

ance of scholars. During the last quarter of the year our average was 189.

BIBLE CLASSES.

The classes for young men and young women are now under the care of Miss MacMaster and Mr. Bain. While the attendance is encouraging, there is yet room for improvement. We would therefore urge upon the young people of the congregation, not otherwise engaged on Sabbath afternoons, the importance of connecting themselves with these classes.

MISSIONS.

An increasing interest has been manifested in this department of our work, as evidenced by the larger offerings from the classes generally, while the Infant class has well sustained its reputation. The contributions, we believe, exceed those of any previous year. The following figures show what we have done :

Sabbath and box collections	\$255 69
Missionary Society collections.	103 97
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	\$359 66

LIBRARY.

We have nothing new to report in this connection, suffice it to say that our shelves are well supplied with books suited to the wants of the school.

PAPERS.

The papers supplied during the year have been as follows: "British Workman," "Children's Friend," "Infants' Magazine," "Child's Own Magazine."

The scholars, at the request of the Superintendent, brought to the school a large number of papers which they had already read, and with these and any surplus papers on our hands we are enabled to supply destitute schools, and we have reason to know that they have been much prized.