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Be not deceived; GOD  
is not mocked; whatso-  
ever a man SOWETH,  
that shall he also  
REAP.

### BULLETIN FUND.

**W**E once more remind our friends that the bulletin will only be published as the fund permits.

Received from a friend, \$1.00.

### EXHIBITION WORK.

**T**HE storm of Thursday morning nearly brought to a conclusion our work in the Exhibition grounds. The damage done to the tent was not very serious, but will entail some expense for repairs before it can be made ready for future efficient service. We feel grateful that there was so little damage done. There being no tokens of the storm abating, we did not attempt to re-erect the tent during that day, but early on Friday morning it was put into order again, and a noon meeting held. The Exhibition closed on Friday evening, when the tent was taken down and packed for service at the Volunteer Camp, Niagara, which opens on Monday, 18th inst.

The attendance and interest at the meetings held in the tent, was most encouraging. At every meeting (three being held daily), the tent was full, and at times literally packed. The gospel was presented earnestly and in all its purity. A *living* Saviour for *dying* men was ever the theme, and thank God some were met with who realized their need of such a Saviour. Of course the work was that of *sowing*, (and truly it was by the way-side). The seed sown was pure, and it had life, so that the results must come in due course although the sower may not be permitted to reap.

Very many Christians were cheered and encouraged by their visit to the tent, and unconverted men apparently untouched by the verbal message of love, nevertheless gave expression to their appreciation of this effort to make their visit to the Exhibition one of pleasure.

Over 25,000 tracts and folders, and about 700 Testaments, were distributed in the tent. The record is now with the Master. We have endeavored, by God's grace, to do what we could, and we leave the results with Him.

We desire to record our thanks to J. J. Withrow, Esq., President, J. McGee, Esq., Manager, and H. J. Hill Esq., Secretary of the Exhibition Committee, for favors extended, also to Mr. Skerrow Superintendent of the grounds, for his courtesy to us. Thanks are also due to Messrs. Kent Bros. for a clock; J. & G. Strathern for a water filter; Rev. W. Briggs, Methodist Book Room; John Young Esq., Bible House; and the Willard Tract Depository for donations of pamphlets and tracts.

We acknowledge receipt of two volumes for the Library, from a Lady friend.