

The Lady Teachers have met every Tuesday afternoon since the first of October, as a Doreas Society, and quite a quantity of clothing as well as boots has been supplied to the scholars who require such help.

Besides having a good Library, the scholars are well supplied with religious periodicals and tracts, which are greatly appreciated by them.

Prizes will be distributed at this meeting for the correct recitation of the Shorter Catechism and the Golden Texts for the past year, besides a silver medal and books will be given to those who have been most diligent in bringing in new scholars.

The singing class has met as usual on Tuesday evenings for the practice of hymns, led by Mr. Alex. Hyde, and the Misses Dawson and Norval.

We have increased our collections for Missions this year by \$25.77. The sum collected last year was \$132.75, whereas this year it amounts to \$158.52, and is allocated as follows:

Home Missions	\$45 00
Foreign do	45 00
French Evangelization.....	30 00
Students Missionary Society of the Presbyterian College	10 00
School purposes.....	28 52
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The teachers hold business meetings regularly, and a prayer meeting is held on Sabbath afternoons at the close of school.

Mr. McLaren holds meetings in the building as follows:

Sunday evening service at 7 o'clock.

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

In closing this report we would desire to thank the kind friends who have in any way assisted us, and would still continue our work, relying upon the Divine blessing of our God who has so abundantly blessed us in the past.

Respectfully submitted.

D. SCOTT BRUCE,

Secretary.

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