

boxes, envelopes, etc., was presided over by Mrs. Bonner, the proceeds of which amounted to seven dollars. The reports of Auxiliaries and Mission Bands were listened to with marked attention. The President's address following was exceedingly practical and based upon "Our Duty," and a question for each one, "Have I done my best?" In the afternoon Mrs. Foote welcomed the delegates, Mrs. Young, of Gravenhurst, replying. Following were greetings from sister societies. Miss Sinclair, from Indore, India, was then introduced and told in touching terms of the missionary's life in India. The customs, education, progress in religious life were touched upon, also the school life and personal work in Venanas. Next followed the "Children's Hour," admirably conducted by Miss McIntyre, Collingwood. This embraced a map exercise on "New Hebrides," singing, recitations, also a selection, "Little Lights;" 35 children took part. At the public meeting Rev. D. L. McCrae, Ph.D., presided. The attendance was very large. Dr. J. Frazer Smith gave a stirring address on the work of the Church in Honan.

*Wednesday Morning.*—Regarding the notice of motion from Hamilton Presbyterial, this Society recommends the reading of Presbyterial reports from 4 to 5 p.m., after devotional meeting on Tuesday. This Society also recommends the appointment of a Mission Band Secretary on the Board. The Secretary of Supply reported 1,250 lbs. of clothing forwarded to North-West. A paper on "Systematic Effort in Our Work," by Miss James, Midland, evoked profitable discussion. System in everything was encouraged. A LETTER LEAFLET Secretary was recommended to each Auxiliary. Method in Juvenile Work also was touched upon. The Treasurer reported \$1,240 contributed from this Presbyterial to General Fund. Mrs. Webster, of Jarratt's, ably took charge of the Question Drawer. Earnest closing words were given by Mrs. Cameron, of Allandale. President, Mrs. Grant, Orillia; Treasurer, Mrs. J. McL. Stevenson, Barrie; Secretary, Mrs. Needham, Orillia; Assistant Secretary, Miss Robertson, Collingwood; Secretary of Supply, Mrs. Baillie, Gravenhurst. The great kindness shown to the delegates by the Collingwood ladies and the heartiness of all in the work, combined to make the occasion not only memorable but the best in the history of the Presbyterial Society.

TORONTO.—The semi-annual meeting of the Toronto Presbyterial Society was held in Brampton on Friday, October 18th, Mrs. Gray, the President, in the chair. It was largely attended, over 200 ladies being present at the afternoon session. The morning meeting was chiefly of a devotional character, and a very delightful conference was held, with Mrs. Frizzell as leader. Reports from the Treasurer and Secretaries were given at the