

### Increase.

*Presbyterial Society :*

LANARK AND RENFREW .....	Eauclaire Auxiliary.
CHATHAM .....	Jeannette's Creek, "Union Jack" Mission Band.
" .....	Leamington, Knox Church Auxiliary.
TORONTO .....	Parkdale, "MacKay" Auxiliary.
BRANDON .....	Glenboro, Mission Band.
LINDSAY .....	Wick, "Leask McMillan" Mission Band.
GOELPH .....	Preston Auxiliary.
TORONTO .....	Toronto, Southside Church, "Happy Reapers" Mission Band.

### Treasurer's Statement.

1896.		RECEIPTS.
Jan. 6th.—Balance in bank .....		\$1,891 61
" 10th.—Dovercourt Church Auxiliary .....		40 63
" "—"Anonymous," for W.F.M.S. ....		3 00
" 15th.—A Friend, to Foreign Missions.....		45 00
" 21st.—Mrs. Janet W. Carter, Elora, for support of native girl in India (per Miss Sinclair) .....		15 00
" 22nd.—Columbia Auxiliary, St. Andrew's Church, New Westminster, B.C .....		120 00
" 28th.—Church of the Covenant Auxiliary, Toronto .....		34 43
" "—Maple Grove Mission Band .....		8 00
Feb. 3rd.—W.F.M.S., Sherbrooke, Que.....		38 15
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EXPENDITURE.		
Jan. 10th.—Stove sent Industrial School, Alberni.....	\$	30 00
" "—Freight on same .....		9 65
" "—Foreign Secretary's postage. ....		1 25
Feb. 4th.—Balance in bank.....		2,154 92
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### Resolution on the Death of Rev. Dr. Reid.

"The Board of the W.F.M.S. desires to record its sense of loss in the recent death of the late Rev. Dr. Reid, Financial Agent of the Church.

"From the first organization of the Society, he was always ready to assist them with advice and information whenever appealed to, no matter how much he might be occupied with other important business. They also remember with gratitude how much trouble he took every year in examining and auditing the accounts of the Society, and his uniform kindness and courtesy in all his intercourse with them.

"The Board also desires to convey to Mrs. Reid and the members of her family their deep sympathy with them in their great bereavement, and to commend them to the God of all comfort—the Father of the fatherless, and the Husband of the widow."