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IN wishing our readers a Happy New Year, we are glad to state that we begin it ourselves with excellent prospects. The Editor feels greatly relieved by having disposed of the business management of the magazine, and the publishing house that have undertaken it are doing all in their power to further its interests. We ask the kind co-operation of all those interested in our missionary work.

### WELL DONE, OTTAWA.

THE City of Ottawa, the home of the General Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary for Canada, has adopted the CANADIAN CHURCH MAGAZINE AND MISSION NEWS as a church magazine for the city. This has been done by several parishes combining to support it. By this means the magazine will be widely circulated in that city, and the cause advocated by the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society greatly strengthened. We trust other cities will follow the good example thus set by the Church people of the Capital of the Dominion. Surely the cause advocated by the magazine, viz.: the great MISSIONARY WORK OF OUR CHURCH, ought to receive the cordial support of churchmen of all kinds, whatever their ecclesiastical convictions may be.

### THE ANNUAL REPORT.

OWING to the difficulty of moving the type of this Report, and all things connected with it, from Hamilton to Toronto it was found impossible to insert the balance of the Returns by Parishes in the volume of the magazine which closed last month. Every clergyman, however, has received at least three copies of the full report, and it is hoped that by this means a large number of our readers will be able to see a copy.

### CORRECTION.

IN the Annual Report for last year the Treasurer found it necessary to alter the figures of his tabulated statement on page 2, but through an oversight on the part of the Secretary the figures were not altered in the statement immediately preceding, so as to correspond with them. This statement should read:—

"The following points are of great importance and interest:—(a) The total for Domestic and Foreign Missions during the past year is \$37,968.33, (b) that for Domestic Missions is \$22,777.93, (c) that for Foreign Missions is \$15,190.40, (d) A comparison between the past four years shows a steady, if slow, advance, with the marked increase of \$9,562 during the year closed 31st July last."

### OBITUARY.

DEATH has been unusually busy in Church circles during the last few weeks. The Rev. Geo. Jemmett, M.A., a hard-working clergyman of the Diocese of Ontario, died suddenly of heart disease in the City of Ottawa, on the 18th of November.

The Rev. W. Davis, of the Diocese of Huron, died suddenly in Toronto on Dec. 17th. Six sons survive him, two of whom are clergymen of the Church in the Diocese of Huron. Dr. James Alexander Henderson, Q.C., for twenty-eight years Chancellor of the Diocese of Ontario, died at his residence, Kingston, on Sunday, Dec. 7th, in the 70th year of his age. Of this sad event we hope to give a more extended notice next month. The Diocese of Toronto also has received a shock by the recent death of Rev. John Carry, for many years Rector of Port Perry, and one of the most learned and able of her clergy. Rev. J. K. McMorine, of Kingston, mourns the death of his eldest son, a young man noted for his sweetness of character, and R. T. Walkem, Esq., also of Kingston, has had to part with his eldest son, a victim to typhoid fever, just as his abilities, which were of a high order, promised a brilliant earthly career. He was a grandson of Dr. Henderson, and died on the same day with him. Few instances of bereavement are greater than that of Mrs. Walkem, who thus in one day lost her father and her son. She has received the deepest sympathy of the whole community.

In the United States, we read of the death of Rt. Rev. Dr. Beckwith, Bishop of Georgia, a brilliant preacher and wise administrator.

In England death has removed Very Rev. Dr. Church, Dean of St. Paul's, London, an able writer and preacher, and also the Rt. Hon. Dr. Thompson who, for twenty-seven years, has occupied the high position of Archbishop of York.

We are glad to see that R. T. Walkem, Esq. Q.C., has been appointed Chancellor of the Diocese of Ontario, in the room of the late Dr. Henderson.