

The expenditures have been—

For Publications.....	\$13,158.91
“ Colportage	4,048.93
“ All other expenses	6,529.50
	\$ 23,737.34

GRATUITOUS DISTRIBUTION.

Nearly one million pages tracts were distributed during the year. About 33,000 tracts were granted to the Y. M. C. Association of Halifax. Other Associations throughout the Province were aided in their work. Large numbers of periodicals were distributed gratuitously among Sabbath schools and in poor neighborhoods. The gratuitous distribution of tracts, and the grants, in whole or in part, of Bibles and religious books by the Colporteurs, amounted to \$557.00. Hundreds of books such as “Come to Jesus,” “Sinner’s Friend,” “God’s Way of Peace,” “Moody’s Sermons,” and similar useful publications, were given to poor families living far from Gospel privileges. Thousands of seamen received the Message of Salvation through the members of Y. M. C. Associations and our City Colporteurs. A large number of Sabbath Schools received libraries at reduced prices. Families found without the Word of God have been supplied.

THE DEPOSITORY.

As in past years there has been a wide diffusion of good literature in great variety from the Society’s depot. Distribution has been made through many channels: By the Colporteurs laboring in the various sections of the four Provinces; among hundreds of Sabbath Schools, instructing and benefiting multitudes of children and parents; by Y. M. C. Associations, among thousands of seamen of many nationalities; among the weak and suffering in humane institutions; by City Missionaries, among the careless and perishing masses; by Ministers of the Gospel and Home Missionaries; by Christian workers, men and women, in poor and destitute neighborhoods; among Pastors, S. S. Teachers, and parents, aiding, encouraging and stimulating them in their work. The Depository is thus a centre of wide, far-reaching, and beneficent influences.

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