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The Editing Committee have pleasure in placing in the hands of the friends of Sabbath School work "Reflected Rays," or a report of the proceedings of the Sabbath School Association of Ontario, in its Convention at Brockville, in October last.

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The Convention was favored with the presence of Prof. Hamill, International Field Secretary, and Miss C. S. Harlow, primary teacher in Hon. John Wannamaker's school, Philadelphia, both of whom delivered several addresses, which will repay thoughtful study. Besides these a large number of prominent Canadian workers found a place on the programme, doing splendid service for the cause we love.

Attention is called to the Financial Statement of the Treasurer. It will be found to contain some new and commendable features, notably the one presenting a synopsis of the givings of the counties and cities during the past six years for Association purposes. Here is undoubted evidence of a necessity for representatives on the Executive, and county officers exerting themselves to keep the various organizations in their respective districts in touch with our work. Only by so doing can we hope to receive that support from the Sabbath Schools of the Province, which will enable the Provincial Association to assume an aggressive attitude in its own constituency. Let there be a united effort to obtain from each school at least one cent per annum for each pupil on its register, as its contribution for Association purposes, and with this accomplished, the Sabbath School work of this portion of our Lord's vineyard would move gradually forward. Our income ought to be at least \$5,000 per annum.

While the number attending the Brockville Convention was smaller than usual, we do not for a moment think this indicates any falling off in the interest taken in organized Sabbath School efforts. On the contrary, seldom has the attention been so concentrated, the discussions more animated, or the work done more beneficial in its character. This little volume, which preserves its records, is therefore put forth with an earnest hope that many of the rays which illumined the faces of those present, may be reflected by this means to the hearts and lives of those who were denied this privilege, and better fit them for the service of our Lord and His Christ.

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For the Editing Committee.