

has agreed to pay \$600 per annum for the support of its pastor. Each of these stations build a church last year at a cost of \$5,000. Mr. Mills' charge will build a manse in the spring.

Rev. W. R. Ross has been appointed to Sapperton, and Rev. Mr. Muir placed in the charge of Chilliwack. Chilliwack was lately placed on the lists of Augmented Congregations and wishes to call a pastor. The congregations will soon be self sustaining.

Cloverdale built a church and manse last summer and faithful work is being done by Mr. McElmon.

Rosedale is advancing under Mr. Mackay. A church is in course of erection at Island.

#### INLAND COLUMBIA.

The British Columbia government has generously granted a site for a church at Nelson and the building is going up. Mr. Rogers is pushing his work vigorously. Capt. McMorris writes that there is room in Kootenay Lake district for three more missionaries and asks that they may be appointed in spring.

Quite a commodious church has been built at Vernon, and the prospects there are good. The railway built through the Okanagan valley will change the whole aspect of our work.

The Earl of Aberdeen is planting a colony of Scotchmen on the estate recently purchased by him near Vernon.

Kamloops, under Rev. A. Lee, has done well in the past year, though the town is not growing much.

#### MOOSEJAW NEWS.

Rev. W. L. Clay's congregation held its annual meeting on Feb. 1st. An addition of 22 members to the communion roll was reported, with three disjunctions and one death. The receipts were for the year \$1,872.29 and expenditure \$1,819.70, a part of which was for the new manse. For the schemes of the church \$121 was raised; and hopeful reports were given in by Sabbath School, Ladies Aid Society, and Y. P. S. C. E. Well done Moosejaw!

#### A CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SUGGESTION.

An ardent endeavorer, Mr. Wm. Laird of Winnipeg, writes to us about the need for laborers to meet the great lack in winter in our mission stations. We are glad that so much interest is being shown in this subject. Mr. Laird says: "The students should be instructed to familiarize themselves with the methods of work of this Society and the secret of its power." We approve of this. In places "where there is necessary material" these societies could be organized, and when the student is gone there might be left a means of keeping up service in the long and lonely winter. By all means let us utilize the fervor and self-sacrifice of youth to the fullest. It does seem strange that elders and pious people should not have sufficient resource to keep up a service without a minister. Let us enlist the young blood and the next generation will be different.