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which one can look away over the Straits to the snow-topped Olympians, having on a clear day a most beautiful view. Here was erected a neat and pretty, though unpretentious church, 46 x 28, with a seating capacity of 200. The church is a model of neatness and good taste, the interior, which is finished in native woods varnished, being especially admired. It is comfortably seated with pews, and has both a vestry and ladies room. The congregation being largely Scottish, and so delighting to keep green the memory of "our ain folk," the church has been named after that noble and devoted father and missionary of our own church, St. Aidan. The dedication service being in the afternoon a large number from the city attended and the whole district turned out so that the church was taxed to its utmost, some having to stand. There were on the pulpit platform, the Revs. J. W. MacMillan, B.A., of Mount Pleasant Church, Vancouver; the Rev. D. MacRae, W. L. Clay, B.A., and R. G. Murison, each minister, as was seemly, being attired in the pulpit robe. Following the injunction of the directory for public worship the service was begun by a "solemn calling on the congregation to worship the great name of God," two verses of Scripture being used, so that the first words heard in the public worship in the church were the words of God. The dedicatory prayers were offered by the minister, the congregation all standing. The congregational prayers were led by the Rev. Mr. MacRae, and the Rev. Mr. Clay read the lessons. The Rev. J. W. MacMillan, B.A., who is one of the first and most popular preachers on the coast, preached an eloquent, helpful and appropriate sermon from Luke xviii. 28-30 on the "compensations of sacrifice," showing that the compensations were soul gains, which far exceeded what any earthly riches could be, and ended by drawing some intensely practical lessons bearing on the occasion, warning the congregation that if they were to receive compensation for the building of the church, it must be a sacrifice and not an excuse for not giving for objects and schemes they had previously contributed to. The choir was assisted for the occasion by a number of voices from the city, and during the service two solos were sung by Mr. J. G. Brown. The sanctuary was beautifully decorated for the occasion with evergreens and a wealth of garden flowers, chrysanthemums and dahlias being especially prominent.

On Monday evening a largely attended social was held, at which the Rev. D. MacRae and John MacMillan delivered addresses. With the exception of communion vessels (which perhaps

some kind friend in the east will present) St. Aidan's starts out well-equipped and the prayer of the congregation is that God may bless the new church, and that within its walls Christ's flock may be confirmed and built up in the faith and example of their Lord, and that many who previously served themselves, may there become disciples of the Master, whose service is freedom and joy.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSION- ARY SOCIETY—BARRIE PRESBYTERIAL.

The eighth annual meeting of the Barrie Presbyterian Society was held in the church, Orillia, Oct. 30th and 31st, 1894. The president, Mrs. R. N. Grant, of Orillia, presided and all the office-bearers, except two, were present.

The first session opened at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday with devotional services in which a number of the ladies took part. They were conducted by the president and Mrs. Clark, of Bracebridge. Mrs. Carswell, of Bond Head, gave the opening address. Eighty-two delegates were in attendance.

Following the adoption of the minutes came the president's address, which was an able and thoughtful summary of the work done during the year. Very encouraging reports were read from the several Auxiliaries and Mission Bands in the Presbytery. Mrs. Barker of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society and Miss Stewart, of St. James Woman's Auxiliary, presented greetings from their societies.

The address of welcome, given by Miss Christie, of Orillia, was much appreciated by all present. Mrs. Smith, of Bradford, made a suitable reply.

The reports of the Presbyterian Society, read by Mrs. Heatham, secretary, and Mrs. Stevenson, treasurer, were received with great interest and found to be very encouraging, showing greater zeal and a more earnest effort on the part of the auxiliaries and bands than ever before. The following is an extract from the secretary's report:—

"In looking at our work from all points of view, your secretary rejoices to report not one faint-hearted auxiliary or Mission Band on record this year. Of the 40 branches comprising our society, eight have been organized this year, four auxiliaries and four bands, viz: Auxiliaries at Port Bay, Penetanguishene, Guthrie Church, Oro, and Central Church, Mitchell Square; and Bands at Duntroon, Guthrie, Tottenham and Central Church. Our president has sought deeply to impress these newly organized branches with the importance of the work. Apart from organization, no Presbyterian visitation was deemed necessary during the year."

"Twenty-one auxiliaries, numbering 364 members, and 75 members of the General Society; 19 Mission Bands with a membership of 555 and 20 members of the General Society, give a total membership of 949 and 95 members of General Society as against last year's figures of 767 and 92. Our average attendance at meetings reaches 446. All the societies, except two, report general members. One auxiliary records a life member. Our contributions this year show marked progress, the total revenue received being \$1,262.67; of which \$367.08 was raised by the Mission Bands showing them to be really interested workers. The envelope system is used in all the branches except two and is the system by which the noblest results in giving can be obtained. Our Presbyterian Fund has met with a liberal response, only eight branches having failed to remit. The sum of \$94 was forwarded to our treasurer. The establishing of an expense fund in fully one-half of the branches has no doubt helped to maintain the former in a vigorous condition.

"The thank-offering service has now become an established feature of our society, and the excellent results following, financially and spiritually, are too far-reaching to be fully estimated. The impressions made at the meetings often tend to increase of membership, fuller consecration and to show us more clearly our duty.

"Passing on to the supplies for the Northwest, we notice that although the requirements, as laid down by the Board for our Presbytery have not been so large as formerly, nine good substantial bales, valued altogether at \$549.24, have been sent from our quarters, a goodly part of the material being new. A note in the November Leaflet informs us of its appreciation in the Portage la Prairie school. Twenty-four auxiliaries and mission bands contributed supplies for the box. The same evidences of progress noted in the foregoing are also seen in our monthly Letter Leaflet: 470 copies are this year in circulation as against 383 formerly. 80 copies having been subscribed for by the Y. W. bands. Says one secretary, 'As the only organ of our society, we supply every lady in the congregation with a copy.' Five hundred annual reports have been distributed throughout the Presbytery."

A very full and complete report from the secretary of supplies was read by Mrs. McCrae of Collingwood in the unavoidable absence of the secretary, Mrs. Tillson. An interesting and instructive paper on "Our failures, or the greatest lack in our work," was read by Mrs. Johnson, of Penetanguishene. Mrs. Watt, of Guelph, delighted the audience with a very able address to workers. Mrs. Watt was listened to with great attention and many of the members received help and encouragement from her earnest words. Miss McIntyre, of Collingwood, read a very well-prepared paper on "Importance of touch between our Auxiliaries and Mission Bands."

A resolution of condolence, expressing the sorrow of the society, was sent to Mrs. Tillson, secretary of supplies, who has recently passed through deep affliction in the death of her little girl.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS. NOT EXCEEDING FOUR LINES 25 CENTS.

MARRIAGES.

At the Manse, Kippen, on Nov. 28, by Rev. S. Acheson, Alfred E. Latta, to Jessie E. Robb, all of Tuckersmith.

At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, Nov. 28th, 1894, by the Rev. J. McKinnon, M.A., Mr. Alexander McLeish, of Springbank, to Miss Bessie Cowie, daughter of Mr. John Cowie, of East Williams.

Dr. John H. Hudson, of Condon, Oregon, was married last week at 268 George St., Lindsay, to Florence, youngest daughter of Rev. E. Mullan. The father of the bride officiated, and was assisted by Rev. J. B. Mullan, of Fergus, uncle of the bride.

On the 4th December, at the residence of the bride's uncle, David Stirling, Esq., ex-M.P., Guelph, by the Rev. R. J. M. Glassford, assisted by the Rev. Wylie C. Clark, of Brampton, Jeanie, daughter of the late Joseph Stirling, to the Rev. Donald Guthrie, B.A., pastor of Knox Church, Walkerton, and son of Donald Guthrie, Esq., Q.C., ex-M.P.P., Guelph.

DEATHS.

At the Manse, Motherwell, on the 27th ult., Agnes Somerville, wife of Rev. Robt. Hamilton, D.D.

The public meeting in the evening was largely attended, A. H. Beaton, M.D., presiding. The address of the Rev. Jonathan Goforth on China was thoroughly appreciated by all present. During the evening, the choir of the church rendered some very excellent anthems. A collection in aid of the Presbyterian Fund was taken up, amounting to \$45.00.

At the morning session on Wednesday, the following officers were elected: president, Mrs. R. N. Grant, Orillia; vice-presidents, Mrs. Moodie, Barrie, Mrs. Clark, Bracebridge, Mrs. McCrae, Collingwood, Mrs. McLeod, Barrie; secretary, Mrs. Needham, Orillia; assistant secretary, Miss Robertson, Collingwood; secretary of supplies, Mrs. Bailey, Gravenhurst; treasurer, Mrs. Stevenson, Barrie.

An invitation from the Collingwood Auxiliaries and Mission Bands to hold the next annual meeting in that town was cordially accepted.

Mrs. Moodie, of Barrie, was elected Presbyterian delegate to the general meeting of the society in Toronto.

The meetings closed with the Wednesday afternoon session, and were probably the most successful ever held by the Barrie Presbytery.

By a unanimous vote, a life membership certificate was ordered to be procured and presented to Mrs. Moodie, of Barrie.

Mrs. Hunter, of Orillia, sang several selections during the meetings and Miss Chase, of Orillia, presided at the organ. The thanks of the society are extended to both of these ladies.

K. L. ROBERTSON,
Assistant Secretary.

A Young People's Convention, held at Brussels last month under the auspices of the Presbytery of Maitland, was very largely attended, and it is believed was successful in the best sense of the word. The following subjects were introduced by the speakers named and discussed in open session by a number of speakers: Rev. Mr. Anderson, Wroxeter, "The religious instruction of the young people;" Rev. A. McNab, Whitechurch, "The religious training of our young people;" Rev. J. L. Murray, M.A., Kincardine, "The relation between the Christian Endeavor Society and the church;" Rev. D. Perrie, Wingham, "Practical endeavor;" Rev. Mr. Malcolm, Teeswater, "The great need of the Holy Spirit in Christian Endeavor work;" "The Gospel Bee hive" was the unique title of an address, by the Rev. Dr. Dickson, Galt. From a report compiled by Rev. Mr. Ross, of Brussels, it appears that there are in connection with the Presbytery of Maitland, 14 societies of young people, with a membership of 622, missionary contributions reached \$259.30, and the total given for all objects amounted to \$452.28.

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Our readers will remember that over two years ago while Mr. Gideon Elliott, James

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