

ronto, gave a splendid address on Home Mission work, followed by a stirring address by Miss Corning, of India, on work in the Foreign field.

Vivian Fisher,
Secretary.

Northern.—The women's meetings of the Northern Association were held with the church at Bracebridge, June 21st, 1910. There were two sessions, afternoon and evening, presided over by Mrs. Gillespie, of Bracebridge, acting president, in the absence of Mrs. Haydon, Fort William.

An exceptionally good paper on Band work was read by Mrs. Crockford, Parry Sound. She told of the origin of Mission Bands and of what should be attempted in them—to win the children to Christ and to train them to personal interest in Missions. The reports from Circles and Bands were, on the whole, quite encouraging. The struggles of the small Circles to hold regular meetings and to foster the germ of missionary life, are heroic. The speaker for Foreign Missions was Miss Baskerville; for Home Missions, Mrs. Gunton, of Toronto. Owing to the fact that she is a Foreign Missionary and knows her ground so thoroughly, Miss Baskerville's address was exceedingly impressive. Mrs. Gunton showed herself thoroughly conversant with her subject of Home Missions, and her address proved instructive and inspiring to greater effort. The officers elected for the year are: President, Mrs. Gillespie, Bracebridge; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Silvester, Burk's Falls; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Crockford, Parry Sound; director, Mrs. Cummer, Parry Sound. The meetings were among the most helpful and inspiring ever held by the women of the Northern Association, and all felt them to be a blessing.

R. Cummer,
Director.

Owen Sound.—Annual meeting of the Circles and Bands of the Owen Sound Association was held at Willisroft Baptist church, June 15th. There were some very encouraging reports from the different Circles and Bands. The new Band at Southampton is doing some very encouraging work and there are bright prospects at Mar, also

North Bruce. It was found there were contributed \$520.92. The officers elected were: Directress, Mrs. W. L. Newton; assistant directress, Mrs. P. C. Cameron, Owen Sound; president, Mrs. Johnson, Chesley; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. J. George, Port Elgin. Miss Priest, of India, gave an address on Foreign Missions, showing the very encouraging work they are doing in that far-off land, reminding us also of the value of prayer to the missionary. Mrs. Day gave a most interesting talk on Home Missions, which was very encouraging. Mrs. Cameron advocated the "Link" and "Visitor." Mrs. Walker, of Wiarton, read a paper on Band work, showing the importance of winning the members for Christ. A standing vote of thanks was given Mrs. Newton for her good work as Directress for so long, as she is about to leave us. An offering of \$10.60 was taken.

Mrs. J. J. George,
Secretary-Treasurer.

TREASURER'S REPORT

THE WOMEN'S BAPTIST FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF ONTARIO (WEST)

From June 16th, 1910, to July 15th, 1910, inclusive:

RECEIPTS.

From Circles—

Clinton, \$5.00; Salford, \$3.16; Atwood, \$2.06; Burford, \$8.25; Glammis, \$5.00; Beachville, \$2.65; London, South, \$5.75; Markham, Second, \$3.25; Orillia, \$1.25; Berlin, King St., \$7.00; Colchester, \$2.68; Port Elgin (for G. Immanuel), \$4.25; Parkhill, \$4; Hamilton, Hughson St. (talent money), \$8; Chatham, Central, \$5; Collingwood, \$5; Toronto, Western Church, (\$1.00 for lepers), \$16.10; Toronto, Jarvis St., \$2.75; Toronto, Jarvis St. (a friend, for Miss Corning, \$25), \$50; Toronto, Jarvis St. (for Biblewomen), \$100; Brantford, Calvary, \$8; Petrolia, \$6.65; Windsor, Bruce Ave., \$10; Guelph, Woolwich St., \$9; Midland, \$10; Toronto, Parliament St., (\$3.00 for sale of Mr. Craig's book), \$19.01; Hespeler, \$18; Weston, \$3.15; Chatham, William St., \$6.40; London, Talbot St., \$26.20; Port Hope, for lepers, \$8; Mount Forest, \$6.16; Hamil-