

mittee that carried out the arrangements had a balance of eleven dollars and seventy-five cents after defraying all expenses, which sum was handed to the treasurer of the Church. During last winter the teachers gave the scholars tickets for the entertainment given by the Missionary Needles, which entertainment they enjoyed to the full.

Owing to the many meetings during the year the teachers have only met twice. At these meetings changes for the benefit of the school were discussed.

One hundred and thirty-five dollars has been raised by Sunday collections for missions; of this seventeen dollars and eighty-seven cents collected in the Bible class has been sent towards the support of our missionary in China. Sixty dollars was sent to our native pastor in Southern India and thirty dollars handed to the Church treasurer to help in the defrayment of the expenses of the Sunday School. The balance, twenty-seven dollars, will be voted to some missionary object by the scholars at their annual meeting.

Several interesting letters have been received from the native missionaries we support in India and China, which show that our contributions are helping those who are doing good work for the Master.

Since the renovation of the library it has been much more highly appreciated by the older scholars, and the weekly circulation is much greater than last year. But further improvements are required and constant additions are necessary to make the library a successful aid in teaching the older members of the school.

Prayer meetings have occasionally been held at the close of the school, at which much interest was shown in the spiritual welfare of the scholars. And now and again do we see evidences of members of our classes having given their hearts to the Lord. Of these fourteen have united with the Church. Let us hope that this may only be the first fruits of the bountiful harvest which through God's goodness is promised to the earnest worker who asks aright.

Respectfully submitted,

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