

Increase.

Presbyterial Societies

Toronto.....Toronto, Erskine Church, "Happy Hour" M.B.
Barrie.....Nottawasaga, St. Andrew's Church Auxiliary.
".....Allandale Auxiliary.
Orangeville....Claude Mission Band.
Kingston.....McDonald Corners M.B.
Hamilton.....Blackheath "Little Branch" M.B.

Life Members.

Miss Polley, McGillivray M.B., Goderich.
Mrs. John McLean, 1st Presbyterian Church, St. Mary's.
Mrs. J. Matheson, Martintown.
Mrs. J. H. Dewar, Sank St. Church, Ottawa.
Miss Maggie Bethune, St. Enoch's Church, Toronto.
Miss Grace Logie, MacLaren Aux., Bloor St. Church, Toronto.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL INDIA.

A Return to Work.

FROM MISS OLIVER.

Mission Hospital, Indore, Jan. 17, 1895.

It was a pleasant surprise to find your kindly letter of welcome and of good wishes for the New Year awaiting me on my arrival. I have had many pleasant surprises these days from old friends. Really I am far more at home among the people of India than when in Canada among my fellow countrymen. It is a queer thing to say and feel, but here I do seem to have a little corner of my own into which I fit; whilst all the time I was in Canada I was like a bird on the wing.

We arrived here on the evening of Saturday, 5th inst., after having had, on the whole, a pleasant journey in spite of the delays. The following Monday I spent in seeing and hearing of all the changes that had taken place during my absence, the most pleasant of all being a little friendly meeting with all those