

so, having been transmitted to the Parent Committee, and constitutes the incumbent a life member.

The Model School fees, it is to be regretted, have decreased during the past year. Two causes have operated to bring about this result. The 1st—that of the increased number and superior character of schools—is not to be regretted; the 2nd is the inability through poverty of many who have heretofore paid for their children, to continue their payments. On the whole, therefore, the financial aspect of the year is favorable.

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries,.....	\$6896
Books, apparatus, and incidental expenses,	1617
	\$8513

The cost of superintendence and management (including that of collection) in this department of the Society's works, amounts only to \$600.

The books and apparatus for carrying on the schools cost a large sum; but the increased efficiency produced thereby warrants the outlay.

REVIEW.—The Committee, with humble and grateful acknowledgments of the mercy and blessings experienced from on high, compare with satisfaction the state of education now with what it was when they commenced their work. When sound education was languishing, they were permitted to be an instrument for keeping it alive throughout the Province; and during the last few years they have had the privilege of initiating both Normal and Model Schools, the former now carried on by the Government, the latter transplanted and flourishing on all sides.

The following gentlemen have been added to the Committee during the past year:—

The Rev. H. F. DARNELL, Rector of St. John's;

The Rev. R. LINDSAY, Brome.

NORMAL SCHOOL.

The connection of the Society with the McGill Normal School, as formed with the authorities of McGill College, continues, it is