

we had our Harvest Thanksgiving, the little preaching station looked so pretty with its decorations of oranges, quinces and many other fruits, quantities of flowers and rice in the straw. We also had service on Monday evening, it being Japanese National Thanksgiving Day. On Saturday Mr. Waller returned from a two weeks' tour, the first week at Matsumoto was the worker's quarterly meetings. They had meetings every night at Matsumoto and at the out stations; it was very encouraging to hear of the good attendance and order they had. The second week he was at out stations connected with Nagano, crowds of people came every night to listen to the Truth, numbers remained to ask about Christianity, the outlook at these stations is much brighter than at Nagano. Let us all pray that the seed which has been sown is taking root, and that in time we may see more results here also. Japan has been visited this year by many evils, tidal waves, floods, earthquakes, and disease so that many Japanese have asked why it was; did we not think it was the Hand of God sent upon the country for the wickedness of the people. We were glad to think they took it in that way, and that native preachers are talking most earnestly to the people on the subject. Please give many thanks to the W.A. and kindest remembrances from Mr. Waller and myself to all."

### TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

From 20th November to 20th December, 1896.

#### RECEIPTS.

#### P.M.C.

Total amount received from each Branch

Ashburnham.....	\$ 6 65
Campbellford .....	10 60
Chester.....	4 90
Cobourg.....	16 75
Collingwood.....	25 25
Creemore.....	22 15
Millbrook.....	5 95
Orillia.....	24 10
Penetanguishene.....	6 52
Port Hope, St. John's.....	12 05
Toronto—	
All Saints'.....	21 71
Ch. Ascension.....	4 15
St. Cyprian's.....	5 55
Deer Park.....	7 30
St. John's.....	16 95
St. Bartholomew Girl's Aux.	5 75
St. Mary Magdalene.....	3 30
St. Mark's, Parkdale.....	12 80
St. Phillip's.....	2 20
St. Paul's.....	26 95

St. Peter's.....	125 00
Ch. Redeemer.....	14 80
St. Simon's.....	8 45

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#### Diocesan W.A.

Barrie.....	1 25
Springfield on the Credit.....	15 00
Shanty Bay.....	8 00
C.M.....	1 00

#### Toronto—

St. Anne's.....	2 04
St. James' Cath. Juniors.....	10 00
St. James' Cath. Girls No. 2.	4 00

#### King for Font.

St. Luke's, Toronto.....	10 00
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#### Diocesan W. and O. Fund.

St. Luke's, Mrs. Osler.....	1 00
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#### Algoma Mission Fund.

St. James' Cath. Girls No. 2.	4 00
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#### Toronto—

St. Simon's.....	5 05
St. Stephen's Girls.....	50