

Carlton Place.—This Band reports progress during the year. A student is being supported at Tuni. Membership 26. Sent to Foreign Missions \$17, Home Missions \$10.

Delta.—The members of this Band open their mite boxes quarterly with some kind of a special meeting, and report the interest in the cause of missions increasing. A student is being supported in Akidu by their offerings. Membership 20. Sent to Foreign Missions \$18.75.

Kingston—First Church.—This Band is composed of young ladies, who meet after 8. S. to secure a larger attendance. A student at Samulcotta is being supported by them. Membership 30. Sent to Foreign Missions \$17.

Kingston—Union Street Church.—This is a new Band, and fully alive to the need of every Christian in the mission cause. Rev. Jesse Chute, one of our missionaries in India, labored here for some months before leaving Canada, and his earnest seed-sowing is bearing fruit. A very successful open meeting was held this year, subject, "India," illustrated by lantern views of missionaries and scenes in that far-off land. Membership 18. Sent to Foreign Missions \$5, besides having a share in the box sent by the Circle to Home Missions.

Perth.—The "Young Helpers" continue to render efficient help. Their meetings are held monthly and the members are increasing in their knowledge of and love for missions, while ever seeking to follow in the footsteps of our Lord Jesus Christ, the greatest of all missionaries. A student is being supported at Tuni. Membership 45. Sent to Foreign Missions \$17, Home Missions \$5.

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

Barnston.—This Band recently received, through Miss Hatch, a letter from the Samulcotta student formerly supported by them, who is now at work in her field in India, and their interest and zeal has been quickened by it. Membership not reported. Sent to Foreign Missions \$8.

Montreal—First Church.—No Band is here at present, but the Junior Endeavor Society have sent \$3.65 to our Treasurer for Foreign Missions.

Montreal—Grace Church.—"Sunshine" Band meets before 8. S. once a month, to secure a larger attendance of teachers and scholars. The meetings increase in interest. For three years they have supported the same student at Akidu, and had letters at different times from her. A large box of toys and clothing has also been sent to India by this Band, and its contents were joyfully received by those at work in the school there. Membership 45. Sent to Foreign Missions \$20, Home Missions \$10, Grande Ligne \$5.

Montreal—Olivet Church.—This Band was organized in September, 1894. The meetings are held once a month, before 8. S.—session 40 minutes long. A committee of six is appointed to meet with the officers, to prepare the programme for each meeting. Their special studies have been India, China, missions on the Congo, and Grande Ligne work. A student in Akidu is being supported, and her first letter and photograph were presented at the annual meeting held recently. Membership 94. Sent to Foreign Missions \$25, Grande Ligne \$25.

Point St. Charles.—No report has been received, but

their meetings are well sustained. A student is being supported at Akidu. Sent to Foreign Mission Treasurer \$2.

Quebec.—This Band has changed its meeting from Saturday to Sunday, and secured a larger attendance. Once a month the Junior Endeavor Society, which meets weekly, gives way for the Band of "Willing Workers," who take charge of the meeting. The lives, customs, etc., of the Chinese, have recently been studied with much interest. A student is being supported at Akidu. Membership 34. Sent to Foreign Missions \$17.

Sawyer ville.—The "Mission Star" Band is still at work. The first hour of each meeting is spent in regular missionary exercises, and the next in sewing. Mats have been made for the Grande Ligne mission, and a box sent to India for the little girl in Akidu who is supported by them, filled with clothing, needles, thread, pins, a prettily-dressed doll, and other things a little school-girl needs. During the past year eleven of the members have given their hearts to Jesus, and their voices now join in the Band prayer-meetings. Membership 21. Raised for missions by mite boxes, collections, and membership fees, \$22.

OTTAWA ASSOCIATION.

Kemprville Band have sent no report to me, but have contributed \$28.20 to Foreign Missions.

Kenmore Band was organized in 1891, has 26 members. Sent to Foreign Missions \$4, Home Missions \$10, Grande Ligne \$4.

Ormond Band reports a membership of 54, but gives no other items.

Osgoode Band reports a membership of 57. The leaders are much encouraged this year, for ten of their members have recently given their hearts to Jesus. Their one aim is to have every one in the Band truly united to the Saviour. They have held two public meetings this year, and are supporting a student at Akidu. Sent to Foreign Missions \$17, Home Missions \$28.41 (\$12 of this being for the North-West, and \$16.41 to help Miss Frith in her work among the French at St. Eugene).

Ottawa—First Church.—The "Cheerful Gleaners" are still meeting every second Friday afternoon. Their increased contributions show that the members realize the great need of every Christian being actively engaged in mission work at home or abroad. Two students are being supported at Tuni. Membership 120. Sent to Foreign Missions \$51, Home Missions \$30, Grande Ligne \$5.

Ottawa—McPhail Memorial.—The "Light Holders" Band in this new church are endeavoring to extend the knowledge of the Sun of Righteousness to those who live in darkness and the shadow of death. It is now held in direct connection with the S. S., its president being elected at the same time as the S. S. superintendent, but all other officers are elected by the Band, at its annual meeting. On "Mission Sunday" the regular session is shortened about fifteen minutes, and all are invited to remain for the Band meeting; 129 were present in September, the largest attendance on record. The collection is taken up before 8. S. closes, then handed over to the Mission Band Treasurer. Some of the members have mission barrels at their homes for collecting money earned or saved for the cause, and a public meeting is held during the year, at which the exercises are of a missionary character—when a collec-