

THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT

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Board of Managers of St. Andrew's Church

BEING FOR THE YEAR 1887.

1. It is with gratitude to the Giver of all good that we present this year's Report. The voluntary scheme for collection of the revenues of the Church is a continued success, although the average income per Sabbath is not quite as large for this year as last, it being \$98, as against \$105, per Sabbath. The matter of offering for the Lord's work being a voluntary one, and now entirely between the individual's conscience and his God, it becomes, as it is designed to be, an act of worship and while we call attention to the slight falling off in the aggregate contributions, we must simply leave the question of duty and privilege to the consideration of those who may for personal reasons have reduced or withheld their givings. It has been suggested that the amounts given by the individual contributors be published quarterly to the members and adherents constituting this Congregation, and as an acknowledgment from the Treasurer for the purposes of auditing; but as this was not contemplated at the time of the inauguration of the voluntary system, the Board deem it best to submit the question for the consideration of the people.

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