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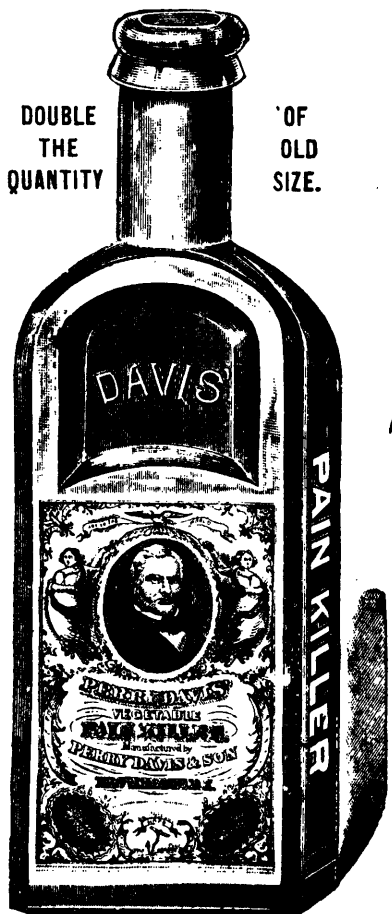
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WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (Western Division) was opened in Westminster Church, Bloor street, on Tuesday, May 3. There were about 400 delegates from all parts of Ontario present, and the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Thomas Ewart, Toronto, president of the Society.

The delegates registered were as follows:—

Mrs. T. Perrin, Pickering; Mrs. Morton, Carleton Place; Mrs. Wm. Givens, Hamilton; Miss C. Thomson, St. Catharines; Miss M. C. Bruce, Gormley; Miss Jane Gibson, Orton; Mrs. Boulton, Paris; Mrs. Fairbairn, Peterboro'; Miss Brodie, Port Hope; Miss Farquharson, Claude; Mrs. Burson, St. Catharines; Miss C. B. Gordon, St. Helen's; Mrs. G. W. Field, Guelph; Mrs. Stewart, Perth; Mrs. McNab, Lucknow; Mrs. J. McClellan, Bowmanville; Mrs. Hunter, Norval; Mrs. Kellock, Spencerville; Miss Sarah Carr, Keady; Mrs. P. Stover, St. Thomas; Mrs. F. Smith, Bradford; Mrs. Salmoni, Amherstburg; Mrs. J. McIntyre, Fullerton; Mrs. R. Johnston, Clark; Miss Scott, Eramosa; Mrs. Rose, Elora; Mrs. D. C. Hossack, Orangeville; Miss Young, Erie; Miss Small, Oshawa; Miss McMeekin, Edmonton; Mrs. R. McCulloch, Edmonton; Mrs. Fraser, Bowmanville; Mrs. Cockburn, Paris; Mrs. Stinson, Alliston; Mrs. Abraham, Agincourt; Mrs. Waugh, Stratford; Mrs. Wilcox, Oshawa; Mrs. Kirtson, Woodstock; Mrs. McMurtry, Harrison; Mrs. T. Fair, Clinton; Mrs. A. McKay, Lucknow; Mrs. C. Fletcher, Thames Road; Mrs. A. Steele, Orangeville; Mrs. Lambert, Acton; Mrs. Wm. McGill, Port Perry; Mrs. Howie, Waterloo; Mrs. Carruthers, Waterloo; Miss H. Buchanan, Hamilton; Mrs. N. Garland, Eglinton; Mrs. Grant, Orillia; Mrs. Colquhoun, Waterloo; Mrs. Schenerman, Waterloo; Mrs. McDougall, Brampton; Mrs. A. Thompson, Bradford; Miss L. M. Borrowman, Whitby; Miss McColl, St. Thomas; Mrs. R. Lawrie, St. Catharines; Miss McCrostie, St. Helen's; Mrs. C. C. McFadden, Cannington; Miss Findlay, Hamilton; Mrs. R. D. Foote, Collingwood; Mrs. Roger, Fergus; Mrs. Hurt, Brantford; Miss McMaster, Montreal; Mrs. B. L. Cameron, Ayr; Mrs. R. Edwards, Cannington; Mrs. McTavish, Parkhill; Mrs. W. Burnett, Cobourg; Mrs. W. Graham, Galt; Mrs. J. Cameron, Durham; Mrs. J. McLennan, Lindsay; Mrs. J. Malcolm, Teeswater; Mrs. Lord, Grafton; Mrs. J. Robertson, Teeswater; Miss M. L. Hislop, Ingersoll; Miss A. B. McEride, Port Perry; Miss Modewell, Stratford; Miss L. H. McLennan, Lindsay; Miss C. Smith, Guelph; Mrs. Burnham, Port Perry; Mrs. Burnett, Alliston; Mrs. A. Ferguson, Eversley; Miss L. McConkey, Barrie; Mrs. J. W. Chalmers, Poole; Mrs. A. Meiklejohn, Harrison; Miss L. Kerr, Galt; Mrs. J. Steele, Dundas; Mrs. W. D. Watson, Ayr; Miss Kyle, Dundas; Mrs. B. Sutherland, Bond Head; Mrs. Wm. Byers, Gananoque; Mrs. Fletcher, Hamilton; Miss Duff, Lakefield; Mrs. T. Henderson, Lakefield; Mrs. Sprout, Mansewood; Mrs. Renwick, Kirkwell; Miss Wier, West Flamboro'; Mrs. Kuler, Iroquois; Mrs. A. H. Allan, Paisley; Miss Ferrier, Caledonia; Mrs. Lockhard, Hespler; Mrs. J. M. Davis, Port Perry; Miss A. Hall, Peterboro'; Mrs. D. Campbell, Tansley; Mrs. Forbes, Hespler; Mrs. Breemer, Sarnia; Miss Pyper, Woodstock; Mrs. George Paton, Peterboro'; Miss Steven, Guelph; Mrs. J. McD. Duncan, Tottenham; Mrs. Wm. Robb, Seaforth; Mrs. A. R. Jamieson, Mount Forest; Miss N. Sutherland, Cobourg; Miss F. Donaldson, Ayr; Mrs. A. S. Ferrier, Woodstock; Mrs. D. McCrae, Guelph; Mrs. George McKenzie, St. Thomas; Mrs. A. McArthur, Chatsworth; Mrs. Thomas Stewart, Belleville; Mrs. E. McLeod, Parkhill; Miss Gibson, Ottawa; Mrs. A. Irving, Pembroke; Mrs. J. L. Campbell, Cheltenham; Mrs. Ellison, Tottenham; Mrs. C. Johns, Ayr; Mrs. A. McKay, Chatham; Miss T. McKenzie, Harrington; Miss G. Gemmell, Edmondville; Miss C. Matheson, Harrington; Mrs. Tarnahill, Belleville; Mrs. D. Cameron, Glenora; Mrs. Munroe, Morrison; Mrs. Robertson, Morrison; Mrs. Stevenson, Barrie; Mrs. Munroe, Harrington; Mrs. A. H. Scott, Perth; Mrs. Elliott, Parkhill; Mrs. J. Hay, Cobourg; Mrs. Mann, Baltimore; Mrs. Drinkwater, Cheltenham; Mrs. Hamilton, Motherwell; Mrs. R. Innes, Peterboro'; Mrs. J. Murphy, Orton; Mrs. K. McLean, Guelph; Miss McPherson, Stratford; Miss Ross, Guelph; Miss T. Manson, Valetta; Mrs. Frankish, Uxbridge; Mrs. Ball, Vanneck; Mrs. Harry Purvis, Quebec; Miss Drummond, Newcastle; Mrs. John Somerville, Owen Sound; Mrs. W. A. McKay, Woodstock; Mrs. McL. Scott, Toronto; Miss Florence Shaw, Guelph; Miss Addie Oliver, Newmarket; Miss Faris, Bradford; Miss Goodfellow, Bradford; Miss Graham, Claude; Miss Thymie, Markham; Mrs. M. C. Cameron, Harrington; Mrs. George Vallance, Hamilton; Miss J. Henry, Agincourt; Mrs. D. S. McFarlane, Claremont; Mrs. Yule, Paris; Mrs. Wm. Nelson, Scott;

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A devotional meeting was held at nine o'clock Tuesday morning, and though the weather was unfavourable most of the delegates were present. Mrs. Gray, Brampton, led the meeting, special prayers being offered for the suppression of the opium traffic in China and India. The services at ten o'clock were opened by Mrs. Gunther, Toronto, leading in prayer and all joining in singing the hymn, "Unto the hills do I lift up my longing eyes." Mrs. Ewart, president, and Mrs. Fraser, Lancaster, conducted devotional exercises.

Mrs. Ewart, in her usual kindly manner, gave all a hearty welcome and spoke very encouragingly to those who had been working through the year. Before sitting down she asked to be allowed to read a letter from Mrs. Harris in behalf of her family, thanking the different Auxiliaries and Societies for their sympathetic messages in reference to their recent bereavement.

After singing the hymn, "Jesus Thou joy of loving hearts," the reports of the Presbyterian Societies were read, most of them showing greater interest and earnestness in the work, larger desires to advance, better methods of working, more direct giving, and not so much by socials, etc. However, there has been one thing to be regretted, some of the Mission Bands having merged into Christian Endeavour Societies. While being in sympathy with these Societies, the officers of the W. F. M. S. do not like to feel that the Foreign Mission work is set aside in this way. They strongly urged the members to be faithful to their own work. Miss Haight read a number of letters of greeting from sister societies in the United States, all breathing a friendly tone and showing that the same noble work is being carried on by them. Miss McMaster, Montreal, and Mrs. Edward Blake, representing the McAll Association, and others also spoke cheery words of encouragement.

The afternoon session was opened with devotional exercises by Mrs. Rogers, Gananoque. The annual reports were then presented, Mrs. Harvie, foreign secretary, stating that they had experienced both joy and sorrow. Reference was made to the death of Miss Harris, Miss Rodgers' resignation and Dr. Beatty's ill health and slow improvement. Then the missionaries in Honan have suffered greatly from the hostility of the natives. In all their letters the main thing was to keep praying for them. The boarding school at Indore has been finished and at present has fourteen girl inmates.

Mrs. Shortreed gave the Home report, showing encouraging and gratifying increase of membership and new societies organized; also giving many instances of how Auxiliaries can continue working under all circumstances. A very interesting feature was a letter from the Auxiliary in Indore Presbytery, having a membership of thirteen and evidently working hard. They had an offering of about \$15, and asked to be allowed to dispose of it themselves, as they could know and see so much better how to use it. Their greeting was John x. 11. There was also a pleasant report from the Bulaah Sioux Reserve Auxiliary, which meets every week, and is composed of Christian Indian women, who hold their meetings and do bead work, and sell it for the benefit of missions.

The work all through has been greatly blessed, and gives fresh courage for the ensuing year. Mrs. Jeffrey had many acknowledgments from our missionaries, thanking the societies for goods sent out, also telling how they were appreciated.

The publication report, given by Mrs. Telfer, showed a decided advance on former years, the issue now being 9,165 copies monthly, an increase of nearly 2,000 on last year.

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After adopting these reports, a quartette of young ladies sang, very sweetly, "Abiding Rest."

Business from last year caused quite a discussion, such as the revision of constitutions for Mission Bands, and amendments taking up much time. Dr. Beatty was on the platform, but suffering from a severe cold could not speak. The ladies, however, gave her a standing welcome. Prayer by Mrs. Ball, London, for native Christians brought the afternoon meeting to a close, and the ladies adjourned to the lecture-rooms, where an enjoyable reception was held in a cosily-furnished room, the ladies of Westminster receiving. They had provided a very delightful tea, which was appreciated by all who participated.

The Presbytery of Toronto being in session, Rev. Mr. Neil tendered to the members a cordial invitation to tea, a number of whom accepted.

The public meeting in the church in the evening of Tuesday was an evidence of the deep interest taken in the proceedings of the Society. Before the hour of meeting every part of the large, commodious and comfortable building was occupied. Many were seated in the aisles and a few had only standing room, while quite a number turned away when they saw the crowded state of the church. Mr. Hamilton Cassels, Convener of the Foreign Mission Committee, presided. The opening exercises were led by Rev. Dr. Wardrope, Moderator of the General Assembly. The first speaker was the Rev. Professor McLaren, who presented to the large audience the salient features of the reports submitted in the afternoon, and showed by a comparative statement the steady growth of the women's movement, and concluded with a fervent address of encouragement to the delegates and a call for greater activity on the part of the Church. Collection, \$156.

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