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The people have kindly received us to the continued depression. their homes, and we trust some good has been accomplished. CHARLES MYERS. Members, 35.

BIRTLE.—No report. Members, 39.

Beulah.—We think that fruits are the best proof of a spiritual The attendance at the means of grace is good, taking into account the circumstances of a thinly-settled country. I feel satisfied the people, with few exceptions, give in proportion to their ability, which is another proof of love to God. We began the year with three appointments and twenty members, and close with six appointments and forty-six members. To God be all the praise.

SHELL RIVER.—After transferring eight members to the newlyformed mission of Rossburn, this mission commenced the present year Two small Sabbath-schools were formed with seventeen members. last summer, which have not as yet been resumed this year. appointment the Methodists and Episcopalians have built a log church, which is nearly ready for use and is free of debt. The failure of crops has gregations have considerably enlarged. caused a great deal of want and perplexity. The receipts from the mission are only a little over the amount contributed last year. The country is almost destitute of money. The present fine appearance of crops, coupled with the assurance of a railway coming within a short distance of the mission next fall, gives new hope to the flagging energy of the people. Members, 36. H. KENNER.

Rossburn.—The year has been one of hard work and much anxiety, but success has attended the labors of your missionary. The mission spiritually is in a healthy condition. The congregations have been increased, membership more than doubled, and the finances are in a good state. An encouraging work has been going on during the year among the young people, and many of them have decided for GEORGE H. LONG. God and heaven. Members, 47.

MOOSE MOUNTAIN.—This mission is now closing its second year of On the whole we have much to be thankful for. We have had some growth, and while we must acknowledge that there is not all the spiritual life we would wish for, yet we thank God that to Finances are one hundred some extent He has owned our labors. per cent. in advance of last year, with promises of good advances for the year to come. The mission has raised for all purposes nearly \$290. We greatly need more help, when new and good ground could WILL. G. WILSON. be taken up. Members, 56; increase, 17.

Moosomin.—No report. Members, 37.

VIRDEN.—The past year has been a trying one on this field for many of our people, whose crops, having partially failed, left them in