

history of the action of men teaches concerning their capabilities and achievements; if we knew all that the zealous and inquisitive biologists of modern times can tell us of the life-principle that is in man, there would still remain the most important fact, concerning what we are, untold.

As to the question, "Whither are we going?" without the light of the Bible the only answer we could find would be, "To the grave; life is a journey to the grave."

Looking now into the Bible, the first words that meet our eyes are, "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth," and a little farther on we read that God created man in his own image. Thus these declarations inform us that we came into this world, and that the world in which we live, with all its grand surroundings, came into existence through the creation of God. These declarations place before our minds a creative being as the source of the beginning of the human race, as also of their home and surroundings, immediate and remote, and they include an intimation of what man is in his mental and moral endowments.

RECEIPTS FROM BRANCHES AT THE BIBLE SOCIETY HOUSE,
TORONTO, FROM 1st OCT. TO 31st DEC., 1889, inclusive.

	Branch	On Purchase Account.	FREE CONTRIBUTIONS.		
			U. C. R. S.	B. & F. B. S.	Sundries.
Alliston			\$44 40		
Amherst Island			2 15		
Angus		1 06	2 00		
Arkwright		4 00			
Armow		72	1 72		
Ashburn			2 30		
Avening and Creemore			4 00		
Battersea and Sunbury		8 04	1 15		
Leachville			23 65		
Beamsville		13 53			
Beaverton			3 18		
Bervie			2 35		
Bethany			10 00		(2) 20 00
Bloomfield		8 70	6 38		
Bluevale			5 67		
Brantford		226 25			
Brighton		9 27			
Brougham		2 65			
Burford			3 50		
Campbellford		2 95	6 77		
Cannington		5 40			
Castleton		4 34	1 61		
Cayuga			16 30	16 30	(1) 1 80
Cayuga South		3 56	63 10		
Chatsworth			30 00		
Cherry Valley			1 86		
Chesterfield and Ratho		10 17			
Churchill			3 00		
Claremont		5 65	5 30		
Cobocenk			4 38		
Colborne		26 80	6 46		
Coldsprings		7 00	4 70		
Coldwater			4 15		

(1) To Building Fund. (2) To Paris Auxiliary.