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This issue closes the eighth volume of the MARITIME. Thanks to the friends throughout the country who have so kindly aided in its circulation. Their reward and ours is the same, the consciousness that some good has been done by the million and a half of pages of good wholesome reading matter that it has carried abroad during the year.

A stray copy of the MARITIME not long since found its way to a poor, hardened, and apparently hopeless drunkard in Trinidad. A story in it of a little child who wanted to know what she could do for Jesus, touched his heart. "Here is a little child, said he, wanting to serve her Saviour and what have I done for Him all these years?" He became a changed man from that time and is still holding on in a better way.

The accounts of the MARITIME for the year have not been all made up, but all expenses will be paid and there will be a balance for the Foreign Mission Fund, how much can't yet be exactly known.

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For the coming year as well as the past, the MARITIME will be indebted for its circulation to the friends who so kindly act as agents in the different sections of the country. We trust that its readers will commend it to others and thus aid in increasing its circulation.

Mr. Morton writes "a friend here whose name is unknown has pledged the amount necessary to make an addition to the Tacarigua school house, part of the space to be for a reading room."

Such instances of generosity should both cheer and stimulate our church at home.

This is Miss Blackaddar's school and the generosity of the unknown donor will enable her to work to better advantage when she returns.

Mr. Morton is very anxious to get a new school house at St. Joseph. This is an important centre in an old Spanish town and a promising field for work. At present he is obliged to pay ten dollars per month rental for a building that is very unsuitable. Besides, if he had a new school house the school would at once go on the list of Government assisted schools which would be about twelve dollars per month additional, so that the new school house would be a richly paying investment.

The Government has given him a site in a valuable centre and now he awaits the money to build. Miss Blackaddar has been earnestly laboring during her furlough hoping that the collections at her meetings would so enrich the F. M. Treasury