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"MY TIMES ARE IN THY HAND."

NAKD not care If days be dark or fair,
If the sweet summer brings delight,
Or bitter winter chills the air.

No thought of mine Can penetrate the deep design That forms afar, through side and bloom, The purple clusters of the vine.

I do not know The subtle secret of the snow, That hides away the violets Till April teaches them to know.

Enough for me
Their tender loveliness to see,
Assured that little things and large
Fulfil God's purpose equally How this is planned,

Or that, I may not understand.
I am content, my God, to know
That all my times are in thy hand. Whatever share

Of loss, or liveliness, or care, Falls to my lot, it can not be More than Thy will for me to bear. And none the less, hatever sweet thing comes to bless

And cladden nie; thou art its source— And sender of my 1 appaness

Add this to me, With other gifts so free— That I may never turn my fice In any evil hour from thee;

Nor on the sand
Of shifting faith and feeling stand;
But wake and sleep with equal trust,
Knowing my times are in thy hand,
—Silected

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

Lord's Day Alliance of the Dominion of Canada met in the City Hall, Ottawa, such matters, misdemeanors."

Friday evening, March 22nd. The President Hon G.W Allan, Speaker of the Senate occupied the chair, and amongst those present were, Rev. Dr. Canada, includes the power to secure amongst those present were, Rev. Dr. Canada, includes the power to secure indeed prefer to pay their own expenses.

It will be well received and may prove a highway to the land of Goshen.

In our large, well to do societies there are those who are able, and who indeed prefer to pay their own expenses. Amstrong "(Secretary,) Archdeacon the due observance of the Lord's Day To these I would suggest that in order that all the members should feel about the due observance of the Lord's Day in that all the members should feel about that all the members should feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members should feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members should feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that all the members are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due of the continue that are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of the continue that are upon a common level, it mould feel about the due observance of J. Hardie and a number of ladies.

after which the minutes were read by the Secretary, Dr. Armstrong seconded this motion. He said he Hence the political campaign, medical, letters had been received from Rev. would gladly join hands with Mr. musical, literary and scientific associative was feared would ultimately compel Judge's but about to go before the Third of the Third bear received from Rev. George Charles and found her at the presentation of the Dominion of Canada. Second the meeting of committee:—

Letters had been received from Rev. would gladly join hands with Mr. musical, literary and scientific associative would ultimately compel Judge's but about to go before the Third bear received from Rev. George Charles and found her to return to Canada. The fever Magistrate accompanied by Panabai Faringdon Independent church Dr. Parsons, Toronto, Rev. George Charlton in drafting a bill to be pre-Bruce, St. Johns, Rev. Thomas Cum- sented at next session of Parliament." mings, Truro; Rev A. P. McDiarmid, Dr. Christie, Lachute; Thompson, Van of Montreal, then addressed the meetcouver, and others regretting their in ing, presenting resolutions from the this general rule. ability to be present and take part in Montreal Ministerial Association which the Alliance

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The President opened the meeting the Alliance had been formed for the ing of the committee. The work of the desecration of the Sabbath and in favour of such a Bill sent in from all more especially to promote the stopping parts of the Dominion. of work on Sunday or railways, canals, on the postal service, on public works Wood, John Charlton and the Secgenerally over which the Government retary was appointed to draft a correct has control, and of Sunday labour of form of Petition to be signed and sent all kinds throughout the Dominion into Parliament in promotion of the They did not, however, propose tomake Bill roads, to which only two companies Cana: had responded. He was glad to say that the C.P.R. was one. The Alliance moved that the recommendation be intended as soon as possible to ask for adopted and that a committee be ap of labour on Sundays. In their ranks Minister of Railways and Canals as Houses of Parliament.

ported with regard to representation acted, the meeting adjourned until next that there had been a cordial response day. on the part of the various denominations.

tional Unions.

With regard to the circulars issued not more than fifteen members. last year to the Directors of Railroad

Central Ontario. the United States. The American A letter was read from Judge Mac- What our Methodist sisters Sabbath Union was organized in Nov- donald regretting his inability to "sound conversions" often occur.

on the Constitution and moved:

"That the name of the Alliance be the Lord's Day. the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada." the observance of the Lord's Day."

eal and perpetual obligation of the ing adjourned. Sabbath, as ordained by God at the creation of the world, enjoined in the Fourth Commandment of the Moral Las, and continued and maintained by the Church of God to the present day, and as essential to the best phy- SHALL WE SEND DELEGATES? sical, intellectual, moral and social wellfare of mankind."

of the Lord's Day, to the comfort and 10th :welfare of the people, than at present

at length the legal aspects of the quest the way of correspondence, etc., incition pointed out the difficulties that i dent to their position?

Willing offering to the Lord."

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is competent to enact laws to secure no money left for Missions." the British North American Act, em. sions. powers the Parliament of Canada to en-

Rev Messrs. Nichols and Scanlon, don or Paris. gave its cordial support to the Alliance. our first great want—Knowledge—In stances, occasioned by public opposition Judge Mangesh Rao backing her up, so Chatham, \$150 for similar purposes. PETITION COMMITTEE.

Rev. Dr. Armstrong said the Alliance

A committee consisting of Rev. John

railway companies with regard to the Alliance to petition the Government minimizing of Sunday traffic on their against Sunday work on the Welland

The Rev. W. T. Herridge, of Ottawa,

THE CONSTITUTION AND OFFICERS.

Treasurer and executive committee of Willing so admirably puts it-" 100,000 remain there.

Companies two replies had been re- President, Hon. George Allan; Vice- women are learning to preside, to keep days we sent her back again to the city used to speak to them about Jesus, ceived which were read, one from Presidents: Ontario, John Charlton, Secretaries' books, and Treasurers' 20- Hospital. By some means they found reading to them and explaining to them W. C. VanHorne president C.P.R. and M.P.; Quebec, Rev. John Scanlon; P.E. counts, and where all are learning to this out and renewed their persecution. His life of love. One day a woman another from R. Fraser, secretar. I., Hon. D. Laird; Manitoba, Hishop collect and judiciously expend several When I went down on Monday morn-who had been a most attentive listener of Manitoba; N. W. T., Bushop of Sas- million dollars annually. He reported that since the organ- katchewan; British Columbia, Hon. Who can estimate the possibilities the Dispensary. I ordered them to be "Are all the things you read and tell ization of the Canadian Alliance a W. J. MacDonald; Secretary, Rev. Dr. of a meeting of one of our Woman's quiet and promised, if they obeyed, to us about Jesus written in that book?" similar Association had been formed in Armstrong; Treasurer, George Hay, Esq. Societies !

Sunday Rest Bill De Armstrong also agreed to ask the comperation of Foreign Missions. Sunday Rest Bill Dr Armstrong also agreed to ask the co-operation of Foreign Missions.

The the 'hookam' [order] to go home what use will it be to you? You can be constitution and moved:

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"Object -To protect and preserve ed to meet to discuss the figancial social circle, but who is tongue-tied in her. She came and went after she given to her, she clasped it cagerly aspects of the Alliance. Thanks were the missionary meeting. The dumb became a Christian and yet you did with both hands, and pressed it lov-"Basis -The basis of this Alliance given to the Mayor and corporation for may speak. is the Divine authority and the univer- the use of the city hall, and the meet- | Sand your woman of one idea, she baptised you wish me to order her to book, she said

Mission Work.

representative of the diocese of Huron, will be of interest to the ladies of our who thought that great good would come Woman's Foreign Miss onary Society, loves. It will be a strengthening corporation of this Alliance, the establishment of in view of the approaching annual dial for her. of this Alliance, the establishment of in view of the approaching annual dial for her. which could hardly fail to promote in meeting, to be held in St. James Square Also send the sister whose graven upon which I sent Samson (son of the

vincial legislation. He declared it to one of delegates. I should at swer the be his opinion, and that of the Company question of expenses with an unquality sentiment in your community, to bring the name of Mangesh Rao, [a judge of Somerville, McCoy, Taylor, Ratcliffe,

this meeting the Parliament of Canada to a Presbyterial tax, we should have people?

act criminal laws. Parliament can necessity that the sisters should be sent are of vital importance. Attend them, therefore clearly bring Lord's Day down to Egypt to buy corn, and if at study for them, pray for them. THE annual general meeting of the legislation within the scope of this sub- the same time you can send "a little Lord's Day Alliance of the Dominton section, by making breaches of law, in present of balm and honey and spices,"

Macdonald, Wark, McKay, Stevens; taining to general railway traffic, the officers, to draw their expenses from John Charlton, M.P., Prof. Weldon management of the postal service, and the general fund, and make their contri-Q.C., M.P., J. Armstrong, M.P., J. Freethe management of the railways and bation in some other way. But, Secondly man, M.P., Dr. Thorburn, Dr. Ianson, canals belonging to the Dominion, is in -Why send delegates? Trades, pro-Messrs. J. McMillan, P. Larmonth and the highest sense necessary for pro- fessions, politics, art, science, to ensure regret to learn that Miss Dr. Elizabeth not released without his knowledge and moting peace, order and good govern. life and progress, must encourage study Beatty, of our Medical Mission Staff that she be sent to ... when released, Rev. H Pollard opened with prayer, ment in the Dominion of Canada." and experiment, and make frequent there, was ill with an attack of fever so we came home feeling more hopeful. lage club, to the Royal Society of Lon- was again complicated with spinal affect [the new convert] guarded by a police. Brantford, gave \$200 to support a stud-

formation. Missions which has come so wonder aggravated Miss Beatily's illness, and been asked why and when she became with a short address. He stated that must be extremely gratifed at the find- fully and so exclusively to woman, in the hope was indulged that as the a Christian and if any force had been the last twenty years, that no Christian whole matter had ended favourably to used, and her people being called were ports of Presbyteries for aid to mission purpose of vigorously fighting against the Alliance now was to have petitions woman dare shut her heart to the call the Mission, better news of her health told they had no power over her and stations for the year beginning April -how much there is to learn-of would be forwarded by next mail. The that they would be reported for having 1st, inst. In this respect \$3,000 was its fields, its subjects, their wants, the difficulty above referred is briefly as molested her. supply, our investments and the re-follows:turns, our trusts, and corresponding Two weeks before two women Tulsi- another great victory for Christ in the augmented station, and \$400 allowed obligations, best ways of eliciting and bai and Panabai were baptised—the first city of Indore, where only a few years the Presbytery to be spent in exploring continuing interest.

But will not missionary literature meet all tuese demands?

legislation to restrict the employment pointed to present the matter to the cultured wife that she never thought of might have died for all they seemed to were all on Tulsibai's side and were of labour on Sundays. In their ranks Minister of Railways and Canals as opening the "little green-covered book" care. After she professed to be a almost as glad as Yeshwadabai when that came monthly to her husband's Christian we frequently scat her home to she returned victorious. It has not parts of the Dominion, including a Moore and members of the Presbytery study table—the old-time Foreign Mislarge number of members of both of Hamilton. The Rev. Messre. Camp- sionary-was not a solitary exception. did not receive her kindly or listen they to day having been very busy days in bel (Montreal) and Pollard having Our Sabbath-school children of ten did not seem to trouble about her the Dispensary. And it has established REV. Dr. Armstrong, Secretary, re
Rev. Dr. Armstrong, Secretary, few years ago

> women are monthly bringing the best "When they found she was gone that a Bible woman gathered a little The officers of the Alliance are products of their brains, where 30,000 they left in a rage; and so after a few class of native women together, and

What our Methodist sisters call Sabbath Union was organized in Nov- donald regretting his inability to ember last and was already knocking attend, and expressing his sympathy Send the sister whose horizon needs and had Tulsibal give them her answer. bring me one to-morrow?"

at the doors of the U.S. Senate for a with the aims of the Albance. It was broadening -who does not believe in They said they only wanted me to give "Yes, I will bring you one, but of

An executive committee was appoint infiliant to execute in the home and her in our care, paid no attention to. The next day, when the book was

may come back with the, or the one return. If sie wishes to go I shall not "Show me the place where Jesus's who is all surface and no depth may hinder her; but I did not compel her name is." return with one idea.

Send the critical sister who thinks to you against her will." that missionary societies are made up of very poculiar people, of women who her, as she had been forsaken by her owner of the Bible asked that the place ale unfitted to shine in other walks of husband nine years ago. Yeshwadabai might be marked so that she would also that she would also the shear of the beautiful to the shear walks of husband nine years ago.

the Rev Mr. Short of Walkerton, the ing in one of the neighbouring States, of time and her bits of coin, that she same; but they seized her when we

the Daminion a more fitting observance church, Torento, on April 9th and brass, curtains, embroidery, fine twined catechist] for a policeman, but none of the Lord's Day, to the comfort and 10th — linen with open work, rival the cunning could be found. Should Auxiliary and Presbyterial work of Bezaleel, or of the son of a "By this time we had quite a crowd Societies send delegates and delegates woman of the daughters of Dan, she and strange to say the sympathy was all their expenses to all important meet may become one of the "wise hearted with Tulsibai, for the people living near Mr. Charlton, M.P., reported on behalf lings, and should such societies bear who did spin with their hands, and the hospital knew how long she had of the Legal Committee. He discussed the official expenses of their officers in brought that which they had spun as a been cared for by us. I then said to

be his opinion, and that of the Com. question of expenses with an unqualissentiment in your community, to bring the name of Mangesh Rao, (a judge of about a revival of faith and zeal, to the city in whose family both the lady some important directions could be con- But, says one, "Our society is so small draw out the latent sympathy and the doctors have done not a little good stitutionally obtained. He moved - and we are so poor, if we should pay latent talent of your Church, to educate work and who himself is very favorably "Resolved, That in the opinion of the expenses of a delegate, and submit your children, and enlist your young inclined towards Christianity]. To him gour and T. McRae, elders.

the better observance of the Lord's Day. Section 91, sub-section 27, of tribution that you ever made to Misthe missionaries, to speed the coming each side of the horse's head and a great The greater the famire, the greater of the King? If so, these meetings crowd following.

CENTRAL INDIA.

MISS BEATTY, M. D. SERIOUSLY ILL .-TWO NEW CONVERTS, THE FIRST FRUITS OF THE MEDICAL MISSION .-THE BAPTISM OF ONE OF THEM OC-

VICTORY FOR CHRISE," India dated Indore, February 20th, we ever, the Judge had ordered that she be lon or Paris.

tion, which had showed itself less ameniman and followed by the Kotwal ent missionary during the summer, and Missionary interest is no exception to able to treatment than in the former [Police Magistrate] looking very surly, a gentleman in Montreal had proattack. The opinion, however, was and the mother and hrothers of Tulsi-mised \$200, the ladies of St. Andrew's These meetings stimulate and supply expressed that recent trying circum- bai. We knew she was going with aroused by the baptism of a stative felt safe. About 3 p. m. she was sent Of that part of the work of Foreign woman in the Mission hospital had back to us in a gari. She had only

baptisms from the medical work at In- ago Mr. Wilkie had such a figlit for even districts now beyond its control. The We need an intelligent faith. Twenty dore. Owing to Miss Beatty being ill, the right to preach. We owe all this to Columbia Presbytery made application years ago the Mission fields of the the larger share in dealing with the world and of our Presbyterian Ci urch native opposition occasioned by the who have said he did nothing by it all. mittee deferred action pending further a cast-iron rule. The secretary had A communication from the Presbyissued circulars to all the different tery of O:tawa was read asking the were as much a terra-incognita to most baptism fell to Miss Oliver aided, when It is not the people of Indore who say information. of our women, as was the interior of she got home to call them, by Miss this. They know better. You may be Africa before we had a Livingstone or a Rodger and Mrs. Chanmukam. Miss sure Judge Mangesh Rao is high in our

Dispensary in the city ten months ago, thanks. We feel especially glad at the field, Chilliwhack The confession of a minister's bright, and had we not fed and clothed her she spirit displayed by our patients. They MISSIONARY TEACHER IN PRINCE ALBERT. Hospital, determined to carry her off by friend at court." This great missionary awakening is force. Thinking it best to get her out largely due to meetings where devoted of the city, Mr. Chanmukam and I went The Alliance met again in the morn- leaders from various parts of our land, after dark and got her out by a back Ninety-four representatives had been ing, George Hay, Esq. in the chair, and missionaries from the field, have way, whilst Gooind Rao [catechist] appointed resident in all parts of the Discussion was resumed upon the con brought to masses of women the results kept her brothers talking in front. We Dominion. Appointments had been stitution. The conditions of membership of patient research, untiring effort, lov- had before this ordered them not to venmade by four Anglican Synods, by the were defined. The officers of the Society ing devotion, ripe experience. We ture into the house, but still were not among the heathen. One of the most Presbyterian Assembly, the Methodist are a President and a Vice-President cannot afford to lose the benefit of sure what their rage might lead them to remarkable comes from Madura, in the Conference, the Baptist and Congregat for each Province, General Secretary, these Training Schools, where as Mrs. do, and that she would not be safe to Indian Archipelago, and is published

> ing I found them very noisy in front of interrupted her with: hear what they had to say when my work was done. When all the yet told you."

quick to perceive, so clever to plan, so me. You brought Tulsibat here, left about Jesuz." nothing. Now because she has been ingly to her lips. Then opening the

Her eyes will be opened. I [medical assistant and Bible woman] ways find the name of Send the hard-worked, busy wife and was frightened and wanted me to take tralian Christian World. [medical assistant and Bible woman] ways find the name of Jesus .-- Aus re of mankind."

The resolution was seconded by given at an annual Presbyterial nicet mother, who treasures up her scraps her away at once and I too thought the

pople?

Ne went, Tulsibai, Yeshwadabai and Do you desire a full treasury, to inyself in the gari, Gooind Rao [cate-

"The Judge was at home, heard our

story and kindly did what he could to help us, said they had no right to her and took her under his protection. I then left her sitting on the verandah with Yeshwadabai beside her. During the day they had her summoned before the Police Magistrate; and when Chanmukam went down in the evening he found her locked up in the Police Court Which will bring up the balance in the special state of the special state of the special speci of us was around, her brothers might FROM a letter just received from seize and carry her off by force. How-

"And so ended, shall we not say, Dr. Oliver in writing says:—
"Tulsibai's people brought her to the us. The Church at home owes him her

NAME IS."

At t. the missionary reports dwell on the wonderful results of women's work in the Missionary Herald. It appears

"Yes, and much more than I have

to come and I will not give her up As soon as it had been pointed out o you against her will.' to her she kissed the page reverently.
"I knew they had no legal claim on Before the Bible-woman left the happy

> HOME MISSIONS. MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE.

TUESDAY. THE semi-annual meeting of the Home Mission Committee of the Church began its sessions March 26th, in St. Andrew's, Toronto The following members of the committee were present: -Revs. Dr. Cochrane (convener), Dr. Warden (secre-tary), Dr. Laing, Dr. Kellogg, Dr. hell, and Revs. Messrs. Findlay, Ham I was puzzled for a moment, but lifted alton, Moodie, Cleland, Gilray, Hender-Straith, McLean, Carmichael, Currie, McMullen, Lees, McClelland, and Hunter, ministers; and Messrs R. Kil-

The morning session was taken up with passing on claims for Home Misending March 31st, were:-Home Missions, \$17,300, and augmented congregation, \$11,623.

STATE OF THE FUNDS.

The convener reported the state of the funds up to date to be as follows :-Receipts for Home Missions Receipts for Home Missions ...\$38,466 Expenditure 27,698

He further stated that \$7,000 is yet expected from various congregations,

Balance\$6,570

Still expected.. ... The convener also reported that he had received the following sums for Home Mission purposes since last meeting of committee :---

farringdon Independent church

a gentleman in Montreal had prochurch, Perth, \$150, and Miss McCall,

REPORTS OF PRESBYTERIES.

The afternoon and evening sessions were occupied in considering the revoted to mission stations in British Columbia, \$300 to Richmond, an

WEDNEADAY.

Rev. G. C. Patterson, lately ordainestimation for the way he stood up for cd missionary in British Columbia, was heard briefly in reference to his late

There was taken up the matter of appointing a missionary teacher in Prince Albert, which occupied the time of the committee for two bours. The committee finally agreed by majorwith the approval of the Presbytery of Regina, to teach as far as he may be THE PLACE WHERE JESUS'S able in the Nisbet Academy, with a grant of \$10 per Sabbath, the contributions of the stations and whatever sum he may receive from the trustees of the Nisbet Academy. The convener was instructed to telegraph this deliverance to Dr. Jardine, Prince Albert.

A memorial was rend from the Synod of the North-West, asking for an increase in the allowance made to licentiates and ordained missionaries from Octario taking charge of vacancies inthese districts. A committee consisting of Revs. Mr. Farries, Dr. Bryce, and Dr. Torrance, was appointed to consider the application.

GRANTS.

In the afternoon the committee devoted its time to making grants for the year 1889 90 for augmented congre-(Continued on fifth page.)