

Clyde River is working hopefully. An ice cream festival was held in August. Preparations are now being made for a missionary concert.

The Bedeque Society held their November meeting at the home of the Secretary, Mrs. Albert Schurman. It was largely attended and of more than ordinary interest. Miss Clark was present and gave a very vivid description of her work, which we hope, may result in greater earnestness and more self-sacrifice, on the part of the sisters. Pastors Whiteman (Methodist) and Calder were also present and added much to the interest of the meeting, by their earnest words. On August 24th one of their eldest and much loved members, Mrs. Helen Bagnall, was called home. She was a Life-member of the Union.

At Hazelbrook we have a faithful band of workers. The storm must be very severe, if there is no meeting. The devotional hour is greatly enjoyed. They have more women in the Society than in the Church. They expect to have a public meeting later.

Tryon is holding steadily on its way. Just now the sisters there, are preparing for their annual public meeting; a good programme has been arranged. Miss Martha Clark is also expected to address the meeting. These sisters are thoroughly alive to the importance of the work in which we are engaged.

The Kingsboro' Society is making excellent progress under the leadership of the Pastor's wife Mrs. Gardner. Public missionary services were held at Kingsboro' and Souris, at which Mrs. Gardner gave interesting addresses. The enthusiasm aroused was evidenced by liberal collections. The Mite Society is also progressing favorably.

We are very glad to hear that Summerside is taking on new life and holding regular meetings. They held a public meeting a few evenings ago. Mrs. Clark, of Tryon, Vice-Pres., of W. B. M. U., and Miss Clark, were both present and gave excellent addresses. A very pleasing feature of the meeting was the singing in Telugu, by some young girls, dressed in native costume, who had been taught by Miss Clark.

The faithful band of workers at Long Creel, report progress. New names have been added to the list. They held a missionary concert this fall

and are looking forward to a visit from Miss Clark, when they hope to have a public meeting.

Although the weather was very unfavorable, we had an enjoyable meeting at Cavendish, in connection with the P. E. I. Conference. This is one of the oldest societies, organized in 1870. During all these years the sisters have been faithfully working, never forgetting the obligation to give the Gospel to the heathen.

The Society at Charlottetown sends the following report: Our W. M. A. S., having closed the most successful year in its history, feel grateful to God for the past; and looking to Him for renewed consecration and continued help, we hopefully take up the work of another year. Our Society was organized thirty years ago with eight members. Of these, four are still with us, one of whom, Mrs. James Desbrisay, was the first President, and but for a short interval she has filled that office faithfully ever since. She is still our honored head, the Society at its annual meeting electing her by acclamation, though she is prevented by declining years from meeting with us as often as we would wish. In her absence we are led by our efficient and faithful Vice-Pres., Mrs. G. T. Raymond. The Society last year showed their appreciation of Mrs. Raymond's services by making her a Life-member. Our Provincial Secretary, Mrs. Spurr, was with us at our September meeting, and gave a practical and inspiring address. It is her desire that our little Province increase its W. M. A. and M. Band offerings this year to \$1000, which is the salary of one missionary to the Telugus. "May we so run that we may attain."

Our annual Thank-offering was held in October, and was a success from every standpoint. Our beloved missionary, Miss Martha Clark, was with us, and gave an earnest address. By her graphic description of the heathen, and especially the women as they really are, we trust both the "work" and the "workers" were brought nearer to us and will have a larger place in our hearts than before. A very large audience was present and an offering of \$26 was taken, which goes to the Foreign Mission. At the beginning of last year, we acted on the suggestion of the W. B. M. U. President and appointed a Home Mission Treasurer; it has proved most beneficial to the Society, our funds being very materially increased thereby.

We hope to report the work of other Societies