

ham, Rev. O. Fortin and Mr. H. M. Howell, Q.C., and the other two by the Archdeacon and Mr. J. W. H. Wilson. The three collections aggregated \$37.60.

It may be added that there are only 27 paying families belonging to the Church in the whole mission, but these are very liberal supporters.

### SASKATCHEWAN.

The consecration of Archdeacon Pinkham, Bishop-designate of Saskatchewan, takes place in Winnipeg on Sunday, August 7th. This date has been fixed to enable the bishops of the Province of Rupert's Land, who intend to be at the Provincial Synod which meets in Winnipeg on August 10th, to be present.

The bishop-designate proposes to visit the chief places in the diocese before his consecration. He desires to express the earnest hope that the many warm friends of the diocese, who shewed their interest in its welfare by contributing towards its work in the lifetime of his deeply lamented predecessor, will continue that interest by contributing liberally for its needs. Address, till further notice, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

### AN APPEAL.

"BLESSED are the dead who die in the Lord, for they rest from their labours, and their works do follow them."  
"I will very gladly spend and be spent for you."

These apostolic words fitly describe the life of the late Bishop of Saskatchewan. In hard, painful, laborious work his days were spent. Skillful to plan, energetic to execute, enterprise after enterprise was undertaken and accomplished, when many a heart would have failed and the hands hung listless and helpless. All was carried on so brightly and cheerfully, that while he won the warm affection of all around, he could not fail to impart to his fellow-workers a portion of his own love and zeal.

But now he is gone and those very near and dear to him are left. The late Bishop had insured his life as a provision for his family, but it appears the amount of income that may be realized from all sources is very inadequate to meet the wants of a large family—inclusive of educational expenses—especially in the North-West.

The object of bringing forward the circumstances of this bereaved family is not to be regarded as an appeal for sympathy, so much as an opportunity and privilege offered to those who have so often listened to the Bishop's stirring addresses of expressing their high appreciation of his self-denying and noble work by a testimonial sufficiently liberal to be a real pecuniary aid.

It was suggested at the last meeting of the Toronto Diocesan Board of the Woman's Auxiliary to Missions, that a Memorial Fund should be raised for the education of the third son of the late Bishop, now a lad of fourteen years. Subscriptions for this purpose may be sent to Miss Maynard, Diocesan Treasurer, W. A., Jameson Avenue, Parkdale, Ont., or to Rev. Canon Du Moulin, Toronto.

## Woman's Auxiliary Department.

Communications relating to this Department should be addressed Mrs. Tilton, 251 Cooper Street, Ottawa.

Six new branches of the Woman's Auxiliary have been formed lately in the Diocese of Toronto. Some of them are in small places, shewing that the interest is growing.

THE Sherbrooke (Diocese of Quebec) branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society was organized May 7, 1886.

The Bishop of Algoma was present, and made an earnest and practical address upon woman's work, the power she possesses, and the obligation under which she lies to exert herself in the cause of Christianity. He asked for help for the missions of Algoma, and suggested, amongst other things, the sending of clothing and literature to the isolated clergy and people of that diocese.

Since then five barrels, containing literature and clothing, have been sent to Algoma.

During the month of November, a letter was received from Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Sault St. Marie, requesting aid in establishing a new home for boys. \$50 was sent him from proceeds of Children's Guild sale, a branch of this Auxiliary.

The Rev. Mr. Hilton, of Fort McLeod, N. W. T., having appealed for help to re-build the Church at that place, burnt last summer, our Society has decided to send him \$25 towards it.

It has also been proposed to contribute \$25 a year for three years, in aid of a new mission which the Bishop of Algoma is trying to establish at Parry Sound.

There are 44 members belonging to this Society, and connected with it are some young girls of the Sunday School, who collect amongst members of the Church and bring in monthly between \$13 and \$14, collected in small sums of from one cent to five cents from each person.

### CHURCH OF ENGLAND ZENANA MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION, HAMILTON, FOR YEAR ENDING 28TH OF FEBRUARY, 1887.

By Members' Fees.....	\$13 00
" Sale of work.....	17 90
" Donations.....	46 90
" All Saints' Sunday School.....	9 65
" Collection Cathedral School House.....	37 00
" " Ascension School House.....	21 85
" After Meetings held by Mrs. Greaves, by Collecting Cards.....	50 00
Total.....	\$196 30

THE annual meeting of the Cathedral Branch, Hamilton, Ont., was held on the 16th of March, when an interesting report of the work done during the year was read by Mrs. McGiverin, Recording Secretary. Officers were appointed for the ensuing year, and plans of work, chiefly for the benefit of the Diocese of Saskatchewan, were adopted.