

and Walsh—a large and needy field. Hagersville has lost heavily, both spiritually and financially, during the year through removals, but those that remain are strong in faith and hope.

WESTERN.

Colchester, Kingsville and Harrow were put on their feet by a little kindly help. Now they are hopeful and are supporting their pastor. Dresden and Thorncliffe have had a very prosperous year. Wallaceburg steadily increasing, while Louisville, Bethel and Thamesville are holding the fort in the face of great obstacles. Essex and Brooker report accessions to membership and large congregations.

HAMILTON.

Victoria Avenue is making good progress, and Wentworth Street was never more hopeful, while the Northern is almost ready to die. Burlington sends an encouraging report.

BRANT.

The only field in this Association is the Indian Reserve, which sends an encouraging report.

WOODSTOCK.

Steady, faithful work is being done at Oxford Street. Beechville has been reaching out again to Embro.

MIDDLESEX AND LAMTON.

Courtright, Brigden and Moore are working hard and expecting showers of blessing. Oil Springs during the year has built a Chapel and now works with Wiedman. Both Churches are very much encouraged. Wyoming and Calvary have lately settled a pastor and are hopeful. Forest and Uttoxter are pressing the work with zeal and consecration. At Watford a Church has lately been organized, and the brethren and sisters are now hard at work; while at Alvinston and Brooke the work is hindered by internal trouble. Arkona and Thedford report no change either for better or worse, while Grosvenor Street, London, reports the past three months as specially encouraging.

ELGIN.

Springfield has been through a sea of trouble during the year, but now that the sea is calm, the work is steady and progressive. Shedden and Fingal have recently settled a new pastor and are hopeful, while Dutton is not decreasing.