

Home, and dismissed the petition of the claimants. So we have her back, to her great delight.

Ah Quai's heart has turned to the gentle influences of Christianity, like a flower to the sunshine. About three months ago, in passing the door of the room, in the daytime, where she sleeps, I saw her on her knees, evidently in earnest prayer, as she would not understand me. I felt the Holy Spirit was the best teacher, but I mentioned it to Sarah, the oldest girl in the Home, who has been a helper to Ah Quai, and she replied, "Oh, Ah Quai pray often, and every night she thanks God that He brought her to this Home." About this time she told me she would like to be baptized. I said I hoped she would soon, but I wanted her to understand better, and learn a little more first. However, when Mr. Gardiner called in the course of a day or two, to see her about a woman who came over on the same steamer, she made her request to him. He talked to her a while, and then told me he never heard a clearer statement of faith in God, and in a Saviour who came from heaven, and died for the sins of the world, and desire to be saved, from any young convert. Few of the men, he added, expressed themselves as plainly. She also spoke of her great desire that the woman who was being enquired after should be found, and brought to this Home, that she might know the good news of the gospel of Jesus. Ah Quai was baptized on Sunday, the 23rd of April. We are trying to call her by her new name, Laura. I hope and pray she may grow up a bright and useful Christian woman, and be made a blessing in her turn.

I enclose a letter received from Mrs. Tate, of Hastings. Will you be so kind as to give the acknowledgment asked for in *OUTLOOK*, and oblige.

Yours very truly,

MARY E. MORROW.

[Mrs. Tate's record of the boys' S. S. class subscriptions will be found among reports.]

Our Promoted Members.

BRANTFORD (WELLINGTON STREET).—It is with feelings of regret that we record the death of three of the members of this Auxiliary during the present quarter—Mesdames Ball, Hocking and Cox; and although they were not the most active of our members, they were faithful and sympathized with every department of our missionary work. We shall greatly miss them, but we have the assurance that our loss is to them infinite gain. We are glad to be able to report a growing interest in the work of our Society generally; and, in the midst of our sorrow, we have had cause for thankfulness and joy, in the fact that one of our most deserving members, Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Willoughby, has been honored by Mrs. Large (Japan) by making her a life-member of W. M. S., in recognition of her close friendship for many years to those who are now in the better land.

NELLIE SHANNON, *Cor. Sec.*

MERRICKVILLE.—Our Woman's Missionary Society has lost two of its members. Last August Mrs. Miskelly died. She had been a member of our Auxiliary since its organization, and we miss her in our monthly meetings. She was a regular attendant when able to be here, always interested in missionary work. Mrs. Miskelly was one year vice-president, and at the time of her death treasurer of our Society. This spring, Mrs. Mosier passed away. She was an old lady, who, through ill-health, was hardly ever able to leave her home, yet when she heard of our Woman's Missionary Society, was anxious to become a member; and although only twice able in four years to attend our meetings, we always knew we had her Christian sympathy and prayers. We feel confident that when God said to these women, "It is enough," they were ready to go into the marriage supper of the Lamb.

K. E., *Cor. Sec.*

HARLEM AND CHANTRY.—We deeply mourn the loss of our devoted corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. E. Gallagher, who departed this life in July. She had filled this position since the organization of our Society, in 1889. For the first time death has entered our Auxiliary, yet we realize that our loss is her gain. Although weak in body, she was at her post until a short time before her death. She delighted to do all she could for the cause of God. Her death was glorious,

on account of the presence of the Master. The example of her Christian life encourages us to be all for Jesus.

MRS. R. A. SHELDON, *Cor. Sec.*

KEMPTVILLE, ONT.—Since the organization of our Auxiliary, in 1886, we have lost three of our members by death and five by removal. The first call came to Mrs. Joseph Cook, in 1890. This year two of our number have entered into rest. Our beloved treasurer, Miss Courtenay, passed away on the 11th of March, after a brief illness of two weeks. We miss her sadly in our monthly meetings, her place was seldom vacant. She was a consistent Christian, and always manifested a deep interest in the cause of missions. On the 5th of April, another of our members was summoned to the better land—Mrs. Horace Hutchins. Though almost ninety-three years of age, she had full possession of her faculties, and whenever our Auxiliary held its meetings in her home her voice led in prayer, and her heart and hand were open to help on the work she loved. While our membership is thus being diminished by death and removal, we are adding a few new names to the roll, and hope for more in the future.

HATTIE CAMERON, *Sec.*

Words from Workers.

[N.B.—By decision of the Executive, reports must be limited to fifteen lines.]

TINTERN.—It is not that we are dead to the command God has given us, "go and tell" that Jesus has risen, a Saviour to all, that we have not been heard from this year. The reason is the corresponding secretary has been away, and it is only lately another has been elected. We hold monthly meetings regularly, and were strengthened by the presence of the sisters of the W.C.T.U., who held their meeting at the same place at an earlier hour, and remained till ours closed. We held an open meeting with thank-offerings, on the evening of April 11th. The programme consisted of music, recitations, etc.; our pastor, Rev. J. Kelly, presided, and added much to the success of the entertainment. Received nearly \$20 in envelopes to assist us in support of our Bible-woman in Tokyo, Japan. Surely His "ways are ways of pleasantness, and His paths peace."

M. J. M., *Cor. Sec.*

BROADWAY TABERNACLE.—This has been a good year with us, resulting not only in increased membership and finances, but we trust, also, in broadened sympathies, a wider knowledge of the Master's work, and a deeper spiritual life for each member. Our meetings have all been interesting and profitable, and the attendance large. Much of the success of our work is due to the untiring efforts of our President, Mrs. (Rev.) Philp, whom we deeply regret having to part with in June, to go to another field of labor. Her sweet, unassuming, Christian spirit has endeared her to all, and her place will be hard to fill.

Miss Whitfield addressed us at our last quarterly meeting on her work in Liberia. Perhaps the most delightful meeting of the year was our thank-offering service, held on Monday, April 10th, when the ladies presented their self-denial offering to the Lord. The sum of \$33 was realized.

Mrs. Lillie, of Jarvis Street Baptist Church, read a paper on the Home work, which was much appreciated. Mrs. Dr. Williams gave us a helpful talk on self-denial, and Mrs. Stephens, a returned missionary from China, spoke on the needs of that field. A pleasant feature was the presentation, by the ladies, of a certificate of life membership to Mrs. E. Pearce, our Recording Secretary, a lady whose sterling worth is appreciated by our circle. "God shall bless us, and all the ends of the earth shall fear Him."

LOUISE WILSON, *Cor. Sec.*

WOLVERTON.—We have organized an Auxiliary at Wolverton. We have a membership of fourteen, and the promise of several more. The following officers were elected: Miss Dora Bawtenhimer, President; Mrs. Geo. J. French, Vice-President; Miss Clara Shannon, Recording Secretary; Mrs. William Kilgour, Corresponding Secretary; Miss Lottie French, Treasurer. We have a club for *OUTLOOK* with ten members, also several mite boxes have been distributed.

HATTIE KILGOUR, *Cor. Sec.*