

The seed has been sown prayerfully another year. It may grow. "They serve who wait." There has been success, and there has been failure, and now, as I close the tenth volume of my private journal, I thank God for the great peace I have enjoyed this tenth year of my sacred trust. We have had many kind, cheering visits from early friends, among others Mrs. T. M. Thomson, who has been long in Europe, also Major Malan, who established my heart to continue this work he asked me to take over ten years ago, charging me to "forget the things which are behind, reaching forth unto those things which are before, and press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God, in Christ Jesus." Truly this angel visit of our dear friend has been blessed to me.

THE FEMALE HOME SOCIETY IN ACCOUNT WITH MR. TAYLOR.

Dr.			
1878.			
May 1.—Balance owing to him by Report			
of last year		123 75	
Paid Mrs. Gowan.....	200 00		
Baker, &c.	94 00		
Water accounts, 1876 and 1877...	42 90		
Printing, &c.....	30 00		
Fuel	90 00		
Plumber	9 00		
Registration, &c.	4 00		
Cleaning yard, &c.	3 00		
Insurance	21 83		
	294 73		
Paid Matron balance of expenditure over receipts at the Home.....	210 49	705 22	
		828 97	
Cr.			
Less received from			
Rev. Mr. Squire.....	4 00		
Louis Barrett.....	5 00		
Mrs. G. Browne.....	5 00		
Mrs. Utting	4 00		
Proceeds one share Merchants' Bank Stock	69 00		
		87 00	
Balance owing May 1, 1878, to T. M. T.....		741 97	
Agreeing with his business books.			

The amount of stock now held for the Society in the Merchants' Bank, is sixteen shares of one hundred dollars each.

We have to-day been informed that the two thousand dollars bequeathed by the late Mr. Benaiah Gibb to the Home, will be paid to us within the present month.