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Copies of the "REVIEW" may be had at the Office of Publication or at the Presbyterian Book Room corner of Adelaide and Toronto Sts on Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. W. G. Myles, B.A., of Sunderland, Lindsay Presbyterian, has declined the call to Markdale and Flesherton.

Rev. R. Williams, of Hintonburg, who takes a deep practical interest in temperance, has established a branch of the Carleton Co. Temperance Alliance in Carp.

The Presbytery of Barrie has sustained the call from Beeton and Tottenham to Rev. R. M. Grassford, of Wabushburg. The call will be forwarded to Mr. Grassford, who is prosecuting his studies in New York.

The anniversary social of Erskine church Sabbath school, Hamilton, was held Feb. 26th, the superintendent, Mr. James Newlands, presiding. After tea a fine programme of music and recitations by the pupils was rendered.

Mr. J. C. Gimson, leader of the choir, Knox church, Paisley, was recently presented with an address and gold watch in recognition of his many services to the congregation. A local paper says of him: "No truer friend of the cause lives in Paisley to-day."

Messrs James Osborne, Sr., W. Crawford, W. H. Pickard, and W. Fourney have been ordained to the eldership of Calvin church, Montreal. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Smyth, Revs. W. Cruikshank and Principal MacVicar, assisting.

On Sabbath afternoon, February 24th, Rev. John Wilkie addressed, in Knox Church, Montreal, a union meeting of Sabbath schools, Crescent street, Erskine, Stanley street, St. Paul's and St. Gabriel being well represented. His address was upon the aim and scope of mission work in India, and he dwelt particularly in reference to the condition of the young.

At a social gathering, held in Melville church, Brussels, on February 26th, an address was presented to Elder Alex. Stewart, in which the congregation expressed its appreciation of the valuable services rendered by him in many ways during the past twenty five years, and for ten of which he has filled the position of treasurer. The address was accompanied with a purse of \$50 in gold.

A LARGELY attended meeting, under the auspices of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions, was held in the American Presbyterian Church, Montreal, Saturday afternoon, February the 23rd, Rev. Dr. Wells in the chair. Address bearing on mission work were delivered by Rev. Dr. Judson Smith, of Boston, Rev. J. Wilkie, of our Central India Mission, and Rev. Dr. Robertson, Superintendent of Missions, Manitoba and North West.

Rev. M. L. Leitch, late of Valleyfield, Que., was inducted into the pastoral charge of Knox church, Elora, 21st ult. Rev. J. B. Mullen presided. Rev. J. C. Smith, of Guelph, preached, Rev. Dr. Mackay, East Paslinch, addressed the newly inducted pastor, and Rev. J. M. Gardiner, of Erasmus, the people. At the close of the service, Mr. Leitch, on being introduced to the people by Mr. Davidson and Dr. Torrance, received a very hearty welcome.

THE annual tea-meeting of Carholme congregation was a very successful affair. It is deserving of mention that this congregation within the past year has spent a considerable sum in church repairs. The building has been painted without, decorated within, and other improvements, necessary to the comfort of the congregation, have been made. The shed, roofed by the severe wind-storm of a few weeks ago, has been moved to a place much more convenient to the church.

THE annual congregational social of Knox church, Montreal, was held last week in the lecture room, and was most enjoyable. The first part of the evening was devoted to a short musical programme. Short addresses were also delivered by the pastor, Rev. James Fleck, Mr. K. Henderson and Mr. Walter Paul, in which the large increase in church membership and the necessity for increased accommodation were referred to. There had not only been an increase in members, but a spirit of increased activity pervaded all the associations connected with the church. A committee has been appointed to consider the question of more accommodation.

ON the occasion of the departure of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cockburn for Paris, to which town he has been called, the congregation of Uxbridge presented Mr. Cockburn with a handsome gold watch and Mrs. Cockburn with a beautiful tea service, both suitably engraved. The presentation was made in the church before a very large congregation composed of members of every denomination in town. The Mayor occupied the chair. Mr. and Mrs. Cockburn leave Uxbridge with the best wishes of all for their future happiness and welfare. Mr. Cockburn has been pastor of the Presbyterian congregation in Uxbridge for nearly sixteen years. Mrs. Mary Cockburn was also presented with an address by the Ladies' Aid Society of which she was an active member.

REV. JOHN WILKIE has received, through Rev. K. McNabb, of Beachburg, Ont., \$50, the amount voted by the congregation for the support of native Christian work in India. Mr. McNabb, in forwarding this money, says: "An equal amount, we trust, will be sent next winter. I may say this special effort has in no way interfered with our ordinary contributions to Missions. Our ordinary contribution to Foreign Missions in 1888

was considerably over contributions in 1887. Including this \$50, we contributed to S. letters in '88, \$334.10, in '87, \$250.00, in '86, \$134.00. This is certainly a good showing, and indicates what quiet and earnest effort can do. The figures above given are conclusive proof that in the Beachburg congregation there are true missionaries in addition to the faithful pastor and his worthy wife.

In many of the city pulpits last Sabbath reference was made to the death of Professor Young, of Toronto University. Rev. D. J. McDonnell, in closing, a lengthened eulogy of Professor Young's life and labors, referred to the triumphal character of the funeral service in Convocation Hall, and said that when he saw the Professor's cap laid on the coffin lid, he felt as if a soldier were being borne to his grave by those who had fought under him the battle of truth against falsehood, of reality against a phantasm, of God against the evil that is in the world. Rev. G. M. Morgan, after pronouncing a high tribute to the Christian character and worth of the deceased, said he found him a preacher of righteousness, and he prayed to God that his mantle would fall upon worthy shoulders. He referred to the efforts made by patrons and politicians to pull wires already to secure the chair for unworthy men. He praised this, and said that a true philosopher, like the late Professor, would not lower himself to such indignities, he would like the office to seek him.

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MEETINGS OF PRESBYTERIES. BARRIE—Barrie, March 19, 11 a.m. BRANTFORD—Portage la Prairie, March 11, 1930. BROCKVILLE—Brockville, March 12, 3 p.m. CHATHAM—Chatham, March 12, 10 a.m. GUELPH—Guelph, March 19, 10:30 a.m. HAMILTON—Hamilton, March 19, 10:30 a.m. KINGSTON—Kingston, March 19, 3 p.m. LONDON—London, March 12, 10 a.m. MONTREAL—Montreal, March 12, at 12:30. MONTREAL—Chatham, March 19, 10:30. MONTREAL—Montreal, March 19, 10:30. ORANGEVILLE—Orangeville, March 12, 10:30. OWEN SOUND—Owen Sound, March 19, 7:30. PORT HURON—Port Hope, March 19, 3 p.m. PARIS—Chalmers' Church, Woodstock, March 12, 12 o'clock. QUEBEC—Sherbrooke, March 12, at 8 p.m. SARNIA—Sarnia, March 9, 10:30 a.m. SAGUENAY—Palmerston, March 12, 10 a.m. STRATFORD—Stratford, March 12, 10:30 a.m. WHITBY—Whitby, April 16, 10:30 a.m.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS. ANNOUNCEMENTS under this head 25 cents each insertion.

BIRTHS. WILSON.—At 105 Pape Avenue, Toronto, on February 27, the wife of W. G. Wilson of a daughter. MARRIAGES. PAINE—WYLLIE.—On February 27, at Owen Sound, by the Rev. John Semerwill, M. A. Warren A. Paine, of Sydney, Australia, to Jean (Madge) Wyllie, only daughter of the late Andrew Wyllie, M.D., Walsall, England. THOMSON—HELL.—At Galt, on February 27, by Rev. J. A. R. Dickson, B.D., Wm. Thomson to Kate Bell, both of Galt.

DEATHS. YONGE.—At 121 Floor St. East, Toronto, on February 26, George Paxton Young, J.L.D., Professor of Mental and Moral Philosophy in University College, in the 71st year of his age.

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