

grants to country schools; the committee have made the strongest representations to the Parent Society, and can only express further the earnest hope that the Home committee will see their way to a large increase through the blessing of God, adding abundantly of His infinite mercy to their income.

The free contributions of the year show an increase of \$275 over last year.

The Model School fees from the 2 causes stated in the report of last year, viz:—the increased number and superior character of schools, and the poverty of those who avail themselves of the Model School's, have decreased.

The financial aspect of the year is decidedly unfavorable.

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries,	\$6516
Rooks, apparatus, and incidental expenses,	1244
	\$7760

The Society's operations have been carried on at an expense in management, &c., including collection of about \$600, which it must be admitted is very economical.

Books and apparatus.—Through great care, and calling upon the pupils to pay in certain cases for the books, &c., used, have not been so heavy an expense this year as usual.

The committee have lost the services of Col. Wilmot and Major Moffat, during the past year, in consequence of their removal from this district; this is a serious loss in the working of the Society here. Major Moffat, however, will continue his valuable aid in London, C. W.; and Col. Wilmot will not forget the cause wherever in the providence of God he may be placed.

The Rev. E. Sullivan was added to the committee at its last monthly meeting.

MODEL SCHOOLS.

The numbers for the year 1862 are as follows:—

Boys,	183
Girls,	130
Infants,	117
Total,	430