

## MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION,

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“ 4	Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Bain.
“ 5	Mrs. Lynch and Miss Ferguson.
“ 6	Messrs. Byrd and Bain.
“ 7	Misses B. McIntosh and E. Irving.

## ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

The Report made mention of the fact that the Association had completed the second decade of its history, and that during the twenty years it had been in existence it had raised about \$6000 to aid Mission work, supplementing to that extent the givings of the Congregation to the several undertakings to which the Church in Canada is pledged. The past year was the best of the twenty, the amount subscribed being \$112.75 over what was obtained the previous year. The sum of \$72.90, given for the interest fund of the Congregation, of course requires to be deducted in estimating what is available for helping the Assembly's schemes; but even when allowance is made for it, the amount given for outside objects exceeded that of the previous year. Now that a Scheme of financing for the debt of the Church has been floated, it may be expected that all the subscriptions of the Missionary Association will be assigned to purely mission objects. The congregation has a reputation to maintain and must do its part towards helping the extension of Christ's Kingdom at home and abroad.

The report made regretful mention of the death of William Peddie, who had been for many years Secretary to the Association; as well as of the retirement from the staff of collectors of Mrs. Arnott, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Foulis, Mrs. Lognon, Mrs. McCulloch and Miss McAllister. These ladies received thanks for their past faithful and efficient services.