a mere matter of form and custom. It tends to strengthen the bonds of our happy union; it fans the flame of reciprocal love; it excites mutual prayer; it recalls to our minds a thousand interesting recollections; it leads us to review the events of the departed year; it reminds us that we are one year nearer the termination of our conflicts, and the consummation of our hopes; it helps to re-kindle our zeal, and quicken our diligence; and it rouses us to prepare for our final account. May we all " feed the flock of God which is among" us, "taking the oversight thereof, not by constraint, but willingly; not for filthy lucre, but of a ready mind ; neither as being lords over God's heritage, but being ensamples to the flock; and when the chief Shepherd shall appear," may we "receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away."
"Finally, brethren, farewell. Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace, and the God of love and peace shall be with you."

Signed by order and on behalf of the Conference, JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary. Sheffield, Aug. 9, 1817.
The ACCOUNTS of the GENERAL TREASURER for the Kingswood and Woodhouse-Grove Schools, g.c.;

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| 1414 | Candles, Soap, \& Lamp-Oil 49 | $162 \frac{1}{2}$ |
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|  | Letters and Stamps 16 | 13 |
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## LEEDS, July 27, 1818.

Q. 1. WHAT Preachers are this year admitted into full connexion with the Conference?
A. Peter Le Sueur,* Joseph Rayner, William Constable, George Tindale, John Wilson, David Stoner, James Beckwith, Thomas Staton, William P. Burgess, Samuel Robinson, James Baker, George Taylor, James Methley, John Jackson, James Sheriffe, Benjamin Carvosso, Richard Greenwood, Thomas Eckersley, Robert Bryant, David Cornforth, Daniel Walton, Joseph Roberts, James Jarratt, Richard Cooper, John Hannah, Benjamin Andrews, Richard Bonner, Thomas Osborne, Henry Pope, John Mortier, John Lewis, William White, Moses Rayner, John Pickavant, JohnWalsh. And, in Ireland-Francis Stephens, William Cornwall, James Horne.
Q. 2. What Preachers remain on trial?
A. Ambrose Freeman, William Ball, Thomas Webb, Enoch Broster, Hodgson Casson, Thomas Moss, Alexander Strachan, John Hague, Daniel Osborne, Joshua Wade, Thomas Robinson, John Nowell, John Greaves, William Langridge, Joseph Pratton, John Crowe, William Hill, jun. Elias Thomas, John M‘Owan, Richard Tabraham, John Brown, jun. Benjamin Pearce, Thomas Heywood, John Beechem, Thomas L. Hodgson, Ralph Gibson, John Adams, Robert Sherwell, William Ratcliffe, Robert Newstead, Robert Carver, John Callaway, John Horner, Daniel Hillier, William Shrewsbury, Roger Moore, John Hick, George Orth, John de Putron, Thomas Hickson, James Hickson. And, in Ireland-John Jebb, Joseph Edgerton, William Richey, John Hill.

The above have travelled three ycars.
George Bacon, Joseph Jackson, Timothy Ingle, John Smith, 3d, John Smith, 4th, William Pollard, Charles Cook, Arthur Jewett, Thomas Galland, William Annetts, Ninian Barr, John Fishpool, Thomas Catterick, Stephen Swinyard, James Catts, Thomas Payne, Richard Pope, John Colmar, Richard Knight, Samuel Brown, James Booth, George Jackson, John Haigh, Robert Alder, John Smedley, William Birt, Joseph Chapman, William Lallman, as an Assistant Missionary in Ceylon. And, in Ireland-John Armstrong.

The above have travelled two years.

[^8]Samuel Trueman, Thomas Shepherd, Peter M•Owan, Daniel M‘Allum, M. D. William Blundell, Edward Sumner, Thomas Prestage, John Geden, Walter Croggan, John Barritt, jun. Quintin Reynolds, Joshua Coutanche, Edward Edwards, Walter Lawrey, David Jones, 3d, John Maddocks, Matthew M. Thackray, James Underhill, John Hudson, Adam Clarke Avard, George Miller, William Binning, Robert Lusher, William Goy, John Turtle.

The above have travelled one year.
Q. 3. Who are now received on trial?
A. Joseph Cheesewright. and Richard Mole, who were on the List of Reserve last year. And, in Ireland-Richard Taylor Tracey, Alexander Mackey, and John Frazier Matthews; also, Patrick French, for the Foreign Missions.-Jacob Links is received on Trial as an Assistant Missionary among the Bushmen in South Africa.
N. B. The Missionary Committee in London have authority to supply the vacancies of the Foreign Stations, by Preachers selected from those who are on the List of Reserve, or otherwise, according to our Rules on that subject.
Q. 4. What Preachers have died since the last Conference?
A. Twenty-six, viz.

1. In Great Britain the seventeen following have died, viz.
(1.) George Sykes, jun. In the year 1807, he entered upon the work of an Itinerant Preacher, and laboured with acceptance and profit to the people for nearly ten years. His last appointment was to Paisley, in Scotland, where he continued to exercise his ministry till March, 181ヶ, when he was obliged to desist on account of ill health. In his affliction he was resigned to the Divine will, and expressed confidence in the Lord as the God of his salvation. Just before his departure, he desired his wife to read to him the fifth chapter of the second Epistle to the Corinthians; "Which," said he, " describes my present experience. I have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. I am happy, and have been particularly so for the two or three last days." Having committed his wife and child to the care of Divine Providence, he died in great peace and holy triumph, on the 18th day of October, 1817, in the 35th year of his age, and the eleventh of his Itinerancy. He was a man of deep piety, of sound judgment, of great diligence, and of promising talents.
(2.) John Jickson, jun. A young man of great promise in the church of Christ. He had laboured only about eight months in the Aberdeen circuit, and about three months in the Banff circuit, when the great Lerd of the harvest, in his mysterious
providence, was pleased to call his labourer home. In the abovementioned circuits he evinced genuine piety and fervent zeal, with an earnest desire to obtain an increase of useful knowledge, and to become a workman that needed not to be ashamed. Upon entering on his labours in his last circuit, he manifested an ardent concern for the revival of the work of God, and was likely to have been extensively useful. The oldest members of the Society were pleased with his knowledge, and with the depth of his experience. He died in the full triumph of faith, Nov. 9th, 1817.
(3.) Jonathan Parkin. He was brought to the knowledge of God in Sheffield, when young in years, and from the time of his conversion walked closely and humbly with God. A full and permanent conviction of his being called to preach the gospel, led him to take up his cross, first as a local preacher, and after as an itinerant minister in our connexion. In coming out to travel he made a sacrifice of very lucrative prospects, which he had from a rich relation; but he counted all these as dross, that he might win souls to Christ, and enjoy the Divine approbation. During the thirty-five years of his itinerancy, his character as a Christian and a Preacher was eminently irreproachable; and his ministry was acceptable and useful, especially in building up believers in their most holy faith. Although in his natural state levity was his besetting sin, Divine grace had given him such a complete victory, that his habitual seriousness became remarkable. He poured out his blood and soul together, (by the rupture of a blood vessel) on the 29th of November, 1817. He exclaimed, when dying, "I leave the world possessed of those consolations which I have preached to others."
(4.) Thomas Wilton. He was a man of primitive simplicity of spirit, and of unaffected piety. He was plain in his manners, friendly in his disposition, and laborious and diligent in his Christian calling. In his youth he was brought to a saving knowledge of Divine things, and was called to the Christian ministry when somewhat advanced in life. He travelled more than 19 years with an unblemished character, was useful in the church, and affectionately esteemed by his colleagues. After a severe affliction of nine weeks, he died, full of faith and of the Holy Ghost, on the 19th of December, 1817, in the 50th year of his age.
(5.) Joseph Dakin. He was a native of Castleton, in Derbyshire. In the early part of his life he was converted to God through the instrumentality of the Methodists; and after having laboured for a season in a local capacity, entered upon the work of a travelling preacher. His zeal for the salvation of immortal souls, prompted him to exertions beyond his strength; in consequence of which his health began to decline in the fifth year of
his itimerancy. In his debilitated state he broke a blood-vessel, which obliged him for ever to desist from his labours. In his last illness he said to a friend, " 1 am happy in the Lord, and ready for my departure. I am as sure of my heavenly inheritance, as if 1 wcre already in possession of it." He died at Thirsk, January the 8th, 1818, aged 31 years.
(6.) Robert Roberts. He was born at Bonum, near Corwen, in North Wales; and was one of the first fruits of our mission in the Principality. He was truly a man of God, and his life was a comment on the doctrines which he believed and taught. His communion with God was deep, and his gift in prayer singularly great. He entered upon the work of the ministry with much diffidence, and was admitted on trial as an ltinerant Preacher, at the Conference in 1803. He continued to travel among us till about twelve months before his death; when, in consequence of weakness he was obliged to desist from his work, to which, (to use his own language) he " died a martyr." The day before his death he said, "I have from my youth feared and loved God, and 1 have no doubt of my acceptance with him through Jesus Christ." The next morning he requested his wifc to lift him up, and then said, "My dear, 1 am going to leave you, but the Lord will be with you. Jesus Christ hath washed away all my sins with his most precious blood." While in the act of uttering these words, his spirit took its flight to the paradise of God. He died on Friday, January 16th, 1818, in the 34th year of his age, and the l5th of his itinerancy.
(7.) William Ashman. He was a native of Holcombe, in the county of Somerset. From his Journal, it appears that at a very early pcriod of life he possessed the fear of God, and fclt the drawings of the Spirit. His conversion took place when he was about seventeen ycars old. He entered on his itinerant labours in the year 1765 . At that very early period of Methodism, he, as well as his brethren in the ministry, endured great hardships, and passed through many difficulties. Hc desisted from travelling as a regular preacher twenty years previous to his dissolution. He lived at his native place, where he continued to exercise his ministry, and to act as a classleader, till within a short time of his death, which happened on the 9th of February, 1818. At the close of life, he declared himself to be very happy in God, and perfectly resigned to his will.
(8.) John Wittam. He was born at Sutton, in the parish of Kildwick, Yorkshire. At an early period of life he was brought to a knowledge of the truth, by the instrumentality of the Rev. Mr. Grimshaw, of Haworth. He commenced his
itinerant labours in the year 1767; and travelled forty-four years in various parts of England and Ireland. His piety was genuine, and his life exemplary. Being interrogated respeeting the state of his mind, a little before his death, he replied, " 1 want to be filled with God ;" and afterwards deelared that this desire was realised. In the extremity of his affliction he said, " Come, Lord Jesus, and take me to thyself;" and calmly resigned his spirit to God, in the 81st year of his age. 'He died near the place of his nativity, February 16 th; 1818.
(9.) Edward Hare. He was well known in our eonnexion, as a man of no ordinary talents and eharacter. Possessed of a strong and penetrating mind, enjoying the advantages of a respectable education, and habituated in early life to reading and reflection, he acquired such mental and moral qualifieations as commanded general esteem. A sound conversion to God, by the instrumentality of the Methodists, gave a full determination to his character and pursuits. He now burned with zeal to preach the glorious gospel of the blessed God; and under the instruction and encouragement of his friend, Mr. Benson, entered upon the Christian ministry. His intense and ineessant applieation to study, and his extraordinary exertions in the pulpit, were for some years seen to prey upon his health; but nothing could abate the ardour of his mind, or induce him in the least degree to relax in his diligence. A pulmonary consumption at length ensued, which baffled all the efforts of the faculty, and terminated his valuable life in the 43 d year of his age, and the 20 th of his ministry. He died at Exeter, whither he had gone for the benefit of the air, gloriously exulting in the prospect of a blessed immortality.

With the doetrines and diseipline of Methodism, he was deeply and extensively aequainted ; and his numerous writings in their defence, are distinguished by honest zeal and great foree of argument. A little before his death, when interrogated concerning his views of those doctrines which he had preached and defended; he replied, "They are interworen with my existence. I might as well attenipt to think myself a mere imagination, as strive to disbelieve any one of them. The great doctrines of Methodism 1 love. It is by insisting upon them that good is donc. In faet, little good is done in the world without a proportionate share of the vital artieles of Methodism."

He was a man of great uprightness and integrity; and as a counsellor and fellow-helper with his brethren, his wisdom and firmness were universally aeknowledged. At the same time nothing could exceed his attention to the best interests of bis family. During his last illness, he exelaimed, in the hearing
of his afflicted wife, "God bless the dcar children, they will never know how much their father cared for them." At another time, when he perceived her knceling by his bed-side, he said, in the most affecting manner, "God will be your's;" adding, with a faultering voice, " A Father-a Father to the children !" His friends, to whom he was equally affectionate and faithful, and the Methodist body, with whom he laboured with high reputation and great success, will long remember the happiness which they enjoyed in the privatc and public communications of this great and good man.
(10.) Samuel Kittle. He was a man of inflexible integrity and genuine piety. When was about seventcen years of age, he was awakened to a discovery of his sin and danger, under a sermon preached by the Rev. Joseph Benson, then in the Birmingham circuit. Having fled for rcfuge to lay hold of the hope set before him, and having obtained a sense of his acceptance with God, through faith in Jcsus Christ, he solemnly dedicated himself to the service of the church. In the year 1800, hc was called out as a travclling Preacher, and for 18 years laboured in the Lord's vineyard with zeal, acceptance, and success. During his protracted illness, and in the immediate prospect of dcath, he possessed his soul in patience, and was resigned to the will of God. He had hope in death, and his end was pcace. He entcred into the joy of his Lord on Monday, March the 30th, 1818, aged 43 years.
(11.) Stephen Butler. Even in his unregenerate state, he paid a strict attention to veracity, and was preserved from open vice. In the 18th year of his age, he began to think seriously about the salvation of his soul; and under a strong conviction of his lost estate, sought and found redemption through the blood of Jesus Christ. He entercd upon the work of the ministry with fear and trembling, and maintained anunblemished character to the end of his earthly course. He was naturally reserved, though always ready to give a rcason of the hope which was in him. For some months previous to the last Conference, he had strong symptoms of a consumption; and being exposed to night air, and to cold lodgings, the disease assumed a more scrious form, and soon terminated his useful labours. He died on the 30th of March, 1818, in the 36th year of his age, and the 16 th of his itinerancy.
(12.) Thomas Vasey, jun. He was a native of Tollerton, near Easingwold, in Yorkshirc ; and was converted to God in the 16 th year of his age. He commenced his itincrant labours in the year 1800, and faithfully discharged the momentous duties of his office till within a few days of his death. He possessed a sound and discriminating judgment, and was strongly
attached to the doctrines and discipline of Methodism. It was his general cndeavour to live so as to please God, and be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless. His sermons were characterized by simplicity, energy, and pointed application to the consciences of his hearers; and his talents were such as rendered him very acceptable and useful in the circuits wherc he laboured : many were awakened and converted through his instrumentality. During his illness, he mentioned with lively emotions the doctrines of Justification by Faith, the Direct Witness of the Spirit, and Prcsent Salvation; which, said he, are the glory of Methodism. Some of his last words were, "Come, Lord Jesus, come quickly!" He died May 5th, 1818, in the 39th year of his age.
(13.) George Story. He was an old disciple, and faithful labourer in the Lord's vineyard. His piety was genuine, and uniformly evidenced by a life and conversation unblameable and holy. His views of Christianity, in all its branches, were clear and correct, and his attachment to every part of Methodism steady and unintcrruptcd. He believed and loved our doctrines, which he considered as being those of the Scriptures, and perfectly approved of our discipline, and took all opportunities of enforcing it. He was received as an itinerant Preacher in the year 1762, continued to travel in various parts of England, Scotland, and Ireland, for twenty-nine years; and had many proofs that his labours were attended with success. In the year 1792, he was appointed Editor of our Magazine, and other publications; and a few years after, Superintendant of our Printing Office, the duties of which departments he discharged to the satisfaction of the Conference, and to his own credit, until his various infirmities rendered it necessary that he should be released from them. The weakness attendant on age came very gradually upon him, until within a few months of his death, when his strength of body, and the faculties of his mind dccayed apace. His end was peaceful and serene, as his life had been meek, gentle, and temperate. A short time before his dcath, to a friend, who asked him concerning his prospects into eternity, he said, "I feel Christ to be more precious to my soul than ever."
(14.) James Needham. He was a man of eminent piety, and of unblemished conduct. He travelled with great acceptance for nineteen years, and was very useful in every circuit where he was stationed. His amiable temper, his faithful ministry, and his unwearied diligence in the discharge of every duty, endeared him to the whole of his acquaintance. After an illness of three days, during which he was kept in perfect peace, he finished his earthly course, and entered into his Master's
joy. His death my be justly considered as a serious loss to the Methodist connexion ; but the residue of the Spirit is with the Lord, who will not fail to provide his people with a supply of faithful ministers. He died on June 27, 1818, in the 46th year of his age.
(15.) John Townsend. He was brought to a knowledge of God in early life; and soon after his conversion began to preach the unscarchable riches of Christ. His piety was deep and unquestionable; his general behaviour was blameless and irreproachable, and his talents such as rendered him acceptable and useful wherever he laboured. He had a deep sense of the importance of a faithful discharge of the Gospel Ministry, and enterod into the most solemn engagements with God, that he might approve himself to Him, and be found of Him at last without spot and blamcless. He once observed to a respectable collcague, that his aim was, "Not to be a great preacher, but a good man ;" which, in the opinion of his friend, was the way to true greatness. The subsequent conduct of Brother Townsend shewed the sincerity of his observation, and the excellency of the sentiment. His heart was in his work to the last; and when he saw that his hopes of returning to his former labours were never to be realized, he said, with deep feeling, "The will of the Lord be done." His death was sudden. He rose from his bed early in the morning, and laying himself down again, in a few minutes breathed his last, in the 57 th year of his age.
(16.) Joseph Kitchen. He was a man of unaffected piety and strict integrity. He began his itinerancy in the year 1799, and laboured with approbation and success in the circuits to which he was appointed. During the last year of his life he was greatly debilitated, but did not remit his public labours till within a few wecks of his decease. For three days before his death he endured a great fight of affliction ; he was, however, perfectly recollected, resigned to the will of God, and possessed of an unshaken confidence in the God of his salvation. He bore a noble testimony to the efficacy of divine grace, to all who visited him. Some of his last sentences were, " I feel the power of religion : my confidence in God is firm: Jcsus Christ is precious: I have no dependance on any thing I ever did, or now suffer: all my hope is in the blood of Christ." He exchanged the earthly house of his tabcrnacle for a house not made with hands eternal in the hcavens, on Monday the 27 th of July, 1818, in the 48th year of his age, and the 19th of his itinerancy.
(17.) John Wilshaw. He was a native of the Leek circuit, and for many years laboured as an itinerant Preacher.

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In the year 1809, he retired as a Supernumerary. His manners were eccentric : but his talents as a Preacher were generally acceptable; and in the course of his ministry he was instrumental in the conversion of sinners. He bore his last afflictions with patience and resignation; and in his dying moments was recollected and happy. "Glory be to God," were the last words hc was heard to utter. He departed this life July 27 th, 1818.
2. In Ireland, thrce have died: viz.
(1.) Willism M‘Kee, who, when very young, was converted to God. He posscssed a sound understanding, deep piety, and much holy ardent zeal. In July, 1815, he commenced his itinerant labours as a Missionary in Ireland. Those who knew him, during the two years of his itineraney, bear ample testimony of his piety, zeal, industry, courage, indefatigable labours, and suceess in his Master's work. He offcred himself to go on a foreign mission, and was accepted by the Conference in 1817; but before the aceount of his appointment had arrived, he was seized with the typhus fever, which then prevailed in 1reland, and after ten day's illness he was called into the eternal world, on the 30th of July, 1817. He died in the full triumph of faith.
(2.) Thomas Johnson, in whose character were united, diligence and zcal in his ministerial duties; fidelity and affection in his domestic relations; benevolence and sympathy for the afflieted and wretched; and a pure and ardent dcyotedness to God, seldom equalled in society.

He entered on the ministry in the year 1797 , and died in August 1817, in the full assurance of hope.
(3.) James Revnick, aged 70 years. This venerable man, early in life, heard and bclieved the gospel; and having obtained mercy through the blood of Christ, le soon began to preaeh the truths which he felt. In the year 1782, he became an itinerant Preacher, and continued to travel, faithfully and acceptably, until the year 1803; when sinking under a weight of various aftlictions, le endured with patience the will of God.
He was a man of geod understanding, and great prudence; steady in his fricudslips, and of inviolable confidenee. His labours were unecasing, and his knowledge of our doctrines, and attention to our discipline, rendered his ministry uscful.

He walked humbly with God, in all hix commandinents and ordinances blameless, and finished his course, praising and blessing God, who had given him to enjov that full salvation which he had long preached to others.
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3. The following Preaehers have died, who were on the list of our Foreign Missionaries : viz.
(1.) William Beacock ; who went as a Missionary to the West Indies, in the year 1815. In reference to this excellent young man, one of the missionaries says, "I first beeame aequainted with our dear brother, in the island of St. Vineent's; and, after he left that place, earried on a correspondence with him till near the time of his death. From first to last, 1 found him to be a man of eminent piety. His charity, diligenee, zeal, humility, resignation, and love, I seareely ever saw equalled. He took cold by sailing in an open boat for Prince Rupert's Bay ; and though no danger was at first apprehended, a fever ensued, which beeame more and more violent, till it terminated in his death, on the 29th of August, 1817. During his affliction, he expressed a strong confidence in God, and his mind was kept in perfeet peace."
(2.) Joseph Ward ;-who was sent as a Missionary to the Bahamas, in the year 1814; and after labouring zealously and faithfully for nearly three years, was called to his eternal home on Sunday, September 21 st, 1817 . The following aecount of his afflietion and death was given by Mr. Rutledge, who was with him during the mournful seene: "On Monday the 15th of September, though very unwell, he preached in the evening at Nassau, and resumed his labours on the following evening, but I had to finish the service for him. On the Wednesday morning, I found him in a high and apparently bad fever. Two medical gentlemen attended him, but all their efforts to abate the severity of his disorder, were ineffectual. For threc days we thought him to be recovering; but on the Sunday morning he began to ehange for death. That day he spent in prayer, and in exhorting the people who visited him ; oeeasionally singing praises to God, and expressing the utmost cheerfulness and exultation in the prospeet of eterual glory. His funeral was probably the largest ever seen in Nassau. The white inhabitants attended with every token of respeet; and the behaviour of our blaek people deeply affected the spectators in general."
(3.) John D. Allen ; who entered upon the work of the ministry in the year 1813; and was appointed as a Missionary to the island of Nevis, in the West Indies. He laboured with mueh zeal and faithfumess for some time before his health began to decline; and did not return to his native land, till his brethren in the Distriet were fully persuaded that this measure was necessary in order to the preservation of his life. In the month of June, 1817, he arrived in a very debilitated state, and gradually sunk under the presure of affliction. till
his spirit returned to God who gave it. He died in November, 1817. He was a young man of an amiable disposition, and of genuine piety ; and though early called into the eternal world, we have reason to believe that he was fully prepared for the Paradise of God.
(4.) Michael Head. This exeellent man went as a Missionary to the Bahamas in the year 1815 ; and after labouring with mueh zeal and suceess for nearly three years, was called to the rest of eternal glory. The last sermon he preached was from the words of Job; "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Soon after this he was attaeked by a violent fever, which terminated in his death, Nov. 18th, 1817. During his affliction, his mind was sometimes in heaviness through manifold temptations ; but through the blood of the everlasting covenant, he beeame more than conqueror, and his soul was filled with peace and joy in believing. His last words were, "Come, O eome, and take me."
(5.) John Smith, 2d. He entered upon the work of a travelling Preaeher in the year 1808; and, after labouring some years in our regular eireuits, offered himself as a Missionary to the West Indies. But soon after his appointment to the Island of St. Eustatius, it pleased God to eall him to his eternal rest. He was a man of deep piety, was much in prayer, and lived in the spirit of his Divine Master. Though his talents were not brilliant, they rendered him generally acceptable, and the Lord gave him many seals to his ministry. He died May l4th, 1818.
(6.) Willlam Turton. He was a man of eolour, and a native of Barbadoes, in the West Indies, where le was awakened and eonverted to God. Some time after he entered upon the ministry, and in the year 1798, was appointed to the Missionary work. He discharged the duties of his offiee with fidelity and zeal for nearly twenty years; and, through the divine blessing, was extensively useful in the Baliama Islands. About two years ago, his strength began to decline; but as he was unwilling to retire from the work, continued to labour to the utmost of his ability, till he was under the neeessity of giving up that employment which had long been the delight of his soul. After lingering some time, he was ealled to his heavenly home, in the 57 th year of his age. The last words which were heard from his dying lips were, "Glory be to God !"
N. B. Of Robert Carr Brackenbury, William Bramwell, and Samuel Bardsley, whose deaths have occurred since the time at which the preeeding aecounts were given in 2 C. 2
to the Conference, the usual notice will be taken in the Minutes of next year.
Q. 5. Are there any objections to any of our Preachers?
A. They were examined one by one.
Q. 6. What Preachers have desisted from travelling?
A. 1. Morris Jones, and Joseph Mattison.
2. William Harding has voluntarily retired from our itinerant work.
3. William Westerman, employed on a Foreign Mission, has retired from want of health.
4. George Sykes, sel. having changed his opinions, on some points of doctrine held and taught by us, has relinquished his connexion with our Body.
5. In Ireland, Adam Averell and Joseph Armstrong have withdrawn themselves from our Connexion.
Q. 7. How are our Preachers stationed this year?
A. As follows: viz.

GREAT BRITAIN.

1. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

1 London East, Charles Atmore, John Reynolds, sen. Joseph Sutcliffe, Samuel Taylor, Jabez Bunting; David Williams, Welsh Preacher: Thomas Vasey; Joseph Benson, Editor; Thomas Blanshard, Book-Steward; Joseph Taylor, jun. Resident Secretary for our Missions; William West, James Creighton, Supernumeraries.
2 London West, George Morley, John Riles, George Marsden, Richard Watson; William Jenkins, Supernumerary.
N. B. Brother Riles, though the senior Preacher, gives up the superintendency.
3 Waltham-Abbey and St. Alban's, William Levell, James Jarratt.
4 Deptford, Thomas Kelk, John Knowles, John H. Rowe.
5 Hammersmith, Jacob Stanley, George H. Rowe, John Bicknell.
6 Windsor, John Scott.
7 HighWycomb, William Pearson, jun. Samuel Robinson: William Holmes, Supernumerary.
8 Leigh, Essex, Joseph Prosser; who is to devote one half of his Sunday labours to the supply of the Chelmsford Circuit.
9 Chelmsford, George Deverell.
10 Colchester, John Anderson, John Nowell.
11 Manningtree, Joseph Britain, Arthur Jewett.

12 Ipswich, Benjamin Millman, James Golding,
13 Huntingdon, John A. Lomas, Henry Powis.
14 St. Neots, John Griffin, Richard Eland.
15 Biggleswade, William Dixon, George Taylor.
16 Bedford, Richard Gower, James Rosser.
17 Ampthill, William Theobald, William Langridge.
18 Neroport-Pagnell, James Gartrell, Francis Burgess.
19 Leighton-Buzzard, John Sydserff, Joseph Robinson.
20 Luton, William Towers, Heury Cheverton.
21 Reading, John Waterhouse, Thomas Robinson.
22 Chichester, Benjamin Hiley.
23 Brighthelmstone, Frederick Calder, John Smith, 4th.
Charles Atmore, Chairman of the District.
il. the canterbury district.
24 Canterbury, James Mole, John Hawtrey.
25 Rochester, John Gaulter, Joseph Cusworth; William Palmer, Supernumerary; Joseph Thomas, Supernumerary at Gravesend.
26 Sheerness, William Moulton, John Fordred.
27 Margate, William Gilpin, James Bromley.
28 Dover, William Fish, Joseph Wilson.
29 Deal, John Bustard, who shall change once a month with the Dover Preachers.
30 Rye, John Hodgson, James Spink, James Methley.
31 Sandhurst, Joseph Walker, William Pollard.
32 Maidstone, John Newton, James Baker.
33 Ashford, Jonathan Roberts; who shall change occasionally with the Preachers of the Canterbury and Rye Circuits.
34 Sevenoaks, John Dean, Richard Cooper; John King, Supernumerary. John Gaulter, Chairman of the District.
III. THE NURWICH DISTRICT.

35 Norwich, Barnard Slater, Thomas Newton.
36 Bungay, Thomas Morgan.
37 North Walsham, Samuel Ward, George Bacon.
38 Yarmouth, Philip Jameson, Thomas Pollard.
39 Lowestoff, Thomas Rought, James Lancaster.
40 Framlinghum, Thomas Thompson, William Annetts.
41 Diss, Benjamin Leggatt, William Sharp.
42 Attleborough, Ebenezer Stewart, John Stevens.
43 Bury St. Edmunds, William Bacon, John Brown, jun.
44 Holl, Marmaduke Revell, Robert Bryant. Benjamin Leggatt, Chairman of the District.
IV. THE LYNN DISTRICT.

45 Lynn, Cuthbert Whiteside, William Waterhouse. 46 Walsingham, Arthur Hutchinson, Archibald M‘Laughlin.
47 Wisbeach, James Waller, Joseph Cheesewright.
48 Thetford, Thomas Tattershall, James Jones, jun.
49 Swaffham, Thomas Padman, Thomas Heywood.
50 Ely, John Gill, Richard Ellidge.
51 Cambridge, James Fussell.
Cuthbert Whiteside, Chairmun of the District.
v. THE OXFORD DISTRICT.

52 Oxford, Henry S. Hopwood, Edward B. Lloyd.
53 Whitchurch, near Aylesbury, Matthew Mallinson, John Jack-
son.
54. Witney, Joseph Gostick, Isaac Phenix.

55 Banbury, John Cullen, Joseph Dunning.
56 Chipping-Norton, John Mason, sen. Thomas Slinger.
57 Brackley, William Breedon, Solomon Whitworth.
58 Torecester, John Ward, John Crowe.
59 Daventry, James Etchells, James Sheriffe.
60 Northampton, William Fowler, Thomas Ludlam.
61 Wellingborough, Robert Mack.
62 Higham Ferrers, George Wilson, William Hicks.
N. B. Brother Hicks shall change with the Wellingborough Preacher, on the Lord's Day, once a montl.
63 Kettering, William Hinson, Samuel Trueman.
64 Market-Harborough, James Burley, Joseph Pratton.
William Foweler, Chairman of the District.
VI. THE PORTSMOUTH DIS'RRICI'.

65 Portsmouth, Anthony Seckerson, Thomas Martin.
66 Gosport, Alexander Weir.
N. B. The Portsmouth and Gosport Preachers
change regularly on the Lord's Days.
67 Salisbury, John Smith, sen. Robert Garner.
68 Shaftsbury, John Wright, Joshua Bryan.
Sherborne, George Banwell.
69 Poole, George Button, John Coates.
70 Isle of Wight, Edward Batty, William Constable.
71 Southampton, James Bumstead, Francis B. Potts.
72 Andover, William Griffin.
73 Nerobury, Edward Millward, John Geden.
74 Hungerford, David Deakins, James Ash.

Swindon, Thomas Dod.
N. B. Brother Dod and Brother Ash shall change under the direction of the Superintendant.
Anthony Seckerson, Chairman of the District.
vii. the guernsey district.

75 Guernsey and Sark, William Burgess, Joshua Coutanche; Joln De Queteville, Supernumerary.
76 Alderney, Daniel Jackson, jun.
N. B. The French congregation in Alderney shall be supplied from Guernsey and Jersey. 77 Jersey, William Toase, Nicholas Mauger, Thomas Rowland; Henry Mahy, Robert James, Supernumeraries.
N. B. Brother Toase is appointed to act as General Superintendant of the Societies, French as well as English. The Preachers are to change between Guernsey and Jersey under the direction of the Superintendant. William Toasc, Chairman of the District.
vili. the plymouth-dock district.
78 Plymouth-Dock, Jonathan Barker, James Heaton.
79 Plymouth, Josiah Hill, John Willis.
80 Launceston, James Jones, sen., Robert Sherwell.
81 Holdsworthy, William Jewett.
82 Liskeard, John Sumner, Isaac Aldom, Edward Sumner. 83 Tavistock, Richard Shepherd, Richard Mole.
N. B. The single Preachers of the Launceston and Tavistock Circuits shall change occasionally.
84 Camelford, Joseph Burgess, Benjamin Carvosso.
85 Kingsbridge, Richard Moody, Thomas Webb. Jonathan Barker, Chairman of the District.
ix. the cornwall district.

S6 Redruth, Mark Daniel, John Hodson, Nicholas Sibley.
87 Falmouth, Richard Treffry, Thomas Staton; William Jenkin, Supernumerary.
88 Truro, Francis Truscott, William Beale, Ralph Scurrah; James Evans, Supernumerary.
89 St. Austle, Thomas Bersey, Paul Orchard, Walter Croggan. 90 Bodmin, John Woodrow, Charles Hawthorne, John Weville.
91 Penzancc, Richard Robarts, James Akerman, John Slater, Benjamin Frankland.

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92 Scilly Islands, Oliver Henwood.
93 Lelstone, Charles Haime, William Sleigh.
94 Hayle Copper-House, William Hayman, William Flint.
Richard Treffry, Chairman of the District.
x. the exeter district.

95 Exeter, Joseph Marsh, Thomas Prestage.
Sulterton, James Odgers.
96 Tiverton, Joseph Sanders; Thomas C. Rushforth, Supernumerary.
97 Taunton, Francis Collier, Henry V. Olver.
98 South Petherton, John Simmons, William Harrison, jun.
N. B. Brother Harrison, though he was the Superintendant last year, requested that Brother Simmons might have that office this year.
99 Axminster, John Worden, John Robinson, Thomas Shepherd.
100 Barnstaple, William Baker, John Pigott.
101 Dunster, William Radford, John Radford.
102 Ashburton, John Bryant, William Hill, jun.
103 Sticklepath, Joshua Wade, who shall change with Brother Hill, jun. for one month in every quarter.
104. Brixham, Matthew Day, John Smith, 8d. Francis Collier, Chairman of the District.
xi. the bristol district.

105 Bristol, Walter Griffith, Thomas Wood, Robert Smith, Richard Waddy, William Henshaw; Jeremiah Brettell, George Mowatt, Supernumeraries.
106 Kingstwood, George Dermott; Robert Johnson, Governor of Kingswood School.
107 Banzeell, Francis Wrigley, Joseph Bowes.
108 Bath, James Buekley, Theophilus Lessey, jun.; John Watson, Thomas Roberts, Supernumerarie:.
109 Frome, Thomas Rogers, Jonathan Williams; Simon Day, Supernumerary.
Batcombe, Joshua Fielden.
110 Warninster, James Sydserff.
N. B. Brother Sydserff shall change with the Preachers at Frome once in the month on the Lord's Days.
111 Stroud, William Shelmerdine, Richard Wintle, Philip Rawlins.
112 Dursley, Caleb Simmons, Elijah Morgan, Daniel Osborrc ; Thomas Talboys, Supernumerary.

113 Dorenend, William Horner, Jonas Jaggar.
114 Gloucester, James M. Byron, Benjamin Andrews.
115 Cheltenham, George Gellard, William H. L. Eden.
116 Weymouth, William Worth, Thomas Eastwood.
117 Bradford, Wilts, Daniel Campbell, Samuel Lear.
118 Melksham, John Ogilvie, Joseph Lysk.
119 Shepton-Mallet, Charles Greenley, William Kaye.
120 Midsummer-Norton, Thomas Ashton, Seth Morris.
121 Somerton, Edward Chapman, Elias Thomas; John Appleyard, Supernumerary.
Walter Griffith, Chairman of the District.
xil. the first welsh district: (English Preaching.)
122 Swansea, George Russell, Charles Colvell.
123 Merthyr-Tydville, William Trampleasure.
124 Brecon, William Timperley, John Rogers.
125 Monmouth and Abergavenny, Joseph Hunt, John Overton.
126 Cardiff, George Birley.
127 Newport, William Brocklehurst, David Cornforth.
128 Carmarthen, Joseph Collier; Joseph Cole, Thomas Warren, Supernumerarics.
129 Haverfordwest, William Pearson, sen. Thomas Twiddy.
N. B. The Preachers of the two preceding Circuits shall change occasionally.
130 Pembroke, John Wood, William Ball. Joseph Collier, Chairman of the District.
xim. the second welsh district: (Welsh Preaching.)
131 Merthyr-Tydville, Griffith Hughes, Morgan Griffith, Robert Owen.
132 Cardiff, Hugh Hughes, David Jones, 1st.
133 Carmarthen and Llandilo, John Davies, John Williams, 1st. Lot Hughes.
134 Cardigan, John Williams, 2d. Robert Jones, 1st.
135 Aberystrith, Humphrey Jones, John Jones, 2d.
136 Ruthin and Llangollen, Thomas Thomas, Lewis Jones, Robert Jones, 2d.
N. B. Brother Robert Jones, 2d. shall divide his labours between the Ruthin and Denbigh Circuits.
137 Denbigh and Llanrzest, Edward Anwyl, David Evans.
138 Holywell, Samuel Davies, Owen Jones.
139 Llanfyllyn, William Evans, Owen Thomas.
140 Machynlleth and Dolgelly, David Rogers, Evan Hughes, Evan Edwards.
141 Carnarvon and Prollheli, Robert Humphreys, WilliamHughes, Richard Bonner.
N. B. Brother Bonner shall divide his laboursbetween the Caernarvon and HolyheadCircuits.
142 Holyhead and Beaumaris, William Batten, David Jones, 2d. David Rogers, Chairman of the District.
XIV. THE BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT.
143 Birmingham, Jonathan Edmondson, Robert Wheeler, Edward Oakes.
144 West Bromwich, Samuel Crompton, who shall change withthe Preachers of the Birmingham Circuit.
145 Wednesbury, James Bridgnell, John W. Cloake.
146 Wolverhampton, John Denton, James Allen.
147 Dudley, John Walmsley, 'Thomas Dowty, JosiahGoodwin.
148 Stourport, Richard Smetham, James Brooke.
149 Worcester, James Gill, who shall change occasionally with the Stourport Preachers on the Lord'sDays, at the expense of the Worcester Circuit.
150 Ledbury, Evan Parry, Richard Allen.
151 Hereford, John Hughes Adams.N. B. Brother Adams shall be under thesuperintendency of Brother Parry, andshall change regularly with the LedburyPreachers on the Lord's Days.
152 Evesham, Hugh Ransom, Thomas Edwards.
153 Redditch, Moses Dunn.
154 Bromsgrove, James Alexander.
155 Coventry and Coleshill, Edward Banks, William Rennison.156 Hinckley, Isaac Muff, John Wheelhouse, Robert Hayes.The President, Jonathan Edmondson, Chairman of the District.
xv. the shrewsbury district.
157 Shrerusbury, Marshall Claxton.
158 Wellington, Abraham Watmough.
159 Broseley, John Squarebridge, William Edwards.
160 Ludlow, John Jones, sen.; Humphrey Parsons, Super-numerary.
161 Kington, William Woodall, James Dixon.
162 Nerotown, Hugh Carter, Edward Jones, 4th, WilliamDavies, 2d; James Scholefield, Supernumerary.
163 Wrexham, Hugh Beech.
164 Whitchurch, Salop, Edward Jones, 1st.
165 Osteestry, William Sleep.
N. B. The Preachers of the Oswestry and Wrexham Circuits shall change regularly. Marshall Claxton, Chairman of the District.
xvi. the macclesfield district.

166 Macclesfield, John Stamp, John Chettle.
167 Buxton, William Lord, John Greeves.
168 Congleton, Thomas Hutton, Charles Hulme; George Lowe, Supernumerary.
169 Namptwich, John Draper, John Hague.
170 Northwich, Jonathan Crowther, Thomas Armet.
171 Burslem, William Radcliffe, Samuel Jackson.
172 Newcastle-under-Lyme, John Doncaster, John Hughes, William Jones.
$\begin{array}{ll}173 \text { Stafford, } & \text { Michael Cousin, Quintin Reynolds. } \\ 174 \text { Leek, } & \text { Thomas Graham, William Taylor. } \\ & \text { John Stamp, Chairman of the District. }\end{array}$
XVII. THE LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

175 Liverpool, Robert Newton, Adam Clarke, Philip Garrett, William France, John Bowers; Edward Jones, 3d, Welsh Preacher; Owen Davies, Michael Emmett, Edward Jones 2d, Supernumeraries.
176 Chester, Samuel Warren, John Taylor.
177 Warrington, Robert Miller, John Rigg; Timothy Crowther, Supernumerary.
178 Wigan, Samuel Sugden.
179 Leigh, Robert Ramm.
180 Ormskirk, John Heap.
181 Preston, James Bogie, Benjamin Barritt.
182 Garstang, William Arnett, Joseph Jackson.
183 Lancaster, Myles C. Dixon, Thomas L. Hodgson.
Adam Clarke, LL. D. Chairman of the District.
xvili. the manchester district.
184 Manchester, John Stephens, Samuel Bardsley,* John S. Pipe, William M‘Kitrick, Thomas Jackson; Owen Rees, Welsh Preacher; William Warrener, Supernumerary.
N. B. Brother Pipe, though the senior Preacher, declines the Superintendency.

[^9]185 Salford, Manchester, William Bramwell,* James Townley,Henry Taft.
186 Stockport, George Highficld, Isaac Keeling; Daniel Jackson, Supernumerary.
187 Now Mills, near Stochport, Mark Dawes, James Fowler.188 Ashton-under-Lyne, and our Chapel at Moseley, JohnArmitage, William Ash.
189 Oldham, James M•Donald, John Morris.
190 Rochdale, Theophilus Lessey, sen. John Bryan.
191 Bacup, Joseph Meek.
192 Haslingden, James B. Holroyd, John Wilson; WilliamHainsworth, Supernumerary.
N.B. Brother Wilson shall divide his labours equally between the Haslingden and Bacup Circuits.
193 Blackburn, Aaron Floyd, Thomas Walker.
194 Bury, John Simpson, sen. Robert Martin; JonathanBrown, jun. Supernumerary.
195 Bolton, Thomas Hill, Jonathan Turner. $\dagger$ William Bramwell, Chairman of the District.
NIX. THE HALIFAX DISTRICT.
196 Halifax, Robert Hopkins, Joseph Fowler; Zechariah Yewdall, Supernumerary.
197 Sowerby-Bridge, William Bird, George Mainwaring.
198 Todmorden, Thomas Bartholomew, Joseph Worrell, Wm. Vevers.
199 Eurnley, William Welborne, Joseph Roberts; CharlesTunnycliffe, Supernumerary.
200 Colne, Maximilian Wilson, Daniel Walton.
201 Skipton, John Fairbourn, Edward Gibbons.
202 Clithero, ..... John White, Richard Heap.

[^10]203 Grassington, William Todd, who shall change occasionallywith the Preachers of the Skipton Circuit.
204 Addingham, Thomas Laycock, Thomas Moxon.
205 Keighley, Willliam Hili, sen. John Thompson.
206 Bingley, James Blackett, Joseph E. Beaumont.
207 Woodhouse-Grove, John Kershaw, James Mortimer ; MilesMartindale, Governor of the School.N. B. All Letters for Woodhouse-Groveshonld be sent by way of Bradford.
208 Bradford, Isaac Turton, Joseph Womersley.
209 Huddersfield, Thomas Cooper, John Hanwell, David Stoner.210 Holmfith, Mark Day, Abraham Crabtree.Robert Hopkins, Chairman of the District.
xX. the leeds district.
211 Leeds, Richard Reece, William E. Miller, JohnSlack, John James.
212 Bramley, Cleland Kirkpatrick, William Coultas.
213 Wakefield, James Wood, James Sykes.
214 Birstal, George Sargent, Thomas Pinder.
215 Deresbury, Joseph Brookhonse, Henry Ranson.
216 Cleckheaton, Thomas Harris, George Barker.*
217 Otley, Thomas Skelton, John Simpson, jun.
218 Pateley-Bridge, William Nother, William Tranter, WilliansHunter, Supernumerary.
219 Pontefract, William Midgley, Joshua Fearnside; Jonathan Brown, sen. Supernumerary.
220 Selby, Philip Hardcastle, Samuel Sewell.
221 Knaresborough, Matthew Lumb, James Hopewell; John Booth, Supernumerary.
Richard Reece, Chairman of the District.
xxi. the sheffield district.
222 Sheffield, Joseph Entwisle, Thomas Stanley, WilliamMartin, Robert Wood.
223 Chesterfield, Richard Pattison, Thomas Slugg.
224 Bakervell, William Homer, Thomas Ballinghall.
225 Bradweell, Thomas Gill, Joseph Brougham; James Ridall,Supernumerary.
226 Rotherham, William Aver, William Atherton; JacobNewton, Supernumerary.
227 Doncaster, William Harrison, sen. James Johnson.
228 Barnsley, Francis Derry, Robert Pickering.
229 Denby, near Wakefield, Robert Crowther, Benjamin Pearce,

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XXIII. THE NOTTINGHAM DISTRICT.

235 Nottingham;, John Brownell, John Davis, Joseph Hollingworth.
236 Ilkestone, Josiah H. Walker, who shall change regularly with the Nottingham Preachers on the Lord's Days.
237 Mansfield, Lewis Andrews, Jervis Shaw.
238 Newark, John Hickling, John Poole.
239 Granthan, Benjamin Wood, Thomas Key.
240 Leicester, John Aikenhead, Samuel Hope.
241 Melton-Mowbray, Thomas Fletcher, Leonard Possnett, John Hobson.
242 Ashby-de-la-Z̃ouch, John Rossell, John Roadhouse, John Raby.
243 Burton and Litchfield, Thomas Ingham, Samuel Kellett.
244 Uttoxeter, Samuel Webb, John Smith, 2d.
245 Loughborough, William Dalby, Benjamin Hudson.
246 Stamford and Peterborough, James Penman, George Poole, William Mowatt.
John Brownell, Chairman of the District.
xxif. the lincoln district.
247 Lincoln, John Jordan, Joln Hannah.
248 Sleaford, Joseph Hutton, James Hyde.
249 Market-Raisen, William Howarth, Thomas Eckersley.
250 Louth, John Furness, Joseph Frank, Thomas Galland; Thomas Fearnley, John Keeling, Supernumeraries.
251 Horncastle, Joseph Griffith, James Bate.
252 Alford, William Barr, Thomas Edman.
253 Spilsby, Isaac Bradnack, Joseph Agar; Robert Carr Brackenbury, Supernumerary.*
254 Boston, Edward Towler, Robert Morton.
255 Spalding, Robert Watkin, Richard Tabraham.
John Furness, Chairman of the District.

[^12]xXIV. The hull district.

256 Hull, William Myles, Samuel Woolmer, James Everett, Abraham E. Farrar.
257 Howden, Lawrence Kershaw, Joseph Whitehead.
258 Driffield, Martin Vaughan, Peter Prescott.
259 Bridlington, Thomas Preston, Joseph Pretty, George Tindale; Joseph Chapman, sen. Supernumerary.
260 Patrington, John Pearson, Joseph Rayner.
261 Grimsby, John Aslin, Benjamin Gregory.
262 Gainsborough, Charles Gloyne, William Stokes.
263 Eproorth, John Beaumont, Christopher Newton.
264 Snaith, Samuel Wild, John Beechem.
265 Brigg, George Douglas, Henry Tuck.
266 Barton, Corbet Cooke, Thomas Hall. William Myles, Chairman of the District.
xXv. THE YORK DISTlict.

267 York, Henry Moore, Daniel Isaac, William Naylor, Partes Haswell.
268 Pocklington, John Nelson, Henry Anderson.
269 Scarborough, Thomas Gee, William Carleton; William Beswick, Supernumerary.
270 Pickering, Robert Melson, Charles Radcliffe.
271 Malton, Stephen Wilson, Thomas Savage.
272 Easingwould, John Sedgwick, Robert Bentham.
273 Thirsk, John C. Leppington, John Nicholson; Samuel Gates, Supernumerary.
274 Ripon, $\quad$ Thomas Simmonite, Luke Heywood.
Henry Moore, Chairman of the District.
xxvi. the whitby district.

275 Whitby, George Smith, William Stones; George Holder, Supernumerary.
276 Gisborough, Francis W est, Robert Emmet.
277 Darlington, Joshua Marsden, Thomas Stead.
278 Stockton, John Bunstead, George Clarke; Thomas Dixon, Supernumerary.
279 Barnard-Castle and Weardale, Thomas Rogerson, John Walton, Nathaniel Elliott.
280 Middleham, Jolın Philips, Anthony Triffit.
281 Tanfeld, Thomas Harrison, Richard Hardaker.
282 Richmond, Isaac Clayton, Thomas Yates, Wm. Shackleton. George Smith, Chairman of the District.
XXVII. THE NEWCASTLE DISTRICT.

283 Nerocastle-upon-Tyne, Edmund Grindrod, John Storry, William Dowson ; John Hudson, Supernumerary.
284 Gateshead, Thomas Garbutt, William Jackson.
285 North Shields, Robert Pilter, Robert Jackson.
286 Sunderland, John Braithwaite, John Farrar, David M‘Nicoll, Joseph Mann.
287 Durham, Robert Nicholson, William Smith.
288 Alstone, William Scholefield, Ambrose Freeman, who shall divide his labours between the Alstone and Hexham Circuits.
289 Hexham, John Ingham.
290 Morpeth, James Smetham.
N. B. Brother Smetham shall change occasionally with the Newcastle Preachers, and shall supply Blythe one Sunday in the month.
291 Alnwick, Zecharias Taft.
292 Berwick, John Barritt, sen.
N. B. The Preachers of the two preceding circuits shall change occasionally.
John Braithroaite, Chairman of the District.
XXVIII. THE CARLISLE DISTRICT.

293 Carlisle, John Lee, Joseph Lewis.
294. Whitchaven, Humphrey Stephenson, Luke Barlow; Robert Dall, Supernumerary.
295 Brough and Penrith, Charles L. Adshead, James Miller, William Blundell.
N. B. Brother Miller is to reside at Penrith.

296 Wigton, Ralph Gibson.
297 Kendal, George Thompson, Hodgson Casson.
z98 Ulverstone, Richard Greenwood, who shall change monthly with Brother Casson.
299 Dumfries, Edward Wilson. George Thompson, Chairman of the District. XXIX. THE ISLE OF MAN DISTRICT.

300 Douglas, Joseph Burgess, jun. Calvarley Riley.
301 Ramsey, John Mercer, John Kemp, Enoch Broster.
N. B. Brother Kemp is to reside at Peel, and shall divide his labours between Peel and Castleton.
Tohn Mercer. Chaiman of the District.
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xxx. the edinburgh district.
302 Edinburgh, John Lancaster, John Dredge, Thomas Moss ;George Willoughby, Supernumerary.
303 Dunbar and Haddington, Duncan M‘Allum, DanielM‘Allum.
304 Glasgow and Paisley, John Burdsall, John Rawson, Alex.Bell, Robert Harrison, jun.
305 Greenock, Thomas Hewitt, Timothy Ingle.
306 Ayr, and Kilmarnock, Thomas Hamer, Alexander Strachan.
307 Perth, Thomas Bridgman.
308 Dunfermline, James Beckwith.N. B. Brother Beckwith shall change occa-sionally with the Edinburgh Preachers.John Burdsall, Chairman of the District.
xxxi. the aberdeen district.
309 Aberdeen, Valentine Ward, John M‘Owan, Peter M‘Owan.
310 Peterhead, Thomas Mollard.N. B. Brother Mollard shall change occasionallywith the single Preachers of the AberdeenCircuit.
311 Dundee and Cupar, William Clegg.N. B. Brother Clegg and Brother Bridgmanshall change occasionally.
312 Montrose, Arbroath, and Brechin, James Anderson, JosephRobbins.
314 Banff, Jonathan Porter, John Barritt, jun.
314 Elgin, James Shoar.
315 Inverness, James Sugden; Robert Harrison, sen. Super- numerary.N. B. Brother Sugden and Brother Shoarshall change occasionally.
Valentine Ward, Chairman of the District.
IRELAND.
t. THE DUBLIN DISTRICT.
1 Dublin, Samuel Wood, Thomas Loughead, John Carey;Thomas W. Doolittle, Editor and Book-Steward; John Kerr, and William Fergu-son, Superannuated.
2 Longford and Oldcastle, Charles M‘Cord, William Foote; Richard Price, Supernumerary; John Price, Superannuated.
3 Drogheda, Matthew Tobias, James M•Kee. VOL. IV. ..... 2 D

ili. the cork district.
9 Cork, John Stuart, Thomas Waugh; Daniel M‘Mullen, Superannuated.
10 Bandon, Andrew Hamilton, jun. William Crook.
11 Skibbere:n, Robert Bruce.
12 Mallow, Daniel Pedlow, who shall change alternately with the Youghall Missionary.
John Stuart, Chairman of the District.
IV. TIIE LIMERICK DISTRICT.

13 Itmerich, Charles Mayne, Samuel Harpur, John Frazier Matthews.
14 Clonmell, Francis Russel, John Jebb.
15 Roscrea, Samuel Steel, Robert Masaroon; Michacl Murphy, Supernumerary.
16 Milltoren, Samuel Downing.
17 Clough-jordan, Richard Phillips.
18 Montrath, John Rogers, John Foster.
Charles Mayne, Chairman of the District.
v. the tullamore district.

19 Tullamore, James Stirling, John Clegg; James M‘Keown, superannuated.
20 Castlebar, Charles M•Cormick, John Clendinnen.
21 Ballina, William M‘Cornock.
22 Sligo, James Rutledge, Robert Cranston.
23 Boyle, Robert Strong, James Stuart.
James Rutledge, Chairman of the District.
vi. the clones district.
24. Clones and Cavan, James Smith, John Nesbitt; JohnWiggins, Supernumerary; George Brown, superannuated.

> 25 Killesandra, John Crozier Irvine; John Stephenson, superannuated.
> 26 Monaghan and Aughnacloy, Blakeley Dowling, Alexander Mackey; Thomas Barbor, William Armstrong, superannuated.
> John Crozier Irvine, Chairman of the District.
VII. THE ENNISKILLEN DIStrict.

27 Enniskillen and Brookborough, Robert Crozier, George Hansbrow, George M‘Elwain.
28 Manorhamilton, Samuel Kyle, James Calcut Pratt; William Hamilton, Supernumerary.
38 Ballyshannon, Michael Burrows.
30 Irvinestown, James Oliffe, Joseph Edgerton. Robert Crozier, Chairman of the District.
vili. THE LONDONDERRY DISTRICT.
31 Londonderry and Strabane, Edward Hazelton, Castor Clements, George Burrows; John M'Arthur, Supernumerary; James Jordan, superannuated.
32 Newtownstewart, William Keys, John Remmington; Matthew Stuart, Robert Carson, James Irwin, Supernumeraries.
Edroard Hazelton, Chairman of the District.
IX. THE BELFAST DISTRICT.

33 Belfast, William Smith,David Waugh; John Bredin, superannuated.
34 Carrickfergus, James Carter, William Pollock.
35 Coleraine, George Stephenson, William Richey.
36 Lisburn and Downpatrick, Alexander Sturgeon, Zachariah Worrell, Samuel M‘Dowall. William Smith, Chairman of the District.
x. THE NEWRY DISTRICT.

37 Newry, Henry Deery, Thomas Brown.
38 Charlemont and Dungannon, Thomas Ridgeway, William Gilchrist.
39 Armagh, Archibald Murdoch, Edward Cobain.
40 Lurgan, Gustavus Armstrong, William Armstrong; John Malcomson, superannuated.
41 Tanderagee, John Dinnen, James M'Cutcheon; JohnWilson,
William Wilson, Supernumeraries.
Thomas Broren, Chairman of the District.
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## IRISH MISSIONARIES.

1 Wicklow, William Reilly.
2 Cove, William Copeland.
3 Youghall, John Nelson.
4 Killaloe, Francis Stephens.
5 Galzoay, William Cornwall.
6 Newtorenbarry, Charles Graham.
7 Letterkenny, Robert Wilson, William Finley.
8 Derry and Antrim, Gideon Ousley, Thomas Kerr, James
Johnson, William Kidd, Arthur Noble.
9 Killybeggs, Archibald Campbell.
10 Killesandra and Cootehill, John Hamilton, John Armstrong.
11 Cookstown and Churchill, Robert J. Bailey, Richard Taylor Tracey.
12 The Ards, Matthew Lanktree, John Hill.
13 Doronpatrick, James Bell.
FOREIGN MISSIONS. I. EUROPE.

1 Gibraltar, Thomas Davies.
N. B. A Successor shall be appointed by the Committee, on the arrival of whom at Gibraltar, Brother Davies is to return.
2 Brussels, This Station shall be occasionally visited by the Preachers from France, and from the Norman Isles.

France.
3 Beuville, Pericre, and Conde, Peter Le Sueur, Charles Cook.
4. Mer, Armand de Kerpezdron.

5 Cherburg, Amice Olivier.
N. B. Brother William Toase shall be the General Superintendant of the French Mission, under the direction of the Committee.
II. ASIA.

Ceylon.
6 Columbo, William M. Harvard, (unless he goes to Continental India, in which case a Successor shall be appointed by the Committee; Benjamin Clough.
7 Caltura, William B. Fox.
8 Galls, John M•Kenny.
9 Matura and Balligam, John Callaway; William A. Lallman, Assistant Missionary.
10 Negombo, Robert Newstead.

30 Grenada, William Shrewsbury, William Goy.
31 Trinidad,
32 Barbadoes, Moses Rayner.
33 Tobago, Jonathan Raynar.
34 Demerara, Matthew M. Thackray. Another shall be sent
by the Committee.
George Bellamy, Chairman of the District.
THe נamaica Distuict.
35 Kingston, George Johnstone, James Horne.
36 Spanish Towon, James Underhill.
37 Morant Bay, William Ratcliffe, John Hudson.
38 Grateful Hill, One shall be sent by the Committee.
39 Falmouth and Montego Bay, John Shipman, William Binning.
George Johnstone, Chairman of the District.
The Bahama District.
40 New Providence, Roger Moore.
41 Eleuthera, John Turtle.42 Harbour Island, William Wilson. Another may be sent bythe Committee.
43 Abacco, One shall be sent by the Committee. William Wilson, Chairman of the District. BERMUDA.44 Bermuda, William Sutcliffe.HAYTI.
45 Port au Prince, John Brown, sen. James Catts. Another shall be sent by the Committee.
46 Cape Henry, Two may be sent when the Committee deem it expedient.
THE CANADAS.
47 Quebec, John Hick.
48 Montreal, Robert L. Lusher.
49 Kingston, Edward Johnston.
50 Fort Wellington, Thomas Catterick; John De Putron, French Missionary. Another may be sent if the Committee approve.
51 Melburn, Richard Williams.
52 St. Armands, Richard Pope. Another may be sent, if theCommittee approve.
53 Bay of Quinte, James Booth.N. B. Brother Booth and Brother Johnstonshall change occasionally.
54 York, Henry Pope.
Edward Johnston, Chairman of the District.

55 Halifux, James Dunbar, who shall change occasionally with Brother Robert Alder. William Black, Supernumerary.
56 Liverpool, William Crosscombe.
57 Shelburne, James Knowlan; James Mann, Supernumerary.
58 Yarmouth, Thomas Payne.
59 St. Stephen, Duncan M'Coll.
60 St. John's, Steplıen Banuford, who shall change occasionally with Brother Burt.
61 Fredericton, Willian Burt.
62 Annapolis, Sumpson Busby.
63 Cumberland, James Priestley.
$6+$ Ramshay, George Miller.
95 Horton and Windsor, William Bemett, Robert Alder.
66 Neroport, Adam Clarke Avard.
67 Lunenburgh and Petit Rivierc, George Orth, German Miso sionary.
68 St. Davids, One may be sent, if the Committee deem it expedient.
Pitince EdWARb's ISLAND.
69 Charlotte Towon, John Fishpool.
70 Troyon and Bedeque, John Strong.
71 Murray Harbour, One may be sent, if the Comnittee deen it expedient.
William Bennett, Chairman of the Distriet.
newfoundlanis.
72 St John's, John Bell; George Cubit, Supernumerary.
73 Carbonear, John Pickavant.
74 Blackhead and Western Bay, John Walsh.
75 Island Cove, Perlican, and Hant's Harbour, 'Thomas Hickson. Another may be sent, if the Committee deem it cxpedient.
76 Port De Grave, Ninian Barr.
77 Harbour Grace, James Hickson.
78 Bonavista and Catalina, Richard Kıight.
79 Trinity, William Ellis.
80 Grand Bank and Fortune Bay, John Knight.
81 Burin, John Lewis.
John Bell, Chairman of the District.
N. B. William Davies, 1 st. is left at the disposal of the Missionary Committee in London, and may be sent to a Foreign station, when his health shall be restored.
Q. 8. How many Preachers are to receive this year, from the Connexion, the usual allowance for a Preacher's Wife?
A. Five hundred and one.
Q. 9. How many of these allowances are to be paid by particular Circuits?
A. Four hundred and forty-four: viz.

By the London East Circuit, for
Sisters Atmore, Reynolds, sen. Sutcliffe, (S.) Taylor, Bunting, and (J. H.) Rowe.
London West, S. Morley, Riles, (G.) Marsden, W atson, and (G. H.) Rowe.
Waltham Abbey, S. Levell. Deptford, S. Kelk, Knowles. Hammersmith, S. Stanley.
High-Wycomb,S. Pearson, jun
Chelmsford, S. Deverell.
Colchester, S. (John) Anderson.
Manningtree, S. Britain.
Ipswich, S. Millman.
Huntingdon, S. Lomas.
St. Neot's, S. Griffin.
Biggleswade, S. (W.) Dixon.
Bedford, S. Gower.
Ampthill, S. Theobald.
Newport-Pagnell, £16 16. to
to be paid to BrotherGartrell
Leighton-Buzzard, S. Sydserff.
Luton, S. Towers.
Reading, S. Waterhouse.
Brighthelmstone, S. Calder.
Canterbury, S. Hawtrey.
Rochester,S.Gaulter,Cusworth.
Sheerness, S. Moulton.
Margate, S. Gilpin.
Dover, S. (J.) Wilson.
Deal, S. Bustard.
Rye, S. Hodgson, Spink.
Sandhurst, S. (J.) Walker.
Maidstone, S. (J.) Newton.
Ashford, S. (J.) Roberts.
Sevenoaks, S. Dean.
Norwich, S. Slater.
North Walsham, S. (S.) Ward. Yarmouth, S. Jameson, Pollard

Lowestoff, S. Rought. Framlingham, S.(T.)Thompson Diss, S. Leggatt.
Attleborough, S. Stewart.
Bury St. Edmund's, S. Bacon. Holt, S. Revell.
Lynn, S. Whiteside.
Walsingham, S. Hutchinson.
Wisbeach, S. Waller.
Thetford, S. Tattershall.
Swaffham, S. Padman. Ely, S. (John) Gill. Cambridge, S. Fussell. Oxford, S. Hopwood. Whitchurch, S. Mallinson.
Witney, S. Gostick.
Banbury, S. Cullen.
Chipping-Norton,S.Mason,sen.
Brackley, S. Breedon.
Towcester, S. (J.) Ward.
Daventry, S. Etchells.
Northampton, S. (W.) Fowler. Wellingborough, S. Mack.
Higham-Ferrers,S.(G.)Wilson
Kettering, S. Hinson.
Market Harborough, S. Burley.
Portsmouth, S. Martin; and 16l.16s. to be paid to brother Seckerson.
Gosport, S. Weir.
Salisbury, S.(J.)Smith, Garner.
Shaftsbury, S. Wright.
Poole, S. Button.
Isle of Wight, S. Batty.
Southampton, S.(Jas.) Bumstead Andover, S. (Wm.) Griffith.
Newbury, S. Milward.
Hungerford, Deakins.
Guernsey and Sark, Toase, (Wm.) Burgess.

Jersey, S. Rowland, Mauger. Plymouth-Dock, S. Barker, Heaton.
Plymouth, S. Hill.
Launceston, S. Jones, sen.
Holdsworthy, S. Jewett.
Liskard, S. Sumner, Aldom.
Tavistock, S. Shepherd.
Camelford, S. (J.) Burgess.
Kingsbridge, S. Moody.
Redruth, S. Daniel, Hodson, Sibley.
Falmouth, S. Treffry, Staton.
Truro, S. Truscott, Beal, Scurrah.
St. Austle, S. Bersey, Orchard.
Bodmin, S. Woodrow, Hawthorne.
Penzance, Robarts, Akerman, Slater, Frankland.
Scilly, S. Henwood.
Helstone, S. Haime, Sleigh.
Hayle Copper-House, S. Hayman, Flint.
Exeter, S. Marsh.
Salterton, S. Odgers.
Tiverton, S. Sanders.
Taunton, S. (F.) Collier.
South Petherton, S. Harrison, jun.
Axminster, S. Worden.
Barnstaple, S. Baker.
Dunster, S. Radford.
Ashburton, S. (Jno.) Bryant.
Brixham, S. (Matt.) Day.
Bristol, S.'Griffith, (T.)Wood, (R.)Smith, Waddy, Henshaw Kingswood, S. Dermott.
Banwell, S. Bowes.
Bath, S. Buckley, Lessey, jun. Badcome, S. Fielden.
Frome, S. (Tho.) Rogers.
Warminster, S. (Jas.) Sydserff.
Strour, S. Shelmerdine.
Dursley, S. Simmons.

Downend, S. Horner.
Gloucester, S. Byron.
Cheltenham, S. Gellard.
Weymouth, S. Worth.
Bradford, Wilts, S. Campbell.
Melksham, S. Ogilvie.
Shepton-Mallett, S. Greenley, Kaye.
Midsummer-Norton,S. Ashton, (S.) Morris.

Somerton, S. (E.) Chapman.
Swansea, S. Russell.
Merthyr-Tydville, S. Trampleasure.
Brecon, S. Timperley.
Monmouth, S. Hunt.
Cardiff, S. Birley.
Newport, S. Brocklehurst.
Carmarthen, S. (J.) Collier.
Haverfordwest, S.Pearson, sen.
Pembroke, S. Twiddy.
The Twelve circuits of the second W elsh District-Sisters (G.) Hughes, (M.) Griffith, (H.) Hughes, (D.) Jones, (J.) Davies,(J.) Williams, 1 st. (J.) Williams, 2d, (R.) Jones, (T.) Thomas, (L.) Jones, Anwyl,(S.)Davies, (O.)Jones, (W.) Evans, (E.) Hughes, (E.) Edwards, Humphreys, (W.) Hughes, Batten.

Birmingham, S. Edmondson, Wheeler, Oakes.
West Bromwich, S. Crumpton.
Wednesbury, S. Bridgnell, Cloake.
Wolverhampton, S. Denton.
Dudley, S. Walmsley, Dowty, Goodwin.
Stourport, S. (R.) Smctham, Brooke.
Worcester, S. (James) Gill. Alexander.
Ledbury, S. Parry.

Eveshan, S. Ransom.
Redditch, S. Dumn.
Coventry, S. Banks.
Hinckley, S. Muff.
Shrewsbury, £16. 16s. to be paid to Brother Claxton.
Wellington, S. Watmough.
Broseley, S. Squarebridge, Edwards.
Ludlow, S. Jones.
Kington, S. Woodall.
Newtown, S.Carter, Jones, 4th.
Wrexham, S. Beech.
Whitchurch, S. Jones.
Oswestry, S. Sleep.
Macclesfield, S. Stamp, Chettle.
Buxton, S. Lord.
Congleton, S. Hutton.
Namptwich, S. Draper.
Northwich, S. (Jon.) Crowther.
Burslem, S. Radcliffe, (Samuel)
Jackson, (Wm.) Taylor.
Newcastle-under-Lyme, S. Doncaster, Hughes.
Stafford, S. Cousin.
Leek, S. Grahain.
Liverpool, S. (R.) Newton, Garrett, France, Bowers, (Edward) Jones 3d.
Chester, S. Warren, Taylor.
Warrington, S. (Robt.) Miller.
Wigan, S. Sugden.
Leigh, S. Ramm.
Ormskirk, S. Heap.
Preston, S. Bogie, (B.) Barritt.
Garstang, S. Arnett.
Lancaster, S. (M.) Dixon.
Manchester, S. Stephens, Pipe, M•Kittrick, (T.) Jackson.
Salford, S. Bramwell,* Townley.
Stockport,S.Highfield,Keeling.
New Mills, S. Dawes.
Ashton-under-Lyne, S. Armitage.
Oldham, S. Macdonald, Morris.

Rochdale, S. Lessey, sen. (Jno.) Bryan.
Bacup, S. Meek.
Haslingden, S. Holroyd.
Blackburn, S. Floyd, (T.) Walker.
Bury, S. Simpson, sen.
Bolton, S. (Tlio.) Hill, Turner.
Halifax, S. Hopkins, (Jos.) Fowler.
Sowerby-Bridge, S. Bird, Mainwaring.
Todmorden, \&233 12s. to be paid to Brothers Bartholo. mew and Worrell.
Burnley, S. Welborne.
Colne, S. (Max.) Wilson.
Skipton, S. Fairbourn.
Clithero, S. White.
Grassington, S. Todd.
Addingham, S. Laycock.
Keighley, S. (W.) Hill, sell. (Jno.) Thompson.
Bingley, S. Blackett, (Thos.) Harris.
Woodhouse-Grove, S.(J.) Kcrshaw
Bradford, S.Turton, Womersly. Huddersfield, S. Cooper, Hanwell, Stoner.
Holmfirth, S. Day.
Leeds, S. Reece, (W. E.) Miller, Slack, James.
Bramley, S. Kirkpatrick, Coultas, Sewell.
Wakefield, S. (James) Wood, Sykes.
Birstal, S. Sargent, Pinder.
Otley, S. Skelton.
Pateley Bridge, S. Nother:
Pontefract, S. Midgley, Fearnside.
Selby, S. Hardcastle.
Knaresborough, s. Lumb, Hopewell.
Sheffield, S. Entwisle, (T.)Stan-

[^13]ley, (W.) Martin, (Robert) $\mid$ Bridlington, S. Preston, Pretty. Wood.
Chesterfield, S. Pattison.
Bakewell, S. Homer.
Bradwell, S. (T.) Gill.
Rotherham, S. Aver, Atherton.
Doncaster, S. (W.) Harrison,
sen. (J.) Johnson.
Barnsley, S. Derry.
Denby, near Wakefield, S. (R.)
Crowther.
Derby, S. Leach, Mason, jun.
Belper, S. Taylor, Frazer.
Cromford, S. Reynolds, jun.
Retford, S. Lilly.
Worksop, S. Armstrong.
Nottingham, S. Brownell, Davis, Hollingworth.
Ilkestone, S. (J.) Walker.
Mansfield, S. Andrews.
Newark, S. Poole, and £16 16 s.
to Brother Hickling.
Grantham, S. (B.) Wood.
Leicester, S. Aikenhead.
Melton-Mowbray, S. Fletcher.
Ashby-de-la-Zouch, S. Rossell, Roadhouse.
Burton, S. Ingham.
Uttoxeter, S. Webb.
Loughborough, S. Dalby (B.) Hudson.
Stamford, S. Penman.
Lincoln, S. Jordan, Bate.
Sleaford, S. (J.) Hatton.
Market-Raisen, S. Howarth.
Louth, S. Furness, Frank, (Robert) Morton.
Horncastle, S. (J.) Griffith.
Alford, S. Barr.
Spilsby, S. Bradnack.
Boston, S. Fowler.
Spalding, S. Watkin.
Hull, S. Myles, Woolmer, Everett, (Abm.) Farrar.
Howden, S. (L.) Kershaw, Whitehead.
Driffield, S. Vaughan.

Patrington, S. (J.) Pearson.
Grimsby, S. Aslin, Gregory.
Gainsborough, S. Gloyne.
Epworth, S. Beaumont.
Snaith, S. Wild.
Brigg, S. Douglas.
Barton, S. Cooke.
York, S. Moore, Isaac, Naylor, Haswell.
Pocklington, S. Nelson, Anderson.
Scarborough, S. Gee, Carlton. Pickering, S. Melson.
Malton, S. Wilson, Savage.
Easingwould, S. Sedgwick, Bentham.
Thirsk, S. Nicholson, and $£ 16$ 16s. to be paid to Brother Leppington.
Ripon, S. Simmonite, (L.)Heywood.
Whitby, S. Smith, Stones.
Gisborough, S. West.
Darlington, S. (J.) Marsden, \& $£ 88 \mathrm{~s}$. for S. (Geo.) Clarke.
Stockton, S.(Jno.) Bumstead, \& £8. 8s. for S. (Geo.) Clarke.
Barnard Castle, S. Rogerson, Elliott.
Middleham, S. Phillips.
Tanfield, S. (T.) Harrison.
Richmond,S.Yates,Shackleton.
Newcastle, S. Grindrod, Storry, Dowson.
Gateshead, S. Garbut, (W.) Jackson.
NorthShields, S. Pilter, (Robt.) Jackson.
Sunderland, S. (J.) Farrar, M•Nicol, Mann, and 16l.16s. to be paid to Brother Braithwaite.
Durham, S. (Robt.) Nicholson, ( Wm .) Smith.
Alstone, S. (Wm.) Scholefield.
IIexhan, S. (John) Ingham.

Morpeth, S. (J.) Smetham.
Alnwick, S. (Zech.) Taft.
Berwick, S. (J.) Barritt, sen.
Carlisle, S. Lee.
Whitehaven, S. Stevenson, Barlow.
Brough, S. Adshead.
Kendal, S. (G.) Thompson.
Dumfries, S. (E.) Wilson.
Douglas, S. Burgess, Riley.
Ramsey, S. Mercer, Kemp.
Edinburgh, S. Lancaster, Dredge.
Dunbar, $£ 16$ 16s. to be paid to Brother M‘Allum, sen.
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Glasgow and Paisley, S. Burdsall, Rawson, Bell.
Greenock, S. Hewitt.
Ayr, S. Hamer.
Perth, S. Bridgman.
Dunfermline, S. Beckwith.
Aberdeen, S. (V.) Ward.
Peterhead, S. Mollard.
Dundee, S. Clegg.
Montrose, Arbroath, and Brechin, S. (Jas.) Anderson, Robbins.
Banff, S. Porter.
Elgin, S. Shoar. Inverness, S. (Jas.) Sugden.
Q. 10. How are the fifty-seven remaining Allowances for Preachers' Wives to be paid?
A. By the District Meetings, out of the Yearly Collection: viz.

By the London District,
By the Canterbury District,
By the Norwich District,
By the Lynn District,

By the Oxford District,
By the Portsmouth District,
By the First Welsh District, By the Bristol District,

By the Birminghanı District,
By the Liverpool District, By the Manchester District, By the Halifax District,

By the Leeds District,
S. Hiley, Prosser, Cheverton.
S. Fordred, Bromley.
S. Morgan, (Thos.) Newton, (Jas.) Lancaster, (R.) Bryant.
S. (Wm.) Waterhouse, M‘Laughlin, Jones, jun. Ellidge.
S. Phenix, Ludlam.
S. (Joshua) Bryan, Banwell, Constable, Coates, Potts.
S. Colwell.
S. (Jon.) Williams, Wintle, Jaggar, (B.) Andrews, Eastwood, Lear.
S. (James) Allen, Renmison, (Rob.) Hayes, (R.) Allen.
S. Rigg.
S. (James) Fowler, Taft, ${ }^{*}$ Ash.
S. Veevers, Roberts, (D.) Walton, Crabtree.
S. (John) Simpson, jun. Tranter, (Geo.) Barker.*

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By the Sheffield District,
By the Nottingham District,
By the Hull District,
By the Whitby District, By the Carlisle District,
S. Slugg, Pickering.
S. Hope, Key, (J.) Smith, 2d. Hobson, Kellett, Mowatt.
S. Prescott, Stokes, Tuck, Hall.
S. (Robt.) Emmett.
S. (J.) Lewis, (J.) Miller.
Q. 11. What is the number of Members in our Societies?
$A$. As follows: viz.

| London East | - | 4498 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| London West | - | 3000 |
| Waltham Abbey |  | 130 |
| Deptford | - | 1206 |
| Brentford | - | 390 |


| Windsor | - | 390 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| - |  |  |


| Highl-Wycombe | 310 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Leigh, Essex | 50 |

Chelmsford

Colchester
Manningtree
Ipswich
Huntingdon
St. $\quad-$
( Neotst, (last year's ac-
count)
Biggleswade - - 186
Bedford - 290
Ampthill - $\quad 130$
Newport Pagnell - 236
Leighton Buzzard
Luton
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Reading } \\ & \text { Chichester, } \\ & \text { count) }\end{aligned}$ (last year's ac-
count,
Brighthelmstone -
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Canterbury } & - \\ \text { Rochester } & - \\ \text { Sheerness } & - \\ \text { Margate } & - \\ \text { Dover and Deal, } & \text { (las }\end{array}$ year's account,) -
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Rye } & - \\ \text { Sandhurst } & - \\ \text { Maidstone } & - \\ \text { Ashford } & - \\ \text { Sevenoaks } & -\end{array}$

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Southampton | 280 | - Stroud | 420 |
| Andover | 190 | Dursley | 320 |
| Newbury | 325 | Downend | 443 |
| Hungerford | 350 | Gloucester | 383 |
| Swindon | 90 | Cheltenham | 200 |
| Guernsey $\{$ English | 265 | Weymouth | 370 |
| * Sark \{ French | 530 | Bradford (Wilts) | 530 |
| Alderney $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { English }\end{array}\right.$ | 46 | Melksham - | 417 |
| Alderney $\{$ French | 91 | Shepton Mallet | 740 |
| Jersey \{ English | 192 | Midsummer Norton | 733 |
| Jersey \{ French | 653 | Somerton | 220 |
| Plymoutlı Dock | 1070 | Swansea | 200 |
| Plymouth | 583 | Merthyr-Tydville, Englis | ish 179 |
| Launceston | 750 | Brecon | 180 |
| Stratton | 383 | Monmouth | 357 |
| Liskeard | 930 | Cardiff, English | 120 |
| Tavistock | 440 | Newport - | 340 |
| Camelford | 618 | Carmarthen, English | 100 |
| Kingsbridge | 190 | Haverford-west | 290 |
| Redruth | 2500 | Pembroke | 140 |
| Falmouth | 687 | Merthyr-Tydville, Welsh | ¢ 438 |
| Truro | 2584 | Cardigan | 204 |
| St. Austle, (last year's |  | Cardiff, Welsh | 260 |
| account,) | 860 | Aberystwyth | 310 |
| Bodmin | 818 | Ruthin | 416 |
| Penzance | 2322 | Carmarthen, Welsh | 500 |
| Scilly Islands | 87 | Denbigh | 392 |
| Helstone | 1985 | Holywell | 706 |
| Exeter and Salterton, (last |  | Llanfyllyn | 283 |
| year's account) - | 415 | Machynlleth | 509 |
| Tiverton | 262 | Carnarvon | 374 |
| Taunton | 332 | Holyhead | 371 |
| South Petherton | 260 | Birmingham | 1312 |
| Axminster | 234 | West Bromwich | 130 |
| Barnstaple - | 520 | Wednesbury | 800 |
| Dunster, (last year's ac- |  | Wolverhampton | 500 |
| count, - - | 129 | Dudley - | 1320 |
| Ashburton | 395 | Stourport | 484 |
| Brixham | 250 | Worcester | 620 |
| Bristol | 2660 | Evesham | 246 |
| Kingswood | 440 | Redditch | 325 |
| Banwell | 500 | Bromsgrove | 145 |
| Bath | 800 | Coventry | 360 |
| Frome | 540 | Hinckley | 500 |
| Batcombe | 170 | Litchfield \& Coleshill | 100 |
| Warminster - | 130 | Shrewsbury - | 309 |



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| Loughborough | 820 | Richmond | 840 |
| Stamford | 555 | Newcastle-upon-Tyne | 1450 |
| Lincoln | 835 | Gateshead - | 1180 |
| Sleaford | 390 | North Shields | 1020 |
| Market Raisen | 540 | Sunderland | 2300 |
| Louth | 1400 | Durham | 750 |
| Horncastle | 620 | Alstone | 500 |
| Alford | 480 | Hexham | 246 |
| Spilsby | 640 | Morpeth | 200 |
| Boston | 650 | Alnwick | 76 |
| Spalding | 340 | Berwick | 47 |
| Hull | 2100 | Carlisle | 1402 |
| Howden | 590 | Whitehaven | 630 |
| Driffield | 535 | Brough | 314 |
| Bridlingtou | 777 | Penrith | 151 |
| Patrington | 400 | Kendal | 440 |
| Grimsby | 780 | Ulverstone | 50 |
| Gainsborough | 620 | Dumfries | 49 |
| Epworth | 417 | Douglas | 1139 |
| Snaith | 372 | Ramsey | 1358 |
| Brigg | 540 | Edinburgh | 676 |
| Barton | 560 | Dunbar and Haddington | n 55 |
| York | 1911 | Glasgow and Paisley | 1539 |
| Pocklington | 876 | Greenock - | 165 |
| Scarborough | 970 | Ayr and Kilmarnock | 200 |
| Pickering | 488 | Perth and Crieff |  |
| Malton | 850 | Dunfermline |  |
| Easingwould | 700 | Aberdeen | 302 |
| Thirsk | 860 | Peterhead | 28 |
| Ripon | 775 | Dundee and Cupar | 130 |
| Whitby | 809 | Arbroath, (last year's ac- |  |
| Gisborough | 567 | count, - |  |
| Darlington | 680 | Brechin,(last year'saccoun | unt)126 |
| Stockton | 592 | Banff (last year's accoont) | t) 132 |
| Barnard Castle | 1090 | Elgin - | 32 |
| Middleham | 340 | Inverness | 35 |
| Tanfield | 435 |  |  |
| Total Number of | f Members in G | reat Britain this year, 19 | 195,105 |
| Ditto | ditto | last year 19 | 193,670 |
| Increase in Grea | at Britain | - - | 1,431 |
| The Number of | Members in Ir | land this year is, | 19,052 |
| Ditto | ditto | last year was | 21,031 |
| Decrease in Ireland . - - - |  |  | 1,979 |
| N. B. It is stated in the Minutes of the Irish Conference, |  |  |  |

that " the decrease in the numbers this year has been occasioned partly by the divisions in some Circuits since the last Conference, partly by emigrations to the Canadas and other places, and partly by the afflicting ravages of the Typhus Fever. In one Circuit alone, 120 emigrated, and about 100 died."

The Number of Members in the stations occupied by our Foreign Missionaries, is as follows, viz. in europe.
At Gibraltar ..... 120
At Beuville and Periere, in France ..... 15
At Cherbourg ditto ..... 8
At Roscoff ditto ..... 6
At Brussels ..... 15
In the British Army on the Continent ..... 120
Total in Europe ..... 284
IN AGIA.

In Ceylon and Continental India, 100, viz.
At Columbo ..... 25
At Jaffna ..... 12
At Trincomalee - - . 14
At Galle ..... 12
At Matura ..... 15
At Madras ..... 22
100
Last Return ..... 54
Increase ..... 46
in africa.
At Sierra Leone - $\quad$ Last Return ..... 115
At the Cape of Good Hope: (Cape Town, and Simon's Town,) ..... 16*
In Little Namacqua Land ..... 2945
Last Return ..... 42
Increase ..... 3

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| in america. <br> In the west INDIES the antigua digtrict. |  |  |  |
|  | Whites. | Blacks. | Total. |
| Antigua | 24 | 3501 | 3525 |
| St. Christopher's | 30 | 2179 | 209 |
| St. Eustatius | 8 | 274 | 282 |
| Nevis | 18 | 977 | 995 |
| St. Bartholomew's | 12 | 338 | 350 |
| Tortola and the Virgin Islands | 64 | 1679 | 1743 |
| Dominica | 4 | 633 | 637 |
| St. Vincent's | 10 | 2585 | 2595 |
| Barbadoes | 10 | 12 | 22 |
| Grenada | 1 | 195 | 196 |
| Trinidad | 7 | 241 | 248 |
| Demarara |  | 1170 | 1170 |
| Anguilla - | 9 | 160 | 169 |
| Total in the Antigua District | 197 |  |  |
| this year - Last year | 197 224 | 13944 14633 | 14141 14907 |
| Decrease, on the whole in the |  |  |  |
| Antigua District | 27 | 736 | 766 |
| Kingston - Jamaicaser | $\xrightarrow[24]{ }$ | 2861 | 2885 |
| Spanish-Town | 5 | 94 | 99 |
| Morant Bay | 2 | 1586 | 1588 |
| Grateful Hill | 1 | 201 | 202 |
| Total in Jamaica, this year, | 32 | 4742 | 4774 |
| last year, | 25 | 4122 | 4147 |
| Increase in Jamaica | 7 | 620 | 627 |
| the bah | hamas, |  |  |
| New Providence | 63 | 271 | 334 |
| Eleuthera - | 220 | 35 | 255 |
| Harbour Island | 230 | 200 | 430 |
| Abaco | 26 | 11 | 37 |
| Total in the Bahamas this yea | r 539 | 517 | 1056 |
| last yea | ar 562 | 584 | 1146 |
| Decrease in the Bahamas | 43 | 67 | 90 |
| Hayti:-Port au Prince |  | 36 | 36 |
| Bermuda | 39 | 50 | 89 |



The British Dominions in North America, viz. nova scotia and new brunswick.

| Halifax |  | 169 | Ramshay | - | 120 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Liverpool | - | 110 | Horton | - | 58 |
| Shelburne | - | 120 | Newport | - | 69 |
| St. Stephen's |  | 130 | Lunenburgh |  | 86 |
| Yarmouth | - | 38 |  |  |  |
| St. John's | - | 149 | Total | - | 1509 |
| Fredericton |  | 100 | Last ycar |  | 1410 |
| Annapolis | - | 250 | Increase | - | 99 |
| Cumberland |  | 110 |  |  |  |
|  |  | Edwa | rd's island. |  |  |
| Charlotte Town |  |  | - | - | 117 |
| Foyon and Bedeque |  | - | - |  | 63 |
| Total |  |  | - - | - | 180 |
| Last year |  |  |  | - | 129 |
| Increase |  |  |  |  | 51 |

THE CANADAS.

| Quebec | - | 72 | St. Armand's | - | 24 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Montreal | - | 80 |  |  |  |
| Kingston | - | 28 | Total | - | 369 |
| Milburne | - | 61 | Last year | - | 166 |
| Fort Wellington | lo4 | Increase | - | 203 |  |
|  |  | newroundland. |  |  |  |



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Q. 12. Who is appointed the President of the next Conference in Ireland, to be held in Dublin on the lst Thursday in July, 1819 ?
A. Jonathan Edmondson ; who, if unavoidably prevented from attending, has authority to nominate a substitute.Brother George Marsden and Brother Robert Newton are requested to accompany the President to the Irish Confcrence: And it is also the desire of the Conference, that both the President and Brothers Marsden and Newton should, if possible, arrive in Ireland about a month before the commencement of the Dublin Conference, so as to visit, together or separately, the principal towns, and assist in the Formation or at the Anniversaries of Methodist Missionary Societics in that Country.
Q. I3. Who are the General Committee for guarding our Privileges during the ensuing year?
A. The President and Secretary of the Conference; all the Preachers appointed for the two London Circuits; the Superintendants of the Deptford and Brentford Circuits ; Dr. Adam Clarke ; Joseph Butterworth, Esq.; Christopher Sundius, Esq.; Mr. Joseph Bulmer; Launcelot Haslope, Esq.; William Marriott, Esq.; Thomas Allan, Esq; Mr. David Bruce; Thomas Marriott, Esq. ; Mr. John Cooper ; Mr.John Mathison; Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull ; Thomas Holy, Esq. of Sheffield; Johıı Ward, Esq of Durham ; Mr. Robert Middleton, of Durhanr ; Richard Fawcett, Esq. of Bradford; Willian Carne, Esq. of Penzance; Mr. James Murrow, of Liverpool ; Mr. Benjamin Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Burton, of Manchester ; Mr. Joseph Holdsworth, of Wakefield; Mr. James Cole, of Kettering ; Mr. John Irving, of Bristol; Robert Campion, Esq. of Whitby; and the Rev. Thomas Roberts, of Bath. N. B. Mr. Blanshard is the Secretary, for the ensuing year, of the Cominittee of Privileges.
Q.14. Who are the Committee for Kingswood School, for the ensuing year?
A. Walter Griffith, Chairman ; Richard Waddy, Secretary ; Robert Johnson, Local Treasurer ; Thomas Wood, Robert Smith, William Henshaw, George Dermott, James Buckley, Thomas Roberts, Willian Horner, and Jonas Jagger ;-with Mr. John Hall, Mr. Thomas Exley, and Mr. James Wood, all of Bristol.
Q. 15. Who are the Committee for Woodhouse-Grove School, for the ensuing year?
A. James Wood, Chairman; John Kershaw, Secretary; Miles Martindale, Local Treasurer ; Thomas Bartholomew, Robert Hopkins, Richard Reece, George Sargent, Cleland

Kirkpatriek, Isaae Turton, John Slaek, William Hill, sen., James Blackett, and James Mortimer ;-with Mr. Fawcett, of Bradford; Mr. B. Sadler, of Leeds; Mr. John Ashworth, Mr. T. S. Swale, and Mr. G. B. Browne, of Halifax ; Mr. Holdsworth and Mr. Spicer, of Wakefield; Mr. Suteliffe, of Willow Hall; and Mr. Whitley, of Bingley.
Q. 16. What is the result of the arrangements made last year, with a view to some improvement in our mode of relieving those Chapels which need more pecuniary assistance than can be obtained in the Circuits to which they locally belong?
A. Mectings of the Committees appointed to consider this subject have been held in London and in Leeds, which were attended by various Preachers, and by many respectable Trustees from the London East, London West, Rochester, Canterbury, Manehester, Liverpool, Leeds, Sowerby-Bridge, Halifax, W'akefield, Colnc, Huddersfield, Barnsley, Bramley, Derby, Rochdale, Todnorden, Bolton, York, Norwich, Carlisle, Otley, Market-Raisen, and other Circuits. Several Projects and Suggestions were received from different parts of the Connexion, and duly considered. Aftcr much discussion the Committee at Leeds have reported to the Conference their opinion on the subject, in the following Rcsolutions:
" l. That the thanks of this Committee are due to the scveral Preachers and other Gentlemen who have furnished the Plans of Relicf for Chapels which have been laid before us, for the affeetionate zcal which they have displayed in the common Cause of the Comexion.
" 2 . That it is the opinion of this Committee, that the present mode of collecting for Chapels is inefficient for its object, and in other respects highly inconvenient and injurious, both to the Preachers and to the People.
" 3 . That it is the opinion of this Committee that a General Chapel Fund for the relief of those Methodist Chapels which are deeply involved in debt, and whose Trustees have not local means of meeting their own annual expenses, should be instituted in our Connexion, the supplics for which Fund should be raised in the following ways : viz.
" (l.) By regular Private Subscriptions, to be raiscd in ercry Circuit in the month of February of every year; the applications to our Members and Friends for such Subscriptions to be made by all the Preachers in their own Circuits respcetively; the Preachers being accompanied in such applications by a Deputation from the Trustees of Chapels in that Circuit.
"(2.) By a Public Collection, to be made of cvery Chapel through the Connexion in the month of February in cvery year, at the clese of the application for Private Subscriptions.
" (3.) By Legacies, which it may be hoped our more wealthy Members and Friends may think it their duty to leave to this Fund.
" (4.) By Annual Subscriptions, to be requested from the Trust-Funds of every Chapel in the Connexion :-such Subscriptions to be solicited in proportion to the means and circumstances of the Trust-Estates respectively, and to be reckoned as a regular item in their Incidental Expenses for the year :-No Trustees to give less than one Guinea, as the Subscription for the year on account of their Chapel :-From many Chapels the Committee confidently anticipate the annual receipt of much larger sums, for an object so important, and so essentially connected with the permanent welfare of our.Connexion : A general application to be made to the Trustees by a Circular Letter, for carrying into effect this part of the new Plan,
" 3 . That it is the opinion of this Committee, that the Monies to be thus raised should be distributed from year to year, for the relief of those Chapels only whosc Trustees annually subscribe to this Fund, according to such Regulations as may hereafter be agreed upon, and under the direction of a Committee to be annually appointed by the Conference, which Committee shall consist of Fifteen Travelling Preachers, and of Fifteen Trustees, (notbeingTravelling Preachers,) chosen chiefly from the Districts in the neighbourhood of the place at which the following Conference is to be held:-The Committee of Distribution to meet on the Saturday previous to the Mecting of every Conference, for the examination of such cases of Distressed Chapels as may be recommended to them in the Minutcs of the several District Meetings :-The particular state of each Chapel claiming relief, as to Debt, Annual Income, Expenditure, \&c. \&c. to be laid before the Committee in writing :One or more general Treasurers for the Chapel Fund to be annually appointed at the Conference, who, as well as the President and Sccretary of the Conference for the timc being, shall be ex officio Menibers of the Committee of Distribution.
" 4. That this Committee do earnestly recommend it to the Conference, to continue the appointment of an amual Committee, as was the case last year, to watch over the Building and Enlargement of Chapels, so as to prevent, in every possible way, the recurrence of those imprudent proceedings which have occasioned many of our present difficulties."

The Conference having considered the above-recited Report of the Committee, resolves,

1. That the Resolutions of the Committce, appointed to arrange a Plan for the Relief of Chapels which need assistance from the Connexion, be approyed and adopted.
2. That a General Chapel Fund, to be supported by Private Subseriptions, by Public Colleetions, by Legacies, and by Annual Subseriptions from the Trust-Funds of Chapels, on the plan reeommended by the said Committee, shall be immediately instituted.
3. That the Preaehers, in eonjunetion with a Deputation of such Trustees as are willing to eoncur in this Plan, shall make applieations in their respeetive Circuits for Subseriptions, in aid of the said Fund, in the Month of February next, and in the same month of every succeeding year ; at the elose of which, a Public Collection for the same object shall be made, as has been usual, in all our Chapels, so as to afford to those who have not been individually solieited the opportunity of contributing to this good cause.
4. That a Cireular Letter, stating the objects and necessity of theGeneral Chapel Fund, be sent to the Trustees of every Chapel in the Connexion, in the Montl of February at latcst; and that they shall be respectfully and earnestly solicited to evinee their readiness to eoncur in the measures thus adopted for the general relief of the Body of Trustees, and for the permanent prosperity of the Work of God among us, by paying to their respeetive Superintendents some Sum, not less than One Guinea for each Chapel, and more, if the circumstanees of their several Trust-Estates will admit, to be applied to the assistance of those Chapels which most urgently need help from this Fund.
5. That Thomas Marriott, Esq. and Mr. George Marsden, both of London, shall be requested to act as Joint-Treasurers of the General Chapel Fund for the ensuing year.
6. That every Superintendent shall be required punetually to remit to the General Treasurers all the Monies whieh may be raised for the said Fund in his Circuit, whether privately or publiely, on or before the 15th day of March in every year.
7. That the Committce of Distribution, for 1819 , shall eonsist of Messrs. James Wood, Henry Moore, Charles Atmore, Jamcs Bogic, Walter Griffith, Jonathan Crowther, John Gaulter, Gcorge Highficld, Richard Reece, Joseph Entwisle, John Braithwaite, Thomas Ingham, Richard Treffiry, Valentine Ward, and David Rogers, with the President and Secretary of the Conferencc, and the Joint-Treasurers of the General Chapel Fund;-and of Fiftecin Trustees, (not being Travelling Preachers,) to be invited by the President, who shall select for this purpose such Trustees, chicfly, as reside in the Districts most contiguous to the place wherc the Conference is to be held
8. That the distribution of the Monies raised for the Chapel Fund shall be left absolutely, for the first year, to the judg-
ment of the said Committee, on the plan recommended in the above-mentioned Report ; and that they be requested, at their Meeting in Bristol, on the Saturday before the Meeting of the next Conference, to draw up Rules and Regulations for the Distributions of future years, to be submitted to the consideration of the Conference.
N. B. The Conference has also heard with satisfaction the Plan arranged, and presented for its examination, by some respectable Friends, the object of which is to afford further aid to the Gencral Chapel Fund by the establishment of "A Society, to be called The Methodist Chapel Benefit Society, " instituted for the Insurance, on the usual Terms, of Chapels, "Preachers' Houses and Furniture, and other Property be" longing to Mlethodist Trustecs and Societics." The Preachers and Trustees of the Leeds and Wakefield Circuits, several of whom have already devoted their particular attention to that subject, are requested to form themselves, as soon as convenient, into a Provisional Committee, for the Purpose of circulating the said Plan, and of carrying it into effect, if it shall appear to be generally acceptable to the Trustces, and to our Connexion at large.
Q. 17. What shall be done to prevent the imprudent erection of Chapels in future?
A. The Minute of last year (see Minutes of 1817, p.330, respecting the Annual Appointment of a Chapel-BuildingCommittee, without whose previous consent no Chapel is to be built or purchased, is confirmed; and every Superintendent is required to conform in all cases to the directions contained in that Minute.
9. The Chapel-Building-Committee, for the ensuing year, are, James Wood, Richard Reece, Cleland Kirkpatrick, Miles Martindale, John Kershaw, and John Slack.-Brother Slack is appointed the Secretary of this Committce. All Letters on the subject of Chapels should be addressed to him, at the Methodist Chapel in Leeds; and it is particularly requested that such Letters may be sent post-paid.
10. All proposed Enlargements of Chapels, as well as new Erections, must be submitted to the investigation of the Committee.
11. No case shall be sanctioned by the Committee, unless it shall come before them as having received the previous approbation of the Quarterly Meeting of the Circiit, and shall be recommended either by the Annual District-Meeting, or at least by three Superintendents in the neighbourhood, who shall certify their approbation in writing.
Q. 18. What further directions shall be given concerning the
regulation and pecuniary support of our Schools at Kingswood and Woodhouse-Grove?
A. I. The enlargement of the Sehool-Libraries being deemed desirable, the Book-Steward is direeted to transmit for the Library of each Sehool a Copy of every Book published in future at our Book-Room, on our own aceount; and our Preachers, who publish any Work, are also requested to present a Copy of it for eaeh Library; such presentation being subject, howerer, to the opinion of the Local Committees, as to their suitableness for the use of the Seholars.
12. It is agreed, that, in future, all Parents who write to their Children at the Schools shall be required to send all their Letters post-paid.
13. The Annual Vaeation of both Sehools shall commenee in future with the Second Week in the month of May.
14. Considering that a regular and permanent ineome is of essential importance to these Institutions, and that, owing to the great additional expenditure oceasioned by the inerease in the number of Preachers employed in the Cireuits, the Fund, by which the Sehools are supported, (and out of which the usual allowances for the Edueation of Preaehers' Daughters, and of sueh Sons of Preachers as do not go to the Schools, are likewise paid,) is now in an exliausted and embarrassed state, the Conference peremptorily requires the Preachers in every Circuit to make respeetful and earnest application to our liberal friends for Private Subseriptions, in the Month of Oetober of every year, according to our existing Rule, and also to exert themselves in endeavouring to augment the amount of the Publie Collections, to be made, in the same Month, in all our Congregations. All Monies thus raised are to be sent to Mr. Atmore, (City-Road Chapel, London,) who is appointed the General Treasurer for the School Fund, for the ensuing year, on or before the 1st day of November, 1818 ; in order that he may have the means of paying the Money which it has been necessary to borrow for the Annual Allowances to Preachers' Children, and of furnishing to the Local Treasurers of the Sehools the sums needed for their current expenses.
15. It is agreed, that, uitil the School Fund shall lave been released, by that increase of its annual income which it is hoped will soon take place, from its present embarrassments, the sum of 600 l . expended in the last year in the necessary Enlargement of the Premises at Kingswood, shall be borrowed by the Treasurer, on legal Interest, and Security for it shall be given by the Trustces of the Kingswood Sehool.
Q. 19. What is the judgment of the Conference on the state of the General Finances of the Connexion?
A. 1. We aeknowledge with gratitude to God, and to our Friends in every part of the Kingdom, the liberal Contributions made soon after the last Conference, by which, in conjunction with the Subscriptions of the Preachers, the large Debt of 1817, occasioned by the inability of the Contingeut Fund to meet the Ordinary and Extraordinary Deficiencies claimed from it by various Circuits, has been completely liquidated.
16. We also perceive with much pleasure the measure of success which has already attended the Plans of Retrenchment adopted by preceding Conferences, and the increased excrtions of our People, in the very considerable Reduction of the Claims now brought from many Circuits, a reduction amounting on the whole to nearly Two Thousand Pounds, as appears from the comparison of the whole Deficicneies of 1817 with those of the present year.
17. The Regulations made last year, respecting Allowances for Preachers' Servants and Board, and other financial subjects, (see Minutes of 1817 , p. 336,) are therefore confirmed.
18. It is now further reeommended, both for the saving of expense, and with a view to the health of our Preachers, and to the greater spiritual profit of our People in the Country Societies of the several Circuits, that the Single Preachers shall in general lodge at those Places in the Country where they have preached in the Evenings; so that the Allowances for their Board in the Head Town, or other Principal Place of each Circuit, may not be unneeessarily increased by their too frequent return.
19. The several District Meetings, to be held in 1819, are directed carefully to examine the state of those Circuits in their Districts whieh bring claims on the Contingent Fund for their Deficieneies; and specially to report to the next Conference, whether any of them may, in their judgment, cease with propriety to be separate Circuits, and what Division of the Places may in that case be made among the neighbouring Circuits, so as to assist in the equalization of the local expenditure with the local ineome of their Districts.
20. As a considerable augmentation of the Yearly Subscription, made in the Classes, in aid of the poorer Circuit, is decmed practicable, if the urgency and importancc of the Casc were fully known to our People at large, it is agreed, That a Letter, explaining the purposes and beneficial results of the Yearly Subscription, shall be drawn up and a copy of it scnt, through the Superintendents and other Preachers, to cvery Leader in the Connexion, to be by him read and explained to his Class at the two Meetings immediately preceding the time when that Subscription is to be taken down on the Clas:-Papers, or collected
from the Members. And the Conference speeially requents the aetive and affectionate co-operation of the Class-Leaders in promoting this work of faith and labour of love.
21. As to the present Debt of the Connexion, whieh has been contracted since the last Conference, notwithstanding the Retrenchments already partially accomplished, by the continued excess of the Expenditure over the Income of the Contingent Fund, the Conference deems it highly desirable that it slould be met by immediate exertions, and not suffered to remain as a burden on the resources of future years. It is thercfore resolved, That the said Debt shall be divided among all the Cireuits, in proportion to the number of Members in Society in each Circuit; that the Preachers now appointed to each Cireuit shall be made jointly and severally responsible for raising the quota of the General Debt which shall appear on this principle to be due from that Cireuit;-that whatever part of thls quota they fail to raise by special applieations to our Friends in their Cireuits, they shall be expected to make up by their own Subseriptions;-that the effort thus required for the extinetion of this Debt shall be made in all the Cireuits in the Month of November or of December next;-and that the whole of the Monies raised for this purpose shall be remitted to Mr. Blanshard, on account of the General Treasurer of the Colltingent Fund, on or before the Ist day of January, 1819.*
22. While the Conference have thus resolved to make provision for the liquidation of the present Deficiency, they also deem it to be at length absolutely neeessary to take more effectual measures than have been hitherto adopted, to ensure the prevention of any recurrence of Debt during the ensuing year ; and, after examining several proposals for that purpose, have resolved, That every District which, after expending its own Yearly Collection, is still unable to meet its own Ordinary Deficiencies, shall for the ensuing year receive from the Contingent Fund not more than three fourths of the sum which was allowed to it from that Fund on account of the past year. The Chairman of every District shall take an carly opportunity of informing the Circuit-Stewards of every Circuit in his Distriet, which has brought, or his likely to bring claims for Defieiencies, of this Resolution, which the Conference has been induced by necessity to adopt ; and shall exhort them to make, without delay, such local retrenchments or exertions in their own Cireuits respeetively, as will enable them to reduce their claims on the Contingent Fund within the limits preseribed by this Minute.
[^16]But it is understood, that if any Circuit appear on examination to have a much greater or smaller burden of expense attached to it for this year, than was upon it for the last year, on account of the number of Families, \&c. stationed in it, the Prcachers and Stewards, when assembled in the District Meeting, shall take such circumstances into their consideration, and proportion the share of the allowance to such Circuits, according to equity ; but so that in the whole District, taken collcctively, the sum granted shall at all events be less by one fourth, than the sum received and distributed among the Circuits of that District for the last year.-The case of the Allowance to be madc from the Contingent Fund towards the expcuses of the Second Welsh District is provided for by a special Rcgulation.
9. With respect to the plans, which have been frequently recommended, both by Preachers, and by some of our respectable Friends, for stationing the Prcachers' Families, as to their allowances on the Circuits, in a fair and equitable manner, according to the numbers and other circumstances of the Societies, the Confcrence are of opinion, that some such plan would be highly conducive to the comfort of those Preachers who have large families, to the benefit of the Circuits, and to the improvement of our General Finances. The Preachers in London are therefore desircd to make immediatc enquiries, by a Circular Lettcr to the Superintendents or otherwise, as to the whole number of Prcachcrs' Children now to be provided for by the Connexion, and as to other details connected with this subject ; and to ascertain what Number of Members ought in general to be made responsible for the allowance to one child. They are further directed to acquaint the Superintendents with the result of these enquiries. And in the next District Meetings, at the time of the transaction of the financial business, during which the Circuit-Stewards are to be prescnt, according to our rule, they shall be requested to take into consideration the propriety of making every District responsible for providing within itself, and by its own local resources, the Allowances for such a number of Preachers' Children, as would fairly belong to it, according to the principle of proportion to Numbers in Society;-leaving it, howcver, to the Prcachers and Stewards assembled in each District-Mecting to modify the application of that gencral principle, from ycar to ycar, according to their discrction, by relieving the morc burdened Circuits of their own District; so, however, as that the whole Quota of each District for Children may be always raiscd within itself. The opinion of the District-Mectings on the plan now proposed, shall be reported in thcir Minutes, and broaght before the next Conference.
N. B. (1.) 'The Conference find it necessary again to require every Superintendent to take care that the Public Colleetion, in aid of the Contingent Fund, for the support and spread of the Gospel at Home, be made in all our. Congregations, and not later, on any account, than the Second Sunday in July: and every Superintendent is peremptorily enjoined to bring or send the sum so collected in his Circuit to the Treasurer of the Contingent Fund, and to no other person, on the first day of the Meeting of every Conference. These regulations have been found requisite, in order to prevent confusion, and to facilitate the financial business of the Conference. When the Superintendents do not themselves attend the Conference, the Chairmen or Representatives are expected to be prepared in these respects to act for them, and to pay in their Collections, as soon as called for.
(2.) The Superintendents are desired to attend exactly to the Directions concerning the Four General Congregational Collections, anmually made among us, which were published at page 233 of the Minutes of 1816 ; and also to the Directions respecting the Three General Private Subscriptions, which will be found in the Minutes of 1815, p. 128.
Q. 20. What is the deliberate judgment of this Conference respecting the Triemnial Stations of our Preachers?
A. It is agreed, that in order to make our Regulation on this subject more strictly conformable to the provisions of Mr. Wesley's Deed of Declaration, (which is enrolled in Chancery, and constitutes the Legal Charter of Methodism;)-and with a view to the saving of expense, the improvement of our Preachers, and the spiritual welfare of our people,-the Rule shall be as follows :
"Whencver it is proposed to station any Preaeher in the same Circuit for a third year in succession, the reasons assigned for such triennial station shall be specially stated to the Conference, before the appointment is coufirmed."
N. B. Mr. Wesley's Deed of Declaration enacts, that " the Conference shall not nor may appoint any person for more than three years successively to any Chapel."
Q.21. Is it necessary to enforce our Rules which regulate the attendance of the Preachers at the Conferences?
$\boldsymbol{A}$. It appears that in some instances those Rules have not been duly observed. We therefore direct that the Revised Rules on this subject, as published in the Minutes of 1809 , - (Minutes, vol. iii. p. 92,) shall be annually read by the Chairman in every District-Meeting, just before the List is made of Preachers who are allowed to attend the following Conference. The District-Meetings are required to act strictly upon the

Rules thus read. And every Chairman is directed to present to the President, during the first week of the Conference, a List of any Preachers in his District, who shall have come to the Conference in violation of these rules, or without the consent of the District-Meeting.
Q.22. What is the opinion of the Conference respecting Mr. Benson's Commentary on the Holy Scriptures, the publication of which has been lately finished?
A. On the completion of this laborious undertaking, whieh was commenced at our request, and for the benefit of the Methodist Connexion, the Conference feel it to be a duty to return their cordial and unanimous thanks to Mr. Benson for the service which he has thus rendered to our body; and to express their high satisfaction with the solid learning, the soundness of thcological opinion, and the edifying attention to experimental and practical religion, which are displayed in his valuable work.
Q. 23. Can any further improvement be made in the Baptismal Registers of our Connexion?
$A$. The Committee of Privileges are requested to consider, whether, in addition to the present Gencral Methodist Register of Births and Baptisms, now kept in London under their superintendence and sanction, it may not be practicable and expedient to adopt some method, by which the Local Registers kept at our Country Chapels, may be regularly copicd into the Books of our London Office, so as to be duly prescrved and easily referred to.
Q.24. What improvement ean be made in the General Management of our Foreign Missions ?
$A$. The Conference having last year approved, and inserted in their Minutes, the outline of a Plan of a General Wesleyan Missionary Society, and directed the Executive Committce to make much additional arrangements as might be necessary for perfecting it, and carrying it into full effect ;-the said Committee, in pursuance of that direction, presented to the Conference a Report, containing such General Laws and Regulations for the said Society, as secmed to them best ealculated, in the present enlarged and enlarging state of our Missionary concerns, to provide for their due management and permanent support. The Report having been read and considered, the Conference resolved, That it is expedient to adopt some plan by which the piety, talents, information, and influence of some of our respectable Friends, Members of the Mcthodist Society, not being Travelling Preaehcrs, may be brought into co-operation with the exertions of the Preaehers, as Members of the Executive Missionary Committee in London; and that the

Details of the Plan now presented by the London Committee, which Plan includes, among other particulars, a provision for such a co-operation, shall be referred to a Committee of the Confercuce, who shall examinc it, article by article, and report their opiniou respecting it, and respecting any additions to it which they may deem necessary.-The Committee thus appointed having met, and recommended, with only a few alterations, chiefly verbal, the Plan presented by the London Committec, the Conference finally resolved unanimously, That the said Plan, as recommended by the Committee who have examined it, be now adopted.-The Plan is as follows :

## Lau's and Regulations of the General Wesleyan-Methodist Missionary Society.

I. This Institution shall be designated The General Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society.
II. The Object of this Socicty is to excitc and combine, on a plan more systematic and efficient than has heretofore been accomplished, the exertions of the Societies and Congregations of the Wesleyan-Methodists, (and of others, who are friends to the conversion of the Heathen World, and to the preaching of the Gospel, generally, in Foreign Lands,) in the support and enlargement of the Foreign Missions, which were first established by the Rev. Jonn Wesley, A. M. the Rev. Thomas Coke, LL.D. and others, and which are now, or shall be, from ycar to year, carricd on under the sanction and direction of the Conference of the People called Methodists.
III. Every Person subscribing annually the sum of One Guinea, and upwards, and every Bencfactor presenting a Donation of Ten Pounds, and upwards, shall be deemed a Member of this Socicty, and entitled as such to a copy of the General Annual Report.
IV. All Methodist Missionary Socicties, which have already been formed, and those which it is intended to form as soon as it shall be found practicable, for the several Districts of this Kingdom into which the Methodist Connexion is divided, shall be entitled " Mcthodist Missionary Auxiliary Societies," for the Districts in which they have becn or may be formed.All Methodist Missionary Societics already formed, or hereafter to be formed, in the particular Circuits of any District, shall be entitled " Mcthodist Missionary Branch Societies" for the Circuit, or (where there are or shall be more than one such Society in the same Circuit,) for the City, Town, or Village, in which they are or shall be established.-And the formation of Ladies' Branch Associutions, and of Juvenile Branch Societies, in connexion with the Auxiliary Societies of
the several Districts, is also earnestly recommended, whereever separate Institutions of that nature are likely to be advantageous.
V. The Monies raised in any Circuit for the Methodist Missions by Branch Societies or other Local Associations, and all other Monies, in whatsoever way collected, for the same object, shall be regularly paid, once in every quarter or oftener, into the hands of the Treasurer of the Auxiliary Society for the Distriet in which the said Circuit is situated, with the deduction only of such sum as may have been disbursed for the incidental and local expenses of the Branch Society.-And the Treasurer of every District Auxiliary Society shall remit to the Treasurer or Treasurers of the General Society in London, once in every quarter or oftener, all sums so received by him from the various Circuits in his District, deducting only the necessary incidental expenses incurred by the Auxiliary Society.
VI. The Secretaries of every Branch Society, or other Local Association, shall forward annually to the Secretaries of the Auxiliary Society for their District, an Alphabetical List of all the Benefactors and Subscribers during the preceding twclve months, with an account of their respective Contributions; stating at the same time what portion of the sums so received has been detained for local expenses, and what portion has been paid in to the Treasurer for the District :-And the Secretaries of every District Auxiliary Soeiety shall also forward annually to the Secretaries of the Gencral Society in London a similar List of the Benefactors and Subscribers in all the Circuits of their District, and an abstract of the accounts of the Auxiliary Society, shewing its gross receipts, its local payments, and its remittances to the Gcneral Treasurers.
VII. All Benefactors of Ten Pounds and upwards, and all Subscribers of One Guinea and upwards annually, to any of the Auxiliary or Branch Societies, or other Local Associations, in connexion with this Institution, shall be deemed, in right of such Benefaction or Subscription, Members of the General Society.
VIII. All Persons who collect to the amount of One Shilling and upwards weekly, or Five Shillings and upwards monthly, for this Institution, or for any of its Auxiliaries, Branches, or Associations, shall also be Members of the General Society, and entitled to receive a Copy of each Annual Report, and of each Number of the Mcthodist Missionary Notices.
IX. An Annual Public Meeting of the Members and Friends of this Society, connected with such Religious Services as may be deemed expedient, shall be held in London, on the first

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Monday in May; unless that day shall happen to fall on the 6th or 7 th of May, in which case the Mceting shall be held for that year on the 29th or 30th of April.
X. A General Committee shall be appointed by the Conference, to whon shall be entrusted, in the intervals of the Annual Assemblies of that Body, the superintendence of the Collection and Disbursement of all Monies raised for the Foreign Missions, which are now, or may hereafter be, carried on under its sanction, and by the Prcachers in connexion with it, and also the Gencral Management of those Missions, according to the Rules herein after provided. This Committee shall consist of the President and Secretary of the Conference for the time being, and of Forty-eight other Members; at least one-third of whom, (Eight Travelling Preachers, and Eight other Members of the Methodist Society, ) shall be sclected from the Country Circuits; the rest shall be resident in or near London, where Meetings of the Committee shall be held once a month or oftener for the transaction of business. The President of thc Conference for the time being, when present, and in his absence, the Chairman of the London District, or one of the Superintendants of the London Circuits, shall be the Chairman of the Comınittee. Those of the Methodist Ministers who are Annual Subscribers to the Missions of One Guinea, and One Treasurer, Secretary, or other Principal Member from every Auxiliary District Society, who may be in London occasionally, shall be entitled to meet and vote with the Committee.
XI. The London Members of the General Committee shall consist of Sixteen of the Methodist Ministers stationed for the time being in or near London, and of Sixteen Gentlemen, Members of the Methodist Society, not Travelling Preachers. Four out of the last-mentioned Sixtcen shall go out annually, by Rotation. This Rotation, during the first three years, shall be effected by Ballot of the Committee, after which it will procecd in regular course. Four of the Country Members, (two Preachers and two others,) shall also be changed annually.
XII. One or more General Treasurers, who shall be entitled to sit and vote with the Committec, during the year of their continuance in office, shall be aunually appointed by the Conference.
XIII. Three of the Methodist Ministers, stationed in or near London, shall be appointed to conduct the Official Correspondence of the Missions, and to perform the other duties of Secretaries. One of the Secretaries shall always reside, during the period of his remaining in that office, at the Wes-
leyan Mission-House, and he expected to devote himself on the Week-Days, in general, to the service of the Missions exclusively; being subject, however, to all the General Rules of the Connexion, respecting a regular change of Station.
XIV. As all the Missionaries supported by the Funds of this Society are to be Preachers in comnexion with, and under the direction of, the Methodist Conference, and have, generally, a claim to be received as such into the Connexion at Home, on their return from Foreign Stations, the Selection of Missionaries shall be made in the following way: viz.

1. Every Candidate must, in the first instance, be recommended by the Superintendent of the Circuit in which he resides, be approved by the Quarterly Meeting of that Circuit, and be examined and approved also either by the Annual Dis-trict-Meeting, or, at least, by three other Supcrintendents in the neighbourhood.
2. The List of Candidates for Missionary Service, who shall be thus recommended by their several Superintendents, Quar-terly-Meetings, and District-Meetings, \&c. shall be annually laid before the Conference; and such a number of those who are deemed most eligible, as are likely to be wanted in the course of the ensuing twelve months, shall be sent for to the Conference, and examined by a Special Committee in reference to their missionary views and qualifications. In cases where it may be found inexpedient for them to attend the Coeference, they shall be examined by as many of the Preachers of the London District as can conveniently assemble for that purpose.
3. Those Candidates who shall be approved by the Special Committee at the Confcrence, or by the Preachers of the London District as before mentioned, shall be entered on the List of Received Missionaries, and be subject to the call of the General Committee for such Stations as may need supply or reinforcement.
4. When Preachers, already engaged as such in the Connexion at Home, offer themselves for Foreign Service, they shall be personally examined in reference to that subject, by a Special Committee at the Conference, or, if that be impracticable, by as many of the Preachers of the London District as can conveniently assemble for the purpose, and shall, if approved, be also placed on the List of Received Missionaries.
5. If it shall at any time appear to a majority of the General Committee in London, that there are reasons why any Preacher called out from the said List of Received Missionaries, and proposed for a Foreign Station, should not proceed upon that Service, they shall have a right to suspend his appointment as
a Missionary, until the ensuing Conference shall specially consider and determine on his case.
6. If, in the intervals of the Annual Meetings of the Confercucc, the List of received Missionaries shall be exhausted, and more Missionaries shall be urgently wanted,-or if an inmediate supply shall be needed for some Station of peculiar difficulty, or recuiring peculiar qualifications,-the General Committec shall be at liberty to employ such Pcrsons as they deem suitable. Provided always, That such Persons shall have been previously recommended by their respeetive Superintendents, by the Quarterly Meetings of the Cireuits in which they reside, and either by the District-Meetings, or by three other neighbouring Superintendents,-and also previously examined and approved by as many of the Preaehers of the London District as can conveniently assemble, who shall be considered, on such occasions, as exercising, on behalf of theConference, the same functions which would in ordinary eases belong to the Special Committee appointed during the sittings of the Conference, aecording to the 2d and 4th Articles of this Rule :Provided also, That this right of the Committee to employ Missionaries not entered on the Annual List, shall be exereised only in case of pressing necessity, and not without the consent of the President of the Conference for the time being.
XV. The Plan for stationing the Missionaries, supported by this Society, shall be annually drawn up by the Secretaries, laid before the General Committee in London, and, if approved by them, recommended to the Conference.
XVI. The Trial of Missionaries, who may at any time be accused of miseondurt, or of having deviated from the Doctrines and Discipline of the Connexion, shall in all ordinary cases be left with the Foreign Distriet-Meetings to which such Missionaries may at the time belong, aeeording to the General Rules and Usages of the Methodist Conference. But the Conference shall have, as heretofore, the right of reealling any Missionary, whether put on his Trial by a Forcign DistrictMeeting or not, whenever there shall appear to them to be reason for such Recal. And, in the intervals of the sittings of the Conference, the General Committee in London shall possess a similar power of Reeal, and of putting any Missionary, so recalled by them, upon his Trial before the ensuing Conferencc, or, in case of necessity for immediate decision, before the Preachers of the London District.
XVII. For the satisfaction of the numerous Country Friends of this Society, on whose continued eo-operation so much depends, and many of whom are in the habit of attending the Annual Meetings of the Conference, it is agreed, that a Special

Meeting of the General Committce shall be hold, once a ycar, at the place where the Confcrence is held, at nine o'clock in the morning of the Friday preceding the last Monday in July. To this Mecting the Conference shall, from ycar to year, inviic Nine Preachers, and Nine other Members of the Methodist Socicty, resident in the ncighbourhood, who are not Travelling Preachers, together with the Treasurers and Sccrctaries of the different Auxiliary and Branch Societies in the Vicinity, and such other leading Country Friends of the Methodist Missions as can conveniently attend. The Persons thus assembled, in conjunction with those regular Members of the General Committee who ean be present, shall review the Minutes of the Financial Business transacted during the preceding ycar, and examine the Gencral Accounts of the Statc and Expenditure of every Mission. Any suggestions for the improrement or extension of the Missionary Concerns of the Connexion, which this Special Mecting may deem it expedient to recommend, shall be minuted by the Secretarics, and promptly considered by the Conferencc, or at the subsequent regular Mectings of the General Committee in London.
XVIII. It is earnestly rccommended to the Members of this Society, and of the Auxiliary Societies, and other Local Associations, in connexion with it, to consider it as an indispensable part of their daily Christian duty, to pray to Almigiry God for a blessing npon its designs, and apon those of all similar Societies of other Denominations, engaged in the Propagation of the Gospel of Jesus Cirist; under the full conviction, that unless He " prevent us in all our doings with his most gracious favom, and further us with his continual help," we camot reasonably hope for a succession of Persons of proper spirit and qualifications for the Office of Missionaries, nor expect their labours to be crowned with the desired success. And it is further hoped that with the same view, all the Members and Friends of this Society will sanction, in their scveral neighbourhoods, by ticir presence and influence, the Monthly Missionary Prayer-Meetings, which should be held in cvery Chapel in the Mcthodist Connexion, according to the Recommendation of the Conference, published in their Minutes for I8I5; at which Meetings, Extracts from the Missionary Noticcs, containing recent intelligence from the Foreign Stations, may be read, and united supplications offered up for the salvation of the World.
Q. 25 . Who compose the General Missionary Committee for the ensuing year, formed according to the Provisions of the Plan adopted in the preceding Minute?
$A$. The President and Secretary of the Conference;-the

General Treasurers ;-Sixteen of the Preachers appointed for London, (ineluding the Superintendents of the Deptford and Hammersmith Cireuits;)--and the following Gentlemen : viz.

## For London :

Mr. Joseph Bulmer;
Mr. John Cooper;
Mr. Isatc Day ;
Mr. Dowson ;
Thonas Farmer, Esq.;
Dr. Hamilton;
L. Haslope, Esq.;

Mr. Handyside ;
Thomas Marriott, Esq.;
Mr. Rance;
C. Sundius, Esq.;

Mr. Richard Smith;
Mr. J. K. Sutcliffe;
Mr. John Townend.*

For the Country :
Rev. James Wood, Wakefield; Riehard Fawcett, Esq. of - Henry Moore, York; Bradford;

- Dr. Clarke, Liverpool ; J. Fison, Esq. of Thetford;
- Walter Griffith, Bristol; Thomas Holy, Esq. of Shef-
- John Gaulter, Rochester;
- Rich. Reece, Leeds;
- Jos. Entwisle, Sheffield; field;
- Robert Newton, Liverpool ;

Mr. James Murrow, of Liverpool;

Robert Camplon, Esq. of Mr. Wood, of Bristol. Whitby;
N.B. 1. Thomas Thompson, Esq. of Hull, and Mr. George Marsden, of London, have aceepted the Office of General Treasurers for the Missions for the ensuing year.
2. The General Secretaries for the Missions, for the ensuing year, are, Jabez Bunting, Joseph Taylor, jun., and Richard Watson.
3. It is particularly requested that all Letters, Remittances, and other Communications, on Missionary Business, whether from Missionaries abroad, or from Persons at home, designed for the Committec, Treasurers, or Secretaries, may be addressed to them respcetively, at the Wesleyan Mission-House, No. 77, Hatton Garden, London.
4. The following Preachers, and other Friends, are particularly invited to attend the Special Mecting of the

[^17]Missionary Conımittce, which will be held in King Street Chapel, Bristol, at nine o'clock in the Morning of Friday, July 23d, 1819, according to the 17 th Ruie of the Plan adopted in the proceding Minute: viz. Joscph Taylor, sen., William Myles, Johı Stamp, Robert Miller, John Braithwaite, James Buckley, John Stephens, Charles Gloyne, and John Brownell; Thomas Roberts, Esq., Mr. John Hall, Mr. John Irring, and Mr. Samucl White, all of Bristol;-Mr. Hadden and Mr. Orchard, of Bath; Mr. Joseph Carne, of Cornwall ; Mr. Josiah Webb, of Portsmouth ; and Mr. Bush, of Midsummer-Norton; together with those Rcgular Members of the General Committec who can conveniently be present, and the Treasurers and Secretaries of the Auxiliary and Branch Missionary Societics in the vicinity, \&c.
5. It was unanimously resolved, That the Conference most cordially approves and concurs in the following Resolution of the late Committee of Examination and Finance: viz. "That the thanks of this Meeting bc "given to Thomas Thompsox, Esq. and the Rev. Jimes "Wood, for their raluable Scrvices as the General "Treasurcrs, duriug the past ycar; and that, on the "occasion of Mr. Wood's Removal from Loudon, and " the consequent termination of his scrvices in this "Department, they feel themselres particulariy called " upon to express their high sense of the faithful and " diligent manncr in which he has discharged the labo" rious duties of his office,"
6. The thanks of the Conference are likewisc presented to Mr. Marsden and Mr. Witsov for their faithful and disinterested labours as Secretaries for the Missions during the past year,
7. It was unanimously resolved, That the particular thanks of the Conference be presented to Mr. John Irving, of Bristol, for his great gencrosity in allowing Nine of our Missionaries to sail gratuitously in his ships to the West Indies, during the past year.
8. It was also unanimously resolved, That the President and Sccretary shall immediately transmit to the Honourable Sir Alexander Johnston, Kuight, Chief Justice of Ceylon, the most respectful thauks of this Conference, so justly duc to him for his kind attentions to our Missionaries in that Ishend, and for the effectual countenance and support which he has rendered to their Mission, as well as for his strenuous and successful exertions in the cause of Christianity in general.
Q. 26. Is any Alteration neccssary in our Rule respecting thc Marriages of Missionaries before the termination of their Probation?
A. On the recommendation of the late Committee of Examination and Finance, the Conference resolves, That if any Married Missionary, who has not previously travelled in a Circuit at home, be appointed to the British Colonics in America, or for the Wcst Indies,-or, if a Single Missionary, already employed in those Stations, be allowed by the Connmittcc to marry before the term of his Probation shall be complcted,-such Missionarics shall be required to engage, that they will stay on somc Forcign Station four years longer, then the period of Scrvice usually required from Missionarics stationed in those parts of the world;-excepting only in the case of confirmed ill health.
Q. 27. When and wherc shall our next Confcrence be held ? A. In Bristol, on the last Monday in July, 1819.

Signed on behalf and by order of the Conference, JONATHAN EDMONDSON, President. JABEZ BUNTING, Secretary.
Leeds, August 12, 1818.
N. B. 1. The next Conference is appointed to be held in Bristol, instead of Liverpool, (which, according to the former order, was the Place next in succession to Leeds,) for the purpose of avoiding the inconvenicnce of holding three Coiferences successively in the North of England, of which the Preachers and Circuits in the South and West have frequently complained.
2. The Stationing Committee are to assemble at six o'clock in the morning of the Monday before the commencement of the next Conference. Brothers Henshaw and Warren are to meet at the samc time, to audit and prepare the General Accounts. And Brother Thomas Jackson, the Sub-Sccretary, is likewise directed to attend, for the purpose of compiling from the District-Minutes various Lists, \&r. which will facilitate the business of the subsequent Confercuce.
3. It is particularly requested that all Letters written to the President or Secretary, or other Preachers, whether during the Sitting of the Conferencc, or in the course of the ycar, on public business of any kind, may be sent post-paid.-The President's Address is, Methodist Chapel, Birmingham;-That of the Secretary, No. 10, Bache's Row', Charles' Square, Hoxton, London.

## The Address of the Irish Conference to the British Conference.

Beloved Fathers and Brethren,
Through the tender mercy of the Lord, we have been preserved during another year of painful exercise. We adore the gracious Providence which hath kept us; and our hearts glow with gratitude, in the midst of trials, for thc favours we have received.
With more than ordinary fcelings of brotherly affection we again address you, and rejoice in the growing confidence we have as to your livcly concern for our welfare. This confidence has been greatly strengthoned by the reading of your last Address. The scutiments which it communicates are deeply engraven on our hearts. Amidst our tribulations we are filled with comfort, by the tenderness of your sympathy, and the cordiality of your Christian affection. The declaration made by your President, that we werc your Children, and that you would not forsake us in the hour of our distress, and your affectionate concurrence in this declaration, afforded us the liveliest joy. We also gratefully express our acknowlcdgments for the arrangement you have becn pleased to make with your Book-Stcward in our behalf.

Wc were deeply concerned, during the political agitations which afflicted your country, lest any of your dear people should have been drawn aside from the truth of the Gospel, and from their habitual attachment to our beloved Monarch and incomparable Constitution. We rejoice in the promptitude and success of your ministcrial efforts to "deliver them from so great a death."

With pleasure we bchold the rising prosperity of your trade, and the cheering prospect of an abundant harvest ; knowing that temporal good things contribute to the support and extension of the Work of God.

In the order of a mysterious, yct adorable Providencc, we have, dear Fathers and Brethren, been called to " endure a great fight of afflictions." Twenty-six of our Chapels were shut against us; our characters were maligned; and (for 110 other reason, than bccause we granted the administration of the Christian Sacraments by our own Prcachers to a large number of our People, who had long petitioncd for them, we were represented as unfriendly to the excellent constitution of the Empire in Church and State. And, what we deplore more than any thing clse, many of our dear People, the seals of our ministry in the Lord, have been unhappily induced to
decline for the present any farther connexion with us. In the midst of our difficultics, God, who comforteth those who are cast down, has been graciously pleased to raise up many sympathizing friends, who have encouraged and strengthened us in the Lord, and with generous liberality have come forward to assist us in mecting our pecuniary difficultics. Our financial affairs, however, are still exceedingly embarrassed; and we are called to cudure privations of the most serious kind. We would say more on this subject, but our respected President, and Brother Bunting, together with our Brethren, Messrs. Steele and Tobias, can fully explain every thing to you relating to our affairs. In November, 1816, when some of our Chapels were wrested from us, a Committce of our Friends was formed in Dungannon, who appealed to Chancery in vindication of our rights; and though for some time we were unwilling, through our love for Peace, to engage in legal proceedings, yet in this we now plainly discover the Providence of God. By the late Decision in the Rolls Court, in the case of the London-Derry Chapel, our rights have been fully established; our œconomy is better explained and understood; and the union and confidence of our friends are considerably strengthened. With pleasure we mention to you the faithful labours and valuable scrvices of the above-mentioned Committee; the result of which is of great importance to our wholc Connexion.

Notwithstanding the painful agitations of many parts of our Body, in the last year, God has been graciously pleased to pour out his Spirit; many sinners have been awakened and converted; and some of those who left us have already returned again. The labours of our Missionaries also have been greatly blessed. Still, we have to deplore a decrease, on the whole, in our numbers; occasioned partly by the rendings of some Circuits, since our last Conference, and partly by enigrations to the Canadas and other parts of Anierica, and by the afflicting ravages of the Typhus Fever. In one Circuit alone, One Hundred and Twenty emigrated, and about One Hundred died. Nevertheless we are encouraged in the Lord, and carnestly look forward for the fulfilment in our case of the following Scriptures:" Therefore, thus saith the Lord, who redeemed Abraham, concerning the house of Jucob; Jucob shall not now be ashamed, neither shall his face uav. pale; but when he seeth his children, the work of mine hand, in the midst of him, they shall sanctifiy my name, and sanctify the Ifoly One of Jacob, and fear the God of Israel. They also that erred in spirit shall conce to understancing, and they that murmured shall learn doctrine.-The children which thou shult
kave, after thou hast lost the other, shall say again in thine ears, The place is too strait for me, give place that I may dwell."
We gratcfully acknowledge your kindness in favouring us with the assistance of our highly-respected and valuable Friends, Messrs. Gaulter and Bunting. While they have entered with all the sympathy of Christian affection into our distresses and sorrows, we have reaped much pleasure and profit from the wisdom of thcir counsels in Conference, and from the zealous exertions of their highly respectable and useful talents in the pulpit. The manner in which our President has discharged the dutics of his office has given us the highest satisfaction. We unanimously rcquest that you will appoint two of your Body to visit Ireland about two Months previous to our next Conference, to make the tour of the principal places in our Island, from which in our present state we anticipate the happiest results.
Our beloved Brother Steele has been chosen our Representative to you, and Brother Tobras is requested to accompany him. In these Brethren we rcpose the fullest confidence; and we have no doubt but you will affictionately receive them in the Lord.
Notwithstanding the efforts which have been made to disunite us, never did we at any former period possess greatcr unanimity of sentiment, or cordiality of affection, than at the present Conference. Under the gracious influence of our living Head, we are resolved to give oursclves wholly to the work of the Ministry ; to be " instant in season and out of season ; to reprove, rebukc, and exhort, with all long-suffering and doctrine."
And now, dcar Fathers and Brethren, we commend you to God, and pray that his presence and blessing may be with you in all your deliberations for the good of his Church; and "that when the Chief Shepherd shall appear ye may rcceive a crown of glory, which fadeth not away."

Signed in behalf and by ordcr of the Irish Conference, WILLIAM SMITH, Secretary.
Conference-Room, Dublin, July 11, 1818.
The Ansiver of the British Conference to the Address from the Irish Conference.
Beloved Brethren,
Your affectionate and interesting Address we have received with great pleasurc. We have tenderly felt for you in the painful trials with which you have been exercised during the
last year. But we rejoice that you have been so supported and preserved, that you have not only been patient but thankful. Be assured that the growing confidence in us, which you express, excites in us a growing affection for you ; and that we are unfeigncdly glad that our sympathy has in any measure contributed to your relief and comfort.

With much gricf we learn, that, in the great fight of affliction which you have been called to endure, various Chapels were illegally shat against you, your ministry obstructed, and your proceedings grievously misrepresented. And our sorrow is increased, because we are satisfied that these injuries were not provoked by you, but resulted from the prejudices or the intolerance of those who persisted in refusing to a large number of their Christian Brethren the privilege of having the Holy Sacraments, instituted by the Lord, administered to them by their own Preachers, in the way for whieh they had so long and so earnestly petitioned.

It affords us the highest satisfaction to be assured, that while your mistaken opponents have represented you as hostile to our Constitution in Church and State, your conduct has sufficiently proved the injustice of the charge. And whilst we, as well as you, lament most deeply that many of the seals of your ministry in the Lord have been induced to renounce connexion with you, we rejoice to find, that, in the midst of these difficulties, God has raised up sympathizing friends, who have encouraged and strengthened you, by the generous liberality with which they have come forward to assist you. We are not surprised that, notwithstanding the help which you have reccived, your cmbarrassments are still very great, and that you are likely to be for some time longer under the necessity of making very painful sacrifices. Such is our feeling upon this point, that nothing but the pressing nature of our own financial difficulties should prevent us from affording you efficient relief. Both you and ourselves must endeavour to profit in the school of trial in which we are, in this respect, at present placed. Temporal privations have often becu sanctified to the gond both of individuals and of churches. Let us pray and labour that this may be the case with us.

The late Decision of the Rolls Court, in the case of the London-Derry Chapel, by which our rights have been fully vindicated, is of general importance to our Comexion, and ought to excite peculiar gratitude towards Him by whom kings reign, and princes decree justice. The friends who compose the Dungannon Committee are also contised to our wamest thanks and affectionate remembranes. We trust that the very best use will be made of this memorable decision, and
that all the other Chapels, of which you were unjustly deprived, will now be promptly and peaceably restored. The most encouraging part of your Address is that which states, That, during the last year, God has been pleased, iin many parts of Ireland, to pour out his Spirit; so that Simers have been awakened, and Backsliders recovered. We rejoice especially in the success of your Missionaries ; while we cannot but deplore, in conjunction with you, the decrease in the total number of your Societies, occasioned partly, as you state, by the Typhus Fever, and by Emigrations, and partly by the divisions made in various Circuits. In circumstances so distressing to true Pastors, we are happy to perceive that your hearts are fixed, resting in God, and trusting in his great and precious promises.

Your acknowledgment of the pleasure and bencfit which you have reaped from the judicious counsels, the zealous exertions, and the ministerial scrvices of our very valuable and nuch respected Brethren, Messrs. Gaulter aud Bunting, is what we were prepared to expect, from the pleasing experience which we have so long had of their attachment to our Body, and gencral usefulness. With their visit to Ireland they appear to have been highly gratified; and have convinced us, by the manner in which they speak of you and your People, that you have a deep interest in their affectionate remembrances and prayers.
Your choice of Brother Steele to represent you in our Conference has been perfectly satisfactory to us. Both he and Brother Tobias have met with a cheerful and affectionate raception among us. And during our various sittings, their conduct has been altogether brotherly and christian.

It is with gratitude to the God of Grace and Love that we inform you, that great peace and harmony generally prevail among us in England; and that we have increased and increasing prospects of usefulnces, both at home, and in various stations occupied by our Foreign Minsionaries.
As the President of your next Conference, we have appointed our own President, Mir. Edmozdson. And we have requested our worthy and beloved Brethren, George Marsden and Robert Newton, to accompany and to assist him in rendering to you all possible Christian and ministerial service ; especially in the Formation or Anniversaries of your Auxiliary and Branch Missionary Societies.
And now, Brethren, we commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up. We pray that both you and we may possess and display still more and more, in spirit and in practice, the wisdom which cometll from
above. Let your moderation bc known unto all men : The Lord is at hand. Avoid, as much as you properly ean, all further controversy on the points lately disputed among you. Be not overeome of evil, but overcome evil with good. Steadily and peaceably pursue the path of duty in whieh the Lord has led you. Preach the Word, faithfully, zealously, and indefatigably. Rush into every open door, and cry, " Behold the Lamb of God who taketh away the sin of the world." Be steadfast and unmoveable, always abounding in the Work of the Lord, and your labour shall not be in vain in the Lord. Both as Christians and Ministers, let your conversation be as becometh the Gospel of Christ ; so that both those of us, who eome and see you, and others who hear of your affairs, may rejoiee to know that you stand fast in one spirit, striving together for the hope of the Gospel.

Death has lately made more than ordinary inroads on our Connexion. Many exeellent Brethren, both young and aged, have been called from the labours of earth to the rest of heaven. These visitations of Providence are solemnly admonitory to us who remain for a while in the Vineyard. Let us work while it is day; and may the hand of the Lord be with us!

Signed by order and in behalf of the Conference, JON. EDMONDSON, President. Leeds, Aug. 12, 1818.
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The Rev. Joinn Weslev, Founder of the Methodist Societies, alzays presided in the Conference during his long and useful life. He died March 2, 1791, in the 88th year of his age.
The following is a list of the $P_{\text {residents }}$ which have presided since his death, woith the date of their Election, and the Places zohere the Conferences were held.

## N. B. Those with this mark * affixed to them are now dead.

| 1791, Manchester, R | Rev. William Thompson.* |
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| 1802, Bristol, | Rev. Joseph Taylor. |
| 1803, Manchester, | Rev. Joseph Bradford,* second Election. |
| 1804, London, | Rev. Henry Moore. |
| 1805, Sheffield, | Rev. Dr. Coke,* second Election. |
| 1806, Leeds, | Rev. Dr. Clarke. |
| 1807, Liverpool, | Rev. John Barber.* |
| 1808, Bristol, | Rev. James Wood, second Election. |
| 1809, Manchester, | Rev. Thomas Taylor, second Election. |
| 1810, London, | Rev. Joseph Benson, second Election |
| 1811, Sheffield, | Rev. Charles Atmore. |
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[^2]:    * Benjamin Hiley has travelled four years, but is not received into full connexion at present, on account of the state of his health.

[^3]:    Bristol, Aug. 10, 1814.

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[^6]:    0 The numbers In the Welsh Societies, in the Carmarthen, Swansea, and Brecon Circuits, do not appear to have been given in, nor at all included in the published Lists. Last year they amounted, together, to 479. This omission must, of course, have occasioned a corresponding inaecuracy in the statements of the General Increase, and of the Total Numbers, of this year.

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[^8]:    *Brother Le Sueur, who has travelled five years, should have been entered ne admitted into full connexion last year. His name was then omitted by mistake.

[^9]:    *Mr. Bardsley died about a week after the close of the Conference.

[^10]:    *In consequence of the sudden death of Mr. Brawnwell, which occurred early in the morning of Thursday, August 13th, (a few hours after the close of the Conference, the Presioent called a meeting of nuch Preachers as remained in Leeds, in order to consider of the best way of supplying the vacancy thus occasioned in the Salford station : And, in conformity to their unanimons advice, he has directed that Mr. مowneey shalt undertake the office of Superimendant, and that. Mr. Georfre Earker, who was appointed by the Conference as sccond Preacher for the Cleckhealun circuit, shall be desired to assist Mr. Townley and Dr. 'Tafy, in the Salford circuit, during the ensuing year. - The place of Mr. Barker, thus removed from Cleckhcaton, is to be supplied by John Wilson Pipe, of the Manchester circuit, whose name is on the List of Reserve, and whom the Piesident will call out for that purpose.

    + In consequence of the vacancy in the office of Chairman of this District, octasioned by Mr. Bramwell's death, the President reqnests that the Preachers of every Curcuit in the Dintrict will immediately signify, by letter addressed to Mr. Jackson, at Manchester, what Brother they severally wish to succeed Mr. Bramwell as their Chairman for this year. Wheu all the votes shall have been coliected Mr. Jaceson will announce to the Circuits the person chosen by the majority.

[^11]:    * See the note under Salford, Musthesser.

[^12]:    * Mr Brackensury died on the 11 th of August, 1818; but hffore the account was received the Conference was concluded.

[^13]:    * See the note under the names of Sister 'raft and Sister G. Barher, in the ansur to Question x. [. 42s.

[^14]:    * In consequence of Brother George Barker's removal from the Leeds District, to supply the Salford Circuit, a correspondent change must of course take place with respect to the wives' salaries. The Salford Circuit, or the Manchester District, will now be responsible for the allowances ou account of sisters Townley, 'laft, and Parker.

[^15]:    *These are chiefly Hottenint soldiers. The grealer part of the Europeans whe were in the Society, are removed from the Cape.
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[^16]:    * A Letter will be sent to the Superintendents, in cue time, to state what is the Quota of the General Debs to be raised in their Circuita respectively.

[^17]:    * From two other Gentlemen, nominated as London Members of the Committee, anawers have not as jet been receivel, in consequence of their being out of ' $o w n$, Those whose names are now published, for London and for the Country, have all signified thrir acceptance of the appointment. The complete List, when made, will be published in the Report of the Missions for 1818, now in the press,

[^18]:    Creditor.
    

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