

agreed that they had never worked for anything that gave them so much real pleasure as the filling of this box.

If the family receiving it could know what a privilege it was regarded to be allowed to assist in some slight degree those who are bearing the burden and heat of the day, which we, in comfortable city Churches, have not the faintest idea of, they would enjoy the receiving nearly as much as the Cathedral Ladies' Aid did the sending of it. At present, we have 58 members with an average attendance of 35 at the meetings for work, which are held every Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, instead of on Friday afternoon as formerly. Compared with past years, our work seems very small, but when the many changes are taken into account, and the length of time in which the Society was virtually disbanded, we think we have reason to "thank God and take courage."

ELIZABETH D. GREENE,

*Secretary.*

### The Dorcas Society.

With the winter season commenced the work of the Dorcas Society, presided over, by special request of the Rector and to the delight of the ladies, by its old and honoured President, Mrs. Grasett.

The amount collected for purchase of material was \$211.75, as shewn below.

The attendance at the weekly meetings was very good, and the piles of flannel, &c., were soon changed into comfortable garments for the sick, the aged and the destitute families of our parish.

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