

duly kept their appointment. Mr. H. W. Walker was deputed to represent the Church at the Annual Meeting of the Provident Fund Society.

The following collections have been made :—

Ladies Aid Society,.....	\$1044.93
Cong. College of B. N. A.,.....	445.00
Canada Cong. Missionary Society,.....	259.55
Cong. Union,.....	50.00
Indian Mission,.....	84.00
By Sunday School,.....	214.49
Foreign Missions,	53.76
House of Industry and Refuge,.....	50.80
Rev. W. M. P.,	81.00
Provident Fund,.....	31.20
Emmanuel Church, B. F. U.,	2676.30

Again must the self-denying efforts of the Ladies' Aid Society receive cordial and grateful recognition from your Board. In the month of November, a Bazaar was held, the contents and management of which must have cost a vast amount of time and thought and trouble on the part of those who arranged for it, and for which they deserve the best thanks of the Church. But whilst according to the ladies all the praise they deserve for this and other signal instances of their eager zeal to reduce the debt on the Church-building, it is greatly to be desired that, by a united and supreme effort to remove the debt, their willingness to work and do good may be free to exercise itself in more fitting ways than this, which involves so much toil and trouble.

It devolves upon the Committee on Psalmody, the Sunday School Committee, and the Young People's Association, to report in detail on the matters severally appertaining to the service of song and the instruction of the young; but your Board must not omit, on behalf of the Church, the expression of grateful appreciation and commendation for services so cheerfully rendered by one and all of those who strive to serve the church in these and other departments of its work and worship.

The thanks of the Church are again due to our esteemed Treasurer, Mr. J. S. McLachlan, for his careful and unremitting attention to the finances of the Church, and it is a matter for thankfulness to the Giver of all good that the voluntary offerings of members of the Church and Congregation have been so generous as to keep us from all anxiety and embarrassment in the essential matter of ways and means.