

St. Andrew's Church, Kingston,

Annual Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1897.



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St. Andrew's Church,

1898.

Kirk-Session:

REV. J. MACKIE, M.A., *Moderator.*

COL. JOHN DUFF,

PROF. F. FOWLER, M.D.

WILLIAM G. CRAIG,

ROBERT THOMSON.

CLARK HAMILTON,

JOHN McINTYRE, Q.C.

JOHN M. STRANGE,

Trustees:

COL. JOHN DUFF, *Chairman.*

ANDREW DRUMMOND, *Ottawa.*

JOHN PATON, *New York.*

DR. O. S. STRANGE,

CLARK HAMILTON,

JAMES MINNES.

Committee of Management:

W. G. CRAIG, *Chairman.*

JOHN McINTYRE,

JAMES MINNES,

CAPT. DONNELLY,

JAS. LESSLIE,

C. HAMILTON,

W. T. MINNES,

JAS. MACLEOD,

WM. NICKLE,

DR. HERALD,

GEO. PARKER.

Secretary-Treasurer:

GEO. PARKER.

Precentor:

N. T. GREENWOOD.

Organist:

Mrs. COCHRANE.

Church Officer:

J. W. CLARK.

Meetings and Services.

DIVINE WORSHIP—Sabbath, 11 A.M. and 7 P.M.

SABBATH SCHOOL “ 3 P.M.

YOUNG MEN'S GUILD “ 3 P.M.

PRAYER MEETING—Wednesday, 7.30 P.M.

WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSION SOCIETY—Last Wednesday of every month, 3 P.M.

YOUNG WOMEN'S GUILD—Last Tuesday of every month, 7.30 P.M.

WOMEN'S HOME ASSOCIATION—Last Wednesday of every month, 4 P.M.

CHOIR PRACTICE—Friday, 8 P.M.

JUVENILE GUILD—Saturday, 2 P.M.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MISSION SOCIETY—First Monday of the month, 7.30 P.M.

ST. ANDREW'S MISSION BAND—First Saturday of the month, 11 A.M.

The Sacraments.

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered on the first Sabbath of every month.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is administered every three months.

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Annual Meeting.

ST. ANDREW'S HALL,
Kingston, 12th January, 1898.

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation was held this evening in St. Andrew's Hall.

The Rev. John Mackie presided and opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. Geo. Parker read the minutes of the last annual congregational meeting, the adjourned annual meeting, also the minutes of the special congregational meeting and of the adjourned special congregational meeting held on 7th Nov. and 18th Dec. last respectively, which were all sustained.

The report of the Kirk-Session was read by Mr. Mackie, on whose motion, seconded by Mr. John McIntyre, it was adopted.

The report of the Board of Managers was read by Mr. W. G. Craig.

The Chairman requested the Managers to explain more clearly a recommendation in it to the effect that all collections to be made in the name of the congregation should first receive the sanction of the Board of Managers. This having been done by the Chairman of the Board, the Chairman pointed out that according to this clause no individual member or any society, not even the minister or the Kirk-Session, could make a collection in the congregation for any purpose whatever without first receiving the permission of the Board of Managers.

Capt. Donnelly moved that the report be received as it stood. He was seconded by Mr. Jas. Craig.

Mr. R. S. Dobbs moved an amendment that the clause referred to be debated. He was seconded by Miss Davidson.

The motion was carried.

Mr. John McIntyre announced that the retiring Managers at this time were Messrs. Lesslie, Hazlett, Donnelly and J. W. Clark.

Mr. W. G. Craig expressed his wish to resign, and asked that his name be added to the list, nominating Mr. Mason in his stead who declined.

Mr. Massie hoped that Mr. Craig would reconsider his decision to retire, and expressed his conviction that St. Andrew's Church could ill afford to lose his services as a Manager. Mr. Jones agreed with Mr. Massie and was supported by the entire congregation.

Mr. McIntyre then nominated Messrs. J. F. Lesslie, Capt. Donnelly, Dr. Herald and Geo. Parker to take the place of the retiring Managers, which was agreed to.

The report of the Women's Home Association was read by the Chairman and received.

The Sabbath School report was read by Mr. Pollie and received.

The report of the Young Women's Guild was read by the Chairman and received.

The report of St. Andrew's Mission Band was read by the Chairman and adopted.

The report of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society was read by Dr. Duff, who moved its adoption.

The report of the Young People's Missionary Society was read by Mr. Low and received.

Mr. W. F. Nickle, referring to a minute of the last adjourned congregational meeting, asked an explanation of their position as Managers. He wished their position to be distinctly understood. The minutes in question stated that the Talent workers would at this meeting be requested to devote their energies for the year 1898 to the reduction of the floating debt, and that the Managers be asked to canvas the congregation for the remainder of the debt in the month of December next. He wished to ascertain if the ladies had agreed to accede to this request.

Mr. Mackie, as their President, replied that the ladies had considered the matter and decided to courteously decline.

Mr. Nickle then pointed out that nothing could be done by the Managers to reduce the debt before the end of the present year unless the minute referred to were rescinded.

Dr. Duff, the seconder of the motion, moved that the question be reopened, and that the Managers be requested to take immediate steps for the abolition of the floating debt. This was seconded by Mr. Dobbs, put to the meeting and carried.

The Benediction was then pronounced and the meeting closed.



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Baptism.

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

- Jan. 6—George Kirk, son of Mr. James Stinson McBride.
 Jan. 10—Mary Adamson, daughter of Mr. David Sinclair.
 Feb. 7—James, son of Sergt. George Scott.
 Feb. 14—William Macadam, son of Mr. Wm. Folger Nickle.
 Mar. 6—Vera, daughter of Mr. Samuel Harkness.
 Mar. 6—Marjorie Gordon, daughter of Mr. James Arnott
 Minnes.
 Mar. 21—John Clifford, son of Mr. James McIlquham.
 Mar. 21—Mary Stuart, daughter of Mr. Stuart Mercer.
 May 2—Hugh Sinclair, son of Mr. William Thompson.
 May 13—William Henry, son of Mr. Thomas Grimason.
 June 13—Gordon Grant Macdonnell Carr, son of Prof. Carr
 Harris.
 June 27—Vita Kathleen, daughter of Mr. William T. Minnes.
 Aug. 10—James Reginald, son of Dr. Third.
 Aug. 23—Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. William Cullen.
 Oct. 17—Victor Alexander, son of Mr. Thomas Minnes.
 Oct. 31—Jessie Louise, daughter of Mr. John Pollie.
 Oct. 31—Jessie Louise, daughter of Mr. Hugh Harold.
 Nov. 15—William George Hunter, son of Major Ogilvie.
 Nov. 21—Annie Matilda, daughter of Mr. William Sands.
 Nov. 24—Henry, son of Mr. John Fisher.
 Nov. 25—Alice Loraine, daughter of Mr. Charles Cunningham.
 Dec. 30—Annie Kathleen, daughter of Mr. W. S. Hughes.

**"The promise is unto you and to your
 children."**

1897.

Marriage.

"Marriage is honourable in all."

- Feb. 24—Charles Kennedy to Lizzie Pollock.
 Mar. 10—Sidney L. Pringle to Jennie S Pollie.
 June 1—Edward Fidler to Margaret Louisa
 Goldsmith.
 June 16—Robert Cochrane to Eliza Roddy.
 June 16—Sidney Sperney Scobell to Harriet Maud
 Begg.
 June 22—Herbert Hempton to Sarah Stafford.
 July 7—William Noon Linton to Mary Selina
 Urquhart.
 July 8—Harry Leal to Sarah McFaul.
 Sept. 8—James Wellington Judge to Hannah
 Jane Shellington.
 Oct. 28—Rev. Robert James Hutcheon to Margaret
 Drummond Allen.
 Nov. 18—James Currie to Louisa Evans.
 Dec. 24—Robert Gilchrist to Isabella Porteous
 Mercer.

**"What God hath joined together, let not man
 put asunder."**

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Death.

"Some have fallen asleep."

Feb. 19th James Scott.
 Mar. 10th. Mrs. George.
 April 28th..... Mrs. Sheldon.
 May 25th Mrs. McGuin.
 July 4th..... Mrs. Thos. Taylor.
 Oct. 5th..... Mrs. Dr. Wood.
 Dec. 25th..... Benjamin Younger
 Dec. 30th..... James Younger.

"Till the day break and the shadows
 flee away."

Kirk-Session Report.

The Kirk-Session respectfully submit their annual report to the congregation.

All the services, both Sabbath and week night, have been observed without a break during the year.

The Sacraments have been stately administered—the Lord's Supper quarterly—and Baptism as required, both in church and in private dwellings as preferred.

Three communicants have entered into their rest since last report was given in, namely: Mrs. McGuin, Mrs. Taylor, and Mrs. Wood, and seventeen, owing to change of residence, have been disjoined.

On the other hand twenty-seven have been added to the Communion Roll, ten on profession of faith, fifteen by certificate, and two being restored. The Communion Roll now numbers 542.

The Sacrament of Baptism was administered to twenty-two children, in almost every case when a few weeks old. We note this with satisfaction as evidencing the growing anxiety of parents to place their children, without any undue delay, in covenant relations with God.

Twelve marriages were celebrated.

By the will of Mrs. George, long connected with St. Andrew's and who died in the Spring, the sum of \$400 was left to the church, subject however to her husband's life rent. Since 1893, when the first legacy in the history of the church was recorded, the Session have had annually to make similar announcements.

A Mural Tablet to the memory of Dr. Williamson, revered and beloved, was on Christmas Day unveiled by Mrs. Clark Hamilton, as the gift of the congregation, mindful of his generousness and worth.

The Poor Fund under our supervision has been administered by the Woman's Home Association in a manner which meets with our entire satisfaction. All details have been made known to us and a general statement of income and expenditure will be published in the Annual Congregational Report.

The Session gratefully recognises the loyal support and voluntary service rendered to the church by the members of the choir.

They also extend to all the workers in the church, both those engaged in Sabbath School work and the different Guilds and Mission Societies, their warm sympathy and grateful appreciation of toil the worth of which no man can tell.

“Let Thy work appear unto Thy servants, and Thy glory unto their children—and let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us; and establish Thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish Thou it.”

In the name of the Kirk-Session.

J. MACKIE, M.A., *Moderator.*

Report of Board of Management.

To the Congregation of St. Andrew's Church :

The Board of Managers have pleasure in presenting the following report of the financial affairs of the congregation for the year ending 31st Dec., 1897.

Notwithstanding that the following extra expenditures had to be provided for, viz:—

City Improvement Tax.....	\$17 54
Plumbing.....	20 77
Painting.....	55 00
Asphalt Walks, on acct.....	56 20

Together.....\$149 51

the floating debt of the congregation has only increased \$62.30, showing that there has been a gain in ordinary revenue and expenditure of \$87.21 for the year 1897, and but for the unavoidable expenditure as noted above the floating debt would be \$87.21 less now than it was when the last annual report was submitted. The amount of the floating debt now is \$2575.00.

The comparative statement of receipts herewith shows a slight falling off in pew rents and a very considerable shrinkage in plate collections, about 21 per cent; there are, however, on the other hand considerable gains in envelopes and the Interest Fund, about 7 per cent; the total figures show the receipts to have been \$12.46 less for 1897 than for 1896.

Your Committee estimated at the beginning of the year that in order to pay current expenses and provide for the floating debt it would require.....\$6250.00

The receipts from all sources for the year have been.....	\$5190 03
Less Loan from Merchants' Bank..	620 00
	<u>4570 03</u>
	\$1679 97

To this may be added, in order to ascertain the amount of the floating debt, sundry accounts due by the congregation but unknown to the Managers when the estimate was made at the beginning of the year..... 895 03

\$2575 00

Your Committee begs respectfully to acknowledge the receipt of your instructions issued by a special meeting of the congregation held 8th Dec., 1897, but action has been delayed in the direction indicated until the close of the year in the hope that the debt would be very materially reduced in the meantime.

Your Committee desires to call attention to the present bad condition of the roof of the church in various places, but particularly near the tower, also the necessity for pointing the outer walls of the church, and to certain repairs and painting required at the Manse building in order to preserve the property generally. These items will cost about \$300.00 and should not be left undone, and unless special provision in some way is made for securing this sum the floating debt will be increased again at the end of the year upon which we have now entered. It is estimated that the amount required for the year 1898 to pay current expenses and provide for the floating debt will be as follows:—

Current expenses.....	\$3496 00
Contingencies.....	200 00
Necessary repairs to property.....	300 00
Floating debt....	2575 00
Interest on Mortgage.....	540 00
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	\$7111 00

Great economy will have to be exercised during 1898 to keep the expenditure within the limits of the revenue, indeed it is doubtful if this can be done unless the latter can be increased somewhat.

Your Committee would recommend, with a view to lessening the cost of light and fuel, that the several meetings held in the church during the week be consolidated, particularly during the Winter season, and also that all meetings, socials or entertainments held in the Hall for other than strictly congregational purposes be charged the cost of lighting and heating the building.

Your Committee would also recommend that no moneys shall be collected or asked from members and adherents in the name of the congregation without first obtaining the permission of the Board of Management, and that all moneys raised by or collected by the congregation for congregational purposes shall pass through the hands of the Treasurer of the Board of Management and be entered in his books.

Your Committee acknowledges with thanks the thoughtfulness of Mr. James Minnes in providing, at his own expense, in order to pre-

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serve the handsome and expensive carpet of the church a strip of matting for the aisles at each end of the church, which until now have been without such protection. We also desire to record our appreciation of the services of the Ladies who have in various ways, particularly in regard to Talent work and Collections for the Interest Fund, worked so energetically and with so much success during the year.

The Board also tenders its hearty thanks to Mr. Geo. Parker for his very faithful and efficient services as Treasurer. He has gratuitously given the congregation the benefit of his ripe experience.

The retiring Managers are Messrs. J. F. Lesslie, J. Hazlett and T. Donnelly, and J. W. Clark who sent in his resignation when he was appointed church officer.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. G. CRAIG,
Chairman.

St. Andrew's Hall,
12th January, 1898.

Statement of the Board of Managers for the Year 1897.

RECEIPTS.	
Cash in hand 31st Dec., 1896.....	\$ 39 34
Pew Rents.....	1613 80
Envelopes.....	1011 08
Plate Collections.....	414 16
Anniversary Coll'n \$521.42, Mr. Dobbs' Fund \$242.00	763 42
Special Collections.....	450 87
Young Women's Guild.....	100 00
Bell Committee, refund.....	96 36
J. M. Strange, subscription Building acct.....	50 00
Stocks Hammond Organ Recital.....	30 00
Subscription for repairing walks.....	1 00
Additional Loan from Merchants' Bank.....	620 00
	5150 69

Total..... \$5190 03

PAYMENTS.		
	Expended on account of previous years.	Expended on account of 1897.
Stipend.....	\$ 300 00	\$1500 00
Precentor \$167.00, Organist \$115 50.....	3 00	279 50
Church Officer.....		315 00
Pulpit Supply, 1896.....	35 00	
Interest on Mortgage, 1896.....	658 41	
Fuel.....	56 00	194 00
Light.....	42 84	115 46
Printing Annual Report, Stationery, 3 years	101 95	52 85
Manse Tax, \$89.25, City Improvem't, \$17.54		106 79
Hardware, Building Acct., 1890.....	66 52	
" 2 years.....	29 05	4 82
Plumbing.....	75 49	20 77
Merchants' Bank, Interest		85 90
Painting and Glazing.....	1 25	55 00
Asphalt Walks, on Acct.....		56 20
Presbytery Fund, 2 years.....	24 20	24 50
Regulating Clock, 4 years.....	40 00	10 00
Sundry Petty Accounts.....	4 42	52 94
Water Rate.....	10 25	35 25
Bibles and Prizes, 2 years.....	15 86	8 89
Poor Fund.....		198 01
Hospital special \$100.45, Jubilee \$27.37....		127 82
Sabbath School Library.....		71 73
Aged & Infirm Ministers' Fund.....		49 31
Applied on Mortgage.....		50 00
	\$1464 24	\$3414 74

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Cash in hand 31st Dec., 1897..... 311 05

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STATEMENT OF FLOATING DEBT.

Debt at 31st Dec., 1896.....	\$2552 04	
Less cash in hand 31st Dec., 1896.....	39 34	
		\$2512 70
Debt at 31st Dec., 1897, including interest on mortgage for the year.....	\$2886 05	
Less cash in hand 31st Dec., 1897	311 05	
		2575 00
Amount expended in excess of revenue during the year....		\$62 30

LIST OF ACCOUNTS OWING AT 31ST DEC., 1896.

Merchants' Bank.....	\$1080 00
Interest on Mortgage, 1896.....	658 41
Stipend.....	300 00
Hardware \$95.57, Plumbing \$75.49.....	171 06
Fuel \$56.00, Light \$42.84.....	98 84
Regulating Clock \$40.00, Pulpit Supply, '96, \$35.00	75 00
Printing \$101.95, Presbytery Fund \$24.20....	126 15
Bibles and Prizes.....	15 86
Sundries—\$4.42, \$6.80, \$1.00.....	12 22
Water \$10.25, Glazing \$1.25, Organist \$3.00.....	14 50

		\$2552 04
Less cash in hand 31st Dec., 1896.....		39 34
Debt at 31st Dec., 1896....		\$2512 70

LIST OF ACCOUNTS OWING AT 31ST DEC., 1897.

Stipend.....	\$300 00
Precentor.....	33 34
Organist.....	25 00
Asphalt Walks, balance.....	144 00
Interest on Mortgage, 1897	575 00
Merchants' Bank.....	1700 00
Light \$45.00, Water \$10.25	55 25
Plumbing \$30.00, Music \$17.46.....	47 46
Fuel \$5.00, Whisks \$1.00.....	6 00

		\$2886 05
Less cash in hand 31st Dec., 1897.....		311 05
Debt at 31st Dec., 1897.....		\$2575 00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.
Pew Rents.....	\$1608 51	\$1684 45	\$1690 05	\$1613 80
Envelopes	1137 90	1073 55	997 10	1011 08
Interest Fund.....	540 65	163 05	171 30	242 00
Plate Collections.....	431 66	507 04	526 67	414 16
Special Collections	983 26	990 38	880 67	972 29
	\$4701 98	\$4418 47	\$4265 79	\$4253 33

Examined and found correct.

W. GILL, Auditor.

GEO. PARKER, Treasurer.

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Detailed Statement

OF PAYMENTS BY ENVELOPES AND PEW RENTS.

Pew.	Name.	Weekly Offering.	Pew Rents.
1.....	R. Gordon.....	\$ 70	
2.....	Prof. Ferguson.....		\$13 50
3.....	L. Milk.....		75
4.....	Miss McFadden.....		6 00
	W. Mason.....		6 00
	Mrs. Lennon.....		3 00
6.....	D. Harold.....	1 20	
7.....	Miss Elder.....	2 00	6 00
10.....	Mrs. Lougher.....	1 55	6 00
12.....	John Strange.....		15 15
14.....	Mrs. Jones.....	1 90	6 00
	Miss Jones.....	1 85	
15.....	W. Cannem.....		3 00
	Miss Porter.....	1 00	3 00
16.....	F. C. Ireland.....	10 25	12 00
	K. M. Ireland.....	9 00	9 00
17.....	W. Cullen.....		5 45
18.....	R. J. Reid.....	4 30	15 00
19.....	S. Harkness.....		15 00
20.....	R. Thomson.....	4 55	19 15
	Mrs. Thomson.....	4 55	
	Miss Thomson.....	25	
21.....	Principal Grant.....	50 00	21 00
22.....	R. Carroll.....	1 50	12 00
23.....	J. F. Lesslie.....	20 80	15 00
24.....	Mrs. W. Ross.....	1 15	10 50
	Mrs. Forbes, Estate.....		10 50
25.....	H. Mowatt.....		13 50
	R. Davis.....	25	
26.....	J. H. Jones.....	5 00	9 00
	Mrs. Wilkinson.....		3 00
27.....	Jas. Bewes.....	2 85	15 25
	Mrs. Whitcomb.....		3 00
	Miss Ogg.....		3 00
28.....	Jas. McCall.....		6 00
	R. J. Elliott.....	1 00	
	C. E. Linton.....		2 00
29.....	Joseph Fisher.....	5 50	16 50
30.....	John Haffner.....		9 00
	Miss Nicholson.....		3 00
31.....	A. Grant.....		6 00
32.....	Mrs. Jacobs.....		3 00
	John Gordon.....	05	

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"A"	Mrs. Bruce		\$ 6 55
34	Mrs. Hackett	\$ 1 60	3 00
	Laura Hackett	05	
	J. Smart	10	
	Mrs. Cooper	05	
	A Ramsay		3 00
35	Capt. Paul		9 00
	Mrs. Paul	3 25	
36	Jas. Porter	1 00	
	Mrs. Porter		6 00
37	John Kinghorn	7 00	16 50
38	D. Gibson		9 00
	Mrs. J. Donnelly	25	6 00
39	Mrs. Nesbit	3 40	3 00
	Mrs. Mercer	3 15	6 00
40	John Guild		12 00
41	Mrs. Allen	10 40	13 50
42	J. Jamieson		10 50
	Miss Maitland		3 00
43	Mrs. Lesslie	7 65	9 00
44	E. C. Hiscock	3 00	9 00
45	R. Brignall	12 50	6 00
46	R. Carr Harris		18 00
47	D. A. Sinclair	35	
	Mrs. Sinciair	2 60	6 00
	Mrs. Arnold		3 00
48	Mrs. Aitken		3 00
	Miss Ferguson		3 00
49	Mrs. J. B. Rogers	2 50	3 00
51	F. Ayers	4 20	5 50
	S. Donnelly	10	
52	Mrs. Grimason	9 25	6 00
53	R. J. Bushell		7 50
	Wm. Fee	8 84	3 00
54	Mrs. Gray	35	
	D. W. Gray	65	
55	S. McBride		15 00
56	A. Newlands		7 50
	Mrs. I. Newlands		7 50
57	A. C. McMahan	3 70	9 00
58	W. S. Hughes		9 00
59	Mrs McCormick	3 55	9 00
60	Miss Meek	2 50	6 00
	Miss A. Meek	2 60	
61	Geo. Parker	15 00	6 00
	Guy Cameron Parker	1 04	
	Miss Cameron	3 00	3 00
62	Mrs. Volume		13 50
63	J. Boyd		15 00
64	J. Whinton	3 25	9 00

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Pew.	Name.	Weekly Offering.	Pew Rents.	Pew.
65.....	Mrs. Begg.....		\$ 6 00	100...
	J. Donnelly, Jr.....	\$ 2 75	6 00	
C & D..	Cadets		21 00	101...
68.....	Geo. Hazlett.....	50	6 75	..
70.....	Mrs. F. Folger.....	16 65	15 00	102...
71.....	W. Newlands, Sr.....		6 00	103...
	F. Newlands.....		6 00	104...
72.....	John Hazlett.....		12 00	..
73.....	H. Mooers.....		12 00	105...
74.....	Mrs. McGuin.....	1 70	12 00	106...
75.....	Miss A. K. Fowler.....	2 05	6 00	107...
	J. Cannon, Jr.....	3 00	3 00	..
76.....	Mrs. Cochrane.....	4 55	6 00	108...
	James Cochrane.....		3 00	109...
77.....	Mrs. W. McIlroy.....		9 00	110...
78.....	B. Lane.....		9 00	..
79.....	W. Bailie.....	4 75	12 00	111...
80.....	Miss Beaton.....		9 00	112...
	A. D. McLean.....		6 00	113...
81.....	Miss Margaret Minnes.....	4 70	6 00	..
	Miss Martha Minnes.....	3 50	3 00	..
82.....	Geo. Henderson.....		12 00	114...
83.....	Mrs. Mackerras.....		15 00	..
84.....	Mrs. Williams.....	3 25	6 00	..
	Miss Knox.....	1 70	3 00	..
	Miss M. Knox.....	2 35		..
85.....	John Mudie.....	6 00	24 00	115...
87.....	Mrs. Kelly.....		13 50	116...
E.....	Miss Gray.....	3 40	3 00	117...
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89.....	John Kerr.....	12 25	12 00	..
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	Dr. Black.....		6 00	..
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93.....	T. Smeaton.....	5 10	6 00	120...
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95.....	Wm. Gill.....	13 00	6 00	..
	Miss Spankie.....	5 30	3 00	121...
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	E. A. Booth.....	7 35	6 00	124...
99.....	J. Percy, Sr.....		6 00	..
	J. Harkis.....		9 00	125...
100.....	J. W. Clark.....	4 55	9 00	126...

Pew Rents.	Pew.	Name.	Weekly Offering.	Pew Rents.
\$ 6 00	100.....	Mrs. Lappage.		\$ 3 00
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21 00	101.....	H. McDonald.....	3 00	6 00
6 75		H. Conley.....	1 70	3 00
15 00	102.....	Mrs. John Macpherson.....		12 00
6 00	103.....	R. S. Dobbs.....	26 00	12 00
6 00	104.....	Rev. Dr. Bell.....	8 50	4 00
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12 00	105.....	R. Macpherson.....	5 00	15 00
12 00	106.....	Mrs. A. Ross.....		9 00
6 00	107.....	James Elder.....		8 25
3 00		James Bryant.....		6 00
6 00	108.....	Rev. John Mackie.....	26 00	
3 00	109.....	Dr. Fowler.....	34 00	18 00
9 00	110.....	Mrs. E. M. Nickle.....	51 00	18 00
9 00		W. F. Nickle.....	27 00	
12 00	111.....	J. B. McIver.....	30 00	15 00
9 00	112.....	W. G. Craig.....	12 75	15 00
6 00	113.....	James Gillie.....	5 20	9 00
6 00		Mrs. Hickey.....	5 20	6 00
3 00		O. J. Hickey.....	5 20	
12 00	114.....	James Minnes.....	8 00	18 00
15 00		Mrs. Jas. Minnes.....	25 00	
6 00		Miss Ethel Minnes.....	4 80	
3 00		Miss Loraine Minnes.....	5 15	
		J. A. Minnes.....	8 50	
24 00	115.....	E. W. Lowe.....	3 50	15 00
13 50	116.....	Mrs. John Connor.....		15 00
3 00	117.....	J. Nichol.....		6 00
9 00		Mrs. Harvey.....		1 00
12 00		Mrs. Gibson.....	7 40	9 00
6 00	118.....	Miss Smith.....		3 00
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12 00	119.....	W. Massie.....	10	6 00
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		J. Halliday.....		6 00
6 00	120.....	T. D. Robinson.....	2 90	15 00
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4 00		Miss Mowat.....		3 00
12 00		Miss H. E. Mowat.....		3 00
6 00		Miss H. Fraser.....	2 00	3 00
3 00	121.....	Mrs. Bajus.....	10 25	18 00
9 00	122.....	Dr. Stirling.....		9 00
3 00		T. J. Shanks.....		9 00
10 50	123.....	Dr. Herald.....		14 00
9 00		J. B. Mackay.....		1 50
6 00	124.....	Mrs. John Allen.....	3 15	9 00
6 00		R. R. F. Rowan.....		6 00
9 00	125.....	Dr. Strange.....		18 00
9 00	126.....	W. T. Minnes.....	21 00	6 00

Pew.	Name.	Weekly Offering.	Pew Rents.
127	Clark Hamilton	\$52 50	\$18 00
128	Col. Twitchell	17 50	12 00
129	W. Harold		15 00
130	Miss Strachan		6 00
131	Miss Macpherson	15 00	6 00
133	Mrs. H. Fraser		10 00
	J. M. Strange		10 00
134	Mrs. W. J. Wells	2 20	6 00
135	James McLeod		13 50
	J. B. McLeod	5 00	
136	Col. Duff	25 00	15 00
	Dr. R. Duff	12 50	
137	James Craig		12 00
138	John McIntyre	52 00	18 00
140	John Elliott	12 25	9 00
142	Dr. Third	12 00	6 00
143	J. C. Strange	18 50	6 00
144	R. F. Davis		11 00
	Frank Strange		11 75
145	Capt. Patterson	50	
	R. McLeod		3 50
	C. Beattie	2 40	7 75
146	J. E. Hopkirk		6 00
	Chas. Hopkirk	1 35	
147	J. Gilbert	10 50	6 00
148	Miss Givens		6 00
149	Capt. Taylor	4 90	15 00
150	Mrs. A. Pollie	7 80	15 00
151	Mrs. Cameron		4 50
	Mrs. Livingston		3 00
	W. Cannon	5 50	3 00
	Miss Colquhoun	3 10	
	Miss Machar	5 00	
	Joan G. Field	5 00	
	Frank Raney	2 00	3 00
	Dr. Mowat	20 00	
	Mrs. Wylie	05	
	Anonymous	1 00	
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President..... Rev. J. Mackie, M.A.
Superintendent..... W. G. Craig.
Treasurer J. D. Craig.
Secretary J. Pollie.
Organist..... S. Shannon.

Librarians—Messrs. W. T. Minnes, Cochrane, Kerr, Shannon, H. Craig, and Mackerras.

Teachers—Misses Gray, McIlroy, Taylor, Harold, Thompson, Pollie, Connor, Massie, A. L. Fowler, Volume, Davidson, L. A. Fowler, Clarke, M. Minnes, Mudie, Strange, E. Minnes, and Messrs. Clarke, Lowe and Prof. Harris.

Teachers of Infant Class—Mrs. Mason, Misses Minnes, Harold and Hiscock.

Teacher of Young Women's Bible Class—Mr. McIntyre.

" " *Men's* " " Rev. Mr. Mackie.

The Teachers and Officers have much pleasure in submitting their report for the year just closed.

The classes meet every Sabbath afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church hall.

The number of scholars on the roll, including Bible and Infant Classes is 248, an increase of 26 over last year. Total number on the roll, including Teachers and Officers, 283.

We heartily welcome Mrs Mason, Miss Hiscock and Miss G. Harold, as teachers to the Infant Class. We are also pleased to note that Miss Pollie and Miss A. Davidson have resumed teaching in the school after a short absence.

Misses C. Harold, J. Gibson, Cameron and A. Gibson, have dropped out of our list of teachers. We are grateful for the help and encouragement their presence gave us and trust that they may be influenced to take up the work again.

On the 14th Feb'y there was a presentation of silver communion cups and tray to St. Andrew's Church, Whitney, as a token of esteem and good will toward Mrs. McDonald, the minister's wife, who had been a faithful teacher in our school.

Another interesting incident and one which the children and teachers took delight in contributing to, was the presentation to Miss J. Pollie, on the eve of her marriage and departure from the city, of a handsome Davenport and Chair. She was a faithful teacher in the Infant Class and the children were much attached to her. We remember also with thankfulness the devotion of Miss Mercer to Sabbath School work. By marriage she was removed from our midst. We say to them all God speed.

The following scholars are entitled to the Kirk-Session prize for having recited the entire Shorter Catechism:—Ida Kelly, Georgie

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Trotter, Mary Gordon, Amelia Kelly, Katie Craig, Eleanor Mercer, Jean Craig, James Mercer, Gerald Dobbs. Mother's Catechism:— Millie Cullen, Jeannie Mowat, Laura Hackett, Flora Elder, Jean Duff. Two scholars have joined the church during the year.

The annual Pic-nic was held in July, at Long Island Park, and was an enjoyable outing for the children and their friends.

The Xmas entertainment this year took the form of a Cantata and was presented chiefly by the younger children and was very successful. This entertainment was repeated for the benefit of St. Andrew's ward in the General Hospital, recently destroyed by fire, and realized \$18.50.

At the Xmas entertainment the children were much interested in, and greatly delighted with, the presentation of a rolling chair to Mrs. Thompson, who for so many years conducted the Infant Class.

There were 160 volumes added to the library during the year, as the result of the congregational collections, for which the school is thankful.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. POLLIE, *Secretary.*

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL IN ACCT. WITH
J. D. CRAIG, TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31ST, 1897.

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Dec. 31,	To paid W. Shea, Entertainment.....		\$ 5 00
"	" " Wm. Bailie, Account.....		4 70
"	" " F. Nisbet, Catechisms.....		1 65
"	" " N. T. Wilson.....		16 58
"	" " Canal Missions.....		10 00
"	" " Macnee & Minnes, Account.....		2 35
"	" " Library Books... ..		86 76
"	" " J. D. Wattles, Account.....		8 56
"	" " D. C. Cook.....		8 06
"	" " Festival.....		8 60
"	" " Repairing Library Books.		5 00
"	" " Home Missions.....		7 28
"	" " Pic-nic.....		3 94
"	" Balance, cash.....		39 75
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Jan. 1,	By Balance, cash.....		\$12 54
Dec. 31,	" Collections.....		77 84
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Women's Foreign Missionary Society.

The St. Andrew's Auxiliary of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society reports that one special and eight regular meetings have been held during the year, with an average attendance of ten. The largest number present at any meeting, fourteen, and the smallest number six. Sewing meetings were held during the winter months and a bale of clothing valued at \$32.30 was sent to the North-West.

The Thankoffering Service was held this year in June, in St. Andrew's Hall, and addressed by Mrs. Byers, Presbyterial President.

We have this year to mourn the loss, in common with all the missionary societies of our Church, of Mrs. Ewart, for so many years President of the Western Section of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

This Auxiliary also records with regret the resignation of the Secretary, Miss Mowat, and expresses its appreciation of her services.

The office-bearers for the past year have been:

President.....Mrs. Cochrane.
Vice-Presidents....Mrs. Ramsay Duff, Mrs. Mackie, Mrs. Parker.
Secretary.....Miss Mowat.
Treasurer.....Mrs. Campbell Strange.
Convener of Clothing Committee.....Mrs. Elder.

OFFICE-BEARERS FOR 1898.

President.....Mrs. Dobbs.
Vice-Presidents.....Mrs. Mowat, Mrs. Mackie, Mrs. Cochrane.
Secretary.....Mrs. Ramsay Duff.
Treasurer.....Mrs. Campbell Strange.

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TREASURER'S REPORT.

Receipts.

Thankoffering.....	\$28 00
19 members.....	19 00
3 ".....	75
2 ".....	1 00
Collections.....	7 86
58 Leaflets.....	6 96
Home Mission.....	1 17
North-West bale contributions.....	5 10
Scattered helpers.....	14 00
Interest.....	80
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	\$84 64

Expenditure.

North-West bale.....	\$ 4 35
Freight on ".....	45
Railroad Fares.....	3 35
Envelopes and Postage.....	1 38
Leaflets.....	6 96
Charwoman.....	50
Paid Mrs. Hamilton, Pres. Treas.....	65 73
Balance in Bank.....	1 92
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Women's Home Association,

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President.....Rev. John Mackie, M.A.
Secretary.....Miss Jennie Gibson.
Treasurer for Missions.....Miss Helen Fraser.
Treasurer for Poor Fund.....Mrs. Mackie.
Treasurer for Record.....Mrs. J. M. Strange.
Treasurer for Association.....Miss Minnes.

District Visitors.

Mrs. Dobbs,	Miss Gray,
Mrs. J. Hazlett,	Miss Smith,
Mrs. M. Strange,	Miss Strange,
Mrs. John Strange,	Miss Spankie,
Mrs. Campbell Strange,	Miss McIlroy,
Mrs. Adams,	Miss A. Davidson,
Miss Minnes,	Miss E. Mowat,
Miss Pollie,	Miss McCormick,
Miss Beaton,	Miss Ella Harold.
Miss Annie Fowler,	Miss Knox,
Miss Bessie Fowler,	Miss Hamilton.

This Association, instituted for purely congregational work, has steadily held on its way during the year, and has the following to report as items of work accomplished:

All the families of the church have been visited monthly at least. The Record has been distributed with the Congregational Notes, and every information given respecting the missions of the church. For the latter object, contributions have been received during the year as suited the convenience of families and individuals. The whole sum raised at the end of the year for the schemes or missions, Foreign and Home, by the congregation amounts to \$708.06. This does not include contributions from the Sabbath School, the Young People's Missionary Society, and the Mission Band, some of which are allocated for particular objects in a mission field. These bring up the total to \$866.09.

This year the Association made for the first time an endeavour to raise the sum required for paying the interest on the church mortgage. Their endeavour was, from the beginning to the end, both earnest and strong. Month by month its progress was chronicled in the Notes and appeals were made to every one to help. They regret to report that they have not succeeded in raising the whole amount. Instead of having 575.00, the sum required, they have \$406.72, leaving

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GE,
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a balance of \$168.28 still to be made up. Not having succeeded in raising the whole amount, they have therefore no claim to the anniversary collection as stipulated for. The Association, notwithstanding its failure to raise the whole sum, has been so encouraged by the large number of cheerful subscribers to the Fund and in the possession of such an able and indefatigable Convener of the Committee for this work, namely, Mrs. W. S. Hughes, that they have resolved to try again to do this work during 1898, in the hope that this time they will succeed.

The Talent workers report through this Association that this year they have received for the reduction of the church mortgage and consequently for the annual interest thereon the sum of \$741.64. There were employed in this undertaking 108 women, representing 90 families in the congregation. This concludes the fifth year of the "Talent" which has at this date reduced the mortgage from \$18,000 to \$10,759, and the annual interest from \$900 to \$538, thus helping every year the ordinary revenue of the church. The object for which they have steadily laboured during these five years lies so close to their hearts and the success which has attended their efforts has been so gratifying to them that they cannot be diverted from it.

The Poor Fund of the church continues to be managed by this Association under the eye of the Kirk-Session. All the accounts and details of expenditure have been laid before the Session and have met with approval.

As an abiding token of Jubilee Year, the church has been provided with national colours—a Union Jack and a St. Andrew's Flag, both the best that could be procured. The Association made a collection for the former throughout the congregation, and the latter was the kind gift of Mrs. Nickle and family.

The Association has to record with sorrow the loss by death of four very helpful members—Mrs. George, Mrs. McGuin, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Wood; also, by change of residence—Mrs. Bell, Miss Chadwick, Mrs. W. Lowe, Miss Mowat, Miss Mercer, Miss Maggie Allen, Miss Durie, Miss H. Durie, Miss M. Duncan. But as of old, "one goeth and another cometh." Their places have been filled up by new and promising members.

All the office-bearers for the past year have willingly allowed themselves to be re-elected, and the work of the New Year has already been taken up with spirit.

With gratitude to God for every good done, and conscious of much unworthiness, the Association presents this their report for 1897.

J. MACKIE, *President.*

Receipts

Jan. 13
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Oct. 1,
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Poor Fund,

1897.

Receipts.

	Balance from 1896.....	\$157 98
Jan. 13,	Communion Collection.....	15 24
April 26,	“ “.....	50 95
July 10,	“ “.....	30 62
Oct. 20,	“ “.....	49 20
	Interest to Dec. 31st.....	2 90
		\$336 89
	Overdrawn.....	13 66
		\$350 55

Expenditure.

Jan. 8,	Cheque—per Miss Gray.....	\$ 8 00
“ “	“ “ Principal Grant.....	15 00
16,	“ “ Church Treasurer.....	106 25
Feb. 2,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	12 00
“ “	“ “ Miss Smith.....	5 00
Mar. 1,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
April 1,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
5,	“ “ Miss Gray.....	11 00
20,	“ “ Messrs. Booth & Co.....	15 45
26,	“ “ J. S. Henderson.....	7 00
May 1,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
June 1,	“ “ Miss Gray.....	6 00
July 2,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
Aug. 2,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
Sept. 6,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
Oct. 1,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	8 00
25,	“ “ Kirk-Session.....	25 00
Nov. 1,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
12,	“ “ Miss Gray.....	11 00
19,	“ “ T. McAuley.....	1 50
Dec. 2,	“ “ Miss Macpherson.....	6 00
3,	“ “ Jas. Craig & Co.....	22 95
28,	“ “ Geo. Hazlett.....	2 50
30,	“ “ Booth & Co.....	22 00
31,	“ “ Miss Gray.....	16 50
		\$350 55

E. S. MACKIE,
Treasurer.

Presbyterian Record,

1897.

Income.

Balance from 1896.....	\$114 00
Payments of Records.....	79 45
Advertisements	31 00
Interest.....	84
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	<u>\$225 29</u>

Expenditure.

Publisher, Records	\$ 56 25
Printer, Notes.....	40 00
H. Breck, Electric Bell.....	4 00
R. F. Davis, two Photos.....	10 00
M. Kirkpatrick, Frames for above.....	5 35
Loan to Fife and Drum Band.....	97 82
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	\$213 42
Balance in Bank.....	11 87
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Statement of Interest Fund.

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To Cash received as per Collection Books.....	\$380 59
“ “ “ proceeds from Strawberry Festival.....	22 07
“ “ “ Interest on deposits June 30, 1897.....	98
“ “ “ “ “ Dec. 31, 1897.....	3 26
	\$406 90

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By Cash, deposit in the Ontario Building and Savings Society as per Deposit Book.....	\$381 45
“ Cheque on hand, proceeds from Strawberry Festival.....	22 07
“ Cash paid for Envelopes as per receipted bill attached....	3 38
	\$406 90

Statement of Monies Received.

Mason, W.....	\$12 35	McLeod, Miss L.....	\$ 2 75
Brignall, R.....	6 00	Newlands, Mrs. A.....	2 75
Duff, Mrs. J.....	5 35	Davis, Mrs. R. F.....	2 70
Macpherson, R.....	5 30	Connor, Miss L.....	2 65
Parker, Mr. and Mrs. G...	5 20	Donnelly, Ruby.....	2 65
Minnes, J.....	5 00	Folger, Karl.....	2 65
McLeod, R.....	5 00	Folger, Franklin.....	2 65
Clark, Miss E.....	4 25	Gillie, Miss Ruby.....	2 65
Ferguson, Rev. Prof.....	4 00	McIntyre, Mrs. J.....	2 65
Reid, Mrs. R. J.....	3 90	Grant, Principal.....	2 65
Folger, Collamer.....	3 70	Grant, Mrs.....	2 60
Gibson, Mrs. D.....	3 50	Creighton, R. R.....	2 60
Jamieson, Miss.....	3 40	Allen, Mrs.....	2 60
Hamilton, Miss.....	3 20	Allen, Miss.....	2 60
Donnelly, Mrs. J., Sr.....	3 15	Cameron, Miss.....	2 60
Aiken, Mrs.....	3 10	Dobbs, Mrs. R. S.....	2 60
Henderson, Miss N.....	3 10	Dobbs, R. S.....	2 60
Newlands, A. F.....	3 00	Fee, Wm.....	2 60
McIver, Miss.....	3 00	Fowler, Miss Annie.....	2 60
Strachan, Miss A.....	3 00	Gillie, Miss Etta.....	2 60
Hughes, W. S.....	3 00	Gill, Mrs. W.....	2 60
Hickey, Mrs.....	2 95	Harkis, Mrs.....	2 60
Harold, Miss Jessie.....	2 90	Hiscock, Mrs. E. C.....	2 60
Ross, Mrs. A.....	2 85	Jones, Mrs. J.....	2 60
Hickey, O. J.....	2 80	Lane, Mrs.....	2 60
McCormick, Miss.....	2 80	Mowat, Rev. Dr.....	2 60
Davidson, Miss A.....	2 78	Mackerras, R.....	2 60
Folger, Mrs. F.....	2 75	Mackerras, Mr.....	2 60
Gray, Miss.....	2 75	Mackerras, Miss.....	2 60
Hazlett, Mrs. J.....	2 75	Mowat, H.....	2 60
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WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL EFFORT FOR REDUCTION OF THE CHURCH BUILDING DEBT.

1893-1897.

(Five Years).

NOTE.—Those whose names are printed in italics are deceased or have removed from the city or congregation. No. 8 lost \$33, and No. 161, \$40, by Bank failure.

1 Mrs. Mackie.....	\$500 00	36 Mrs. McBride	\$48 00
2 Mrs. Folger.....	236 00	37 Mrs. Macpherson.....	44 11
3 <i>Miss Eroun</i>	211 00	38 Miss Spankie.....	43 25
4 <i>Mrs. Galloway</i>	130 65	39 Mrs. T. Robinson	41 00
5 Mrs. Hickey.....	127 25	" Miss Annie Fowler....	41 00
6 Miss McCormick.....	100 15	41 <i>Mrs. McGuin</i>	39 00
7 Mrs. Nickle.....	100 00	42 Miss Annie Macpherson	38 46
8 <i>Dr Annie Dickson</i>	98 16	43 Mrs. McIntyre	37 75
9 Miss Smith	94 00	44 <i>Mrs. Bell</i>	37 56
10 Miss Minnes	93 50	45 Mrs. J. B. Rogers.....	37 00
11 Mrs. Geo. Henderson..	84 25	46 Mrs. T. Smeaton	34 00
12 Mrs. Minnes	81 05	" Miss Jessie Whitcomb.	34 00
13 Miss Ed. Macpherson..	79 30	47 Mrs. Hamilton	33 00
14 Mrs. Cochran	76 25	" Mrs. Henry Wells.....	33 00
15 Miss Jennie Gibson	70 29	49 <i>Miss H. Macpherson</i>	32 25
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17 Miss Emma Connor....	68 00	" Miss Annie Davidson..	32 00
18 Miss McFadden.....	65 68	52 Mrs. John Pollie	31 00
19 Mrs. & Misses Lesslie..	65 50	" Miss Helen Fraser.....	31 00
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1893—Principal Grant \$160, Mr. John McIntyre \$5, Mr. S. Dobbs \$5, Mr. Harvey \$2.50, Mr. Parker \$1, Mr. W. Grant 30c.—\$173 80.

1894—Mr. Robert McLeod \$12.50, A Friend \$12, Mr. Greenwood \$2—\$26 50.

1895—Mr. John McIntyre, \$25; Mr. Robert McLeod, \$15; Rev. John Mackie, Mr. W. G. Craig, Prof. Harris, Mr. Galloway (Fan Drill) each \$10; Dr. Strange, Dr. Wood, Mr. Samuel Shannon, Mr. Frank Raney, Capt. T. Donnelly, Mr. F. Folger, Mr. Jas. Hickey, Mr. Frank Ireland, Mr. Samuel Harkness, Mr. Alex. Newlands, Mr. Stinson McBride, Mr. Henry Mooers, Mr. R. Carroll, each \$5; Dr. Black, Mr. Jas. Gillie, Mr. Jas. Cochrane, each \$3; Capt. Boyd, Mr. Franklyn Newlands, Mr. James McLeod, Mr. Jas. B. McLeod, Mr. John Campbell, Mr. Wm. Thompson, Mr. John Hopkirk, Mr. T. Grimason, Mr. G. Gordon, Mr. R. Creighton, Mr. W. Bailie, Mr. John Kerr, Mr. Jas. A. Minnes, Mr. R. J. Reid, Mr. T. Robinson, Mr. John Whinton, each \$2; Mr. John Nicol, Mr. R. W. Stevenson, Mr. Campbell Strange, Mr. Frank Strange, Mr. John Strange, Mr. R. T. Rowan, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Harvey, Mr. R. Bushell, Mr. Jas. Elder, Mr. F. Ferguson, Mr. Joseph Fisher, Mr. J. Haffner, Mr. J. Guild, Mr. J. Harkis, Mr. A. Maclean, Mr. D. Harold, Mr. Wm. Lowe, Mr. Jas. Jones, Mr. J. Holder, Mr. J. A. Macdonald, Mr. J. Pollie, Mr. S. McBride, Mr. A. McBride, Mr. R. McBride, Mr. W. McIlroy, Mr. W. Elliot, Mr. W. Newlands, Mr. H. Mowat, Mr. Lougher, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Chas. Beatty, each \$1; Mr. Bryant 50c., Mr. McConnell 25c.—\$203.75.

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Refreshment table—Mrs. McIntyre and assistants; Dairy table—Mrs. Craig and Mrs. Herald; Stationery table—The Teachers.....	\$109 00
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PAYMENTS.

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Young Women's Guild.

1897.

President.....Rev. John Mackie, M.A.

Vice-Presidents.....Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Mason.

Conveners—

Dorcas Section.... Miss Smith.

Hospital Section... Miss Hudgins.

Visiting Section..... Miss Gray.

Social Section..... Miss Alice Fisher.

Treasurer..... Miss Boyd.

Secretary..... Miss Mary Allen.

The Guild has much pleasure in submitting to the congregation the following report of the work carried on during the year 1897.

The Guild continues to maintain its strength both in membership and working power. There are 46 bona fide members, and these are assigned to the different sections among which the varied work of the Guild is divided. So varied is this work that it seems to embrace everything that a young christian woman would desire to lend a helping hand to.

First there is the Dorcas Section with its unwearied and devoted Convener, Miss Smith, and powerful band of workers—Mrs. Mackie, Mrs. T. Robinson, Mrs. Gillie, Mrs. J. Donnelly, Mrs. R. J. Reid, Miss Minnes, Miss Connor, Miss Spankie, Miss Christina Harold and Miss Ella Harold. To these belong the procuring and preparing of clothing for the needy in connection with the church. Regular weekly sewing meetings are held in the parlour, at which supplies are received, orders executed, and wants attended to. With the exception of a short recess during the warmest part of summer, these meetings have been held without interruption for the twelve months, and have been well attended to by most of the committee. Eighteen families having connection, more or less visible, with the church have had assistance rendered them. To the General Hospital also, aid has on several occasions been given, in the shape of quantities of clothing chiefly for children. They also made for the Juv. Guild, to be hung in St. Andrew's Ward, five pairs lawn curtains. Fortunately these had not been forwarded when the sad conflagration occurred. In addition to a good deal of patching and mending the following list of articles made will give a good idea of the work done by the Dorcas:—4 tie-downs, 1 pair trowsers, 20 flannel night-dresses, 6 pairs cotton drawers,

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10 pairs flannel drawers, 16 flannel shirts, 21 children's aprons, 14 iron holders, 5 dresses, 2 dress skirts, 12 bibs, 6 bags, 2 large aprons, 4 night-dresses and 1 night-shirt.

These things cost money; whence did it come, for no appeal for help has been made by the Dorcas? It came in this way, \$9.95 in payment for work done for a few members of the church; a grant of \$5 from the Poor Fund; \$6, share of proceeds from Talks on Electricity by Mr. I. H. Breck; and \$2 from a friend of the Dorcas—making in all \$22.95. Gifts of clothing, new, and some partly worn, have also been received and turned to good account. For such presents the Dorcas gratefully thanks Mrs. Mackie, Miss W. Macpherson, Mrs. G. Donald, Mrs. Hopkirk, Mrs. W. T. Minnes, and Miss Ella Harold. The Dorcas have also to acknowledge with thanks a quantity of useful material from Mr. Minnes.

The Hospital Section, with its admirable Convener, Miss Hudgins, associated with whom are Mrs. Marshall of Elmhurst and Mrs. Mason, assisted by Misses Strange, Kinghorn, McCormick, Mary McCormick, Pollie, Low and Massie, has also had a very busy and happy year. Their work has been the regular and systematic visitation of Rockwood Hospital, the General Hospital, the Hotel Dieu, the House of Industry and the House of Providence. Weekly services are held at Rockwood, and are enjoyed and looked forward to by the patients as the great event of the week. There can be no doubt that these services, conducted as they are by such devoted women, must be a channel of blessing to the afflicted ones. It is delightful to notice what a joy these meetings are to those who conduct them. They seem to look forward to them with as much delight as the patients themselves, never allowing anything avoidable to interfere with their sacred work.

The General Hospital has also been regularly visited once a week by specially appointed members of the committee. Their attentions have been given specially, though not exclusively, to Presbyterians, and their visits have been helpful in many ways, discovering material needs and supplying them as far as possible, and cheering and encouraging the diseased and desponding. The Hotel Dieu and House of Providence have been entirely in the hands of the Convener, Miss Hudgins. Most of the Sabbath afternoons she spends in visiting these two institutions, and, when occasion requires, on week days as well. She visits for purely spiritual purposes, having religious service at the bedside, and in the House of Providence, having Bible readings for small gatherings. She has much to try and discourage her in this work, for though generally courteously received, she

quite understands that her visits are not desired by those in authority. She has, however, her own source of cheer and strength, and, without one thought of leaving her work or one look backward, she holds firmly to a duty which no Protestant in the city attempts to discharge but herself. The House of Industry has been principally in charge of Miss Massie, whose gentle, kindly ways make her very acceptable to the aged poor within its walls. Surveying the whole work of this section undertaken and assiduously carried on in the most unostentatious way for years, one cannot but describe it as pre-eminently a Christ-work, and hold in special esteem young lives who love to engage in it.

The Visiting Section, under the charge of Miss Gray, than whom there cannot be found a more devoted worker in the church, or member of it, has done good service during the year. She has had on her committee Miss Jones, Miss Bessie Fowler, Miss Annie Davidson, Miss Jennie Gibson, and Miss Pollie. All the aged and chronic invalids are their care, and everything is done to make such feel that though out of sight they are not out of mind.

The Social Section, with its genial Convener, Miss Alice Fisher, has attended to the hospitalities and recreations of the year. Miss Fisher has been assisted by Miss Knox, Miss Spankie, Miss Volume, Miss G. Allen, Miss L. Connor, Miss A. Boyd and Miss E. Gray. A great deal is not done in this line, as in the opinion of the Guild a great deal is not required. An annual social has generally been held for the purpose of welcoming strangers and increasing a kindly interest in the welfare of each other. This year the social was behind none ever held, being largely attended, pleasantly informal and thoroughly enjoyed.

In addition to the work of the different Sections as briefly sketched, the Guild as a whole gave itself very enthusiastically to a work called The Woman's Parliament. It was a labour cheerfully undertaken and successfully accomplished. They were ably and most readily helped by ladies of the congregation not members of the Guild, and some not even belonging to the church. The happiest spirit animated all throughout, and they had the pleasure of handing to the Board of Management a cheque for \$100. They are now hard at work in preparing an entertainment for January 24th, which, it can confidently be stated, will be a delight to the educated and cultured portion of the community. The proceeds will probably also be given to the Board of Management, for the Guild desires to meet at least all the expenditure on the asphalt walks. They regret that they were unable to do this before the year closed.

Such is a short account of our doings during 1897.

In name of the Guild,

J. MACKIE, M.A., *President.*

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Young People's Missionary Society,

1897.

<i>President</i>	Mrs. Parker.
<i>Vice-Presidents</i>	Mr. Lowe, Miss Minnes.
<i>Secretary</i>	Mr. S. Dobbs.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	Mr. Greenwood.
<i>Treasurer</i>	Miss Thomson.
<i>Asst.-Treasurer</i>	Miss Massie.
<i>Librarian</i>	Miss Hudgins.

During the past year the work of this Society has been steadily carried on.

Meetings have been held on the first Monday of every month with the exception of July and August, with an average attendance of fifteen—the principal object being the study of the different missions of the church, principally India, as the funds of the Society were subscribed to that fund last year.

At these meetings many interesting and instructive talks have been given by those who have had experience in Foreign and Home Mission work. We are especially indebted to Principal Grant, Mr. Gandier, Mr. Fraser, Mr. Dunlop and others, and we here take pleasure in recording a hearty vote of thanks for their kindness in addressing us.

The funds of this Society, which amounted to over \$40, were entirely voluntary, the half of which was sent to Rev. Fraser Campbell, as it was through his personal effort that this Society was started, and we are thankful that we have an opportunity of extending some help to him in his good work. The other half was voted to Queen's Missionary Society.

It is our earnest wish that many more of the young people of the congregation will join us in the coming year, as we feel that they will be greatly benefitted, inasmuch as they will be enabled to gain more knowledge about the missions of the Church at home and abroad.

The Society wishes to record regret for the loss they have sustained in the resignation of their Secretary, Mr. James Bews, who, owing to enforced absence from the city, will be unable this year to

attend regularly. Mr. Stewart Dobbs has been unanimously elected Secretary for the present term.

With thankful acknowledgment of God's good hand upon us in the past, and in humble dependence upon Him for wisdom and power to do His will, the Young People's Missionary Society enter on the work of another year.

JAMES BEWS,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

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<i>Secretary</i>	Miss E. Mowat.

I regret exceedingly that I neglected sending to the Annual Meeting a report of the Juvenile Guild. At the same time it is not behind former years in the work it has accomplished or in attendance.

The number of active members connected with the Guild is forty-two, and the average attendance less than twenty-seven. Special acknowledgment is due to Miss Hamilton and Miss E. Mowat for work and attendance. They have both been most indefatigable.

We have now on hand a number of pillow cases and night gowns, and five pairs of muslin curtains, the latter the Dorcas Society very kindly consented to make for us. We are now making "nightingales," the flannel for which was presented by Mrs. McIntyre. Our work as usual has been entirely for the Hospital, and during the year we have spent about ten dollars on materials, and we have at present about thirty-six dollars in the bank, thirty-two dollars of which was made by a small concert given by members of the Guild in St. Andrew's Hall last February.

During the summer baskets of fruit were sent to the Hospital, and in the course of the year almost every week St. Andrew's Ward has been visited by different members of the Guild who have taken with them either fruits, sweets or toys for the poor little suffering inmates.

Our annual meeting took place on the 11th of this month, at which Miss Mowat and Miss Nina Kinghorn were unanimously elected Secretary and Treasurer respectively, and I had the honour of being re-elected President.

At this meeting we decided to give a concert in February in aid of St. Andrew's Ward in the General Hospital. We are most anxious to raise fifty dollars or more, therefore we most sincerely hope that the congregation will do all in their power to assist us.

ETTA MACPHERSON, *President.*

Mission Band,

1897.

<i>President</i>	Miss Maggie Minnes.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	Miss Cameron.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	Miss Mudie.
<i>Treasurer</i>	Miss Louie Fowler.
<i>Secretary</i>	Miss Massie.

This Band has been in existence for a year. There are on the roll 21 girls and 13 boys.

At first the meetings were devoted to studying about our Missions to the Indians in the North-West and British Columbia, also the Missions in India.

During the year a box of toys was enclosed in the bale sent by the W. F. M. S. to Miss Baker's School. The contents of the parcel was valued at \$6.50. Later a parcel was sent to the children in the Indian School at Alberni, the children giving picture books and toys.

The collection during the year amounted to \$10.19. This was raised by the children giving their coppers and 5 cents; of this, \$4.13 was spent and \$5 of the remainder is to be sent to the Rev. Mr. McKenzie of Honan.

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Mrs. Nickle.....	20 00	William Mason.....	2 00
W. F. Nickle.....	10 00	Mrs. Hickey.....	2 00
Thomas Donnelly.....	10 00	J. A. Fisher.....	2 00
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John Donnelly.....	3 00	Mrs. A. Ross.....	1 00
John Boyd.....	3 00	Mrs. T. F. Taylor.....	1 00
J. C. Strange.....	3 00	H. Conley.....	1 00
A. F. Newlands.....	2 50	George Henderson.....	1 00
Mrs. Kerr.....	2 50	Miss Martha Minnes.....	1 00
T. J. Shanks.....	2 00	Helen H. Taylor.....	1 00

William Gill	\$ 1 00	W. Thomson.....	\$ 1 00
Maud Allan.....	1 00	Mrs. Andrews	1 00
E. Wells	1 00	L. Milk.....	1 00
Mrs. James Craig	1 00	Miss Knox.....	1 00
Prof. G. D. Ferguson.....	1 00	Mrs. Lennon.....	1 00
Miss Annie Davidson.....	1 00	Mrs. G. Henderson.....	1 00
R. Glasgow.....	1 00	Thomas Smeaton.....	1 00
Mrs. Mudie	1 00	H. J. Morden	1 00
Mrs. A. Volume.....	1 00	Miss M. A. Youngson	1 00
Miss Gray	1 00	Miss Lorraine Minnes	1 00
Miss Ethel Minnes	1 00	R. G. Fowler	1 00
Robert Bajus	1 00	Mrs. McClellan.....	1 00
J. D. Craig	1 00	Mrs. Mercer	50
Miss Carry Bajus	1 00	Mrs. Whitcomb.....	50
Mr. Hacket.....	1 00	Miss Jessie Whitcomb.....	50
Miss Elder.....	1 00	Mrs. McCall	50
J. Whinton.....	1 00	Miss Mary McCormick.....	50
John Nicol.....	1 00	Miss Shannon.....	50
Mrs. Isaac Newlands.....	1 00	B. Lane.....	50
D. Rogers	1 00	Capt. G. H. Ogilvie.....	50
Miss Lally Allen	1 00	Miss Evelyne Jones	50
W. B. Mackie.....	1 00	Mrs. Jacobs.....	50
Miss Belle Craig	1 00	T. Gill.....	50
Mrs. Nesbitt.....	1 00	Mrs. R. Smith	25
Henry Mowat.....	1 00	Miss Maggie Harold.....	25
Mrs. W. Allen	1 00	Miss Sarah Smith.....	25
Mrs. J. B. Rogers	1 00	N. McCormick.....	25
J. R. Smeaton.....	1 00	Widow	25
Mrs. W. Ross	1 00	17 Anonymous	47 00
S. L.....	1 00	Open collection, morning..	14 11
R. Sinclair.....	1 00	“ “ evening ..	11 06
T. D. Minnes	1 00	Mr. Dobbs' Supplementary,	
Mr. and Mrs. W. Low	1 00	See report 1896, p. 20....	242 00
John Guild	1 00		
Miss Jean C. Minnes.....	1 00		\$763 42
Mrs. S. J. Broadwell	1 00		
Miss Millie Jones.....	1 00	Paid interest on mortgage.	\$658 41
Miss M. D. Cameron	1 00		
Mrs. Charles Porter	1 00	Bal. to ordinary revenue..	105 01
Mrs. Wilkinson	1 00		
Dr. Third.....	1 00		\$763 42
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Collector—Miss Spankie.

Mr. R. J. Bushell.....	\$1 00
Miss Maitland	50
Mrs. J. McCaul	50
Mrs. J. Haffner	25
Miss Spankie	50
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Collector—Miss Annie Fowler.

Principal Grant.....	\$ 75 00
Mrs. Grant	70 00
Mrs. Ireland.....	3 00
Mrs. Rogers ..	1 20
Mrs. Inglis.	75
Mrs. Carroll.....	2 00
Miss A. Fowler	2 00
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Collector—Mrs. C. Strange.

Mrs. Nickle.....	\$ 6 00
Mrs. Kerr	5 00
Mrs. McIntyre	5 00
Mrs. F. Folger.....	5 00
Mrs. R. Macpherson...	4 00
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Collector—Miss Pollie.

Capt. Taylor.....	\$ 5 00
Mr. William Fee.....	5 00
Miss Davidson.....	2 25
Mrs. Volume.....	1 50
Mr. H. Mowat	1 00
Mr. A. Harold.....	1 00
Mrs. J. Donnelly, jr...	2 00
Mrs. James Bews.....	50
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Collector—Miss Beaton.

Mr. A. W. McLean....	\$1 00
Miss A. A. Beaton	1 00
Mr. John Guild	50
Mrs. Guild.....	50
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Collector—Miss Davidson.

Mrs. Isaac Newlands..	\$2 00
Mrs. McBride.....	2 00
Mrs. Lewis	25
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Collector—Mrs. John Hazlett.

Mrs. Cochrane.....	\$ 2 00
Mrs. Macdonald.....	10 00
Miss McGuin.....	2 00
Mrs. W. Ross.....	1 00
Mrs. John Hazlett.....	2 00
Mrs. Mason.....	50
Mrs. Sinclair	50
Mrs. F. Newlands.....	50
Mrs. George Hazlett...	50
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Collector—Miss Gray.

Miss Machar	\$5 00
Miss C. Strange.....	2 00
Miss Gray	1 00
Mrs. Nesbit.	1 00
Miss Helen Fraser.....	3 00
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Collector—Mrs. M. Strange.

Mr. C. Hamilton	\$10 00
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Collector—Mrs. Dobbs.

Mrs. Lesslie, Sr.....	\$ 2 00
Mr. R. S. Dobbs	5 00
Dr. Ramsay Duff	5 00
Mrs. McClellan.....	20
Rev. Dr. Mowat	30 00
Mrs. Mowat.....	10 00
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Collector—Miss E. Mowat.

Mrs. Mackerras.....	\$4 00
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Collector—Miss Hamilton.

Mrs. T. Robinson.....	\$3 00
Mrs. Elder.....	1 50
Mrs. Shanks	1 00
Miss Harold.....	50
Mrs. Hackett.....	25
Mrs. Wylie.....	25
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Collection—Ministers Widows and Orphans.....	\$ 34 26
" Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund	15 05
Sabbath School—Home Missions.....	7 28
St. Andrew's Mission Band.....	5 00
Young People's Missionary Society.....	70 00
Special Subscriptions—Foreign Missions.....	57 00
Woman's Foreign Mission Society.....	65 75
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Aged and Infirm Ministers Endowment Fund—	
Principal Grant \$100, Col. Duff \$30.....	130 00
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Total for the Schemes.....	\$866 09

HELEN FRASER,
Treasurer.

Allocation of above \$866.09.

Home Missions—General.....	\$101 00	
" " from Sabbath School.....	7 28	
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Home Missions Particular—		
To Yukon Fund.....	\$ 10 00	
Y. P. M. S. to Queen's Missionary Society....	20 00	
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Foreign Missions—General.....	\$85 00	
Special Subscriptions.....	57 00	
Y. P. M. S.....	30 00	
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Foreign Missions Particular—		
Mission Band—Honan.....	\$ 5 00	
Y. P. M. S.—Central India.....	20 00	
Women's Foreign Mission Society.....	65 75	
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Augmentation Fund.....	\$262 75
Queen's University—Theological Faculty	85 00
Ministers' Widows and Orphans' Fund.....	200 00
Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund.....	34 26
" " " Endowment Fund	15 05
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Total for the Schemes..... \$866 09

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Miscellaneous Objects contributed to:

Queen's University—Endowment Fund.....	\$700 00
School of Mines.....	155 00
General Hospital—Church Collection.....	\$127 82
Sabbath School.....	18 50
Juvenile Guild.....	10 00
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Y. M. C. A.—Ordinary Revenue	156 32
Orphans' Home.....	113 25
Tract Society	76 00
Bible Society	15 00
Poland Manse—Additional help.....	4 50
Indian Famine.	7 00
St. Andrew's, Whitney—Communion Plate from Sab- bath School	199 75
Canal Mission—from Sabbath School	17 00
Presbytery Fund.....	10 00
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Total for things outside the congregation.....	\$2,144 12

Under the head *Miscellaneous* many other things should be included, such as City Poor Relief, Indian Church Deseronto, Church at Wilbur, &c., but exact information is not at hand. There are other liberalities no doubt quite unknown.

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Pew Rents.....	\$1613 00
Offerings in Envelopes.....	1038 00
Offerings on Plate.....	386 00
Special Offerings.....	277 00
Anniversary Collection.....	521 00
Interest Fund.....	406 00
Collections for Poor.....	213 00
Church Missions.....	866 00
Kingston Institutions.....	983 00
Benevolent work.....	278 00
Sabbath School work.....	153 00
Special Congregational Objects.....	138 00
Talent—Mortgage Reduction.....	740 00
Presbyterian Record.....	115 00
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Total.....	\$7727 00

Last year the revenue was \$8,098.00, but that sum included \$700.00 from legacies and \$76.00 from rents. If these amounts are deducted, which may be legitimately done, the revenue for 1897 is \$405.00 more than the revenue for 1896.