

does not remember how good Mrs. Madison's buns always are, how spicy many of the rounds of beef were which we had during the past winter, how the mention of several people's names immediately called up in one's mind visions of home-made sweets and delicious pickles? The League has proved a true comfort on many a cold and wintry day when we could turn to it for cold cream and all sorts of good things, and what a part it plays in our daily life when we know that we can even produce ink! Since the second exhibition I speak of, many people have asked "How much did you make?" evidently not understanding that the proceeds of the sales went to the individual who exhibited, as this was a means by which she raised her obligation, consequently the result of such sales could not be known until the close of the financial year when everyone's obligation came in. We cannot say too much as to the success of the Talent Exhibitions. Many of our members secured more orders than they were able to fill. They were the means of bringing together many people who became interested in the League. In this connection I must just mention how helpful Mrs Macnab's two delightful afternoon teas have proved themselves in extensively widening the interest of the work. Skating parties at Wychwood proved a huge success, socially and financially, and teas and musicals among several of the other members more than warranted the trouble undertaken by the gracious hostesses. The common interest we all have has proved a bond which makes itself keenly felt. You will hear from the treasurer what an encouraging amount the common interest really represents upon another side of the question. I think you will agree with me that we have been blessed with success and encouragement, and I do trust that after this annual meeting you all will endeavour to make the beauty of our work during the coming year even greater.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.  
NOVEMBER 1905 TO MAY 13TH, 1907.

RECEIPTS.

Obligations .....	\$ 880 00
Donations .....	249 67
Talent Tea .....	15 55
Sales .....	3 28
Cathedral Debt .....	10 00
Interest .....	1 40
	<u>\$11,159 97</u>

EXPENDITURE.

Cheque to Treasurer of St. Alban's Cathedral for Women's Pier, Easter 1906 .....	\$ 575 00
Cheque to Treasurer of St. Alban's Cathedral for Women's Pier, Easter 1907 .....	560 00
Cheque to Treasurer of St. Alban's Cathedral for Cathedral Debt .....	10 00
Membership Cards .....	3 50
Balance .....	11 47
	<u>\$1,159 97</u>

MARGARET B. HOWARD,  
*Treasurer.*

The children of the Diocese of Liverpool have undertaken to build a part of the Cathedral at a cost of \$10,000, towards which they have raised, apparently as a beginning, about \$1,600. This action is general throughout the Diocese. Why is our similar effort not equally general?

On Trinity Sunday an Ordination was held in the Cathedral, when the following were ordained:

*Deacons*—Revs. A. C. Collier, B.A., and A. R. Ladbroke; *Priests*—Revs. H. A. Ben Oliel, F. H. B. Cary, G. F. B. Doherty, B.A., C. M. Farney, R. B. Grobb, C. R. Spencer, B.A., Robert Gay, J. E. Gibson, B.A., E. B. Taylor.

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