

REPORT OF THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

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In presenting the Annual Report we have much pleasure in stating that we have had a successful year.

There has been an average attendance of eighteen at the meetings. These are held weekly during the season which closes in April and resumes in November.

During the year five entertainments have been held under the auspices of this Society. Of these, one was an evening of readings kindly given by Hon. Mr. Boyd, of St. John, N.B., another a lecture by Rev. Geo. H. Wells of Montreal, the other three were musical and literary evenings, with sales of work done by the members. The Society is most grateful to all who took part on those occasions, and who helped to make them successful and pleasant.

From the amount realized by the Society \$200.00 have been given to assist in defraying the cost of the new furnaces placed in the basement last summer; \$139.00 have been expended on the purchase of a new organ for the use of the Sabbath School and Prayer Meeting; and the balance of the funds will be allocated, at the closing meeting in April, to such purposes, charitable or otherwise, as may be thought most deserving.

It is desirable that a greater number of the ladies of the Church should unite in the work of the Society; this would increase its prosperity and usefulness, and would tend to promote that feeling of unity which should prevail among members of the same congregation.

MARY H. HOPKIRK,
Secretary.