

100% of a membership. In the larger churches the account decreases as it is hard to reach the fringe. Norwood Y.W. stands at \$7.30 per capita.

Oxford-Brant, under Mrs. Layman's careful guidance, is the same busy centre of industry it has ever been.

Miss Louise Burch follows in the footsteps of illustrious predecessors, and Guelph Association, no doubt, has a great future. Some vacant spaces were left, but Miss Burch will soon learn to send a telegram after delinquents.

For downright hard work let me introduce to you the Toronto Director, Mrs. N. L. Crosby. This lady has 52 Women's Circles and 28 Y.W. Circles from whom she receives reports. She works long, hard and earnestly to get these reports in time but thinks Toronto Association is almost an impossibility in this respect. They have collected \$9883.83 for Foreign Missions.

The following Associations have increased their gifts to Foreign Missions through their Circles,—Elgin, Guelph, Middlesex-Lambton, Niagara-Hamilton, Norfolk, Northern, Owen Sound, Oxford-Brant, Walkerton, Western, Thunder Bay, Whitby-Lindsay, and Toronto. The others have gone down slightly, from one cause and another, only two.

The work is the Lord's. When we have done our best, we should not worry.

Respectfully submitted,

L. Lloyd.

#### WAVERLEY ROAD, TORONTO

Mrs. J. Cook, President.

Our October meeting was not only our annual meeting but the occasion of a shower for our missionaries, Miss Jones and Miss Mann. The attendance of members was very encouraging and we were also assisted by some of the young ladies and girls from the Bible School. Miss Slimon, of Pape Ave. Church, gave the address of the evening and we also had the pleasure of another visit from Miss Sutherland who brought a message in song.

Our Thankoffering service was held in November. The offering amounted to something over thirty dollars, for the support of a bible woman. Mrs. Passmore, secretary for Home

Missionaries, gave a very full and interesting report, and Mrs. Robert, Jr., sang in her usual bright and helpful manner.

Our new programme committee have done excellent work already, and during the year we are to take up a study of "Our Missionaries and Their Stations." There will also be a short message on Stewardship at each meeting.

Edna A. Haynes, Secretary.

#### NORWICH

The Norwich Baptist Mission Circle has had a very spiritual and successful year. Deep interest has been taken by all the members in missionary work. One dear member, Mrs. C. J. Hulet, has been called to higher work.

We had Mrs. Reekie of St. Catharines, Ont., address our Thank-Offering meeting, which was very helpful to our circle. We had two new members and two Life members. Amount raised \$200.54.

Hon. Pres.—Dr. Gertrude Hulet.

President—Mrs. (Rev.) Kendall.

Secretary Treasurer—Mrs. Beatrice Mott.

#### STRATHROY

The annual thankoffering meeting of the Ladies' Mission Circle of the Strathroy Baptist Church was held on Tuesday evening, November 17th, with a goodly number present.

The Vice President, Mrs. W. J. Mill, presided over the meeting. The Scripture lesson was read by Miss L. Statham and prayer was offered by Mrs. N. Greenwood.

The speaker of the evening was Miss Agnes Baskerville, of India, who told in a very interesting way of the work being accomplished among the women and girls of India. In closing Miss Baskerville sought to impress upon us the great need of more earnest effort on the part of every Circle member to help give the gospel message to the women of India.

Mrs. S. McCandless favored with a beautiful solo during the evening.

The thankoffering amounted to over \$50.