

Misses Kinnear, Wilson, &c. had collected \$18.66. My friend who accompanied me from Quebec, Mr. Hinton, gave a good address.

LOWER IRELAND.

I was kindly accompanied by the Rev. Mr. McConachy and Mr. Hinton. The addresses were very good at the meeting. The chair was occupied by the Rev. S. Teeson. The subscriptions had not been taken up; but the collection at the close of the meeting amounted to \$2.33.

UPPER IRELAND.

The meeting here was a complete failure, and no wonder. The roads were almost impassable from the awful snow-drifts. I received \$5 from the treasurer on purchase account.

INVERNESS.

This meeting was held in the forenoon, and the attendance was good, as usual. The chair was taken by the president, Donald McKillop, Esquire, who gave an address, displaying a well-read and thoughtful mind. There are many excellent young men here, who may become useful at no distant day. The free contributions were to be sent in to Quebec.

In conclusion, I have to say that I have gone over the ground of the last two years, but have travelled more on foot than usual, so as to get at scattered places seldom or ever visited. The number of public Bible meetings held is equal to the number of branch societies and Bible associations. I have also held other meetings of a devotional character on Sabbath and week-days, when opportunity offered. I may say, with confidence, that the average attendance at the meetings has not been less than sixty-five persons. I have sold a number of Bibles, and given away six copies to poor persons, and sold a few at half price. Three families which were induced to buy were nearly destitute of any, having nothing but copies partially worn out or destroyed.

I am, dear sirs, yours faithfully,

JAMES BLYTH, *Travelling Agent.*