

Trustees.

JAS. MITCHELL, (Elder) GEO. GALL, WM. MELVILLE.

Leader of the Choir.

JOHN ALEXANDER.

Organist.

MISS E. TORRANCE.

Auditors.

J. S. BROWN, R. A. C. DURN.

Church Officer.

WALTER CADDELL, 177 Brunswick Avenue.

SESSION REPORT

Statistics.—During the year, 167 members have been added to the roll and 87 disjoined, leaving a net increase of 80 members. The number now on the roll is 680. 61 children have been baptized. Although the number added to the roll last year (167), nearly equals the remarkably large number (169), of the preceding year, the net increase is not nearly so large. The difference is found in the number disjoined, which is 38 in excess of the year 1886. The number and personale of our Session remain unchanged—our Pastor and eleven Elders.

The liberality of the congregation to the support of ordinances is encouraging, but not quite up to the standard we aimed at. It is very gratifying, however, to note that progression is the general characteristic of the reports of our several departments of congregational work for the past year.

The Sabbath School is still flourishing, the diligent and faithful efforts of the many earnest workers in this important department have been marked with much success. A large increase of members cannot be expected with its present inadequate accommodation.

The Bible Class has enjoyed the instructions of Mr. Thos. Logie, B.A., and under the care of one so eminently qualified, is progressing satisfactorily.

The Missionary Association.—The contributions of the congregation to the schemes of the church have been taken up by the collectors once per month during the past year, and a copy of *The Presbyterian Record* distributed to each family. We are much pleased with the large increase in the amount realized. Surely we can have no objects more worthy of our sympathy and liberality than those recommended by our General Assembly.