

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Report of "Parish and Home" Editorial Committee.

The publication of *Parish and Home* has gone on regularly for another year. We are not yet satisfied with the paper and can see many ways in which our work might have been better done, and the publication made stronger and better than it is.

Yet we feel that *Parish and Home*, under God, has filled a useful place in the world of Christian literature.

It has brought words of comfort, cheer and encouragement to many homes, has warned some of the dangers of sin, built up some in the truth, and to many has brought good, wholesome Sunday reading, to lead their thoughts into pure and ennobling channels.

In not a few cases, and from various quarters, have come testimonies as to the use and helpfulness of the paper.

Amid the vast amount of reading that is disseminated and devoured in these days, and alas too much of it of that kind which enervates and weakens (even where it does not demoralize and debase), it becomes the bounden duty of the lovers of truth to scatter broadcast and sow the land thick with that which builds up and strengthens and above all leads men to seek after and know the Christ.

We have tried, and in some cases succeeded in getting about one-third of the copy original, and thank those who have so kindly and faithfully contributed. We would especially thank the Rev. Messrs. W. J. Armitage and H. R. A. O'Malley for their regular help, also we are indebted to the Rev. H. T. Miller, of Beamsville, for a number of contributions. We trust that many of our graduates who have not been sending us in anything will at once set their pens to work and begin to do so. And also that every graduate, who at all can, will get at least a few copies taken in his parish.

We would like also to express the debt the committee and the whole Alumni Association owes to the Rev. Bernard Bryan, who