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PORT MAITLAND AND SOUTH CAYUGA.

There was a good turn-out at the meeting of the G. P. S. at J. Taylor's on Jan. 14th, when a number signed the roll as members. Officers were elected for the first half-year as follows: — Vice-President, Miss M. Taylor; Secretary, Miss Eilun Hornibrook; Treasurer, Mrs. W R. Docker. A programme Committee was also appointed. This committee, however, has not yet had a chance to show its skill in getting up a programme, as there was not a quorum present on the 28th.

The Literary Society's annual entertainment in the Marshall S. H. on the 27th was not so well attended as usual owing to the cold weather and the prevalence of measles; but although the chairman found on the programme a great many names of persons not present, the Dialogues were all gone through with in a manner to please and delight the audience. The proceeds amounted to \$10.55, the whole of which, as there are no expenses, has been added to the Society's growing Parsonage Fund account.

Last year the Rev. Mr Bevan had unpleasant weather and small congregations when he came to deliver the annual missionary address. This year—Sunday Feb. 2nd., the conditions were even worse. Much sickness prevailed; and, snow beginning to fall early in the morning,

there were only 22 faithful ones at St. John's. The storm increased, and at Port Maitland Rev. Mr. Broughall addressed a congregation of 8 persons. The collection—for Diocesan Missions—amounted to \$4.44 at St. John's and \$1.15 at Christ Church.

Baptism—Jan. 26th., At Christ Church., Port Maitland, Sarah, daughter of George and Sarah Liddell, of Moulton, born 18th Nov., 1900.

The Third annual meeting of the Christ Church W. A. was held at the home of the Secretary, Miss D Splatt, on Thursday Feb. 6th. Nine members were present. Sickness prevented some, and probably the depth of the snow on some of the roads, others, from attending. Admirably clear, concise, and businesslike reports were presented by the Secretary and Treasuer. The latter's statement showed a balance on hand of over \$17.00. It was decided to wait until after the Diocesan annual meeting be fore appropriating any part of this to any of the objects for which the Society The former officers were re-elected or re-appointed, and Miss Splattt and Miss M. Taylor were chosen as delegates to the Diocesan annual meeting. It was decided to try the plan of holding the meetings from house to house in alphabetical order. The next meeting will therefore be at Mrs. Armour's, on Feb. 20th.

