

CHURCH MISCELLANY.

The annual meeting of the Church and congregation held on the 11th instant was a very pleasant gathering in every respect, and one calculated to be of benefit as well as pleasure to all participating. The fact that although \$5,401.54 had been disbursed in various ways during the year, still no darkness of a deficit hung over us, was cheering. Besides an address from the Rev. R. Mackay and the reports from the various departments of church work, the members of the choir largely contributed to the pleasure of the evening by singing anthems, a quartette, a duet and a solo, all of which were rendered in their usual excellent way. The tea provided by the ladies was more than ample.

The pastor in his statement made reference to the work of the Church during the year past, the changes that had taken place in the Church and congregation, the reception of the Union in June, etc. The following statistics were given: Total number which have been on the Church roll from its formation until December 31st, 314; number remaining at that date, 95; number removed during the year—by death 2, by letter 4, in all, 6; number received during the year—by letter, 3, by profession 10, in all, 13; number of members remaining Dec. 31st, 102; increase on the previous year, 7; number of baptisms, 16.

Mr. George Robertson, the Treasurer, read the financial statement, which showed that there had been raised during the year the following sums: For Church Purposes, \$2,127.73; Fellowship Fund, \$55.77; Organ Fund, \$228; Ladies' Association, \$408.78; Sunday School, \$103.06; Denominational Objects, \$1,230.73; Catholic Objects, \$1,248.43; making a total for the year of