

Mrs. Wilson's departure, the Auxiliary presented her with a life-membership certificate, accompanied by the following address:—

"COBOURG, June 11th.

"Dear Mrs. Wilson, President King Street Auxiliary,—

"As the time has arrived when we must sever our immediate connection in the work in which we have been engaged during the past three years, we cannot allow you to leave us without saying that your influence has been very helpful in stimulating us to be more active in the work so dear to all our hearts. While we sincerely regret that circumstances make it necessary for you to leave us, we rejoice in the fact that wherever your lot may be cast you will always be found earnestly doing what you can to further the cause of our blessed Lord, and so fulfil the scriptural injunction, 'Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature.' In order that there may be a golden link which will at once tend to remind you of the sympathy of all our hearts, and at the same time inseparably connect you outwardly with the cause which we feel assured you can never forget, we take pleasure in asking you to accept this Certificate of Life Membership.

"Signed on behalf of the Auxiliary,

"E. A. WARD, 1st Vice-Pres.
ELIZA J. SHEPARD, 2nd Vice-Pres.
ANNIE HOPPER, Treasurer.
A. BARBER, Cor. Sec.
HENRIETTA C. BENNETT, Rec. Sec."

ALBERTON, P.E.I., Sept. 15.—We think that the time has arrived for your readers to hear from the Alberton Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society. As an Auxiliary we are nearly three years old; and after having lost five members by removal, etc., we still have a membership of nineteen; when organized, in November, 1888, we had eleven. Our meetings are held on the first Friday in every month, with an average attendance of eight. At each meeting we receive the "monthly letters," which we find very helpful. The OUTLOOK is also taken by nearly all the members of our Society. We have also organized a Mission Band, called the "Rill and River," with a membership of nineteen. Our feeble efforts at furnishing "wings" for the "mighty Gospel" that it may "fly abroad," have been fairly successful, we think. In our first year we raised \$27.10, \$11 of which was realized at Miss Cartmell's lecture. In our second year, we held one public meeting; its collection, \$12.60, together with members' fees, amounted to \$29.14; and this, our third year, our figures (including \$9.05, collection at our public meeting in March) are \$31.53, making a total sent from our Auxiliary to the Branch Treasurer of \$87.77, besides which our Mission Band raised, by "talent money," \$4.78, which was sent to Mr. Crosby, to assist in repairing steamer *Glad Tidings*. We feel that God has, indeed, blessed our feeble efforts in the past, and trust that He may bless us more abundantly in the future, and enable us to do all we can to assist in sending the "lamp of life" to those who sit in the "region and shadow of death."

M. WISENER, Cor. Sec.

STRATHROY—During the past year we have marked with pleasure an increasing interest in our work here. Oh, my sisters, if we only knew that every eighteen dollars given to missions would be the means of saving one precious immortal soul, in view of that, how would we spend our money? Yet, statistics show this to be a fact. If during the coming year we save but one poor heathen soul, that would be a grand work! An eternal glory! Results of

which eternity alone can tell, for the multiplying influence of even one will go on and on down through time.

"Then, live and shine for evermore—
In the hereafter yet to come."

M. A. IVISON, Cor. Sec.

UPPER KENT, September 10th.—An Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society was organized here, on August 14th, by Mrs. (Rev.) George Sellar. The Auxiliary, as yet, consists of only eight members. We hope for a much larger number when we meet next month. The date of our meeting is the first Saturday in every month. The names of the officers elected are as follows:—President, Mrs. G. Sellar; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. G. Miles; 2nd Vice-President, Miss Carrie Penna; Recording Secretary, Miss Maggie Tacy; Corresponding Secretary, Medora Penna; Treasurer, Mrs. Albert Hawthorn. On the evening of the 27th of August, Miss F. E. Palmer, of St. John, gave us a very interesting address on mission work. The address was instructive, as well as interesting, and we feel safe in saying, that every woman left the building with a desire to help in the spreading of the glorious Gospel in heathen lands. We tender our sincere thanks to Miss Palmer for her kindness in visiting us, and encouraging and strengthening us in our work.

MEDORA PENNA, Cor. Sec.

TORONTO (Parliament Street).—This Auxiliary has just closed a year of unusual prosperity. Twelve months ago we severed our connection with the Berkeley Street Auxiliary, starting with seventeen members, but the severance has proved a blessing and an inspiration to both Auxiliaries. We are able to report fifty-one members, three of whom are life-members—just the same number as was reported from the combined Auxiliaries last year. Thus we are "provoking one another to love and good works." Monthly meetings (in the evening) have been held at the homes of certain of the members, and the hostess at whose home the meeting was held provided light refreshments on each occasion for those attending. The annual meeting was held at the home of the Recording Secretary, on Friday, September 4. During the year \$133.25 has been raised, made up as follows:—Members' fees, \$73.50; Epworth League donation, \$10; other donations, \$9; mite-boxes, \$29.30; public meeting, \$9.35; other sources, \$2.10. The OUTLOOK is taken by thirteen members. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:—President, Mrs. (Rev.) G. J. Bishop; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. T. W. Self; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. B. Brick; 3rd Vice-President, Mrs. J. J. Thompson; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. Robertson; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. H. C. Hocken; Treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Self; Mrs. J. Robertson and Mrs. G. J. Bishop were elected delegates to the annual meeting at Brampton.

MRS. H. C. HOCKEN, Cor. Sec.

PETERBORO' (September 9th).—On Tuesday, September 7th, Mrs. Kendry met the ladies of our Church to lay before them the work of the Woman's Missionary Society. After singing and prayer, Mr. Locke read an appropriate Scripture lesson, Matt. xxv. 31-46. Mrs. Kendry then very clearly told the ladies the object in view in banding them together in this important missionary work, mentioned briefly the different fields occupied, and read the constitution of the Woman's Missionary Society of our Church. She then asked Mrs. Locke to address the ladies on their individual responsibility in the matter. In her usual earnest and impressive way, Mrs. Locke brought the question right home to each one's door of what she ought to do to fulfil Christ's command, "Go ye into all the world and