

parochial and missionary work, was led by Miss Osler, followed by Mrs. Broughall, Mrs. Body and others. The balloting for the election of officers and the designation of Life Membership Fees took place during lunch hour. A very comprehensive and valuable paper upon "The beginning of our Auxiliary Work," was prepared and read by Mrs. Cummings, after the reading of which a Life Membership certificate with the gold badge of a Life Member was presented to Mrs. Richard Thorne, as a recognition on the part of the Board of her steadfastness in promoting the work of the Auxiliary in its early and struggling days. An address on "Tithe Giving," was read by Miss Tilley, followed by a discussion: all agreed that if more persons would consider this question of tithing their incomes in a systematic manner, much good would result to themselves and the church, both at home and abroad. The Missionary Meeting in the evening was largely attended, and the addresses by Dr. Parkin, Mr. S. H. Blake and Rev. Mr. Kettle of Touchwood Hills, Qu'Appelle Diocese, were much appreciated. On the 29th, the last day of the meetings, a very interesting conference was held in the morning, upon the work of Juniors and Girls. Many very good points were brought forward in the discussion. The paper on a "Missionary Outlook," by Mrs. Davidson was the first event of importance at the afternoon session, these papers will, we hope, be printed, therefore, nothing further need be said. The announcement of the result of the ballots, showed that the Life Membership Fees, \$300, were voted to the building of a parsonage at Seguin Falls, Algoma, to replace the one recently destroyed by fire. The election of officers came as a surprise to many, and we trust the various changes may, in the end, be for the best welfare of our Auxiliary work. The reception of the Tharkofferings is always a very solemn occasion of our meeting. Many deeply affecting texts, or reasons for these offerings being given. The reading of the minutes with a few parting words from the President, ended by the singing of the chant, "God be Merciful unto us." and the offering of the general Thanksgiving, together with the member's prayer, closed the business sessions of our Twelfth Annual Meeting. The Friday evening meeting, under the auspices of the Girls' Auxiliaries, was very largely attended. Three minute papers on missions, ranging from our own Diocese to Africa were read by girls from various Branches. Miss Litt Smith, from England, gave an excellent address upon the Jewish Life, illustrated by young ladies dressed in the varied costumes of the Jewesses in eastern lands. All the events of the evening were much appreciated by the large audience, and we trust the benefit resulting from these meetings of the Senior Girls' and Junior Auxiliaries may, with the good hand of our God upon us, bear much fruit, to the praise and glory of His Holy Name.

After the reading by the Dorcas Sec.-Treas. of her report, a very unexpected and delightful presentation was made to her by the