

The Society defrays its expenses by the voluntary contributions of the members, there being no regular fee.

Under this head we may not inappropriately refer to the very pleasant social gatherings through the efforts of the members of our Ladies' Bible Classes.

On the evening of the 3rd of January, 1892, the young ladies in Miss Uniacke's class gave a tea to 50 of the poor children of the Parish, and a week later Miss Hodger's class provided an equally enjoyable tea and entertainment for the children of the St. Paul's Alms' House of Industry. God bless these social efforts ; and lead us into the spirit of those beautiful lines :

Blessed be the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love.  
The fellowship of kindred minds  
Is like to that above.

### 9. Missionary.

Our first and chief missionary work at present is the support of an earnest working missionary, who does clergymans' work under the Bishop's license at Country Harbour. Mr. Gay conducts the services of the Church of England in seven different places in a Parish many hundred miles square, his chief points being Country Harbour, two Stations, Sherbrooke, Beckerton, and Wine Harbour. In January last, Mr. Gay paid a visit to Halifax, and assisted in the church services by reading the lessons, and during the week in the Evangelistic services.

His income is raised by small subscriptions ranging from 10 cents to 50 cents a month, some giving one, two and three dollars a month. The young ladies who do this constitute the St. Paul's Mite Society, of which Miss Tremaine is the Secretary and Treasurer.

Let us all give cheerfully to support this worthy man.

Several of the ladies of our congregation are very active members of the Womans' Auxiliary to the Board of Home