

expenditure for the year of \$4,899.16; 183 are reported as having attended the county convention, and 277 the local conventions—small numbers considering the multitudes engaged in the work. A new feature of our work in Brant, that should be mentioned, is the work of school visitation. Since November, 1884, the present County President has visited 90 schools for a first time during their regular session, sometimes conducting the exercises, and in almost every case giving a short address. And during the past summer local presidents, under the new constitution, are taking charge of the school visitation. All that is now needed is better records kept by the schools, and each president supplied with uniform blanks to enable us promptly to obtain full and reliable statistics. We are trying to stir up the brethren among the Indians in Tuscarora, and have called attention to the liberal offer of the Bible Society whereby every scholar may be supplied with a copy of God's Word that they may call their own; and one school has already distributed twelve copies of the twenty-five cent school edition on payment of a reduced price of ten cents per copy. The General Committee, also—to induce better attendance by the Indians, who appear to be slower than the whites—give prizes to all Indian scholars who may be present ten or more days during the quarter. Four of their schools have been visited. One of these, the Mohawk Institute, is a thorough training school in all branches, that must make its influence felt among this interesting people, who have in their township 600 pagans, living only twenty-five miles from this gospel city. At coming conventions the work of house to house visitation will be dealt with and undertaken. The lifting up of the school secretary and improvement of our system of records will also receive attention. So with God's guidance and continued blessing great things may be looked for in Brant. Having completed the work of local organization our General Committee appointed, along with myself, the venerable Rev. P. German, of Cainsville, President of North Brantford, Onondaga, and Tuscarora Sabbath School Association, and Gavin Fleming, Esq., of Glen Morris, President of South Dumfries, a delegation to this Convention; and on behalf of Brant, in the name of the Executive Committee, I beg to lay on the table our Treasurer's cheque for \$75.00.

COUNTY OF BRUCE.

Rev. JOSEPH GALLOWAY, of Paisley, said: I am sorry that I should be obliged to say that the work in the County of Bruce is not so thoroughly organized as it appears to be in the county from which we have just heard. We have found it almost impossible to obtain statistics from the different schools within the bounds of our county so as to be able to present information that would be reliable, and that would be a fair representation of the Sabbath-school work