

St. John's, Belleville.....	\$3 10
St. Paul's, Smith's Falls.....	5 00
Mill Street, Port Hope.....	1 00
Osnabruck .....	1 60
Teeswater .....	3 15
Parkdale (additional).....	0 25
"Alexander," Norval.....	2 40
St. Andrew's, Comber.....	1 00
St. Andrew's, Scott (additional).....	0 50
South Kinloss Mission Band.....	1 30
Leeburn, "Dunlop" .....	1 00
A Friend.....	1 74
Beechwood Auxiliary.....	3 20
Portage la Prairie.....	3 25

### VALUE OF TRAINING FOR MISSIONARIES.

"Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."

Women constitute a very large percentage of the foreign missionary force of all modern churches. It is not surprising, therefore, to observe that training institutions for their better equipment, similar to our own Woman's Missionary Training Home, are everywhere being established. It is interesting to note the attention given to this subject in our exchanges representing sister societies. "The Woman's Missionary Friend" has an article, entitled "Modern Schools of the Prophets," which we would gladly give in full, but must confine ourselves to a few sentences:

"Time would fail me to tell of the waste of time and money and blundering work which this institution will prevent in carrying out the last command of our risen Lord,' was the enthusiastic testimony of a foreign missionary recently at the founding of one of these schools." . . . "He who would bring the ministry of Christ to the people must be found as He was, 'Among the doctors in the temple, hearing them and asking them questions.'" . . . "Moreover, the spiritual physician must understand not only the remedies which are for the healing of the nations, but also to diagnose the diseased conditions which they are to relieve." . . . "We have been realizing with rapidly increasing vividness that among the nations which we seek to disciple for Christ are those who were old in civilization when our ancestors were not doing us credit. By their past achievements, as well as their future possibilities, they deserve the best which we can give them. An untrained novice may well shrink from so mighty a task." . . . "Happy, indeed, is that handmaid of the Lord who, having 'in her heart wide room for all