

SEWING SCHOOL.

MRS. DUMOULIN, President.

The Sewing School re-opened October 26th, 1889; had in hand, 52cts.; subscriptions paid up to date are as follows:—

Miss Kingstone.....	\$1 00	Mrs. Wyld.....	2 00
Mrs. E. Blake	2 00	" Grasett	1 00
" Todd	2 00	" Kerr	4 00
" S. Heward	5 00	Rec'd from Dorcas Society.	20 00
" Strachan	1 00	Miss Joseph	2 00
" Winn.....	2 00	Mrs. DuMoulin.....	1 00
" F. Grasett.....	1 00	Mrs. Green.....	3 00
" A. Grasett.....	1 00		
" Baldwin.....	1 00	Total	\$49 00

The amount paid in by the children is \$33.59, and the sum paid for clothing is \$59.74. There is a considerable bill still to be paid, but it is expected there will be sufficient to meet it when the School closes and all the children have paid up. The School always closes near to the 15th of May, with a tea-party and distribution of prizes. The attendance this year has not exceeded 84, but has been very regular and steady, the very lowest being 52, and that only once when there was so much illness prevalent in January. The conduct of the children has been remarkably good. This year a darning and patching class has been established, to which those who can do plain sewing well are admitted, but many of the older girls have to leave early to go to work in shops or as domestic servants. The teachers this year have been:—

MRS. WINN,
 " MERRICK,
 " ARTHUR GRASETT,
 MISS TODD,
 " MAUD YARKER,
 " BEATTIE.

MISS MAUD BEATTIE,
 " ELLEN F. GREEN,
 " COCKBURN,
 " CONSTANCE BROUGH,
 " MARY DUMOULIN.

Miss Fanny Small most kindly took the class of a teacher who was a long time ill and also, that of another who was absent, and has given valuable help. Miss Winterbourne also gave assistance for several weeks.

Mrs. Hodgins, Superintendent, assisted by Miss M. Joseph, has done the entire cutting-out and preparing of the work.

L. M. GREEN, Sec.-Treas.