

REPORT OF THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY Of St. Andrew's Church.

The Ladies' Aid Society have much pleasure in reporting that they have just concluded a prosperous year.

At the last annual meeting, the former officers of the Society retiring, new officers were elected, and a Visiting Committee formed to visit monthly throughout the entire congregation.

The scheme of soliciting ten cents per month from willing subscribers, for the purpose of raising funds for the Society, was adduced and very successfully carried out, it having been collected by the visiting committee on their monthly visitation, the funds raised in this way being entirely devoted to the poor of the congregation. No call was made upon the sacramental collection, which was left in the hands of the managers.

As will be seen by the treasurer's statement, quite a large amount was acquired by this scheme, and in order to assist the managers the Society proposed extending it to the gentlemen of the congregation, and a letter to that effect was forwarded to the managers in July last, but as no reply was received, no further action was taken in the matter.

The Visiting Committee have averaged 175 visits per month during the year. Trusting in the Giver of all good, we hope the ensuing year may prove as prosperous as the past, and that those who have so kindly and willingly assisted us will be enabled to continue their efforts, knowing that a good work is being done amongst us.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. D. MACDONALD,

Secretary.

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