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THE FIRST
ANNUAL REPORT
OF
THE CATHOLIC INSTITUTE
OF
GREAT BRITAIN:



WITH AN
APPENDIX;
CONTAINING
ABSTRACT OF CASH ACCOUNT, ENDING 3rd JUNE, 1839, LIST OF
AUXILIARY BRANCHES, LIST OF PUBLICATIONS, AND
PARTICULARS OF DISTRIBUTION.

1839.

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At the First Annual Meeting of the CATHOLIC INSTITUTE OF GREAT BRITAIN, held at the Freemasons' Hall, Great Queen Street, on the 5th of June, by adjournment from the 8th of May, 1839,

JAMES WHEBLE, ESQ. *in the Chair,*

The following Resolutions were unanimously passed :

That the Report now read be adopted, and that the same, with the addition of such documents as the Committee may think fit to annex thereto, be printed and circulated under the direction of the Committee.

That the rapid extension of the Institute, and the great favour it has met with from all classes of Catholics, augur well for its future prospects, and for the ultimate attainment of those objects for which it has been formed.

That to achieve these objects, it is desirable that all Catholics should cordially unite, not only by contributing according to their means to the common fund, but by aiding the Institute in working out its plans, on the principles laid down in the Regulations.

That as the complete organization of the British Catholics, by the formation of congregational branches of the Institute, is a measure of the highest importance for securing efficiency to its operations, and the full development of its objects, this Meeting do earnestly and respectfully request the Clergy to lend their aid in forming auxiliaries to the parent Society in their respective localities.

That the thanks of this Meeting are due, and are hereby given, to the Office-bearers of the Institute, for the zeal, ability, and discretion, which they have evinced in conducting its affairs ; by which they have justly acquired the confidence of its Members, and given an earnest to the Catholic body at large for its future good management.

That the following Gentlemen be the Committee for the ensuing year, with power to add to their number, to any extent not exceeding fifty. (*Here followed the Names of twenty-one Members of the Committee, who have since added to their numbers. See the List.*)

That MR. JAMES SMITH be re-appointed Secretary to the Institute for the ensuing year.

MR. WHEBLE having vacated the Chair, and MR. LANGDALE having been called thereto, the thanks of the Meeting, on the motion of MR. O'CONNELL, seconded by MR. CLINT, were voted to the worthy Chairman, for his able and dignified conduct in the Chair.

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IN compliance with the tenth fundamental rule or article of the Institute, your Committee proceed to lay before the general body, an account of its "funds, proceedings, and present condition," and, as far as they are able, of its "future prospects."

Your Committee, as formed last year, have proceeded from time to time, to add to their numbers, under the authority of the ninth rule; so that, in addition to the clergy and other members, *ex officio*, the members, by election, are now forty-one in number.

It was anticipated, that a Committee so numerous, would be too large for the ordinary concerns of the Institute; and it was therefore intended rather as an intermediate body, from which sub-committees, to be under its control, might be selected for various purposes, than as constituting, of itself, the acting board of direction.

Accordingly, soon after its appointment, it was thought fit to establish, out of its members, first, a Sub-committee of Finance, whose duty, beyond that imported by the title, viz. the management of the pecuniary affairs of the Institute, would be to organize and to correspond with local branches or affiliations: secondly, a Sub-committee for Regulating the Issue of Tracts and other Publications; and thirdly, a Sub-committee for purposes not particularly within the province of the two first, and which was, therefore, styled the Sub-committee for General Purposes.

Meetings of the General Committee have been held once a month; and at these meetings, the proceedings of the various Sub-committees have been reported and discussed.

The respective operations of the different Sub-committees may be succinctly stated as follows.

Through the agency of the Sub-committee of Finance, branches or affiliations have been formed in various parts of the country; and many others, it is believed, are in the course of formation. A list of those already organized, will be found in the Appendix. (See No. II.)

It will be gratifying to the Institute, at large, to learn, that perfect harmony and concurrence have prevailed between the branches and the parent institution in all their operations; and from the past, there is no reason to doubt the uninterrupted continuance for the future, of the same good understanding and mutual satisfaction.

Considerable subscriptions have been likewise received from individuals resident in places, where, from the small number of Catholics, it has not yet been found practicable to form local affiliations. Nevertheless, such are the advantages to be derived from even small associations, in the greater convenience of correspondence, of remittance, and distribution, of publications and in other respects, that the Committee earnestly hope they will be adopted wherever it can be in any way accomplished.

To this end, viz. the formation of Auxiliary Societies, your Committee call your attention to the important correspondence between the Rev. Dr. Youens and Mr. Yates, the secretary of the Liverpool branch, and the General Secretary, as embodying the principles on which they would recommend branch societies to be framed; and to the report from that branch.*

In the course of the first year of the Institute, it appears, so far as the accounts have as yet been received, that the amount subscribed has been £790. 10s. 3d.

It is proposed, at the end of the next year, to print a list of those subscribers, who may not object, in the appendix to the Report. It was thought, on the whole, more advisable not to do so this year, without the express sanction of the subscribers. But this omission appears to your Committee to be of little importance, as the books of the Institute are open to the free inspection of all its members.

Of the amount subscribed, the sum of £629. 11s. 8d. has been already paid in. The non-remittance of the remainder, is to be attributed to the difficulty of sending up small sums, subscribed in different parts of the country, remote from the metropolis, and unconnected with each other. This difficulty, however, will be much diminished by the extended formation of branches or affiliations, as before recommended.

* The Committee think it desirable, on due consideration, to publish the correspondence and report here referred to, together with other important documents connected with the origin and progress of the Institute, in a separate publication, by way of introduction to the report.

A detailed account of the expenditure likewise appears in the Appendix. (See No. I.) It may be reduced under general heads, thus :

House expenses	£72	19	0
Furniture for ditto	65	17	6
Gratuity to Secretary	70	0	0
Publication and circulation of tracts, prayer books, &c.	226	15	10
Extra costs in the case of <i>Brecks v. Woolfrey</i>	14	19	4
Shorthand writer in this case -	12	0	0
Contributions to the expenses sustained by the Nuns at Scorton, in vindicating themselves from a libel by the Rev. Michael Augustus Gathercole	15	0	0
Allowance to the Rev. C. and H. Brigham	20	0	0
Incidental expenses - - -	59	8	5

Upon this expenditure, your Committee beg leave to offer the following explanatory observations :

Up to, and for some time after, the establishment of the Institute, the meetings were held in rooms which they were permitted to use by the kindness of one of their members. This permission, however, could be but temporary, and the Sub-committee of Finance, therefore, considered it expedient to fix on some certain and permanent domicile, as well for the meetings, as for the general management of the affairs of the Institute. Accordingly, a portion of the house, No. 14, Soho Square, has been lately hired for that purpose. Some of the apartments have been assigned to the Secretary, for his residence, and the rest have been moderately furnished. The sum awarded to the Secretary was in the nature of a recompense for his services, from the 9th July, 1838, to the 8th of May last, and was fixed rather in proportion to the limited condition and then uncertain prospects of the finances of the Institute, than to his laborious and increasing duties. To these, indeed, it was far from being adequate. The other heads of expenditure, it is submitted by your Committee, are literally in accordance with the two declared objects of the association, viz. "the vindication of our holy religion from calumnious attack, and the protection of its poorer and more defenceless adherents from oppression for conscience sake."

In pursuit of the former purpose, and in compliance with the desire of all the Vicars Apostolic, expressed when they became patrons of the Institute, a divine of the London district, of great eminence and attainments, has been appointed by the Right Reverend Prelate of that district, to revise the publications intended for distribution. With his concurrence, the Sub-com-

mittee of Publications, have caused new and cheap editions to be printed and extensively circulated, of many of the most popular and approved works on Catholic doctrines, and of that admirable compilation of prayers, which is to be found in the "Soldiers and Seamen's Prayer Book." Other works are under consideration, but a list of those already determined upon and published, with the particulars of the distribution, will be found in the Appendix. (See Nos. III. and IV.) Your Committee have readily attended to all applications made for a supply of these publications, but they hope, that in the next year, a plan may be matured for placing such supply upon a more regular and certain footing.

The case of *Brecks v. Woolfrey*, created too general a sensation throughout the country, amongst persons of all religious denominations, to render it necessary here to recall the circumstances to the recollection of Catholics, in whom it must have excited a more particular interest. It appeared to the Subcommittee for General Purposes, that this was a case specially calling for the interference of the Institute; and when they were appealed to for assistance, it was readily and unanimously granted.

The consequences are before the public. A poor widow, having erected a tomb-stone to the memory of her husband, on which she had placed an inscription recommending him to the prayers of the faithful, was harassed by a prosecution, which would have overwhelmed her, if unsupported. But she has been carried through it triumphantly, by the aid of the Institute. This demonstration on their part, firmly, but temperately made, will have a good effect in preventing the recurrence of similar attacks from any other quarter. And lastly, as a consequence of, perhaps, the greatest importance to the progress of truth; it has been the means of procuring from the Chief Ecclesiastical Judge of the Church of England, a judicial decision, corresponding in effect with the inscription on the husband's tombstone, that "it is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead." The controversy which has followed in the Church of England itself, on a point of such fundamental importance as that of praying for the dead, which the great mass of its members had been taught from their infancy to believe a heterodox, if not superstitious practice, will, it is hoped, give fresh impulse to the spirit of religious enquiry,—that first great step towards the abandonment of error.

In the case of the Reverend Mr. Gathercole, likewise, your Committee felt called upon to render their assistance. A libel upon a body of defenceless ladies of the highest respectability, and of exemplary piety, imputing to them the most scandalous offences, called for the indignation of every honourable mind. The proceedings necessary to vindicate them from such atrocious charges, were attended with very heavy expense. Numerous

contributors came forward to diminish the burthen, and your Committee felt assured, that they would be acting only in conformity with the feelings and wishes of the Institute at large, if they were likewise to contribute a small portion of its funds to the same good purpose.

Upon a retrospect, therefore, of the past year, the first of the Association, your Committee feel themselves entitled to congratulate their fellow-labourers upon the success which, under divine Providence, has attended their exertions.

A large portion of all the classes into which the British Catholic community may be divided, have already joined the Institute. For this result, we are pre-eminently indebted to the general and zealous co-operation of the official guardians of our faith, our venerable Prelates, and their pious and indefatigable Clergy. Its contributors, from the higher classes of the Laity, comprehend many of those who will be readily recognized as the munificent supporters of every undertaking in the cause of Catholic charity. The middle classes have likewise largely contributed their zealous labours and pecuniary assistance; and the mite of the poor man, has not been, in any degree, wanting. If, then, the retrospect be a source of such well-founded gratification, your Committee feel that they may likewise look forward with confidence to the future. The amount subscribed in the first year, is great almost beyond precedent in other institutions for propagating the tenets of richer denominations. Its future success will find its best security, in a close and strict adherence to the purposes for which it was avowedly formed, and the pursuit of these with firmness and perseverance, combined with temper and moderation. By steadily proceeding in that course, your Committee believe that the general co-operation of their fellow-Catholics of Great Britain will be the more readily obtained, and that the Institute may best hope to realise the great objects of its formation. These are, the general exposition, and correct understanding by others, of the real doctrines and observances of Catholics, and the free and sure enjoyment of the blessings which they afford to all, even the poorest, of their adherents.

PHILIP H. HOWARD, *Chairman.*

JAMES SMITH, *Secretary.*

Catholic Institute Committee Room,
4th June, 1839.



APPENDIX.—No. I.

ABSTRACT of the Cash Account of the Catholic Institute of Great Britain, ending 3rd June, 1839.

RECEIPTS.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
To amount of Subscriptions and Donations	-	-	-	401	9	0
Received from Auxiliaries, viz.:						
Chelsea Auxiliary	-	-	39	8	2	
Oxfordshire Ditto	-	-	8	0	0	
Lincoln's Inn Fields Ditto	-	-	18	0	0	
Virginia Street Ditto	-	-	15	0	0	
Moorfields ditto	-	-	25	0	0	
Leicestershire Ditto	-	-	5	0	0	
Lulworth Ditto	-	-	7	16	0	
Kensington and Hammersmith Ditto	-	-	13	17	0	
Bath Ditto	-	-	30	0	0	
Liverpool Ditto	-	-	58	0	0	
Chideock Ditto	-	-	8	1	6	
			<hr/>	228	2	8
Proceeds from the sale of Publications	-	-	-	23	12	1½
			<hr/>	653	3	9½

N.B.—This Balance includes very few of the Subscriptions for the current year, which are due, and are requested to be paid up.

DISBURSEMENTS.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
1 Expense of Publications, viz.						
Paper	-	-	-	88	0	7
Printing and Stereotyping	-	-	-	109	13	6
Bookbinding	-	-	-	29	1	9
			<hr/>	226	15	10
2 Expenses incurred in carrying out the objects of the Institute, viz.						
Subscription to Scorton and Darlington fund, for defraying the expenses incurred in the prosecution of Gathercole	-	-	-	15	0	0
Extra costs in the suit Breeks v. the Widow Woolfrey	-	-	-	14	19	4
Shorthand writer for a full report of the trial	-	-	-	12	0	0
Allowance to the Rev. Charles and Henry Brigham, and Rev. J. Holden, for expenses incurred by them in defending the Catholic faith at Thetford, Bury St. Edmonds, &c.	-	-	-	20	12	0
			<hr/>	62	11	4
3 Gratuity to the Secretary for Services from 9th July, 1838, to 8th May, 1839	-	-	-	70	0	0
4 House expenses, viz.						
Paid for meetings previously to the occupation of the premises, 14, Soho Square	-	-	-	11	17	0
Six months rent of said premises, up to 25th June next, paid in advance	-	-	-	52	10	0
Coals, and Candles	-	-	-	8	12	0
			<hr/>	72	19	0
5 Incidental expenses, viz.						
Postages	-	-	-	8	11	2
Porterage and carriage of parcels	-	-	-	4	5	1
Stationary	-	-	-	7	17	8
Books of Receipts, and bills for meetings	-	-	-	15	17	2
Advertisements	-	-	-	12	12	6
Miscellaneous expenses	-	-	-	10	4	10
			<hr/>	59	8	5
6 Expense of furnishing business apartments	-	-	-	65	17	6
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer	-	-	-	95	11	8½
			<hr/>	653	3	9½

Examined and passed June 3rd, 1839.

C. J. PAGLIANO,
Chairman of the Finance Committee.

*List of Auxiliary Branches of the Catholic
Institute.*

Chelsea Auxiliary.

(Established 15th October, 1838.)

Abbé Voyaux de Franous, D.D. *President.*

Rev. Thomas Sisk, and Rev. John Maguire, D.D. *Vice Presidents.*

— Knight, Esq. *Treasurer.* John Reed, Esq. *Secretary.*

150 Subscribers.

Oxfordshire Auxiliary.

(Established 26th October, 1838.)

Rev. P. Heffernan, *President.*

Rev. W. Tandy, D.D. *Treasurer and Secretary.*

24 Subscribers.

Lincoln's-Inn-Fields Auxiliary.

(Established 12th November, 1838.)

Rev. Dr. Baldaconi, *President.*

Rev. Wm. J. O'Connor, John Hearne, and A. H. Lynch, Esq. M.P. *Vice Presidents.*

H. R. Bagshawe, Esq. *Treasurer.* P. G. Heatley, Esq. *Secretary.*

219 Subscribers.

Virginia Street Auxiliary.

(Established 26th November, 1838.)

Rev. Richard Horrabin, *President.*

Rev. James Foley, Matthew Ryan, and James Doyle, *Vice Presidents.*

Mr. W. H. Swift, *Treasurer.* Mr. William Keens, *Secretary.*

144 Subscribers.

Moorfields Auxiliary.

(Established 29th November, 1838.)

Rev. William Woods, *President.*

Rev. William Hall, Rev. Wm. Harris, Rev. James Whelan, Rev. James Jouch, Rev. Gregory Stasiwicz, Wm. Lescher, M. Mussabini, and J. Taylor, Esq. *Vice Presidents.*

Mr. Swiney, Sen. *Treasurer.* Mr. A. W. J. Harrison, *Secretary.*

172 Subscribers.

Leicestershire Auxiliary.

(Established 9th January, 1839.)

Ambrose Lisle Phillipps, Esq. *President.*Rev. H. L. Oxley, Rev. Samuel Procter, Rev. John Woods, Rev. Norbert Woolfrey, and Rev. S. Whitaker; Charles Neville, George Turvile, and —Hansom, Esqrs. *Vice Presidents.*— Raby, Esq. *Treasurer.* T. Cape, Esq. *Secretary.**Lulworth Auxiliary.*

(Established 13th January, 1839.)

Rev. Benjamin Moutardier, *President.*Mr. Damen, *Treasurer.* Mr. James Morris, *Secretary.*

51 Subscribers.

Kensington and Hammersmith Auxiliary.

(Established 16th January, 1839.)

Abbé Le Houx, *President.*Rev. William Bugden, Rev. Robert Hodgson, Rev. Gil de Tejada, and Baron Moncorvo, *Vice Presidents.*Francis Tucker, Esq. *Treasurer.* John Kendal, Esq. *Secretary.*

50 Members.

Weymouth Auxiliary.

(Established 27th January, 1839.)

The Rev. Thomas Butler, D.D. *President.*George Fry, Esq. *Vice President.*Mr. Donovan, *Treasurer.* Mr. Lehy, *Secretary.*

No Returns.

North and South Shields Auxiliary.

(Established 24th February, 1839.)

The Rev. T. Gillow, *President.*Mr. William Millburn, *Treasurer.*Mr. Hugh Boylan, *Secretary for North Shields.*Mr. Patrick Duffy, *Secretary for South Shields.*

No Returns.

Bath Auxiliary.

(Established 4th March, 1839.)

Right Rev. Dr. Baines, *President.*Edward King, Esq. *Treasurer and Secretary.*Mr. Jos. Spencer, *Collector and Distributer.*

120 Subscribers.

Liverpool Auxiliary.

(Established 14th March 1839.)

Rev. Thomas Youens, D.D. *President.*

Thomas Molyneux Seel, Huyton; Patteson Ellames, Allerton Hall; John Rosson, Liverpool; John Leigh, Moor Hall; Michael Gibson, Eaton House, West Derby; William Gillebrand Unsworth, Manor House, Maghul; William Blundell, of Crosby Hall; and Charles Stanley, of Dennah, Esquires. *Vice Presidents.*

Joachim Andrade, Esq. *Treasurer.* John Yates, Jun. Esq. *Secretary.*

266 Subscribers.

Chideock Auxiliary.

(Established April, 1839.)

Rev. T. Tilbury, *President.*Joseph Tucker, Esq. *Treasurer.* William Tucker, Esq. *Secretary.*

28 Subscribers.

West Norfolk Auxiliary.

(Established 10th April, 1839.)

Sir Henry Paston Bedingfeld, Bart. *President.*

Rev. Charles Brigham, Rev. J. Holden; George Gardiner, Thomas Curties, and James Curties, Esquires, *Vice Presidents.*

George Rumball, Esq. *Treasurer.* Rev. J. Gascoyne, *Secretary.**Bilston Auxiliary.*

(Established 24th April, 1839.)

Rev. G. Fox, *President.*Rev. — Smith, *Vice President.*Mr. Thomas Stokes, *Treasurer.* Mr. James Topping, *Secretary.*

No Returns.

Aberdeen Auxiliary.

(Established 1st May, 1839.)

Right Rev. J. Kyle, D.D. *President.*

Rev. Charles Gordon, Rev. John S. M'Corry, Rev. John Sharp, Rev. Donald Carmichael, Rev. Alexander Grant, Rev. James Glennie, Rev. Archibald Chisholm, Captain Kyle, George Gordon, Alexander M'Nab, John Saunders, and John Ronald, Esqrs. *Vice Presidents.*

Thomas Sangster, Esq. *Treasurer.* Mr. John Taylor, *Secretary.*

74 Subscribers.

York Auxiliary.

(Established 2d May, 1839.)

Rev. Thomas Billington, *President.*John Leadbitter, Esq. *Vice President.*John Swale, Esq. *Treasurer.* R. H. Anderson, Esq. *Hon. Secretary.*

No Returns.

Warwick Street Auxiliary.

(Established 13th May, 1839.)

Rev. William Wilds, *President.*

Rev. John Lee, Rev. Henry Lea, Rev. J. Jones, Rev. Jeremiah Harrington,
The Honourable Charles Langdale, M.P. Philip H. Howard, Esq. M.P. and
Charles Townley, Esq. *Vice Presidents.*

Edward Norris, Esq. *Treasurer.* Scipio Clint, Esq. *Secretary.*

No Returns.

Spanish Place Auxiliary.

(Established 28th May, 1839.)

Rev. Julius Picquot, *President.*

Rev. Timothy Reardon, and Rev. Francis Jarrett, *Vice Presidents.*

A. De la Torre, Esq. *Treasurer.* P. G. Heatley, Esq. *Secretary, pro tem.*

No Returns.

No. III.

List of Publications printed and issued by the Catholic Institute of Great Britain, up to 5th June, 1839.

1. Declaration of the Catholic Bishops, Vicars Apostolic, and their Coadjutors in Great Britain.
2. Faith, Hope, and Charity: the substance of a Sermon by the R. R. Peter Augustine Baines, D.D. Bishop of Siga, &c.
3. The Widow Woolfrey, *versus* the Vicar of Carisbrooke, or Prayer for the Dead: a Tract for the Times.
4. Letters on the Rule of Faith, or the Method of Finding out the True Religion, from the "End of Religious Controversy:":
By the Rt. Rev. John Milner, D.D. F.S.A. in 3 Numbers.
No. I contains: Letter 1, Method of Finding out the True Religion.—Letter 2, The First Fallacious Rule of Faith.—Letter 3, Objections Answered.—Letter 4, Second Fallacious Rule.
No. II contains: Letter 5, Second False Rule.—Letter 6, The True Rule.
No. III contains: Letter 7, The True Rule (*continued*).—Letter 7, Objections Answered.
7. The Catholic Scriptural Catechism: by the Right Rev. John Milner, D.D. F.S.A.
8. The Touchstone of the New Religion, or Sixty Assertions of Protestants tried by their own Rule of Scripture alone; to which is added the True Principles of a Catholic: by the Very and Right Rev. Richard Challoner, D.D. V.A.
9. The True Principles of a Catholic, separate.
10. Prayers and Instructions recommended to the use of Catholics serving in the Fleets and Armies of Great Britain: by the late Bishop Poynter, V.A.L.

	Declara- tion.	Dr. Baines Sermon.	Woolfrey Tract.	Milner, No. 1.	Milner, No. 2.	Milner, No. 3.	Scriptural Catechism.	Dr. Poynter's Prayer Book.	Touch- stone.	True Catholic Principles.
Rev. Robert Hodgson, Hammersmith.....	100	200								
— James Jones, Husbands Bosworth.....	50									
— P. M. Kaye, Bradford.....	125	100	50							
— E. J. Kelly, Wigton, Cumberland.....	5	5	...	5	5	5	5	24		
— James Kelly, Tamworth.....	20	20	20	20	20	20				
— James Kendal, St. Gregory's College, Downside ...	10	10	5	10	10	10				
— John Kirk, Lichfield.....	20	20	...	20	20	20				
— George Last, Ingateston.....	20									
— John Larkan, Shortwood	50									
— Henry Lea, Bavarian Chapel.....	20									
— John Lingard, D.D.....	50	50	100							
— G. A. Lowe, Morpeth.....	100	50	5	20	20	20	50			
— Anthony Macdermott, Stamford.....	20	20	10	20	20	20	20	6	20	
— Paul Maclachlan, Stirling	50	50	10					...		
— T. M. Macdonnell, Birmingham	100	100	20	20	20	20	20		20	
— Joseph Marshall, Carlisle. (Purchased).....	15	15	5	15	15	15				
— W. Nightingale, Woolwich.....	50	...	5	15	15	15		24		
— W. J. O'Connor, Sardinian Chapel. (Purchased)	50	50	25							
— P. Phelan, Penrith	5	5	...	5	5	5	5	24		
— R. F. Platt, Falmouth	50									
— Samuel Procter, Hinckley	150	150	30	50	50	50				
— Nicholas Rigby, Ugthorpe.....	20	20	20	20	20					
— Tim. Riordan, Chatham.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24		
— Daniel Rock, D.D. Alton Towers	300	...	...	50	50	50	50	...	50	
— Joseph Savage, Dover.....	20	20	10	40	20					
— Thomas Sisk, Chelsea.....	20									
— and Hon. George Spencer.....	50	15	15	15	15					
— H. Sutton, Birtley.....	20	20	5	20	20	20				
— Joseph Tate, Norwich.....	12	12	12	12	12	12				
— M. Trappes, Huddersfield. (Partly purchased)...	60	330	35	25	25	25				
— Wm. Vaughan, Lyme	6	...	6	6	6					
— Wm. Wallace, Traquair House.....	24	36	5							
— James Waterton, Newark.....	200	...	10	20	20	20				
— Wm. Weld, for the Bengal Mission.....	300	150	12	150	150	150	150	250	150	150
— J. F. Wilkinson, Clewer Green	30	...	...	20	20	20				
— N. Woolfrey, Loughborough.....	15	15	10	15	15	15				

	Declara- tion.	Dr. Baines Sermon.	Woolfrey Tract.	Milner, No. 1.	Milner, No. 2.	Milner, No. 3.	Scriptural Catechism.	Dr. Poynter's Prayer Book.	Touch- stone.	True Catholic Principles.
The Right Rev. Dr. Polding, V.A. of Australia.....	300	150	...	150	150	150	150	100	150	
The Right Rev. Dr. Fraser, V.A. of Nova Scotia.....	200	100	...	100	100	100	100	50	100	
The Clergy of London and neighbourhood.....	262	262	262							
James Wheble, Esq. V.P., for distributing at Reading	200	20	20	20	20	20				
John Menzies, Esq. V.P.....	20	20	20	20	20					
Rev. — M'Swein	30	30	30	30	30	30				
Sir James Gordon, Bart.	10	10	10	10	10	10	20	...	10	
Wm. Constable Maxwell, Esq., V.P.	12	12	12	12	12					
John J. Keene, Esq. for Subscribers at Bristol.....	76	76	40	76	76	70	70	...	70	70
John Threlfall, Esq. Manchester.....	200									
Lady Wrey. (Purchased)	50	...	20	25	25	25				
Charles Lashmar, Esq., Croydon.....	20	20	20	20	20	20	20			
J. R. Best, Esq.....	20	20	20	20	20					
Sent to Newspapers	22	22	22							
Members of the General Committee.....	202	65	83							
Members and others, per Book.....	105	72	50							
Distributed at Public Meetings at Hammersmith.....	220	300	20							
— at Public Meetings at Kensington.....	50	...	...	40	40	40				
— at a Meeting of the Reformation Society at the Pimlico Literary Institution.....	100	...	...	100	100	100				
— at Extraordinary Meeting of Protestant Asso- ciation at Exeter Hall.....	500									
— at Meeting of ditto at Croydon.....	50	50								
— at Annual Meeting of ditto on 8th May.....	100	100								
— at Annual Meeting of the Reformation Society	184	8								
Sold, besides those before enumerated.....	1,575	1,853	1,071	753	953	402	26	10	151	1
	10,118	7,067	3,389	4,186	4,386	3,653	2,020	519	1,514	333

ABSTRACT OF CIRCULATION AND SALE.

Declaration	10,118	Catechism	2,020
Sermon	7,067	Prayer Book	519
Woolfrey.....	3,389	Touchstone.....	1,514
Milner, No. 1.....	4,186	Principles	333
Milner, No. 2.....	4,386		
Milner, No. 3.....	3,653	Grand Total.....	37,185