

The Annual meetings in connection with Home and Foreign Missions were held on Feb. 24th and 25th, the sister Churches in the city being invited to unite with us, at which meetings the Rev. Thos. Hall and J. G. Sanderson represented our Home mission work, and Rev. R. Winsor, of the American Board, spoke of missions in India. The attendance at the Public meeting, though representing the three Churches, was not large, but the addresses were good and stimulating. It is to be regretted that a livelier interest is not taken in these important departments of Christian effort.

In the Autumn, the Pastor delivered a series of four evening discourses on the creed of the Agnostic, the creed of the Formalist, the creed of the Worlding and the creed of the Christian, which attracted good congregations and appeared to be much appreciated. There has been much thought and discussion among us on our Sunday-evening services, with the view of making them of a less formal and more evangelistic character by having several short, pointed addresses and prayers. The church, without taking any formal action in the matter, left it in the hands of the Pastor to act according to his own discretion, and he has held such a service on the evening of the first Sunday of the past four months, at which very stirring and practical appeals have been made by himself and others whom he has invited to take part with him. Mr. Geo. Soltau, who in other places has done good service as an evangelist, in conjunction with the Pastor, held a series of meetings among us, extending over a week, from which it is hoped good results may follow.

During the Pastor's vacation the pulpit was supplied by Revs. R. K. Black, of Granby; Geo. Willett, of Cowansville; Principal Grant, of Kingston; and Geo. Robertson, of Melbourne. The Church roll has been carefully revised, and letters of Dismissal have been granted to, or names have been removed of, several members who have been absent from us in other places for some time past, and in this way the losses by removal have been really greater than belongs properly to the year.

Admissions :—

On Profession,	-	-	-	-	-	3
By Letter,	-	-	-	-	-	9
Total	-	-	-	-	-	<u>12</u>

Removal :—

By Death,	-	-	-	-	-	3
By Letter,	-	-	-	-	-	10
Dropped from Roll,	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total	-	-	-	-	-	<u>15</u>