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ADDITIONS: Knox church, Eliza, thirty-one.

Knox church, Perth, will be repaired at a cost of \$1,000.

ST. ANDREW'S manse property, Galt, has been sold for \$6,010.

At Rothsay church social meeting, March 11th, Mrs. Thomas Mitchell suddenly died of heart disease.

SUBSCRIPTIONS to the amount of \$6,000 have been obtained for the organ and gallery fund of Central church, Galt.

As one result of Mr. Mickle's evangelistic meetings in Almonte over sixty names have been added to the Presbyterian church rolls in that town.

PROFESSOR PANTON'S Bible class, Chalmers church, Guelph, held a reunion last week. During the evening Mr. Panton gave an interesting account of the places of note along the Rhine.

REV. LOUIS PERRIN, H.A., formerly of Kirkwood, on his induction into the pastoral charge of St. Andrew's, Pickering and St. John's, Bringham, received a very hearty welcome from the people.

We are given to understand that Miss Sutherland, of our Honan Mission, is about to leave the service of our Church on account of her approaching marriage with a Missionary of the American Board.

REV. ALEX. JACKSON, of Galt, delivered a lecture in Knox church, St. Mary's, on the subject, "Fires and Firemen." The Journal, referring to the lecture, says: "Mr. Jackson has done a great deal to popularize lectures in St. Mary's."

THE Annual Report of the Confederation Life Association given in the other columns shows a record for the past year—and indeed from the foundation of the Association—which must be very gratifying to all in any way connected with it. "The Confederation" ranks as one of the most important financial corporations of the country, and its report entitles it to be regarded as eminently worthy of public patronage.

ONE of the victims of the recent terrible St. George railway accident was Mr. Jonathan Martin, a highly esteemed citizen of Woodstock, who finally succumbed to his injuries. Deceased was a member of Knox church, and his obsequies were made the occasion of a most respectful demonstration of the high esteem in which he was held by people of all denominations in the town. Touching reference was made to his untimely death both by Revs. Messrs. McMullen and Mr. McKay, in their pulpit ministrations, Sabbath, March 24th.

The pulpit of St. James' Square church, city, was occupied last Sabbath morning and evening by Rev. Dr. Cochrane, of Brantford, who made a powerful plea for the support of the Home Missions of the Church. Dr. Cochrane, in allusion to recent events, said: "We are passing through a crisis, when we need to defend both our civil and religious liberties from politico-jesuit aggression. How best to guard our Protestantism is the problem of the hour. In one way at least—by spreading broadcast over the land a pure Christianity we can abate the evil, and prevent future spoliation."

At a meeting held in Owen Sound, March 18th, a Presbyterian Women's Foreign Missionary Society was organized. All the W. F. M. Societies in the Presbytery were represented with one exception. The following officers were appointed: President, Mrs. Rodgers, Derboro; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Somerville, Owen Sound, Mrs. McAlpine, Chatsworth, Mrs. Skene, Johnston, Miss Little, Owen Sound; Secretary, Mrs. Fraser, Annan; Treasurer, Miss Body, Owen Sound. The first annual meeting will be held in Owen Sound, on the last Tuesday of February, 1890. The Presbytery of Owen Sound, at its meeting next day endorsed the organization of the Society and recommended the formation of Auxiliaries in all the congregations of the Presbytery.

THE fourth annual meeting of the Chatham Presbyterial W. F. M. S. was held in First church, Chatham, March 5th, the President in the chair. After routine business the election of officers was proceeded with and resulted as follows:—President, Mrs. Cooper; First Vice-President, Mrs. Walker; Second, Mrs. Hickett, Bothwell; Recording Secretary, Miss L. McNaughton; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Gracey, Valletta; Treasurer, Mrs. Laughton, Bothwell. Mrs. Gracey read a very interesting letter from John Thunders, of the Assiniboine Reserve. Encouraging reports were presented from the various Auxiliaries and Mission Bands within the Presbytery. Three Auxiliaries and one Band were added during the year. Clothing to the value of \$300 was sent to the North-West. The contribution to the general fund of the Society amounted to \$751.83. The morning session was closed with prayer led by Mrs. Hall, Vanneck. In the afternoon the delegates were welcomed by Mrs. Hoig. Response was made by Mrs. Chase, of Ridgetown. Friendly greetings were given by representatives from the Baptist, English Church and Methodist Societies. Two papers were read on Missionary subjects, which added much to the pleasure and profit of the occasion. An address from Mrs. Hall was highly appreciated and the Question Drawer was particularly lively and helpful. One who was present thought that the Chatham Presbyterial is rich in possessing members of unusual intelligence and zeal. The evening meeting at St. Andrew's church was addressed by Rev. J. Wilkie, Indore, whose earnest and eloquent remarks produced a deep impression.

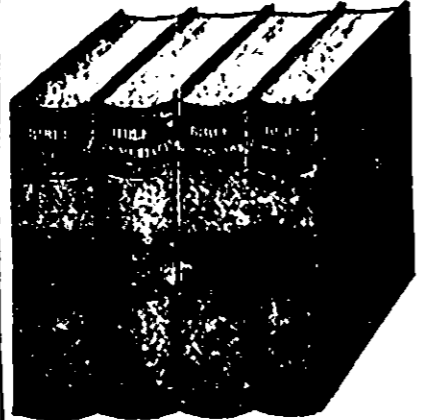
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CLEONARY—Marlton, April 9th, 11 a.m. GUELPH—Guelph, May 21st, 10 50 a.m. HERON—Exeter, May 14th, 10 30 a.m. LANSLEY—Lindsay, May 28, 11 a.m. MATHIAS—Wingham, May 14th, 11 15 a.m. OSAWATIMIC—Oswatimic, May 21st, 10 30 a.m. OTTAWA—Ottawa, May 7th, 10 a.m. PICTOU—New Glasgow, May 7, 2 30 a.m. PARIS—Ingersoll, June 25, 2 p.m. QUEBEC—Richmond, July 9th, 7 30 p.m. SAUGER—Harrison, July 9th, 10 a.m. STRATFORD—Stratford, May 13, 7 30 p.m. TORONTO—Toronto, May 7th, 10 a.m. WHITBY—Whitby, April 16, 10 30 a.m. WINNIPEG—Winnipeg, May 7, 7 30 p.m.

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Births.

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