

## THE WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

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The Auxiliary of this Society during the past year have done a fair amount of work, although at this date we cannot report as large a sum of money in hand as we hope to have at the close of our financial year.

Last March we handed into the Presbyterial Society the sum of \$115. Immediately after that date we began making preparations for holding the Annual Meeting of the General Society here, which took place on the 20th and 21st of April, in St. Andrew's Church. In this undertaking, which was equally a serious one, and entailed a very considerable outlay of both time and means, we were most liberally assisted by the ladies of the Congregation, without whose aid we could not have made the meeting the success it proved, and we return most hearty thanks for their substantial and active assistance.

To the Auxiliaries of the London Presbytery was assigned by the Central Committee the work of preparing a box of clothing and useful articles for Mr. and Mrs. Annand, who are about to commence a Mission on the Island of Espirito de Santo, one of the New Hebrides group. We again appealed to our kind friends who had so liberally assisted before, and a very hearty response was given, both in money and goods, and St. Andrew's Auxiliary was able to make a handsome contribution to the Mission box, which is now on its way to a far distant island of the South Sea, and we pray that it may prove a useful factor in civilizing and christianizing the benighted natives of Espirito de Santo. The list of money and goods is given below.

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