

Onblished under Direction of the Upper Canada Bible Society.

VOL. III.

TORONTO, MAY, 1872.

No. 3.

THIRTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY

OF THE

Upper Ganada Bible Society.

REPORT OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

HELD IN THE METROPOLITAN W. M. CHURCH, TORONTO, ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 22ND.

The Hon. G. W. Allan, Senator, President, in the chair.*

The beautiful and spacious edifice was filled, although the weather was most unfavourable.

The Rev. George Cochran, Pastor of the Church, opened the meeting by reading the 55th chapter of Isaiah, and with prayer.

The Honourable Chairman then introduced the object of the meeting by saying:-

^{*}On and immediately around the platform were, The Speakers, Rev. Professor Inglis Rev. W. M. Punshon, LL.D., Rev. S. J. Boddy, M.A., Rev. Lachlin Taylor, D.D., Rev. W. Stewart, B.A., and Rev. J. A. R. Dickson. The Secretarics, J. Geo. Hodgins, LL.D., George Hague, Esq., and Rev. John Gemley. Vice-Presidents, Rev. Dr. Topp, Rev. E. Baldwin, M.A., Rev. Dr. Ryerson, Rev. Dr. Jennings, Rev. W. Reid, M. A., Rev. Dr. Green, and Rev. T. S. Ellerby. Directors, Rev. F. H. Marling, Rev. S. N. Jackson, M.D., G. M. Evans, Esq., Dr. Geikie, and Rev. Prof. Cornish, Sec. of Montreal Bible Society. There were, besides, many other ministers among the audience, including several Agents of the Society, who were present in Toronto by special invitation of the Board.