

THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

Managing Committee of Knox Church,

—FOR THE—

YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1878.

Your Committee in presenting the Annual Report of the congregation, would give thanks to God for his continued goodness to us as a congregation, and for the measure of success vouchsafed during the past year.

By referring to the printed Annual Statement you will observe that the liberality of the congregation is shown by the increased amount of Sabbath Collections, these collections in 1877, after deducting poors' fund, were \$1,587.52, whilst this year they amount to \$1,720.17, or an increase of \$132.65, if to this is added the Thanksgiving Collection, we have the gratifying increase of \$336.81.

Your committee after careful consideration, and consultation with the session, have concluded to recommend to the congregation, a change in the mode of raising the revenue, viz:—to adopt the system of receiving from each member and adherent, a weekly sum, in envelopes provided for that purpose, in room of the usual collections and pew rents; believing that this will be the means of getting many present sitters to contribute to the support of the Church, who have never done so by paying pew rent.