

DALY STREET CHURCH, OTTAWA.—The congregation of Knox Church having removed to the new building, recently opened, a number remaining in the old building have been organized by the Presbytery of Ottawa as the Daly Street Congregation. The prospects of this congregation are encouraging.

CENTRAL CHURCH HAMILTON.—The whole income of Central Church, Hamilton, for 1873, was \$10,363 61, about \$10 50 per member for congregational purposes, and \$4 50 per member for missionary and benevolent contributions. The contributions to the schemes of the church for the past year including the collections from the Sabbath Schools amounted to \$1,247 64. There has been a marked increase in each department of work.

ALVINSTON--CHURCH OPENING.—A new church was opened at Alvinston on the 1st ult., Rev. R. H. Warden presided on the occasion, Rev. A. Stewart preaching in the Methodist Episcopal Church to those who were unable to find accommodation in the church. A very successful service was held in the evening of the following day. The church is a substantial and commodious building erected at a cost of about \$1,500.

TORONTO—BAY STREET.—The amount raised by the congregation of Bay street Church for missionary objects during the past year, including the amount raised by the Sabbath School, is \$717 58, of this amount the sum of \$80 58 was in behalf of the Mission School in Chesnut street, which is being successfully worked by the congregation.

We regret to learn that the state of Dr. Jennings's health is compelling him to contemplate a partial retirement from the more active duties of the pastorate. He has done good service for many years, and we trust will be spared for many years to come to stand up for the cause of his Master, and declare, as his strength may enable him, the unsearchable riches of Christ.

ALMONTE.—We always read with interest the report of St. John's Church, Almonte. The report for 1873 presents gratifying tokens of success. The total contributions for the year amounted to \$2,408 12. The membership is steadily increasing, and the Pastor and office-bearers are able to state that "there have not been wanting, during the past year, cheering tokens of Divine blessing on the ministry of the Word."

GOULD STREET CHURCH, TORONTO.—The amount raised by the congregation for missionary and evangelistic work during the past year is \$5,085 00, viz., for Home Mission \$766 00; Foreign Mission \$341 00; Theological Education \$360 00; French Evangelization \$60 00; Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund \$60 00; Manitoba College \$60 00; for Knox College Building \$1,478 00; for other objects, including new Church on College Street, Mission premises Sherbourne Street, Rev. N. Sheshadri's Mission, &c., &c., \$1,970 00,—in all \$5,085 00.

DEATH OF A WORTHY ELDER.—It is with deep sorrow that we notice the death of Mr. William Clark, of London, which took place on Sabbath, the 15th ult. Mr. Clark was well known throughout the bounds of the Church, especially in the west. He did much valuable service in the mission field of the Presbytery of London. He was very highly respected by all who knew him.

CLOSING OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE CHURCH.

The accounts of the Church will be finally closed on the 30th April. All contributions intended for the year 1873-4 should be in the Treasurer's hands by the date mentioned. It is quite impossible to include in the accounts of the year money received after said day.