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## HOME MISSIONS.

The readers of the RECORD are aware that an increased responsibility has this year devolved on the Central Fund, and consequently that an increase in the contributions is expected. The work in Manitoba will require, for the salaries of Messrs. Fletcher and McNab, \$600 each, and Mr. Whimster \$200; in all \$1400. An effort is to be made to do something in Manitoba, and probably a liberal contribution will be sent, but the H. M. Committee is responsible for the above amount, in addition to last year. The Presbytery of Manitoba are also desirous of obtaining assistance in establishing a good Educational Establishment, which may in due time become a College, and for this they look to our fund. Then we must endeavour to send more men as emigrants to take up land in the new province. This winter, also, we have a missionary at Sault Ste. Marie, and a minister at Fort William or Thunder Bay, at the extreme western part of Lake Superior. The expense connected with these missions must be borne largely by the Committee. Also in the Muskoka district, and in the new country between that and the Ottawa, Missionary operations are being carried on which will draw on the fund. It is gratifying to think that thus our work is extending, and it is hoped that a corresponding increase may be given us in the liberality of our Christian people, so that our missionaries may be sustained and encouraged. Let every congregation freely contribute, and we shall have abundance.