

ST. ANDREW'S SABBATH SCHOOL

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1885.

It should be borne in mind that, in reporting upon the Sabbath School, the membership and attendance of the Pastor's large Bible Class, which meets at the same hour, is not included, as is the case with other schools. Were it incorporated with the school, "St. Andrew's" would favorably compare with those of other churches in the city.

There are two senior girls' classes less in the school this year, a number having united with the Pastor's class. In other respects, the school has been steadily maintained, and it is again worthy of note that five, at least, of the members united with the Church during the past year.

	TEACHERS.			SCHOLARS.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total
On Roll—Dec. 31st, 1885	12	18	30	135	134	269
Average Attendance	10	14	24	85	93	178
Highest	11	17	28	110	123	233
Lowest	10	11	21	50	52	102

The Quarterly Reviews were conducted as usual, the Pastor having kindly taken part in the exercises.

The Band of Hope is not only an attractive auxiliary to the Sabbath School, but is so conducted that it cannot fail to support and enforce the religious teaching and christian training of the school, in respect to temperance and sobriety in speech, appetite and behavior. It has again been re-organized for the winter, under the direction of Mr. Somerville, with an efficient staff.

It is recommended that the papers supplied to the teachers and school during the past year, be continued. They are "Sunday School Times" (at half-price) to the teachers, and the "Canadian Band of Hope," and "Weekly Illustrated Lesson" cards, for the junior scholars.

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