

II.—SUMMARY OF CONGREGATIONS RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTS.

PRESBYTERIES.	CONGREGATIONS.	Churches.	Families Adhering.	Communicants.	Attendance.	Amount of Salary paid by Congregations.	Amount paid by H. M. Committee.
						\$ c	\$ c
Montreal.....	9	12	273	616	1295	2765 00	1130 66
Ottawa.....	3	3	183	250	445	1209 00	200 00
Brockville.....	1	1	60	79	150	500 00	33 00
Kingston.....	4	4	223	297	580	1415 14	450 00
Cobourg.....	4	5	146	213	525	1300 00	629 50
Ontario.....	4	5	195	270	690	1500 00	555 00
Toronto.....	5	7	274	432	755	2520 29	303 00
Simcoe.....	2	3	125	142	260	950 00	160 00
Hamilton.....	5	5	212	397	640	2140 00	437 53
Paris.....	1	1	43	63	115	400 00	50 00
Guelph.....	2	3	106	148	285	850 00	63 50
Stratford.....	2	2	127	241	500	864 50	175 00
London.....	6	8	255	301	934	2200 00	540 00
Chatham.....	2	2	88	150	420	450 00	250 00
Brace.....	2	3	128	116	340	677 89	100 00
Owen Sound.....	1	1	60	87	180	400 00	133 60
Durham.....	4	5	199	309	605	920 00	182 50
	57	70	2832	4197	8769	21084 03	5317 66

From the above it will be seen that 97 Mission Stations, out of 111, have received aid, to the amount in all of \$11,117.38; while 57 congregations have received supplement to the amount in all of \$3,317.66. The Presbytery of Manitoba received altogether \$4,598.00, a considerable expenditure, but absolutely necessary in order to provide, in even the poorest way, for the supply of the many families now pressing into that Province. The total amount received for Home Mission purposes last year was \$19,022.63, and the expenditure including expenses was \$18,693.42, leaving a balance to the credit of the fund of \$329.21. This is exclusive of an amount of \$2,220.27 received by the students of Knox College, and used in the support of missionaries in remote and destitute places; and of a considerable sum received and expended in the same way by students of the Montreal College.

The total number of missionaries employed in the course of the year was 104, not including probationers employed in supplying vacant congregations, who were in number 36.

The Home Mission field should be regarded as the peculiar work of our Church, and we trust that this year, and from year to year, there will be an increase in the contributions for this interesting and important department of the Church's work. The half yearly allowances are now due, while the treasury is not only empty but overdrawn. Where funds are in hand for this object, it is requested that they be forwarded to the treasurer without delay.