

day He may give us of the New Year, He will "abide" with us and all our Missionaries on active work, far and near, keeping us true to our great King, and granting us the joy of seeing many brought by the Holy Spirit into the Church of the Living God, in all lands and from all nations, so that it may indeed be, in the highest sense, "A Happy New Year"

PROVINCIAL ANNUAL REPORTS.

The Annual Reports for 1896-97 are being published in the W.A. pages of the *Church Mission News*, as space admits. We refer our Branches to those pages, and trust they will be read.

DEAR MISS MONTIZAMBERT—At the meeting of the Synod of the Diocese of New Westminster, held on the 17th, 18th, and 19th inst, it was moved and seconded, carried by both orders (Clerical and Lay), and assented to "That the very best thanks of this Synod be tendered to the Woman's Auxiliary, for help towards the Missions of this Diocese." Yours truly, WALTER J. WALKER, *Lay Sec. Dio. N. W.*

OTTAWA, 20th Dec., 1897

MADAM,—I have the honor to inform you that the addresses to Her Majesty the Queen, from the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Church of England, in the Dioceses of Montreal, Quebec, Ontario, and Ottawa, respectively, have been laid at the foot of the Throne, and that Her Majesty the Queen, has commanded the Secretary of State for the Colonies, to convey her thanks to the members of these Auxiliaries, for their kind and loyal congratulations on the completion of the 60th year of Her Reign. I have the honour to be, Madam, Your obedient servant,

JOSEPH POPE, *Under-Secretary of State.*

August 5th, 1897.

MY DEAR MADAM,—The enclosed account will show what money was received by the Mackenzie River Diocese during 1896, from the W.A. and Eastern Canada generally, and how the money was spent. Will you kindly let as much of it appear in the LEAFLET as you deem necessary, and oblige

Yours faithfully,

W. D. MACKENZIE RIVER.

RECEIPTS.		To be met from C.M.S. and other sources.....	
Per C.C.M.A.	\$1,013 06		1,632 06
" Mrs. Grindlay	227 30		
" Dr. Mockridge	181 63		
" Canon Empson.....	55 60	Special Contributions...	\$1,172 96
" Dr. Davidson.....	10 00		
" Rev. J. O. Stringer	993 37	EXPENDITURE.	
" Miss Montizambert..	42 00	Eskimo Missions.....	\$2,197 94
From Quebec	10 00	Hay River Mission	2,012 95
" Winnipeg	46 87		
			\$4,211 89

Referring to the above, the Pro. Cor. Sec. begs to explain that the \$42, mentioned as passing through her hands, was all that had been