

THE ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Sabbath School in Connection with St. Andrew's Church
FOR 1878.

The annual meeting of the office-bearers and teachers was held in the Library Room, on Monday evening, 6th Jan., 1879. There was a large attendance present.

In presenting the annual report the teachers have to record with grateful hearts the goodness and love of their Heavenly Father in permitting them to labour in the Sabbath School, to see the close of another year, and although they cannot rejoice in a rich harvest of souls to the Master, yet they are pleased to notice a growing interest in church and Sabbath school in the work generally. The scholars are more regular in their attendance, more orderly in their conduct, and more liberal in their Sabbath collections.

The total number of children on the roll is over 300 ; average attendance 225.

The infant class is taught by Mr. Freeland ; this department of our work is both interesting and encouraging. Several classes have been organized from this band of little children during the year ; the number on the roll is 52, average attendance during the year 40. The Band of Hope Review, an excellent temperance paper, is distributed monthly, and read with interest and profit by the children.

The new system of class collections adopted in the school has succeeded very well. Collections during 1877, \$106 ; 1878, \$136.

The library has been replenished during the year, and is now in good working order ; and, although it contains over 400 volumes, it is not sufficient to meet the growing wants of the school.

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