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OTTAWA AUXILIARY.

The self-denyng labours of the agents of this Society are producing most cheering results, especially in the regions of the Upper Ottawa. We joyfully peruse the record of their successes, and will ever feel a lively interest in their praiseworthy endeavours to distribute the precious volume among those who need it most.

The annual meeting of this Society was held in St. Andrew's Church, Ottawa, on the evening of Wednesday, the 1st February. The President, George Hay, Esq., occupied the chair. After a brief address from the Chairman, a long and highly interesting report was read by the Secretary, the Rev. D. M. Gordon, B.D. Amongst the results of the year's labours is a total circulation of nearly 6000 copies, partly accomplished through the agency of three colporteurs employed by the Society, who have, with most unwearying and zealous toil, and, under God's favor, with cheering results, borne the Living Word into the remote districts occupied by the Ottawa Lumbermen. The income of the Ottawa Auxiliary has increased to the very respectable sum of \$5,527,00. Its Branches now number 52, each of them having been visited during the year by the Rev. R. Gavin, the Society's indefatigable and successful agent. After the reading of the report, eloquent addresses were delivered by the Revd. Messrs. Ebbs, McLaren, Stephenson, Johnston, and Anderson, the Hon. S. L. Tilley, C. B., and J. Johnson, Esq.

NOVA SCOTIA BIBLE SOCIETY.

We acknowledge with more than ordinary pleasure the receipt of a copy of the Report of the "Nova Scotia Bible Society." This is the first which has reached us. It is, we hope, the *first of a series*. Its perusal has awakened the remembrance of those distant days when we listened to the memorable words of the late President of this Society, the Rev. Robert Uniacke, M.A., to whose regretted death feeling allusion is made; and to his immediate predecessor in office, the Rev. Dr. Twining, of whom also, honorable mention is made, then in the vigor of their power. We learn from the report that one clerical agent, the Rev. Alexander Russell, is engaged in the service of the Society, who is evidently in labours abundant, in prosecuting the great work of Bible dissemination. We do not note the employment of colporteurs in connection with the operations of this auxiliary. The income for the year embraced in the Report is, from different sources, \$3,123.35, and we observe among the free contributions to the Parent Society, the very generous proportion of "£300 stg., or \$1,506.67." We hope to be enabled to have freer and more frequent intercourse with this and other sister societies in the