

numerous. By the alteration of boundaries and many removals, we are unable to report so large a membership as last year. The debt on the church property has been reduced by a sum exceeding \$2,000. This has been a great achievement, considering the financial depression so generally felt by our people. Personal affliction set aside our arrangements in the prosecution of the work we loved and enjoyed. The outlook for this mission is still promising, and, with a measure of temporal prosperity, will continue to be one of the most successful centres for missionary enterprise in the many and opening fields in this vast country. Members, 127.

C. LADNER.

MILFORD AND SOURIS CITY.—We have not been as successful, either spiritually or financially, as we could wish, but we are looking forward to brighter days, hoping that the seed sown will yield a bountiful harvest in the near future. Owing to removals we are obliged to report a decrease. Members, 63.

GEO. K. ADAMS.

RAPID CITY.—In closing the three years of our stay on this mission we thankfully acknowledge the direction and protection of Divine providence. Through financial difficulties He has gently cleared our way, and in physical prostration we have found great comfort in resting on the "everlasting arms." Railway disappointment, the boom and its collapse, have been a great hindrance in this place to Christian life and progress, but amid discouragements we are thankful to report success. Some have joined the Church militant and bid fair to be useful; and two—their warfare being ended—have joined the Church triumphant. Our financial returns are encouraging, considering the hardness of the times. The parsonage, though small, is comfortable, and is free of debt. All our church property is out of debt. We have had 16 removals. Members, 45.

W. T. DYER.

OAK RIVER.—The past year has been one of hard toil, owing principally to personal sickness. Nevertheless God has been very good, and we feel that we can close the year with much thankfulness to Him whose hand has held us up. The people have experienced much financial embarrassment, owing to the early frost last summer, which did great damage to all their grain. And considering the distance we are from a market, the cost of going there, and the price paid when there, we are really surprised that they have done so well as they have. We have no complaints to make of our people; they have been very faithful, and very regular in their attendance on the means of grace. We are now looking for the outpouring of the Spirit of God on the seed sown, and our earnest prayer is that the shower may soon come. Members, 32.

W. M. BAKER.

PLUM CREEK AND SOURIS RIVER.—Again our returning district meeting reminds us that we are to give an account of our stewardship. Our record is not one of unvarying success, yet we have much to cheer and encourage our hearts. Many during the past year have been converted to God, not so much through special effort as in con-

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