

held here at 9.30 A. M. or 12.30 P. M., which seems very strange to me now, though as children we always expected Sunday school after the morning service and disliked it accordingly. I fear my "short" letter is becoming too long and with kind regards to my friends in King street church, I will hasten to sign my name for this time. I may write you later on of the delightful Narragansett Bay, but I cannot do it justice. You will do well to accept my invitation to come and see it for yourselves. I intend to leave Providence this week for a visit to some New Hampshire beaches, and I think will write you from the Rivermouth Rocks, which scenery you can find so beautifully described by Whittier.—*Clara I. Knight.*

August Quarterly Meeting.

The first meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of our church was held on the 3rd ult, Rev. Mr. VanWyck in the chair. The meeting opened with prayer. The Recording Secretary read the minutes of last meeting, also reports from Poor Fund Treasurer, showing a balance on hand of \$18.06. Dr. Smith then read the financial report, which was very pleasing, showing amount raised for the first two months of the year, \$236.56. Quite a discussion took place re. the Walnut Street Mission, and it was decided to have some member of the church go there every Sunday evening to assist the Y. P. S. C. E. workers.—*J.C.H.*

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY FOR THE HALF YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER, 1891.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand March, 1891.....	\$ 38 68
Members' Fees.....	4 25
Donations.....	3 20
Share of proceeds from Moonlight Excursion	17 75
Mite Boxes.....	40 13

TOTAL.....\$104 01

EXPENDITURES.

Wall Paper, &c., for Parsonage.....	\$ 45 43
Jas. Matthews & Son on account.....	25 00
Repairs to plaster at Parsonage.....	18 50
Cleaning and laying Carpets.....	13 03
Sundries.....	95
Cash on hand.....	1 10

TOTAL.....\$104 01

MARY A. MOORE, Sec-Treas.

Mission Band.

The first meeting of the Mission Band for 1891-92, was held September 8th, in the Church Parlor. Mrs. Gayfer, president, opened with prayer, after which the election of officers took place, resulting as follows: Mrs. Gayfer, president; Mr. A. E. Manning, vice-president; Miss K. Kappele, secretary; Miss A. Raycroft, asst. secretary; Mr. F. Gayfer, treasurer; Miss F. Nichols, editress; Miss C. Small, Miss F. Lounsbury and Mr. F. C. McIlroy, managing committee.

After discussing different plans of work for the year, and receiving the talent-money, the meeting was brought to a close. We extend a hearty invitation to all the young people of our church to join the Band. Come to our next meeting, Thursday, October 1st, and you will receive a hearty welcome. We want all the young people interested in this, one of the most important branches of our church work.

K. KAPPELE, Secretary.

Science Class.

The annual report of the Science Class shows that during last term 32 meetings were held. The subjects studied were, "Gage's Lessons in Physics," and English Literature—more particularly, Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice." The average attendance was 22. The class will resume work on Tuesday, September 22nd. The subjects will probably be Greek and Roman History, and Elementary Physics. Mr. J. T. Crawford, B. A., has kindly consented to take charge of the Physics, and our Pastor, Rev. Jas. VanWyck, B. A., has been good enough to promise to take charge of the history. An invitation is extended to all interested to attend.—A. JARVIS, Sec-Treas.

Peterboro Convention.

October 21st, 22nd and 23rd. are important dates for all Christian Endeavorers. The Ontario Convention meets at Peterborough. There should be at least one hundred delegates from our city and vicinity. Miss Annie Henry, who was convener of the Sabbath School committee last term, will speak on Sabbath School work at the Peterboro convention. Special rates have been arranged, and all delegates will be billeted.

Our 67th Church Anniversary will soon be along. There are very few living who attended the opening.