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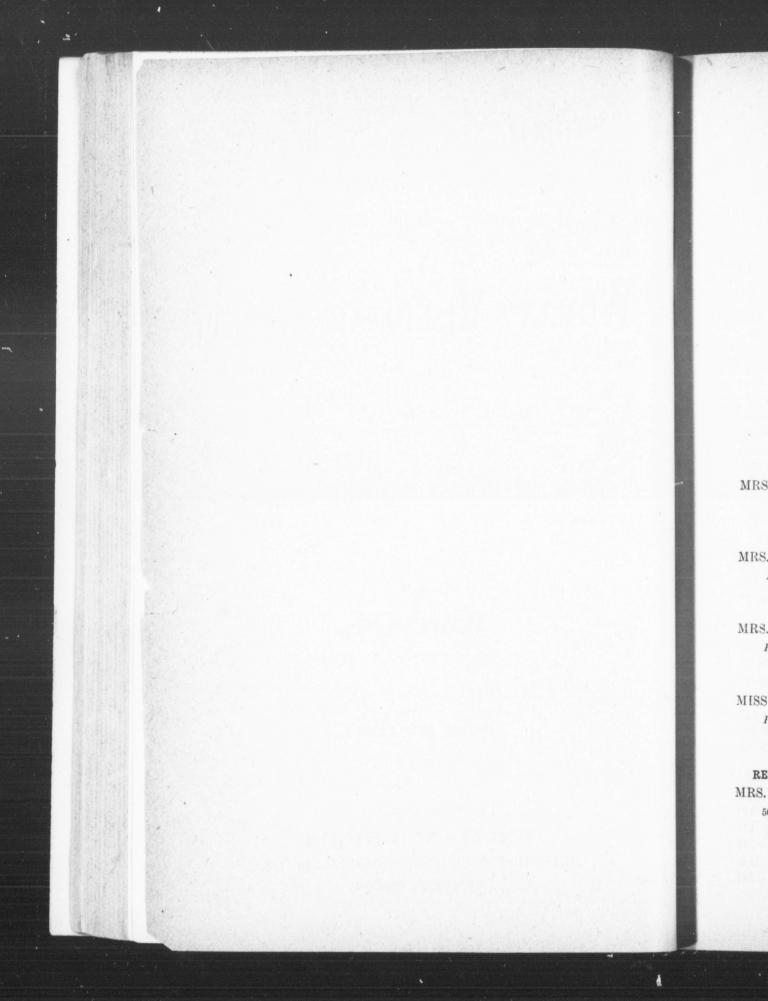
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# REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Information having been received of the opening of an Industrial Home in Tokyo for poor children, a resolution of approval was passed; and as the Council did not consider another magic-lantern necessary, Mr. Roundtree was asked to allow the \$80 donated for that purpose to be applied to the support of the Industrial Home.

A communication was received from the Literature and Publication Committee. Questions asked were replied to as follows :

That a sample copy of *Palm Branch* be sent to each Auxiliary and Band, and orders solicited. That if less than 500 copies be ordered, its publication be discontinued. That the name of the Society be put on the door of Room 20. That Room 20 be closed during the month of August.

Miss McGuffin tendered her resignation as editor of our column in the *Guardian*. This was accepted with regret, and a resolution was passed expressing appreciation of Miss McGuffin's efficient services in the past. Miss Firstbrook was appointed to the position.

The Committee consented to the marriage of Dr. Retta Gifford and Dr. Kilborn, Dr. Gifford to continue in our Society for her term of five years if her full time can be given to medical work among the women and children of Chentu, her salary after marriage to be \$300, according to Dr. Sutherland's recommendation.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Students' Volunteer Movement giving notice of a convention to be held in Detroit in February. The names of our returned missionaries were forwarded, and the President was authorized to represent the Society at the convention.

Auxiliaries were requested to hold an Easter thank-offering service, the proceeds to be applied to hospital work for women in Chentu, China.

An offer from Mr. Thornley, of London, of \$25 a year, for the support of a girl in the Chinese Home, was gratefully accepted. A donation of \$50 was received from Mr. Dillon, of Montreal, for additional furnishings for the Chinese Home.

An invitation to affiliate with the National Council of Women was left over for the consideration of the Board, and Auxiliaries were requested to be guided by this action.

The following were appointed to confer, if necessary, with the General Conference in relation to the Woman's Missionary Society and its work : Mesdames Gooderham, Strachan, Carman, McKay, Burns, Cunningham and McMechan.

The Committee on French Work reported the need of a better building for the school in the East End, Montreal, and was authorized to take steps toward securing a permanent place for the school, subject to the approval of the Board or its Executive. Funds being exhausted, the Treasurer of the French Work was authorized to draw on the Treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Society to the amount

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of one-half of the estimates for the French Institute, one-third only having been appropriated.

On recommendation of Western Branch, Miss Dingman, for some time teacher in Bishop Taylor's Mission in Africa, was accepted and appointed to Port Simpson, to the position made vacant by Miss Caldwell's resignation. Before Miss Dingman had received notice of her appointment she was suddenly called to the home above. Miss Caldwell was requested to remain until a substitute could be secured, but none was available; and as it seemed desirable that Miss Caldwell should remain, she has done so.

Miss Ford (Western Branch), a trained nurse, was accepted and appointed for Chentu, China, but not to go until advised by Dr. Hart.

Miss Paul, of Newburgh (Bay of Quinte Branch), an applicant for missionary work, was appointed to attend the Deaconess Training Home in Toronto for a time.

Miss M. Lambly, of Bloomfield (Bay of Quinte Branch), and Miss A. E. Belton, of Clayton (Eastern Branch), were accepted and appointed to Japan. They accompanied Miss Munroe, whose restored health permitted her to return in August.

Mrs. Burns was requested to procure from Dr. Eccles a proper form of health certificate, as the one now in use is defective.

The Committee, Mrs. Dixon, Dr. Carman and Principal Austin, appointed to arrange for examinations in Theology, recommended the following :---

1. Doctrines:

(a) Manual of Methodist Doctrines (Galbraith).

(b) Wesley's Sermons, as follows:

(1) Salvation by Faith, 1.

(2) Justification by Faith, 5.

(3) Witness of the Spirit, 10.

(4) Sin in Believers, 13.

(5) Law Established through Faith, 35.

(6) On Christian Perfection, 40.

2. Bible Study:

(a) Bible Outlines (Vincent).

(b) Epistle to the Romans.

3. Catechism (No. 2, or that adopted by the General Conference).

4. Discipline of the Methodist Church relating to Polity and Economy.

Examiners to be chosen for the Branches by their Presidents and Corresponding Secretaries.

The Committee appointed to act in regard to the Coqualeetza Home reported that the joint Committee had met and adopted regulations for the management of the institution.

Invitations for the annual meeting were received from the Auxiliaries in Guelph and in Cobourg. The invitation from Cobourg was accepted. W Di Oc da

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### THIRTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING

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### THE METHODIST CHURCH.

The Thirteenth Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was held in Division Street Church, Cobourg, beginning at 2.30 on Tuesday, October 16th, 1894, and continuing in session the three following days.

There were present:

Mrs. James Gooderham, President, Toronto.

Mrs. A. Carman, Vice-President, Belleville.

Mrs. J. B. Willmott, Recording Secretary, Toronto.

M s. E. S. Strachan, Corresponding Secretary, Hamilton.

Mrs. T. Thompson, Treasurer, Toronto.

Miss Ogden, Secretary-Treasurer of Literature and Publication Department, Toronto.

WESTERN BRANCH.—Mrs. A. Burns, President, St. Thomas; Mrs. A. Cunningham, Corresponding Secretary, St. Mory's; Mesdames Dickson, London; Daly, London; J. H. Mc Schan, London; Fowler, London; Wright, London; T. W. Jackson, Cale Ionia; W. Phel; s, Mohawk, Mount Pleasant; Charles Hardy, Hamilton; Scarff, Guelph; A. Sharp, Brantford; Gayfer, Hamilton.

TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Mrs. W. Briggs, Corresponding Secretary, Toronto; Mesdames J. A. Williams, Toronto; G. P. McKay, Toronto; W. W. Ogden, Toronto; G. Kerr, Toronto; A. Langford, Toronto.

BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH. — Mrs. G. D. Platt, Corresponding Secretary, Picton; Mesdames James Kendry, Peterboro'; (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Tweed; L. Massey, Wallbridge; (Rev.) G. H. Copeland, Newcastle; (Rev.) W. J. Crothers, Port Hope; Miss M. G. Hawley, Bath.

EASTERN BRANCH.—Mrs. W. E. Ross, President, Montreal; Mrs. T. G. Williams, Corresponding Secretary, Sherbrooke; Mesdames Bigelow, Aultsville; B. Sawyer, Montreal; (Rev.) L. Conley, Mallorytown; McRossie, Kingston; (Rev.) S. Hughes, Prescott.

NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.—Mrs. S. E. Whiston, President, Halifax; Mrs. Brownrigg, Corresponding Secretary, Bridgewater; Mrs. J. Wesley Smith, Halifax; Miss Wiswall, Farmington.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH.—Miss F. E. Palmer, President, St. John, N.B.; Misses S. E. Smith, St. John, N.B.; H. S. Stewart, Sackville, N.B.

BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH.—Mrs. A. E. Bolton, Port Simpson, B.C.

RETURNED MISSIONARIES.—Misses Hargrave, Winnipeg, Man.; N. G. Hart, Picton, Ont.; T. S. Blackmore, Truro, N.S.; L. Hart, Sackville, N.B.

The meeting was opened with devotional exercises conducted by the President.

The President introduced to the audience our four returned missionaries. These ladies were invited to occupy seats with the delegates.

The minutes of the Executive meetings held during the year were read and confirmed.

The report of the Corresponding Secretary was read and adopted.

The report of the Treasurer, which was presented by Mrs. Thompson and adopted, showed the receipts for the year to be 339,808.33, an increase of 81,834.17. The doxology was sung, and prayer for guidance and wisdom in appropriating the money, was offered by Mrs. Ogden.

The President then gave her annual address, of which the delegates expressed their appreciation by a standing vote

Reports from the Branches were read by the respective Corresponding Secretaries.

Mrs. Cunningham, Corresponding Secretary of the Western Branch, reported the division of that Branch into the Hamilton Conference and London Conference Branches. This action was endorsed by the Board. The Auxiliaries in the Owen Sound District were transferred to the Toronto Conference Branch.

Reports from separate Auxiliaries were read by Mrs. Strachan, Corresponding Secretary. A v espe

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Reports from the different mission fields were read and adopted. The report of the Supply Committee was read by Mrs. Briggs. A very hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the Committee, and especially to Mrs. Briggs.

The report of the Literature and Publication Committee was presented by Mrs. McKay, and the financial statement by Miss Ogden. A resolution was passed, expressing high appreciation of the labors of the Committee and sincere thanks to Miss Ogden for her unwearying devotion to our work and gratuitous services in "Room 20," and to Miss McCallum for the excellent and carefully-prepared "Suggested Programmes."

In the absence of Mrs. Parker, editor of our department in the *Outlook*, her report was read by Mrs. Strachan. The following was carried by a standing vote: "That we as a Board express our extreme regret at the absence of the editor of our department in the *Outlook*, and of our most hearty appreciation of the untiring, efficient service rendered by her in her capacity as editor of our official organ."

Miss Smith, of St. John, N.B., editor of *The Palm Branch*, was introduced to the meeting, and several delegates spoke in high appreciation of the paper.

The resignation of Miss S. Hart (now Mrs. Spencer) was received and a report of the work done during furlough. Miss Hart had addressed sixty-four public meetings and several Mission Bands. The following was carried by a standing vote : "That we extend our congratulations to Mrs. Spencer on her marriage, and assure her that we shall follow her course as a minister's wife with deep interest, and with strong desire that she may be as successful a worker as during her term of service in our W. M. S."

After some discussion on Dr. Gifford's marriage, the following resolutions were passed :

Resolved,—That this Board, while not approving of Dr. Gifford's hasty action in marrying before receiving the decision of the Executive, confirms the action of the Executive in consenting to her marriage and in continuing her on our roll of missionaries; that we reaffirm the grant of \$300 for the current year.

Resolved,--That the granting of permission by the Executive to Dr. Gifford to be married does not cancel clause No. 3 of "Requirements for Missionary Candidates."

Resolved,—That we accept the proposition of Dr. Hart that we meet the expenses incurred in connection with carrying on women's medical work in Chentu, but that after this year we will not be responsible for Mrs. Kilborn's salary.

Resolved,—That the Executive be authorized to send to China, during the year, a medical missionary, a nurse and a teacher.

Resolved,-That Miss Ford be sent to China as soon as practica-

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ble. [Miss Ford sailed from Vancouver for China on December 10th.]

Resolved,—That \$1,500 (in addition to the appropriation) be at the disposal of the Executive for buildings in China, if required.

The report of the Committee on Indian Affairs, presented by Mrs. Burns, was adopted. It recommended:

That the British Columbia Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society petition the Provincial Government to urge the Dominion Government to provide for Indian women legal protection from the demoralizing treatment to which they are subjected.

That the British Columbia Branch procure from the Conference authorities their written approval of the opening of new Indian homes at certain places, that the Committee may petition the Dominion Government for an appropriation for building and maintenance.

That the British Columbia Branch petition the Provincial Government for a grant towards the support of the Chinese Home in Victoria

That no children having contagious diseases, or those with impaired intellects, be admitted into homes receiving aid from this Society.

That when the Indian parents are able to pay towards the education of their children they be required to do so.

Instead of having the usual committees appointed, it was decided to do all the committee work, except that of the Candidates Committee, as last year, in a business session of the whole. Memorials and communications were presented, and the following resolutions were carried :

That a larger space be asked for in the *Guardian*, and that it be used to give missionary information instead of *long* auxiliary reports.

That the names of auxiliary members be printed in the annual report, and that the price of the report be 10 cents.

That the list of auxiliaries be printed in districts and the statistical tables in alphabetical order.

That no change be made in the date of closing the financial year.

That auxiliary members' names be counted where they have lived the greater part of the year, and where they have paid their fees.

That the price of *The Palm Branch* be 10 cents a copy in clubs of ten; single copies, 15 cents.

That the Literature and Publication Committee issue postal cards for Mission Band quarterly and annual reports, similar to those in use in the Western Branch.

That the Scattered Helpers' Scheme be more faithfully worked.

That the basis of representation for Mission Bands at the Branch Annual Meetings be made broader. the tior

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vorked. e Branch That a Committee be appointed to confer with the Executive of the Young People's Association, and formulate a basis of representation to meet the requirements of Bands and Leagues.

That Dr. Bolton's request for an assistant nurse for the Port Simpson Hospital be granted, the nurse to be chosen by Dr. Bolton and the Executive Committee. [Miss Emily Laurence, of Victoria, B.C., has been engaged as assistant nurse.]

That the Committee on Indian Affairs consider the establishing of new homes for Indian children in British Columbia and report to the Executive, and that the Executive make the necessary appropriation.

The Council in Japan recommended :

1. That as they have not been able to open work in Nagano there be no appropriation for that place. This was accepted.

2. That owing to the favorable rate of exchange the salaries of the missionaries be correspondingly lowered. This was not approved, the rate of exchange being variable.

The work in Japan received much careful consideration, the final decision being to leave the matter in the hands of a Special Committee to meet with a Committee from the General Society and look fully into all phases of the work.

The Executive was authorized to send a teacher of vocal music to Japan during the year.

The Committee on Candidates—viz., the officers of the Society and Mesdames Dixon, Fowler, Gayfer, Phelps, Jackson, Briggs, Ogden, Langford, Platt, T. G. Williams, Hughes, Bigelow, J. W. Smith, Whiston, Bolton, and Misses Wiswall, Smith and Stewart—had considered the application of two ladies, but did not recommend their acceptance.

.The form of health certificate for missionaries prepared by Dr. Eccles, of London, was accepted. Dr. Eccles recommended that a medical referee be appointed, to whom the certificates shall be sent for final decision.

It was decided that Miss Caldwell should remain at Port Simpson. The Executive was authorized to provide for any more children that may be admitted to the Port Simpson Home during the year.

A letter was received from the Secretary of the National Council of Women inviting the Society to affiliate with the Council. After some discussion, it was decided not to affiliate with the Council. The following resolution was carried:

"While it is not deemed expedient for the Woman's Missionary Society to affiliate with the National Council of the Women of Canada, yet, as a part of the Christian womanhood of our Dominion, we express our appreciation of Lady Aberdeen's true womanly influence, and that the wife of our Governor-General so beautifully exemplifies Tennyson's words, 'Kind hearts are more than coronets.'"

A letter was received from Mrs. E. T. Pritchard, of the National W. C. T. U., urging the formation of a department of "Systematic Giving." Owing to lack of time for its consideration no action was taken.

A by-law was adopted providing that the funds of the Society shall always be deposited in a chartered bank. (See By-law No. 10.)

Before the election of officers for the ensuing year, a few moments were spent in silent prayer, after which the meeting was led in prayer by Mrs. J. A. Williams, and the election was proceeded with by ballot, resulting in the re-election of the former officers, viz.:

President,	-	-	Mrs. James Gooderham, Toronto.
Vice President,	-	-	Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, Belleville.
Recording Secret	tary,	-	Mrs. (Dr.) J. B. Willmott, Toronto.
Corresponding S	0.		Mrs. E. S. Strachan, Hamilton.
Treasurer,	-	-	Mrs. T. Thompson, Toronto.

Editors of W. M. S. departments: *Outlook*, Mrs. S. R. Wright, London; *Wesleyan*, Mrs. Whiston, Halifax; *Guardian*, Miss Firstbrook, Toronto; *The Palm Branch*, Miss Smith, St. John, N.B.; Correspondent for *Onward*, Miss Wiswall, South Farmington, N.S.

The following committees were appointed :

Annual Report—Mesdames Strachan, Briggs, Thompson and Willmott—3,000 to be printed.

Supply-Mesdames J. A. Williams, Briggs, U. Ogden and Willmott.

Indian Work-Mesdames Burns, Sutherland and Cunningham.

Literature and Publication—Hamilton Conference Branch, Miss McCallum; London, Mrs. Langford; Toronto, Miss Ogden; Bay of Quinte, Miss Firstbrook. Eastern—Mrs. Croft. Nova Scotia—Mrs. Bascom. New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island—Mrs. McKay. British Columbia—Mrs. Hamilton. Separate Auxiliaries—Mrs. Willmott.

To receive and dispose of Embroidery from Japan-Mesdames U. Ogden, J. J. Maclaren, G. Kerr, Toronto.

For consultation with Executive of General Society re Coqualeetza Institute—The President and Corresponding Secretary, and the Presidents of the Hamilton, London, Toronto and Bay of Quinte Conference Branches.

For consultation with a Committee from the General Society re Japan Mission—Mesdames Gooderham, President; Strachan, Corresponding Secretary; Carman, Burns, McKay, Dixon and Langford.

To confer with the Executive of the Young People's Association re representation of Bands and Leagues at the Branch Annual Meetings—Mesdames S. R. Wright, B. D. Daley, G. Jackson, Bascom and Miss Sutcliffe.

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Treasurers in the mission fields were appointed as follows : Japan-Mrs. Large.

Port Simpson-Mrs. Redner.

Chinese Home—Mrs. Morrow.

French Work-Mrs. Torrance.

China-Miss Brackbill.

Mr. G. P. McKay was appointed Auditor, and thanked for his services in this capacity last year.

Miss Marcella Wilkes was requested to act as Auditor for the Literature and Publication Department.

Notices of motion:

Whereas, through overwork or change of climate, our missionaries are liable to become permanently laid aside,

Resolved,—That a Superannuation Fund be formed for their benefit, the plan suggested being that one cent per month be contributed by members of Auxiliaries. (This will be brought before the Auxiliaries.)

That By-law No. 10 be changed to allow only one delegate to be sent from each Auxiliary to the Branch Annual Meeting.

That Article 5 of Constitution be changed to read: "Delegates from each Branch in the proportion of one to every six hundred members," etc.

That where there are two Bands, neither having a large enough membership to be entitled to send a delegate to Branch meeting, they be allowed to unitedly send one delegate.

The thanks of the Board were tendered to the pastor, trustees and choir of the Church, for their assistance so kindly and cheerfully given; to Miss Kerr, for her faithfulness in attending to postal matter; but, above all, to the kind hostesses who spared no pains to make their guests enjoy their visit to hospitable Cobourg.

The Committee on Courtesies presented the following greeting to our missionaries :

### To the Thirty-two Missionaries of the W. M. S. "which are scattered abroad, greeting":

We, the members of the Board of Managers, desire to express our high appreciation of your "labors more abundant" on the mission field. We have watched with intense interest every step of your way, noting the nobility of action displayed, the self-denying devotion manifested and the heroic courage shown by you in overcoming difficulties to human eye insurmountable. But thanks be unto God, which hath given you the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. We extend to you our heartfelt sympathy in the severing of every home tie and in the complete isolation from the old life in the dear home land, which was so replete with sanctuary privileges and early friendships, and in entering upon this new life, with its many

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privations, its arduous toil and its intense longings; but we call to your remembrance that

"He who hath never a conflict hath never a victor's palm,

And only the toilers know the sweetness of rest and calm."

As we sympathize with you in your daily conflicts and trials, so we rejoice with you in every triumph and success, and we assure you that our earnest prayers will continue to ascend to our Father, and your Father, that His benediction and richest blessing may follow you in your work of faith and labor of love.

Finally, beloved workers, we greet you with this salutation and prayer:

" The Lord bless thee and keep thee;

The Lord make His face to shine upon thee and be gracious unto thee; The Lord lift up His countenance upon thee and give thee peace."

On Tuesday evening the ladies of the two Cobourg Auxiliaries tendered a reception and tea to the delegates, after which a public meeting was held—the pastor, Rev. T. W. Jolliffe, B.C.L., presiding. An address of welcome was given by Miss Brooking, and responded to by Mrs. (Dr.) Bolton, of Port Simpson. Greetings from the Presbyterian Woman's Foreign Missionary Society were presented by Mrs. McMachton. The report of the Corresponding Secretary was read by Mrs. Strachan, and addresses, replete with interesting information, were given by Misses Hargrave, Blackmore and Nellie Hart, our missionaries recently returned from Japan.

On Thursday evening the prayer-meeting of the King Street Church was withdrawn that the members of that church might join with those of the Division Street Church in the Thanksgiving and Memorial Service of the Board, which was led by Mrs. Whiston. A tender and loving tribute to the memory of our departed sister, Miss Hannah Lund, was read by Mrs. Jackson, of Caledonia, and an hour was profitably spent in testimony and consecration.

The motto for the year was not changed. Read Mal. iii. 10; Matt. ix. 37, 38.

Invitations for next annual meeting are to be sent to the Executive.

The following are the appropriations :

#### JAPAN.

#### GENERAL.

Travelling and jinrikisha	\$1	100 00	
Postage and stationery		40 00	1
Books and incidentals		10 00	
Furnishing allowance		100 00	
Salary of Secretary-Treasurer	(	600 00	
Registration		25 00	
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Printing and advertising	50 00	)-
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Insurance	60 00	
Mrs. Perry's salary	300 00	
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Incidentals	50 00	
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Support of students	175 00	
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Salary of missionary	\$600 00	
Teacher and interpreter	75 00	
Bible-women's salaries	100 00	
Jinrikisha, postage and stationery	75 00	
Books, papers and tracts	20 00	
Incidentals	10 00	
		\$880 00

### KANAZAWA.

Salaries of missionaries (2) \$1,200	00		
Teacher and interpreter 125	00		
Bible-women 120	00		
Jinrikisha, postage and stationery	00		
Books, papers and tracts	00		
Incidentals	00		
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Teachers of charity schools	00		
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Salaries of missionaries (4) at home on furlough \$1,200	00 (		
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### ELIZA S. LARGE,

Cor. Sec. and Treas. of the W. M. S. Council in Japan.

### CHINA.

Salary of Mrs. Kilborn, M.D.	\$300 00
" Miss Brackbill	500 00
Teacher of Chinese	60 00
Native assistant	50 60
Gateman	20 00
Furniture of day school and salary of native teacher	100 00
Organ	75 00
Furniture for hospital	50 00
Drugs	200 00
Rent and incidentals	400 00
Land and building	2,000 00
Miss Ford's travelling expenses	300 00
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### FRENCH WORK.

Day schools, Bible-women,	etc	\$3,264 1,820	00 00	

It was resolved that the Board should pay one-half of the running expenses of the French Institute, and of the boarding account in proportion to the number of girls in the Institute. \$5,084 00

Port Simpson, B.C. : INDIAN WORK.		
Salary of Mrs. Redner '' Miss Beavis	\$450 00 350 00	
Support of Home	$\begin{array}{c} 350 & 00 \\ 1,500 & 00 \\ 100 & 00 \end{array}$	
Salary of Miss Spence " Assistant	\$400 00 200 00	2,750 00
McDougall Orphanage		$ \begin{array}{r} 600 & 00 \\ 367 & 50 \end{array} $

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Appropriations for Coqualeetza Home to be made by the Executive in proportion to the number of girls in the Home.

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Salary of Mrs. Morrow	\$400	00	
Support of Home	400	00	
Water rates etc	500	00	
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## PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

DEARLY-BELOVED SISTERS,—There is much cause for gratitude and praise to God for His goodness to us through the labors of another year. The prosperity which has attended the efforts made in the various departments has been remarkable, and should be an inspiration to faith and hope as well as an incentive to greater fidelity for the future in the interests of this Society.

> "Not to our names, thou only just and true, Not to our worthless names is glory due; Thy power and grace, thy truth and justice claim Immortal honors to thy sovereign name."

The past year has not been free from anxieties and perplexities; these seem to be the common lot of societies as well as individuals. "Now no chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous, but grievous, nevertheless afterward it yieldeth the peaceable fruits of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby."

For the first time we have the sad duty to perform of recording the departure of one of our beloved missionaries. Early in March last, Miss Hannah Lund, after five years of faithful service in the foreign field and more than one year at home on furlough, fell asleep in Jesus. She was highly esteemed and loved for her own and for her work's sake, and was a successful missionary. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, for they rest from their labors and their works do follow them." But we shall hear further of the labors of our departed friend at the memorial service.

Miss Dingman, who had been appointed to Port Simpson, suddenly entered into rest before the intelligence of her appointment had reached her. These deaths were unexpected, and lead us to inquire who will accept the challenge which these removals throw down—who will fill up the ranks in the place of those who are gone?

There is good reason for believing that the subject of Christian missions is occupying the attention of the Church more and more every year. A deeper and more abiding sense of personal responsibility is perceptible, and the obligation to maintain and extend the missionary enterprise is more generally acknowledged. The necessity for increased spiritual power at home and on the mission fields is also realized. "Not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts." Possibly we are in danger of fixing a higher standard for Christian living for those on the mission fields than we do for ourselves at home, where the conditions for maintaining spiritual life are more favorable because of our Christian civilization,

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Christian ordinances, public and social means of grace, and the manifold environments of Christian homes and institutions. Foreign missionaries especially are exposed to numerous and subtle forms of temptation, occupied with the temporalities of mission work, eager, almost impatient to begin real mission work, and speak to the people in their own tongue "the wonderful works of God;" they find themselves confronted by such barriers as false faiths, hostile and hoary with age, as well as the depressing influences of superstition and idolatry. I listened to the testimony of many experienced missionaries at the last Student-Volunteer Convention in support of this statement. Dr. Hudson Taylor and others confessed that they were never in such peril of losing their hold on spiritual verities as when they were on the mission field. This information made a deep impression on my mind and led me to the conclusion that the request coming from our missionaries, "pray for us," has greater significance than we are apt to attach to it, and deserves more than a passing

A wide door of usefulness is open to the Christian women of this generation. Not a few have recognized the truth that "we are created anew in Christ Jesus unto good works, that we should walk in them;" but some are "at ease in Zion," others limit their activities to local church and benevolent enterprises, and stand aloof from our Woman's Missionary Society. The command, "Go, teach all nations," finds little response in their hearts. Whatever causes this indifference, we are concerned to have all the prejudices and stumbling-blocks removed out of the way, so that all may participate in the endeavor to send the Gospel into "the regions beyond." Something has been accomplished by circulating missionary facts, and a little has been undertaken preparatory to the establishing of Missionary Lending Libraries, believing that many would contribute to such an object as would help to arouse the slumbering members of the Church to a sense of the spiritual destitution of the majority of the human race.

Medical missionaries, especially women, will be in greater demand as the need is realized. The appeals from Mrs. Isabella Bird Bishop, after four years in Asia, where she witnessed the sorrows, seclusion, superstition and ignorance of the women, will not be in vain. The terrible facts published in *Murdered Millions* cannot pass unheeded. So long as the average in heathen lands is one skilled physician to three millions of people, so long the Saviour's words must have some bearing upon their case : "I was sick, and ye visited me not." Young persons having no definite purpose in life may well inquire, Does not the path of duty point in this direction ? And is there not a voice speaking to the missionary societies of this day, "Go not only to those who need you, but to those who need you most."

### PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The war in the Orient will probably be the means of throwing the doors open wider to Western civilization. Will the Church prove herself equal to her opportunity and send the heralds of the Cross in as large numbers as the need demands, so that the advance of the kingdom of Christ will be more rapid than hitherto? In the words and spirit of Carey, "Expect great things from God, and attempt great things for God."

The excellent report of our work, prepared and read by the Corresponding Secretary at the General Conference, was called for at an early hour in the morning before all the members had taken their seats, and when very few visitors were present. The Conference ordered the report to be sent to the Committee on Missions, and it was recommended to be published in the General Conference Journal.

A good deal of anxiety was expressed by some persons lest the legislation of the General Conference would affect the freedom of the Woman's Missionary Society on some lines of work; the liberty of our Society was not restricted, but wise measures were adopted to conserve the resources of the Church, and prevent the waste resulting from divided interests. Kindly reference was made by members of the Conference to the excellency of the methods in use by the Woman's Missionary Society. Special allusion was made to the prominence given to prayer in the monthly meetings, the circulation of missionary literature, and the training of the young in missionary zeal and enthusiasm, as the best means of providing for a Missionary Church in the future. I embrace this opportunity to acknowledge the graceful references to our distinctive methods of work, and to express the hope that the action of the Conference in ordering the appointment of a Missionary Lord's Day and a monthly prayer service for missions will result in showers of spiritual blessings and liberal gifts for the extension of the Redeemer's kingdom. May the spirit of prayer be given to the Church for the laborers necessary to cultivate the fields and "gather in the sheaves," in obedience to the Divine command !

> "O fill thy Church with faith and power! Bid the long night of weeping cease; To groaning nations haste the hour Of life and freedom, light and peace."

We welcome to-day, to the privileges and responsibilities of this Board meeting, a delegate from our most distant Branch. Mrs. Bolton is not only a delegate from the British Columbia Branch, but she is also the wife of a medical missionary to the Indians in that Province, and she can tell us something concerning the mission field as well as of the work of the Branch.

We have several members of the Japan Mission with us. The names of the Misses Nellie and Lizzie Hart, the Misses Hargrave and Blackmore, have been household words for five years, while they have reca whe ever Miss corresum coun visite and p pateo he th givet

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as. The largrave hile they have been laboring in the foreign field. It is not difficult for me to recall the circumstances of my last interview with these missionaries, when I bade them farewell on the mountains in Karaigana. If I ever entertained sentimental dreamings of the romance of Foreign Missions they received a great shock, and they were effectually corrected and forever dissipated by my experiences to and from that summer resort. "Iron sharpeneth iron, so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend." May we not hope that the delegate and visitors from the mission fields will derive all the inspiration, pleasure and profit from this gathering of Christian women which they anticipated. "We are laborers together with God." "So then, neither is he that planteth anything, neither He that watereth; but God that

Our duty is to stand at the post where He has stationed us. If we become discouraged, is it not because we trusted in human power rather than in God's omnipotence? Temptations of a peculiar form assail the active Christian worker, and we must needs feed upon Christ as well as abide in Him, or we will suffer loss.

Let us "walk worthy of the vocation wherewith we are called, with all lowliness and meekness, with long-suffering, forbearing one another in love, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace."

> "Go, labor on, 'tis not for naught, Thy earthly loss is heavenly gain ; Men heed thee, love thee, praise thee not; The Master praises; What are men?"

S. K. GOODERHAM.

## THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

Another year, with its planning and working, its praying and trusting, its receiving and bestowing, having its anxieties and encouragements, but, above all, its abounding reasons for thanksgiving, brings us to our thirteenth anniversary.

Humility and adoration become us as we review what God has wrought through our feeble efforts.

In spite of prevailing depression, we are permitted to record advance, both in numbers and income, and we hope this has now become an established custom, never to be reversed.

As the women of our Church awaken more fully to their grand opportunities and responsibilities in regard to their heathen sisters, they will surely hasten to unite their efforts in bringing them to Jesus for His healing, saving touch.

Detailed reports from each of our fields will be presented, so that a mere outline need now be given.

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### JAPAN.

In Japan there has been continued, steady, faithful seed sowing and cultivation; some precious fruit has also been gathered, souls having been converted and received into the Church. A very marked feature has been the training and development of Japanese Christian workers, several of whom are giving grand service, not only as assistants or interpreters, but as personally responsible for the conducting of meetings, visiting the sick and in other ways of usefulness. A native pastor remarked, "I do not know how it is done, but you ladies have the faculty of turning out fine workers." We rejoice very much in this that success has crowned these faithful efforts to produce *character* such as shall be true, reliable and helpful when no eye is watching and instructors are far away.

Our indefatigable missionaries, watching the openings of Providence, have been permitted in many places to open little Sunday Schools among neglected children, leading, in some cases, to meetings for the mothers, thus adding to the membership of the Church.

Orphanages also, in a humble way and at small expense, have been opened during the year in Tokyo and Kanazawa, giving shelter and instruction to twenty-two needy ones.

The three boarding schools in Tokyo, Shizuoka and Kofu continue in efficiency, and with slightly-increased numbers. More than two-thirds of the pupils are Christians, enjoying the class and prayer-meeting, also the Bible lessons, from which they gather truth to distribute to others.

Many of them are also banded together as King's Daughters, who support a school for poor children in Tokyo, the average attendance of which is forty-two, and who give a certain time each day in special work for others less favored than themselves.

Not only are they showing charity at home, but one tenth of their scanty earnings and savings are contributed towards sending the Gospel to distant West China.

In Kanazawa we have two day schools for poor children and one small orphanage. Industrial classes have also been formed, in order to reach a very desirable and needy class. Continuance in this line of work may depend largely on the practical support given it in Canada.

In addition to the work of the schools, there is that more especially (though not more truly) called *evangelistic*—the instruction of the women in meetings, either in the churches or in private houses, the visits made by the missionaries or by the Bible-women, of whom there are twelve. Besides these there are several well-trained assistants, graduates from the school in Tokyo, who are now grandly and joyously giving out what they have received, twenty workers going out each Sunday from the Azabu School alone and reaching two hun onl bei do

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hundred women and children. During the past summer's vacation only two of the supported girls remained in the school, the others being sent with schoolmates to the different villages and towns to do evangelistic work among the women and children.

In temperance lines, also, influences have been set in motion which already have had very encouraging results.

Four of our missionaries from Japan (Misses Hargrave, N. G. Hart, L. Hart and Blackmore) have this year returned on furlough, which was well merited and greatly needed.

Misses Munro and Preston have gone back to their loved work, accompanied by Miss Belton and Miss Lambly, who are just entering upon their life in a foreign field.

In connection with Japan we have the sad duty of recording the death of Miss Hannah Lund, of Woodstock, Ontario, the first one of our loved missionaries called home to her reward. After five years of earnest, faithful and successful labor among the women of Tokyo, she returned to Canada for rest and recuperation; but it was said to her, "It is enough, come up higher," and leaving her testimony of conscious, blissful abiding in Christ, she has gone to be "forever with the Lord."

### FRENCH.

Seventy-nine pupils have been registered in the French Institute, Montreal, of whom thirty-two were girls. Of the total, twenty five were from Roman Catholic homes.

Advance in studies, improvement in deportment and spiritual growth are the glad record. Several conversions took place during the session, and much good is being accomplished through the faithful labors of the professors and teachers.

Two day schools have been carried on in Montreal for very poor children, sometimes amidst great difficulty and discouragement, yet it is believed much good has resulted, and also from the visits of two Bible-women. Financial aid has been given to two schools in the country.

### INDIAN WORK.

In our Home at Port Simpson, B.C., there are about thirty Indian girls who are progressing in their studies, and many of them giving evidence of their faith in the Lord Jesus. Some have been removed during the year owing to the opening of a school in the neighborhood of their homes; one has been married and two have been called away, we trust, to the better land.

In Dr. Bolton's Hospital, Miss Spence has given valuable and exhausting service in the care of the sick.

At Chilliwhack, on the Fraser, the event of the year was the taking possession on February 9th of the new and commodious Institute, erected and maintained jointly by the General Missionary Society and the Woman's Missionary Society. Seventy-three children are now in residence, with a prospect of more being admitted.

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There is but little to chronicle during the year in this field except "patient continuance in well-doing," with considerable affliction in the case of one or two in the Home; but the grace of God has been found sufficient both by teachers and pupils.

There are now eleven in the Home. The seed cast "upon the waters" in the visits made through Chinatown will, no doubt, be found "after many days."

It is very gratifying to record the entrance upon District Missionary work of one who for some years has had the shelter and culture of the Home. Having married Chue Tong Tom, Gertie and her husband have been sent by the parent society to Nanaimo, where they are striving to lead their countrymen to the Saviour of the world.

#### CHINA.

Our two representatives to West China, after a tedious river journey of over five months, during which they were shipwrecked, suffering considerable loss and discomfort, reached the city of Chentu early in March, and received a most hearty welcome from the missionaries of our Church already stationed there.

Their time has been spent principally in study and preparation for future work.

Meantime our Medical Missionary, Dr. Gifford, has married Dr. Kilborn.

Although a Hospital is not yet provided, an estimable young woman has been secured, well trained as a nurse, who is only waiting a safe and suitable opportunity of proceeding.

#### NEWFOUNDLAND.

A grant from this Society to the Methodist Orphanage, St. John's, Newfoundland, has been very cordially acknowledged by its Directors and assurances given of the substantial good accomplished by this Institution.

### SUPPLY COMMITTEE.

In addition to the more direct work of spreading the Gospel, our Society, through its Supply Committee, has ministered to the material comfort of numerous needy ones in our Domestic and Indian missions, distributing goods to the value of \$3,000, thus gladdening the heart of missionaries and their flocks in many lonely stations of our own land.

The Literature and Publication Committee has done much to arouse and maintain the interest of our members, issuing thousands of leaflets and publishing each month letters from our missionaries, thus beha

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thus keeping us in close touch with them, and stimulating prayer in behalf of the various needs arising.

Our Auxiliaries have done much towards increasing the circulation of *The Missionary Outlook*, a good portion of which has been allotted to the use of our Society. Both departments in this periodical furnish desirable information that our people may be intelligent as to the work of the General Society and the Woman's Missionary Society, the one being incomplete without the other.

The missionaries representing us now number thirty-two. Of these sixteen a e stationed in Japan (five of whom are in Canada on furlough), seven are in the Indian work in British Columbia, two among the Chinese in British Columbia, five among the French in Montreal and two in China.

A summary merely has been given of the operations of this Society. Details occasionally reach us of lives more or less remote from our pupils, who through them hear the truth, perhaps for the first time, and with obedient hearts, seeking to learn more, are led into the blessed experience of the children of God.

We rejoice in the privilege of thus having any part in hastening the day when "all shall know the Lord."

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Feb. 28, 1893	Mrs. R. Gifford Kilborn, M. D. Miss S. Brackbill	66 66 66	Owen Sound, Ont. Ridgeway, Ont. Dresden, Ont.

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### LIST OF MISSIONARIES FORMERLY ENGAGED IN THE WORK OF THE W. M.S.

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PORT SIMPSON, B.C.-Miss Knight, now Mrs. Walker; Miss Sadie Hart, now Mrs. (Rev.) Spencer.

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### OBITUARY.

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Miss Hannah Lund-Mission Field, Tokyo, Japan. Died at Woodstock, Ont., March 18th, 1894.

### IN MEMORIAM.

(Written by MRS. T. W. JACKSON, Caledonia, by request of the Board.)

## MISS HANNAH LUND.

Having received the last communication written by our late beloved missionary, Miss Lund, I wish to add this humble tribute to the memory of one whom to know was to love. Miss Lund was born in the township of East Oxford, and though she had travelled several thousand miles in the interim was laid to rest at Zion Cemetery, within a mile of where she was born. She was converted very early in life, no particular circumstance marking definitely the time or place. She united with the Church at eleven years of age under the ministry of Rev. Shem Blanshard. Our acquaintanceship was formed in 1874 when my husband became pastor of the Oxford Centre Circuit. It was my privilege to be Miss Lund's S. S. teacher for a short time. She was then a bright, clever, thoughtful Christian girl, with an insatiable thirst for education, every opportunity being eagerly seized upon by her for self-improvement, and thus she developed into a beautiful womanhood.

When we learned that she had given herself to our Society for Japan, we could but rejoice and thank our Heavenly Father for the choice which she had made, knowing how eminently she was fitted, both by natural ability and divine grace, to labor for Him to whom her life was fully consecrated. Just here we give an extract from her diary. "Father, take Thou 1888 and help me to consecrate each day, each hour, each minute to Thy service. May I never forget that Thou hast said, 'If any man lack wisdom let him ask of God that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not, and it shall be given him,' and oh, help me to ask in faith, nothing doubting. Father, I commit the year's study to Thy guidance. Help me in the study of it, and may that very study draw me daily nearer to Thee, who hast bought me with a price. Father, help me to let my 'light shine,' and may I never let an opportunity of speaking the 'Word' in season pass by unimproved. Each day may I know that I am only a 'worker together with Him,' and, Father, may it be my greatest joy 'To tell the story, to show the glory, when Christ's saints enter in.' And, Father, help me to pray unceasingly, and may each task be done as unto Thee, not as mere May this year make me a purer, truer, more Christ-like Christian, is my strongest cry. Amen."

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to purify us, and make us clean and fit for His presence when He shall come to us with the "Come up higher! Amen." These are but samples of those passages throughout her entire journal that breathe the true spirit of zeal and consecration. When in the foreign field we read her letters with the deepest interest. The last two years in Japan she was able to speak and sing in the native language. Again and again she said "I thank God for the gift of song; it was such a power for good among them." She was engaged in the evangelistic department, and was "in labors more abundant." Our acquaintanceship was again renewed when the Hamilton District Convention was held in Caledonia one year ago last January. Miss Lund was our guest for several days. Her stay was a benediction, a feast of spiritual things, for she was dwelling in the secret of His presence. We heard from her frequently during the year, and last January we were again privileged with her presence in our Home for two weeks. We shall never forget those weeks while memory lasts; they were seasons of refreshing. She was like a beam of sunshine, a ministering angel, just waiting the bidding of the King. While with us one Sunday evening she addressed a large and appreciative audience, who listened with most intense interest to her helpful and inspiring words. little dreaming it was her last message to them. While speaking her face was illuminated with that holy joy which comes through abiding in Christ; yes, resting in Him whom she loved better than life. Her chief aim was to please the Master and live to win souls for Him. Her last letter told of the peace and joy within. It was full of the "Great Student Missionary Convention," which she had been privileged to attend at Detroit. On Sunday, March 11th, she attended public worship in Woodstock, but during Dr. Briggs' sermon in the morning was compelled to retire through illness. That was the last sermon she ever heard, and which she referred to on her death-bed as proving a source of great comfort. At the Students' Convention much was said about "abiding in Christ." This phrase sank deeply into her heart, so that, when free from delirium, she would whisper, "it's all right; abiding in Christ." She got a new glimpse of the King in His beauty, and the following Sabbath she was not, for He had said, "Faithful servant, well done; enter into my joy and sit down on my throne." Thus has fallen one of our most faithful, successful and consecrated workers; the influence of her holy life we feel, and it will reach into eternity. She is now in the immediate presence of the King, wearing Jesus' starcrown, wondrous bright. Could she speak to us, this would be the message:

> Work, for time is flying; Work with hearts sincere; Work, for souls are dying; Work, for night is near.

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# REPORT OF THE LITERATURE COMMITTEE.

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# REPORT OF THE LITERATURE COMMITTEE.

This Committee has met at Room 20 thirty-eight times. The arrangement of the Monthly Letter from manuscript, sent by Mrs. Strachan, is its first business. One member, Miss McCallum, has prepared the suggested programmes, which we know have been a great boon to President's and Programme Committees.

A Calendar for 1894, prepared by Mrs. Walker, of Glencoe, Western Branch, was published by the Committee, and one thousand copies readily disposed of.

Mrs. Dickson's "Appeal to the Women of the Methodist Church" was, by order of the General Branch, added to the list of free leaflets, and "Christian Giving," which has always been received free, was placed on paid list, because the Committee considered the author had already been sufficiently generous. Our work series has received additions as follows: No. 3, "Our Work in Japan;" No. 4, "Medical Work," by Miss S. E. Smith, with supplement "Dr. Bolton's Medical Work at Port Simpson," written by Mrs. Dickson; No. 5, "Manners and Customs of Port Simpson Indians," by Rev. D. Jennings, of Port Essington, B.C.; "Methods of Work for Circles and Bands," by Mrs. B. Dickson Daly; "Helps Over Hard Places" has been revised by its author, Mrs. McMechan. Hundreds of sample leaflets have been read by the Committee, and nothing is placed on the list without careful consideration.

A new chapter has been added to "Why Are We Protestants?" by its author, Mrs. John Ross, and a second edition issued. "Duties of Auxiliary Officers" has been revised, and Scattered Helpers' Card put in a more attractive form.

Cotton maps of British Columbia, Japan and China, so essential in the study of these countries, may be rented for 25 cents each, the Committee paying postage one way. They must be carefully wrapped up and returned the day after using.

Formerly the Annual Reports were sent out from the Book Room; this year they were mailed from Room 20, effecting a saving

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Palm Branch has been ably edited by Miss S. E. Smith, of St. John, N.B., and printed there, subscriptions passing through Room 20. It has reached a circulation of 1,407 copies.

#### PUBLICATIONS FOR THE YEAR.

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Constitution of the W. M. S	1,000	
Duties of Auxiliary Officers	3,000	
Schedules for Report of Auxiliary	600	
Annual Report Blanks	600	
Ten Reasons Why I Should Belong to W. M. S.	6,000	
Appeal to Women of the Methodist Church	5,000	
Scattered Helpers' Leaflet	4,000	
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Quarterly Post Cards	2,100	
Calendar, 1894	1,000	
Our Work,—No. 3, Japan	500	
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#### **REPORT OF THE SUPPLY COMMITTEE.**

The confidence which we felt and expressed last year in the generosity of our Auxiliaries and Mission Bands was not misplaced. Each year is better than the last, not only in the increasing value of the gifts, but for the greater number who are engaged in this work of love. Words fail to express how helpful these gifts are, and what comfort and cheer is dispensed by them. If we could only see for ourselves the deep gratitude upon the faces of the recipients, we would all feel amply repaid for any act of self-sacrifice or trouble in preparation.

One of our valued workers in writing to your Secretary said: "How nice it is that in our loved work there are so many ways of helping—that even an old lady can serve with her needle and thread, the little child with its pennies, and we, busy housekeepers, with what time and talent we have to spare, and ladies in prominent positions of in cons Mas

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This year we rejoice in the knowledge of the great help we have been able to give to many missionaries' families. It had come to our knowledge that in some homes in the North-West the winter was likely to be a very trying one, because of the scarcity of money and the high prices which prevail in that part of the country, where, for want of a sufficient quantity of bedding, on cold nights, with the thermometer  $30^{\circ}$  below zero, rugs, overcoats and all other clothing were piled upon the beds.

The members of this Committee had visions of the joy and comfort that they could bestow upon the brethren by carefully-prepared cases of goods as Xmas gifts. With that end in view they became active in their canvassing for contributions, with a result which far exceeded their anticipations, and not only filled their hearts with joy, but brought happiness and comfort to homes that otherwise would have suffered for want of such necessaries. Let me tell you of one of the homes which received a magnificent box of presents.

In it there were seven children, just recovered from an attack of measels, all down at once, and the father laid up with a severe attack of la grippe. Everything looked dark to them when a letter from your Secretary arrived asking if a box of supplies would be acceptable; the offer was most thankfully received.

Some days later the children asked if Santa Claus was to visit them y r; the answer was "Yes, but, as he was coming from the E., he might be a little late." To their surprise on the Saturday before Xmas the case was landed at their front door. The windows being frosted, one little girl was peeping out and she espied it, and soon the cry was heard, "Santa had come."

The smaller members of the family expected to see Santa jump out of the box when the coverings were taken off.

The unpacking was postponed until the children had been put to bed. The father and mother cannot tell how thankful they felt when one article after another came out to view. Not one article was out of line with their wants; the case contained the very articles they needed. Things were left untouched till Monday, with the exception of several articles of underclothing so badly needed by two or three of the little ones that on Sunday morning the wants were supplied, and their hearts filled with gratitude to see the dear little ones warmly clad.

The scene on Xmas morning when the children came down could not adequately be described by the writer; beautiful warm clothing for each member of the family, and books and dolls in addition for the children. The mother appreciated the gifts more than anyone, as on her devolves the responsibility of making a little go a long way;

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so you will not wonder that she shed many tears of gratitude over the welcome box sent "in His name" by loving, sympathizing hearts of our dear sisters of the Woman's Missionary Society.

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The Chairman of another District writes: "One cold, blustery day in December we heard the creaking grind of a heavy sleigh as it crushed its way through frozen snow up to the parsonage door. In a few minutes the two cases so kindly sent by the Woman's Missionary Society were in the house. No time was wasted in speculation as to contents, but the lids were pried off and the opening was a constant surprise. Things new and useful in abundance greeted our vision. My wife and I spent most of two days dividing up the varied contents for the ministers, their wives and children, nor were the young men forgotten, and all were made more comfortable and better able to resist the sharp attacks of King Frost. Everything-clothing. books, papers, boots, hats, even the dolls and candies-made somebody glad. My district is large, and the brethren warmly appreciate the kind and ample generosity of the Supply Committee, for such evidences of love warm our hearts as well as our bodies, and we feel that God's hand had not only led us but also led you in the choice of the very things that were needed."

I must not take up more of your time in recounting other instances in which our help seemed to be God-given. Suffice it to say that, in many hearts and homes in the North-West and in Ontario, blessings and prayers have been poured out on the Supply Committee of the Woman's Missionary Society. Nearly 150 Auxiliaries and Mission Bands have aided in this benevolent work during the year, and the aggregate value of the contributions has been nearly \$3,000. The Indian Department has refunded to Auxiliaries the sum of \$19.87, which had been paid on freight to Indian Missions in the North-West.

With renewed confidence in the various branches of our Society we look forward to a happy and busy year.

The following places received gifts of clothing and bedding :

McDOUGALL ORPHANAGE—Received a box of clothing made by members of the Epworth League, Winchester, valued at \$25.00; from Newmarket, goods valued at \$44.50; W. H. Doel, Esq., sent \$10.00; Orphans' Friend, Iowa, \$5.00; parcel of cotton and print, from Hamilton, per Mrs. (Dr.) Rosebrugh; \$18.00 worth of cotton print and hats from P. E. I. Auxiliaries; rag carpet from Dunnville; quilts from Belwood and Holmesville; bale from Waterdown; case from Greenwood Auxiliary, valued at \$37.00; case from Brownsville, valued at \$39.00; Grand Valley and Arthur each sent a box, valued at \$40.00; bedding from Oakville, valued at \$25.00; Dereham Centre, parcel valued at \$14.60; Ebenezer Auxiliary, parcel valued at \$8.00.

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ALDERVILLE-Received a case from Grimsby, valued at \$30.00.

SALTCOATS-Received a box, valued at \$30.00, from Castleton.

Powassan—Cases from Trenton, Lakefield Mission Band, Madoc, worth \$43.00; Bethesda Auxiliary, Playfair Auxiliary, worth \$45.00; Lunenburg and Thorndale.

SUDBURY—Parcel from Belleville, valued at \$10.25; quilts from Peterboro' and Acton, boxes from Dartford and Iroquois, value \$52.00; Hilton, valued at \$31.00.

MOOSE JAW—Barrel and case from Cobourg; case from Hespeler. ONEIDA RESERVE—Cases from Rockwood and Seaforth.

CHRISTIAN ISLAND—Cases and bales from Gananoque, Alliston, Sunderland and Vroomanton, valued at \$25.00; "Cheerful Givers," Uxbridge Mission Band, sent Xmas presents, valued at \$5.00.

SHEHOE LAKE, MANITOBA—Received a case from Walkerton, valued at \$200.00.

NORTH BAY-Case from Granby, value \$30.00.

YEARBY'S, MUSKOKA-Case of clothing and Sunday School literature from Wingham, valued at \$20.00; Mount Pleasant Union Mission Band sent two quilts.

CROSBY HOME—Received small box from Norwich Mission Band for Mary Newton, and box of bedding, valued at \$20.00 from Sidney Auxiliary.

WEBBWOOD-Box of children's clothing from Simcoe; Epworth League, Main Street, Mitchell; small boxes from Highland Creek Mission Band; Rose Hall and Salem Auxiliary, value \$15.00.

THESSALON-Received bales from Dundalk and Huntingdon.

STURGEON FALLS-Bales from Bowmanville and Colborne; quilts from Odessa.

WHITE WHALE LAKE-Received two boxes from Mount Forest.

KIT-A-MAAT—Bales from Vankleek Hill, Petrolia and Orillia, valued at \$38.00; quilts from Moulinette.

NAUGHTON-Bales from Campbellford, Arva and Oshawa.

RAMA MISSION—Box from Cobden, valued at \$26.00; parcel from Sherbourne Street; bale from Huntingdon.

FRENCH MISSION, MONTREAL—Case from Centre Church Auxiliary, Rednersville.

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SAUGEEN—Xmas gifts and clothing from Attwood; St. Mary's Juvenile Mission Band, "Stars of the Morning;" Alliston, the "Jennie Kilbourne" Mission Band; Uxbridge Mission Band, "Cheerful Givers."

C. CROKER—Xmas gifts and clothing from Milverton, valued at \$70.00; Markham, London West Mission Band, Lindsay, value \$25.00; Stratford Mission Band and Junior League.

WALFORD—Quilts from Ivanhoe and Peterboro'; cases from Penville and Cannington Mission Band, valued at \$50.00.

MATTAWA-Cases from St. David's and Holmesville, worth \$40.00.

ST. CLAIR—Received barrel of clothing and bedding from Exeter, valued at \$45.00; cases from Tilsonburg, Salem Auxiliary, valued at \$35.00; Mizpah Mission Circle, London (Wellington Street Church), and Grove Auxiliary, London.

MUNCEY—Cases from Creemore, valued at \$45.00; Alma, worth \$48.00; Brantford, Lindsay, "Excelsior" Band of Cambridge Street Church, worth \$36.00; Littlewood Auxiliary, valued at \$43.00.

Moose Woods Reserve-McCall Street Auxiliary sent case, valued at \$26.00.

FRENCH INSTITUTE—Case from Lambeth; Arva sent nineteen yards new rag carpet, valued at \$10.00; Vanessa sent box bedding and clothing, valued at \$28.00.

MONTREAL E.-Bale of goods from Niagara Falls South Auxiliary.

To Rev. J. Semmens for shipment to Indian Reserves in North-West—Bale of clothing from London South Auxiliary, valued at \$125.00; cases from Brantford, South Woodslee, Aurora, for Nelson House; Thornbury, bale valued at \$156.00; Newmarket, bale for Oxford House, worth \$20.00; Freelton, case worth \$25.00; Markham, case valued at \$50.00.

SAHANATIEN, GIBSON RESERVE-Small box from Oakwood, parcel from Prescott.

CHINESE HOME, VICTORIA, B.C.—A case of cotton, flannel and print, worth \$40.00, from twenty-four Auxiliaries in P. E. I.

TROUT CREEK—Received bales from Dungannon, and Harlem (Carlton Street) Mission Band and Sunday School provided toys and other articles for Xmas tree.

In addition to these, the Committee forwarded to missionaries in the North-West boxes, bales and parcels containing quilts and clothing from Corinth, Raper, Delta, Wellington, Nile, Yonge Street Auxiliary, Metropolitan, Stoney Creek, Newburgh, Napanee, Milton, Dundas, Port Dover, Broadway Tabernacle, Bowmanville, Trinity Church, Euclid Avenue, Cayuga Mission Band, Brampton, total value of which amounted to \$300.00.

Sums of money were received from the following : Mrs. W. W. Ogden, \$2.00; Mrs. J. Price, \$1.00; Mrs. (Dr.) E. Bull, \$5.00; Mrs. (Dr.) U. Ogden, \$2.00; Per Mrs. W. W. Ogden, 50 cents; Broadway Tabernacle, \$12.00. Rosalle M. BRIGGS, Secy. Mi fol Bla and

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# REPORTS FROM MISSIONS.

# THE JAPAN WORK.

The seventh Annual Meeting of the Japan Council of the Woman's Missionary Society was held in Karuizawa, July 10th, 1894. The following members were present: Mrs. Large, Misses N. G. Hart, Blackmore, Robertson, Cartmell, Veazey, Alexander, Cunningham and Crombie.

The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Large. Owing to Miss L. Hart having returned home, her place as Recording Secretary was filled by Miss Robertson.

Reports from the Branches were received as follows :

# TOKYO BRANCH.

School.—The year has been full of encouragement, and we are truly thankful to our Heavenly Father for the rich blessings which have come from His hand.

There have been eight baptisms, the tinsmith and man-servant being two; the latter has shown a marked change in every way since his baptism. In our December report we spoke about the girl whom God wonderfully restored to health; her brother has been baptized and desires to enter the ministry.

The attendance has averaged seventy-three. Two students graduated at Christmas, both of whom are earnest Christians.

Twenty workers go out from the school each Sunday, reaching over 200 women and children.

The Sunday Schools of Azabu District, in charge of our girls, have had an average attendance of ninety-five.

The Wednesday Normal Class has increased in interest and benefit to our workers. They are growing steadily and surely in the wisdom and knowledge of Christ.

The King's Daughters' School has had an average attendance of forty-two. The running expenses are met by the King's Daughters' Society; each member gives fifteen minutes a day to special work, by which she can make money for the society. They have undertaken to support a little girl in the "Orphanage." One-tenth of their earnings is given to the mission work in China; it amounted this year to \$4.75. The love of reading good, pure literature has greatly increased. There are so many who understand English that we have found it very difficult to supply sufficient books. No books are put into their hands without our knowing the contents.

Once a month we have had educationalists from outside to lecture before our Literary Society upon subjects which have helped to broaden and develop the girls.

The receipts received from the Industrial Department are yen 87.66; expenditure, 96.54. With the stock on hand and the work sent to Canada, there will be a profit of about yen 50. Six girls will graduate from this department at the close of this year.

Thirty pupils are being supported in the school, either by the Woman's Missionary Society or private contribution. During the summer vacation, only two of the supported girls will remain in the school, the others being sent with schoolmates to the different villages and towns to do evangelistic work among the women and children. The girls seem so anxious to do all they can to further Christ's kingdom, and our hearts rejoice to know that laborers are being raised up to carry on His work in this land.

Evangelistic.—We began work in September with nine Biblewomen, in April they numbered ten. Miss Cartmell's work has been in Azabu, Ushigomi, Kakigara-cho and Kobiki-cho. Miss L. Hart's in Shitaya, Negishi, Komagomi and Koishikawa.

The Charity School at Shitaya has had an average attendance of twenty-two. Three hundred and twenty-five meetings have been held. The average attendance on week-days has been six women and six children; on Sundays nine and twenty-nine children. Four thousand five hundred and sixty-three visits have been paid; 6,545 people talked with, 365 of whom heard the Word for the first time. Seventeen have requested baptism.

The Monthly Workers' Meeting has been a great help to all. The year has been full of encouragement. The Father has caused His light to shine into some of the dark places, and some souls are nearer the light and more Christ-like because of the year's work.

The Orphanage.—Growth in the children and faithfulness in the matron have given great satisfaction to the Committee. God wonderfully opened our way to work among the soldiers. We feel that this departure from our work for women needs more space than can be allowed here; suffice it to say that, where three months ago there were but three Christians and four total abstainers, there are now two desiring baptism, thirty daily readers of the Bible and about 150 pledged total abstainers.

Another department, that of Refuge for Incurables, has been forced upon us. Two have been cared for; one, the mother of a child in the Orphanage, passed away a few days ago.

#### SHIZUOKA.

School.—During the year thirty-three names have been registered; twenty-five are now in attendance.

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published a little pamphlet, setting forth the interior working and aim of our school; but so changed are the sentiments of the people that a school where no English or Bible lesson is taught is much preferred. Most of our pupils come from Christian homes and receive more or less pecuniary aid, their aim being to prepare themselves for future usefulness. We have only three girls now who have not been baptized.

Two pupils were graduated in Japanese and one in English. The latter's home being in Shizuoka she continues to attend the Saturday morning Bible-class, when all the girls engaged in Sunday School work meet to prepare the lesson. The other returned to the school to continue her English and strengthen her Christian character. Most of our senior girls have been self-supporting, and withdrew from the school after graduation.

The King's Daughters' Circle are really learning the true meaning of the name they bear.

A number of Japanese books have been added to the library. We hope to develop a taste for pure and excellent literature.

The Sunday School has been remarkably well attended, the number being as high as eighty one or two Sundays. Work was also opened among the parents; but during the last few months a change has come, another mission having opened a Sunday School very near, which has lessened our numbers.

*Evangelistic.*—Meetings have been held twice a month at six towns outside of Shizuoka, and lately two new places have been opened. These places have been visited by the Bible-woman. Several new houses have been entered and a few women have asked for baptism. She has asked permission to hold meetings in the homes, and a little band of faithful Christian women have always been ready to accompany her at such times. The women of the neighborhood have been invited in, and some came who heard of Christ for perhaps the first time, and gladly consented to her proposal to visit them in their homes. She has entered homes through calling to enquire about Sunday School children. There have been three baptisms in Shizuoka, and one woman who lives in Kanaya went to Shimada to receive baptism.

The evangelistic worker in charge visited six towns outside of Shizuoka twice a month for some months, until a passport was asked for. She had then to leave outside work to the Japanese and spend her time in work in Shizuoka. She now holds a weekly meeting alternately in two adjoining villages which can be reached by jinrikisha; visits regularly with the Bible-woman, teaches a class of young girls in the church Sunday School, and attends the women's meetings connected with the church. The work in the outside towns is carried on by our Japanese helpers from the Azabu School, the Bible-woman and one of our own senior students.

Three Sunday Schools are carried on by the pupils of the school,

at two of which the attendance has been very good. Probably not less than one thousand children in our Sunday Schools and various towns have received Christian instruction during the past year. The average attendance at the women's meetings has been very good.

Number of meetings held, 80; children's meetings, 49; average attendance at Sunday School, 89; number of visits paid, 1,047; new homes reached, 37; visits to seekers, 33; baptized as a result of Biblewoman's work, 4; candidates for baptism, 7; Bible-woman's meetings, 84.

Everywhere we meet with kindness from the pastors or evangelists in charge, who do what they can to help us. Every Monday evening a workers' meeting is held at our pastor's house, which we attend regularly, giving our reports with the others.

The year's work, in both school and evangelistic departments, has not been all we had hoped or could desire; but despite the "seeming" discouragements and much indifference, it has been a "good" year in many respects. We have realized our Father's presence among us, sustaining us when tried and smoothing the way in times of difficulty. We have tried to do our best; we give the year's work into His hands, and we know it will yield fruit in His own good time.

#### KOFU.

School.—We have thirty-seven enrolled. This year the majority come from Christian homes. Parents are awakening to a sense of duty to their children in this respect, and we feel the increase in our school marks the growth of practical Christianity amongst the Lord's people. Some have come to us from homes where the parents know enough of Christianity to be glad to give the training of their children into the hands of Christians; and others there are who neither know nor care about the religion we teach, but send their daughters to us solely for the advantage of a secular education. Whatever motive brings them to us we hope to see "all" members of Christ's kingdom and to send them out earnest workers in His vineyard.

The older girls are doing work in six little Sunday Schools under our care. The total average attendance at these schools has been 165. Early in June we were obliged to give up work in two schools owing to smallpox in the district. One of the women, hearing this, asked that we open a Sunday School in her house. We did so, and hope that in September we may have enough workers to carry on the seven schools.

Our prayer and class-meetings show that a deeper realization of what it means to be a Christian is growing in the hearts of our girls. We have twenty-four boarders; of these twenty attend class-meeting.

Evangelistic.—This has been a busy, happy year. Throughout the province a general interest in Christianity is manifested, very different

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Two weekly and eleven semi-monthly meetings have been held in Kofu and surrounding villages.

# KANAZAWA.

Our work in Kanazawa has been along the lines of developing the two Industrial Schools so successfully established last year, and in extending our borders by opening an Orphanage to provide home care for destitute children, whose needs the schools were unable to meet. The two regular woman's meetings have been held weekly, the average attendance being about seven, and a third meeting has been opened in the Daijime District in the house where we have our poor school. The attendance has been most encouraging, there being frequently from twelve to twenty women present, and more than that number of children. The average attendance has been forty-two.

Another meeting of a semi-literary character, held twice a month, has been the means of bringing in a few whom the ordinary meetings failed to attract, and two or three of these have become regular attendants at the weekly meetings. These four meetings, with two for children, one of which is held at the Orphanage; our two Sunday Schools, and teaching in the two church Sunday Schools; four Bible lessons each week given at the two poor schools, and the house-tohouse visitation among the mothers of the pupils, have more than filled the time of all our workers, and have, we trust, been the means of much seed-sowing. Of direct fruit there has been a little ingathering, two of our women and three of our children from the Orphanage having received baptism, and several other women indicating their acceptance of Christianity. The marked improvement, also, in the conduct, attendance and cleanliness of the pupils at the schools, and the growing friendly feeling toward Christianity on the part of the mothers, has been a cause of much joy to all. Seven hundred and seventy visits have been made, eighty-one homes being visited, thirtyeight of them for the first time.

In the Daijime School the match-box work is still carried on ; and though the children can earn at most but three sen a day, and many of them less than one-half that amount, yet the numbers have increased from ten to seventeen, all of whom attend night and

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Sunday School. This Sunday School has about fifty enrolled at present, the average attendance being thirty-three. The conversion of the Daijime teacher, who, with his wife and child, was baptized in March, makes us glad with the thought of the harvest to come, this being the first Christian family in that densely-peopled district.

Our Orphanage has been a source of much satisfaction from the first; the improvement in the children has been so very marked, and the influence of the Home upon the neighborhood so helpful. It was opened on December 6th, 1893, with four children. We have now twelve-eight girls and four boys, ranging in age from six to fifteen. Four are without either parents or relatives ; two have both parents living, but the fathers had deserted the families, leaving them in want. The others are the children of widowed mothers, most of whom had made arrangements to sell their daughters, so that in giving them to us they feel that they are making a sacrifice, and we, therefore, had to assume the entire support of the children, which averages a little less than two yen a month for each. The children themselves earn a little towards this by their embroidery work, and as they become more skilful will earn more. When they prove studious and diligent they are sent to school, and we are favored by being in the neighborhood of the Presbyterian mission-school, which gives excellent instruction to day pupils, from the kindergarten upward. Six are now attending school; the others are being taught at home for the present by the matron, who is a woman of good education and well fitted for her position.

A King's Daughters' Society, recently organized among our women, has undertaken the responsibility of clothing a number of the children and also of providing their school fees.

We trust that the coming years may see some of these young girls develop into Christian workers, who will help carry the Gospel message to others of their class. The opposition which met us when first we tried to rescue girls such as these has to a great extent disappeared, and recently we have had applications to take many more than we have room for.

Miss Hargrave, being obliged to leave us in April, left a gap which we felt it would be hard to bridge, but God has been with us; the Japanese helpers have been faithful and earnest, and present strength for present need has been given. The following is Miss Hargrave's report of the work in Kawakami District:

"On returning in September we found, as is often the case, our absence during the summer vacation seemed in one way to have proved a loss. Our pupils were scattered here and there; most of them had taken positions as nurse girls and errand boys. However, by extending our industrial work, the way was opened to reach the older sisters of our former pupils—girls between sixteen and twenty-three years of age—a class we had often longed to reach, but their poverty co th vis

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compelling them to work from early morning till dark every day of the month made it impossible for us to meet them even when we visited the homes.

Here we had to assume the responsibility of disposing of the embroidery work; so we placed the limit of entrance to the Industrial School at twenty, as that number opened all the homes we had time to visit.

We require the girls to rest on Sunday, attend our night school four nights in the week, not to take work from other places, and to attend Sunday School and Monday evening preaching service. We pay them for their work, so that they can afford to rest on Sunday. So far the work has proved very promising; we feel we are getting a hold on the hearts of the girls, and some of the mothers. As they hear more of the truth they have less of that blind hatred which possessed them at first.

It has been a joy to us to see in more ways than one their appreciation of the one rest day, and other advantages the school gives them. Our continuing this work as it is now depends on our being able to dispose of the work they do.

On special occasions where there is an educative element we bring the girls out. Three such have marked the year : our Sunday School Christmas entertainment, the celebration of the Imperial silver wedding, which we made the occasion to present the girls with Bibles and ten sen in elver, and our special Easter Sunday service, when for the first time they witnessed the ceremony of baptism.

At this school we still have the envelope work; ten boys and three mothers have attended. The teacher in charge, Mr. Miyae, has proved very faithful and satisfactory. He is able to take charge of the Bible lesson at the night school, help in the Sunday Schools and has charge of one preaching service."

In looking back we feel there is much to be grateful for. God has indeed owned and blessed our efforts ; already our building has become too small for present requirements. Though the way has not all been sunshine, His grace has been suited to the trials of the hour, and we have realized :

> " Christ leads us through no darker rooms Than He went through before."

Here where we daily, yes hourly, hear the temple-gong, which tells us an immortal soul is bowing before images made with hands, lighting their candles and burning their incense to imaginary gods without number, thus seeking to appease the longings of their hearts, which go out instinctively in worship, we pray often that the God of the harvest may claim His own, those He would have to come as His messengers to tell of the revelation and salvation provided through the life and death of Christ Jesus.

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Mrs. Large, Sec.-Treas.; Miss J. K. Munro, Principal of school; Misses Cartmell, Belton and Lambly. The work of each to be assigned by the Branch. Recommended—that Misses Belton and Lambly be given as much time as possible to study the language.

#### SHIZUOKA.

Miss Robertson, Principal of school; Miss Cunningham, charge of evangelistic work.

#### KOFU.

Miss Preston, Principal of school, and charge of evangelistic work; Miss Alexander, to teach in the school (no language study).

#### KANAZAWA.

Miss Veazey, Secretary, and charge of work; Miss Crombie, evangelistic work—the work to be divided by the Branch.

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Books, papers, tracts, etc.				•	•	47 19	
Charity School, running exp	penses			-	-	2 29	
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Postage and sundries -			-	-	•	1 00	
Buying Bible-women's stole	n ward	robe	-	-	-	12 00	
Furnishings for Bible-women				-		16 00	
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House furnishings	-	-		-	-	9 68	
Clothing and bedding -	•	-			-	13 948	
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Furlough expenses (Miss H	ar	grave)		-	-		331 72	
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Teacher of Kawakami Scho	ol			-	-		89 88	
Fuel, light, repairs, etc. "		-		-	-	-	39 41	
Teacher of Daijime School	-	-					67 64	
Rent, fuel, light, etc. "				-		-	32 19	
Industrial work		-					616 03	
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Three hundred and thirty yens' worth of embroidery has been sent to Canada, for which the cash has not yet been received, but making with the finished work now on hand a net profit of upwards of one hundred yen for the year.

The following committees were appointed: Miss Munro to take Miss L. Hart's place on the Furnishing Committee; Mrs. Large, Misses Robertson and Veazey, Building Committee.

The Japan Council of the Woman's Missionary Society sent greetings to the members of the Woman's Missionary Society in Canada. (Isaiah xxvi. 3, 4.)

The appointment of a Recording Secretary for the year was left in the hands of the Executive.

After singing and prayer and confirmation of the minutes of the closing session, the Seventh Annual Meeting closed.

The usual hour of prayer and praise at the close of the Annual Meeting was this year changed to the Sabbath preceding.

E. S. LARGE, Sec.-Treas.

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# THE FRENCH WORK.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRENCH MISSION SCHOOLS, 1893-94.

With thankfulness for the past and hope for the future, we present our report. The work entrusted to your Committee has been carried on with as much wisdom and care as twenty-two ladies could put into it.

At the East End, where our school has been kept in one house for two years, the French landlord refused to allow us to keep it longer, which made it necessary to remove at the end of April. After several weeks of careful inquiry, it was found impossible to secure a house within any reasonable distance from the church, so the school was removed to the basement of the church, and the teacher (Miss Matthieu) and Bible woman (Madame Morin) had to

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board, while the furniture is stored for future use. The school, however, does not seem to have suffered, for the members are now thirty. Madame Morin retired from the work at the end of the year (school closing June 30th), and our teacher, Miss Matthieu, whom we highly value for her many virtues, good scholarship and sterling Christian character, volunteered to act as Bible-woman during the month of August, opening the school September 1st. The school is still held in the church. We must not permit the name of Madame Morin to pass out of our records without giving our cheerful testimony to her earnest Christian character and eager desire to see sinners converted from error to righteousness.

Our West End school, under the care of Miss Jackson, our former teacher, assisted by Miss Anderson, our veteran Bible-woman, is as flourishing as ever. There are about eighty names now on the roll. A new feature among the smaller children is the introduction of a few of the simpler features of kindergarten work. This was proposed and undertaken by Miss Anderson, whose burden of years does not cool her ardor for the benefit of her class of infants. It is perhaps necessary to explain that Miss Anderson assists in the school by teaching the smallest scholars who are kept only half a day. Why should she trouble herself about the kindergarten ? may be Because it attracts the children and their mothers, and asked. having them there they are taught Bible words and truths while they are young. Many of these are from Roman Catholic families who would not send older children. One discouragement I will mention, in hope that a remedy may be provided. Several clever children belonging to two families have lately been induced to enter a rival institution where they are boarded and taught free. There is no provision for such children at our French Institute, in which it is required that every scholar in the Institute must pay some amount towards expenses, and these children cannot do so; and another reason is that they are under the age admitted, twelve years. The mother of one family is a widow doing day's work. As to results, we cannot expect to trace all, for much of the seed sown will influence the future beyond our knowledge, but one sentence from one of the monthly reports may encourage us : "I can safely say that a few of my pupils are little Protestants at heart, and were it not for their home and Church severance they would gladly join us in faith. Oh, for courage to do right !"

The grants of \$50.00 are still continued to the schools at St. Théodore and St. Faustin. The attendance varies. The largest number at each school is fifteen, and the children are kept out of school, spring and fall, when the farm work requires them; so amid sunshine and cloudy weather the seed is being sown. This is our duty; results are with the Lord of the harvest field.

L. H. MORTON, Convener. S. SHAW, Secretary.

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#### FRENCH METHODIST INSTITUTE.

Our fifth session was closed on the evening of April 26th, 1894, when our spacious chapel was crowded to the doors by friends of the Institute, who had gathered to listen to the report of the winter's work, and witness the distribution of prizes, kindly donated by directors and friends.

There were present representatives from all the mission schools —Sabrevois, Grande Ligne and Pointe aux Trembles, which was very gratifying to us as proof of the strengthening of harmonious relations among these different schools. Roman Catholics are continually asking as an objection to Protestantism: "Why are you divided into so many sects? Some of you must be wrong, so we may as well remain where we are, at least, united under one head."

As we compare the work of one session with that of the preceding one, there seems to be no striking progress nor marked change to chronicle, but in looking back from 1894 to 1889 we realize that we have indeed cause for much encouragement.

There were 114 applications for admission and 79 students in attendance at the Institute in 1894, as compared with 43 in 1889, and this is only one of the changes we may note. The cheerful obedience and strong loyalty of the students of 1894 were in equally marked contrast to the disposition shown by those of 1889.

Our 79 students of the past session were composed of : Indians, 5; Italians, 5; Swede, 1; English, 19, and French, 49. Of these, 25 come from Roman Catholic homes.

We were fortunate in having with us again as headmaster Mr. Alfred Rivard, who was at the Institute during the session of 1890 and 1891. Miss Borlorz, one of the Actonvale students, returned to us as assistant-teacher, and the musical department was continued as before under the direction of Miss Hall and Mr. Marceau.

The lessons in practical dress-cutting, fitting, etc., given weekly at the expense of the Woman's Missionary Society, were very highly appreciated by the girls, and we are glad to be able to state that arrangements have been made for their continuance during the session of 1895-96.

The Committee on Domestic Management has also directed that each of the older girls is to receive a week's lessons in plain cooking, in addition to the usual training given them in the domestic department.

As in former years, we have had voluntary assistance in conducting classes in drawing, hygiene and calisthenics, thus affording the students advantages which would otherwise have been impossible with our limited staff of teachers.

The usual Thanksgiving treat and Christmas tree were provided by the Douglas Mission Band, and were just as thoroughly enjoyed as during past years. a fo des pro wel

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At the beginning of the New Year special services were held for a fortnight, and many of our students gave evidence of their earnest desire to lead changed lives, the reality of which was satisfactorily proved to us in most cases by their conduct in the schoolroom, as well as by their taking part in the prayer-meetings.

Our earnest prayer is that the seed sown may continue to take deeper and firmer root, until the influence radiating from our Institute may be felt throughout the length and breadth of this darkened Province.

ISABEL MASTEN.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY IN ACCOUNT WITH M. W. TORRANCE, TREAS.

Oct. 1st, 1894. DB.		,
To Cost of East End school		
" East End Bible-woman	. 356 28	
Poor of East End	. 240 00	)
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" Grant to St. Faustin	25 00	)
" Cost of Summer school	40 00	
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To Balance due Treasurer, Oct. 1st, 1894		\$67 41
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By Balance on hand. Oct. 1st. 1909		
Cash from General Treasurer, Nov. 17th, 1893 Interest from Savings Bark, Doc. 21th, 1893		\$515 71
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Interest from Savings Bank, Dec. 31st, 1893 Dundas Street School London	22 42	
Dundas Street School, London, per Rev. Dr. Antliff, \$19.01. less 150. January 101. 102. Dr. Antliff,		
\$19.01, less 15c., January 18th, 1894 Cash from General Treasurer, Mar. 20th, 1894	18 86	
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#### THE CHINESE WORK.

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# REPORT OF CHINESE HOME, VICTORIA, B.C.

No.	NAMES OF	GIRLS.	AGES.	TIME SINCE RESCUE.		
NO.		English.	Years.	Years.	Months	
1	Kam Ho	Mary	18	5	6	
2	Don Choy.	Daisy	18	5	5	
3	Loi Ho	Jessie	14	5	2	
4	Yuen Kee	Edith	14	3	10	
5	Ah Kui	Emma	11	3	10	
6	Wong Ah Hor	Martha	17	2	10	
7	Choy Lin	Rose	22	2	5	
8	Sun Hang	Sarah	28	ī	11	
9	Ah Quai	Laura	16	i	7	
10	Yuet Lin	Nellie	6	i	7	
11	Qui Kin		25	Just ar	rived.	

# FINANCIAL REPORT OF CHINESE HOME For Year ending Sept. 30th, 1894.

RECEIPTS.			
From General Treasurer Donation from Mr. Geddes	\$1,622		
" Miss Cartmell, for school prizes	1	50 00	
		\$1,631,05	
EXPENDITURE.			
Salary, Miss Wickett	\$400	00	
" Matron, one year and one month	416	00	
Provisions and sundries	317	45	
Furnishing prior to Mr. Dillon's donation	23	40	
Advanced to pay Gertie's bill at college	69	00	
Repairs	38	55	
School		55	
Fuel and light	129	15	
Scavenger and water rates	30	00	
Deficit last year		21	
Clothing	89	65	
Furnishing on Mr. Dillon's account	32	90	
Balance of furnishing account		90	
" Home maintenance	5	29	
		<b>— \$1,631</b> 05	

There are no new names added to the list of inmates in the Home this year. No doubt this is partly owing to the vigilance exercised last year respecting the importation of Chinese girls to this place; but there are still some in Chinatown that we hope to reach. Tw wh Ho hav Chi enc and fou

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# THE CHINESE WORK.

Two of the number reported last year have since married. Gertie, who is now the wife of Tong Chue Tom, is the firstfruits of this Home to enter into a life of mission work. Her husband and she have been sent to Nanaimo, where there are about five hundred Chinamen and no other mission has yet been begun. Very encouraging accounts come from these young beginners in the work, and their letters express thankfulness for the acceptance they have found among their own people.

There has been one severe case of affliction in the Home during the past year. Mary, one of the older girls, suffered for some time intensely with acute inflammation and granulation of the eyelids. She has undergone three operations, and now that five months have passed she is able to be about with dark glasses, but not to sew or to read for more than a minute or two at a time. I am thankful that she is so far recovered that her sight is spared, and that now all are in a good degree of health and comfort.

Nun Yeo, who came in last September, was baptized with the little girl, Yuet Lin, into the Christian faith last May, and I believe her to be a true convert. She married last June, and so far as I can see is going on well. She still treasures in her memory the verses of Scripture she learned while in the Home.

A girl was brought over on the *Empress of India* a day or twoago under false pretences—that she was to be married on arriving here—instead of which she was taken to a house of ill-fame, altogether against her will. Fortunately for her she belongs to a caste called Seeapp, and the men of this tribe heard of it and got the chief of police to get her out and bring her here. God grant that here she may not only find friends and protection, but the Pearl of great price.

The thanks of the Home are heartily due to Messrs. Hall and Ross for their generous donation of rice; to Dr. Ernest Hall, who has attended Mary so kindly and so long, and others, as well as to our friends in Prince Edward Island, who sent us a box of useful material.

MARY E. MORROW.

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### REPORT OF CROSBY HOME.

# REPORT OF CROSBY HOME, PORT SIMPSON.

NAMES OF CHILDREN.	AGE.	WHEN ADM	IITTED.	LRF	e.
Martha Harris	12		1885		
Ellen Tenas	12		1888		
Katie Tenas	9		1891		
Minnie Offutt	14		1888		
Hannah Edgar	14		1888		
Alice Wells	9		1890		
Sarah Bryant	8		1890		
Martha Russ	13	July		August	1894
Elizabeth Hinksman	6		1891	Burn	
Olive Dilly	17		1888		
Hannah Harris	9		1890		
Dollie Robinson	8		1886		
Lizzie Bradley	15	February	1892		
Maggie Paterson	12	March			
Emily Pollard	9	July		August	1894
Fanny Gosnel	15	"		nuguse	1001
Louisa Gourney	19	August			
Martha Bradley	11	Hugust			
Selina Sampson	9		"		
Matilda McKay	18		1885		
	7	"	1893		
	9	Tala	1893	Amount	1004
Maude Jabson	7	July June	1893	August	1894
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Mary Newton	15		1000	Died May	725, 94
Emma McDonald	13	т."	1892	T 1.	100
Hannah Wasles		January	1893	July	1894
Hannah Wesley	14		"		
Mary Davis	17		"		-
Fanny Wellington	19	November	11	Died Apl	.25, '94
Lucy Ryan.	15	"			
Esther Wesley	15	. "			
Miriam Blake	19	October	1892	August	1894
Jane Poole	8	January	1893		
Maude Barrett	7	н	"		
Sarah Howard	9			July	1894

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# REPORT OF CROSBY HOME.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30, 1894.

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By Salaries of three teachers		
By Salaries of three teachers	00	
Provisions and sundries \$1,150 Fuel and light 1,037	11	
Clothing 243	50	
Freight and wharfage	13	
For work done	85	
School supplies 50	75	
School supplies	38	
Gravel and lumber	21	
Burial expenses	00	
Balance on hand	47	
	- \$3,214	40

As we review the past year we are greatly encouraged. The work has been steadily progressing in each department, and we are pleased to see the spiritual life of the girls deepening day by day; and as we watch them trying to leave off old habits and conform more to the example of Christ, we are led to exclaim, "How wonderful are Thy ways, O Lord!" And even when the angel of Death entered our home and claimed two of our number, we felt that we could rejoice in the midst of affliction, for both girls had given strong evidence of their acceptance with Christ, and our loss, we feel assured, has been gain to them.

We have rejoiced in the conversion of one of our older girls, who has had a long and hard struggle to give up sin. When she first came to the Home, she had never heard the name of Jesus, and asked at close of first day if that Jesus to whom the teacher was talking lived in this Home; but now she assures us that He lives and reigns in her own heart. How often we are reminded that "Jesus is mighty to save!" Special and earnest prayer had been offered for Olive for some time past, as she had repeatedly told us it was no use for her to try to be good, for God never answered her prayers. But now how changed! Again we are led to praise the name of Jesus. May she be kept faithful.

To-day we have taken in a new girl only ten years of age, who speaks English very well, and seems to be a nice, bright child. She

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had been at school in Victoria for a short time, but was so persecuted by the white children that she could not remain there. Her parents seem very anxious about her, as she is the only one living out of eight children; they fear to keep her at home lest she be taken also. We are pleading that she may be spared for a life of usefulness.

We miss the doctor and family very much, especially when sickness comes. Miss Spence is kept very busy during doctor's absence, as there are so many sick in the village, and we also give a good part of our leisure time in visiting among the sick and aged, giving a little assistance wherever we can, and how often while trying to comfort and cheer others our own souls have been blest, and we have obtained fresh strength for the work.

J. REDNER.

#### REPORT OF COQUALEETZA INSTITUTE.

The past year has been one to be marked and remembered in the history of the school at Chilliwhack. The "Coqualeetza Home" has developed into the "Coqualeetza Institute," with a beautiful and commodious building and an attendance of seventy pupils, forty boys and thirty girls.

The staff consists of moral governor, teacher, matron, assistant matron, sewing teacher, and farm and trades instructor.

In the different departments, work has been conducted on similar lines as formerly, and good progress has been made.

The missionary societies have done nobly for us, and though the management has passed into the hands of the General Board we know the Woman's Missionary Society is still interested in us, and contributes largely towards the support of the Institute.

We would not forget to thank the kind friends who have sent us so many useful and pretty articles. Their gifts have been a great help to us, and the Lord will surely reward them for their loving service.

Good health has been the rule. There has been mental development, and we trust the truth we have endeavored to teach has been blessed to the hearts of the pupils.

LAVINIA CLARKE.

### CANADIAN METHODIST MISSION.

KIA-TING, SZI-CHUIN, CHINA,

June 20th, 1894.

Enclosed please find report for receipts and expenditure for West China Mission for year ending June 30th, 1894.

Regarding work done during this year very little can be said, as the greater part of our time has been spent on the language.

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During seven months of the year we were compelled to remain in Shanghai. While there I saw all I could of hospital and dispensary work among the Chinese. During the heat of summer, while many of the mission doctors were away for a change, I did a little medical work, but not much. A part of the summer, for two evenings a week, I taught a class of Japanese young men Bible lessons in English. I found this very interesting work, and pray that some seed may have been sown. Sunday mornings Miss Brackbill and I each had a class of Chinese boys in the American Methodist Sunday School; the lessons were taught in English. It was a difficult matter to teach them, as their knowledge of English was limited, but we did the best we could. Miss Brackbill also saw much of the school work of Shanghai; the insight we both gained into medical and school work will be of great benefit to us in the future. The next five months were spent reaching our destination ; we were able to do considerable study on the way. On reaching Chentu, we decided not to go into work at once, but to spend some more time on the language. We were led to this decision by the advice of not only the older missionaries we met in Chentu, but of many old workers we had met at the coast. However, I saw a few cases, and we also tried to talk to the women on Sunday after

The prospects for a successful work in Chentu are good, both for school and medical; the people are not afraid of us, and the women and children turn out well. If work could also be opened here in Kia-ting, there is every reason to believe that a most successful work could be done. Outside of our mission there is no doctor in this city, and the women go about with much more freedom than in any place away from the coast.

We want more workers. Truly God is with us here. We have been kept in health and preserved in danger, and our hearts are filled with thankfulness.

RETTA KILBORN, M.D.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA IN ACCOUNT WITH RETTA KILBORN FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30TH, 1894.

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March 1-To	Draft King's Daughters (Japan) Draft	\$500 00 6 20		
Sept. 16-	Draft	700 00		
	Draft Cash received for medical services			
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#### EXPENDITURE.

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	Dr. Retta Gifford, salary, one year		
	" " " " in 1894	150 00	
	Hardware for house repairs	30 95	
	Repairs on house	5 00	
	Chinese teacher	44 23	
	Telegram to Chentu from Shanghai	2 78	
	Total travelling expenses, Shanghai to Chentu	229 98	
	Miss Brackbill, for furniture	100 00	
	Furniture for kitchen	52 50	
	Dispensary utensils	] 40	
	Landing drugs	1 03	
	Religious literature and tracts	5 92	
	Blank account books	1 50	
	Three months' rent	14 29	
	Balance	122 87	
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RETTA KILBORN, M.D.

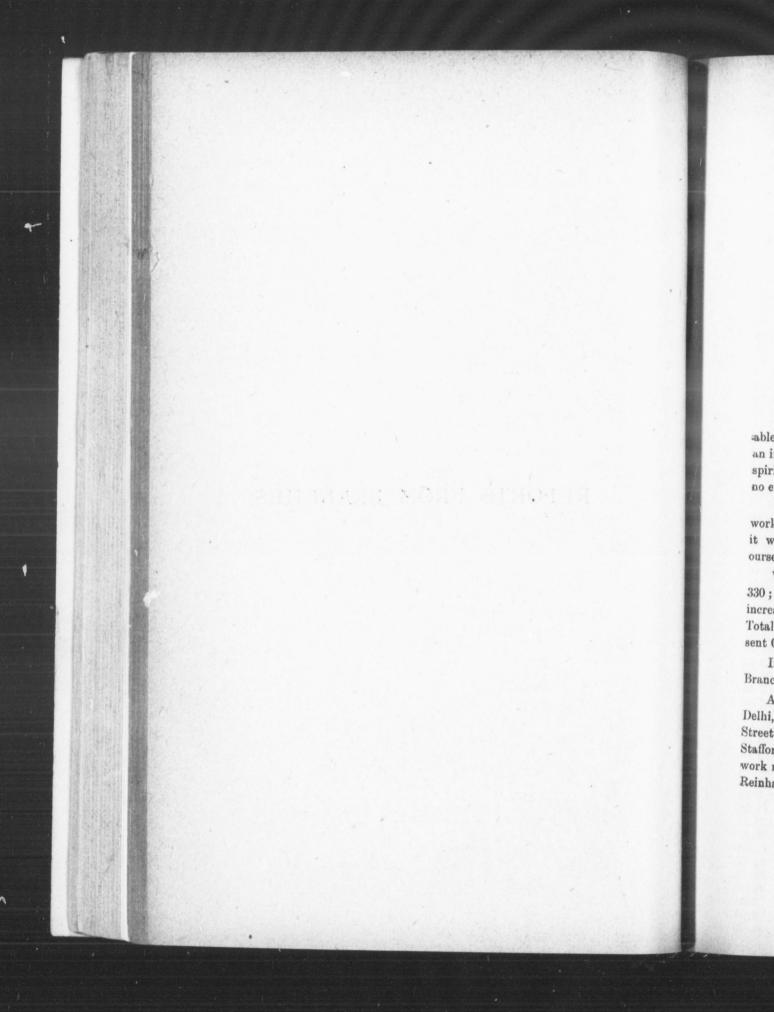
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# REPORTS FROM BRANCHES.



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# WESTERN BRANCH.

# CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S PEPORT, 1893-94.

The Western Branch, in presenting this, its last report, is thankful to be able to say that from the beginning of our work till now each year has brought an increase in membership, in funds raised, in interest in our work and in great spiritual blessing to the workers. We are thankful that this last year has been no exception to this rule.

When at our Branch meeting just held we felt that in the interest of the work the time had come for us to divide, it was done with sincere regret, and it was only because we felt it would be for the best that we at last brought ourselves to do so.

We report 177 Auxiliaries, increase 18; annual members 4,030, increase 330; life-members 240, increase 17; total membership 4,270. Mission Bands 58, increase 8; members 1,895, increase 164. Total raised by Bands, \$2,388.03. Total received by Branch Treasurer from all sources \$11,178.93, increase \$662.72; sent General Treasurer \$10,989.45, increase \$630.29.

In the division the London Branch will have 83 Auxiliaries, the Hamilton Branch 89, while 5 Auxiliaries go to the Toronto Branch.

Auxiliaries have been organized at Brownsville, Chatsworth, Canboro', Delhi, Eastwood, Flesherton, Fairfield, Grand Valley, Hamilton (Hannah Street), Hensall, London (Centennial), Lucan, Mootes, Princeton, Rochester, Staffordville, Thorndale and Woodslee. Some have organized lately, ready for work next year : Claudeboy Nursery, Crediton, Durham, Holland Centre and Reinhart. E. CUNNINGHAM.

#### the Tumber of Annual Members, 1893-94. Tumber of Life-Members, 1893-94. Amount sent to the Branch Treasurer, 1893-94. Total Membership, 1893-94. Attend'ce. AUXILIARIES. Average Number Number Aylmer ..... 34 2 36 14 \$64 94 Arva ..... 29 26 16 16 8 . . 20 8 27 31 20 Acton ..... . . Auburn ..... 9 30 41 15 15 8 25 13 Arthur ..... 13 13 . . Alma ..... 12 12 8 29 30 . . Attercliffe ..... Brantford, Brant Avenue ..... 2 72 . . 62 28 48 5 196 62 Wellington Street ..... 54 7 61 15 138 12 11 37 37 10 86 75 Colborne Street 11 47 15 Sydenham Street ..... 16 16 8 . . Burlington ..... 36 36 10 45 14 . . Brussels ..... 23 23 46 77 . . Burford and Fairfield ..... 21 21 11 77 33 . . 17 17 777 47 03 Beamsville ..... . . 10 19 00 10 Belfountaine..... . . Berlin..... 8 20 55 17 1 18 2 00 Belwood..... ...7 13 13 24 55 Brucefield ..... . . Bartonville ..... 15 15 7 40 00 . . Baker's ..... 10 10 5 27 54 . . 12 7 Bethel ..... 12 33 40 . . Blenheim ..... 22 22 9 61 54 . . 16 16 10 26 00 Burgessville ..... . . 21 21 21 00 Brownsville ..... Clinton, Rattenbury Street ..... 50 4 54 18 144 00 Ontario Street 16 16 8 23 65 . . Chatham ..... 162 19 54 1 55. . Charing Cross ..... 18 1 19 6 63 66 9 33 54 17 17 Carlingford ..... . . 21 7 Carlisle and Kilbride ..... 21 20 00 . . 20 20 11 40 00 Caistorville ..... . . 22 22 30 00 . . 15 15 19 60 Cooper's..... 10 Caledonia ..... 25 1 26 30 69 22 50 Currie's Crossing..... 13 13 . . . . 3 75 Canboro' ..... . . 13 13 6 11 00 Chatsworth ..... . . Dundas ..... 43 8 51 10 130 87 Dungannon ..... 18 18 10 37 45 . . 67 00 Dereham Centre ..... 31 31 10 . . 25 25 32 27 Dunnville ..... 8 . . DeCewsville ..... Delaware Township ..... 7 7 7 13 10 . . 43 25 16 16 10 . . 3 00 Dundalk ..... . . . . . . . . Delhi ..... 6 6 6 6 00

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# STATISTICAL REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH-Continued.

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Viagara Falls	15	i	16	6	27 35
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# TREASURER'S REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH

For Year ending September, 1894.

#### RECEIPTS.

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Total from Auxiliaries and Bands			\$11,102	27
FROM OTHER SOURCES.				
	\$63	13		
Collection at Annual Meeting, 1893		19		
Special collection for badges, etc	-	80		
Net proceeds star badges		67		
Profit on literature		87		
Interest	36			
Balance on hand, 1893	90	12	113	90
			110	00
Total receipts		:	\$11,215	65
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EXPENDITURE.	1 001	~ .		
To General Treasurer, first quarter	\$1,291	54		
" " second "				
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" " fourth "	4,750			
			\$10,989	45
Exchange on drafts, etc	\$11	_		
Expenses of branch meeting, 1893	20	96		
Delegates' expenses to branch meeting, 1893	36	91		
Conference delegate's expenses	5	50		
District organizer's "	30	75		
President—postage and travelling	6	25		
Corresponding Secretary-stationery and printing	24	26		
" mission bands, " etc		32		
Treasurer-postage, stationery, etc		59		
Medical examiner		00		
One thousand receipts, cards and printing		50		
Badges, and printing same		55		
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		1	\$11,168	61
Balance on hand October 1st, 1894			\$47	04
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GALT, October 1st, 1894.	JOBER,	A	autor.	
Amount raised in 1893\$1	10,516	20		
Increase for 1894	662			
SOURCES OF INCOME.				
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Mission Band	2,321			
Public meetings and entertainments	1,236			
Mite boxes	967			
Easter thank-offering	781			
Donations	832			1.1
Scattered Helpers	13			
Other sources	417			
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# TREASURER'S SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT.

(Received since books were audited.)

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Interest	lance on hand	\$47 04	
Collection at annu	al meeting	9 75	
London South Mis	al meeting sion Circle	22 94	
Walkerton Mission	Band	50 00	
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			\$178 66
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Corresponding Secretary 2 22 Programmes for Annual Meeting 4 00	
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Programmes for Annual Meeting	
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Printing Treasurer's Report for Annual Meeting 6 50 6 50	
	\$75 66
Remitted to General Treasurer	
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EMMA E. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

# ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WESTERN BRANCH.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Western Branch of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society convened at the Front Street Methodist Church, Strathroy, at 2.30 o'clock, October 2-Mrs. Burns, St. Thomas, President, in the chair. Mrs. Jackson, of Caledonia, conducted the devotional exercises, after which the 122 delegates answered to the roll-call, together with five

A tender and solemn memorial service was conducted by Mesdames Hardy, Bollert and Scatcherd, each speaking of the deceased members in her own conference. Twenty-five have died during the year.

The session closed with the administration of the communion by the pastor, Rev. Jasper Wilson. All felt this to be a most appropriate service.

The public meeting in the evening was conducted by the ladies, and an interested audience of delegates and friends listened to a thoughtful review of work, aims and methods given by the President, Mrs. Burns.

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An address of welcome was given by Mrs. Wilson, and replied to by Mrs. Garret, of Owen Sound. Miss Hargrave, our returned worker, then told of the Industrial work in Kanazawa, Japan. Her address was full of interest and information.

Greetings were presented in person and by letter from the Presbyterian, Episcopal and Baptist societies. Mrs. Cuyler, who spent several years on the Pacific coast, gave a number of interesting and thrilling incidents in the Indian work.

The second day's session included the reports of Conference organizers and committees. The Conference organizers have done good and faithful work, and their accounts of increase and progress were received with signs of appreciation.

A most interesting conference of workers, led by Mrs. Wright, brought out many useful suggestions as to the management of auxiliaries. The keynote of all success appeared to be prayer. Some touching accounts were given of struggles and victories in the direction where timid women had learned to use their voice in this branch of the Master's service.

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The church was filled with delegates and friends to listen to the work of the young people, in whose hands the principal portion of the programme had been placed. This trust they discharged with fidelity and credit. On the platform the Mission Band of the church were seated, and led the service of song most delightfully.

The Chairman, Rev. Jaspar Wilson, spoke some cheering words with regard to woman's work in the mission fields.

The report of the Branch Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Daly, of London, showed that the Branch had made rapid progress, and that the work of the Woman's Missionary Society among the young people was of a character to command earnest attention.

The prize banner was awarded to Teeswater, and received for them by Mrs. Gillies. The President, Mrs. Burns, spoke a few graceful and kindly words in presenting it, and Mrs. Phelps replied for the Band, explaining the good done by the banner competition. Rev. Mr. Cassidy followed with an address full of praise of the Japanese as a people, and of the work of our ladies among the women and girls. A touching reference was made to Miss H. Lund and her valuable work in that interesting and promising land.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

#### ORGANIZERS' COMMITTEE.

Your Committee recommend :

1. That a correspondence be kept up quarterly or half-yearly between District Organizers and Corresponding Secretary of each Auxiliary.

2. That new Auxiliaries report to the Branch Corresponding Secretary, through their own Corresponding Secretary, immediately upon organization of Auxiliary, and thus open up communication with head-quarters.

3. That the duty of District Organizers to hold District Conventions be emphasized.

4. That District Organizers be responsible, where possible, for the observance of Woman's Missionary Sunday on their Districts.

5. That District Organizers be nominated at Branch Meeting.

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## REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH.

## MISSION BAND COMMITTEE.

1. Your Committee recommend that in each Circle and Band a member be appointed to present the claims of the Palm Branch, believing that the urgent appeal of the editor should be brought before them, and that where there is no delegate from the Circle or Branch the delegate from the Auxiliary be asked to see that an appointment be made.

2. Your Committee, having recognized the need for personal consecration for service, recommend that all Circles and Bands organize for the devotional as well as for the business and literary departments of the work. As a Branch, we discourage the charging of admission fees, and also the giving entertainments which are not of a missionary character and of all costuming at such entertainments.

## MODES OF WORK COMMITTEE.

That Auxiliaries hold more public meetings; that they keep a supply of missionary literature on hand to distribute through the pews; that the programme published in the Monthly Letters be used, and each member encouraged to take part ; that missionary literature be scattered broadcast ; maps recommended for public meetings; and that the W. M. S. request that their representatives at the Annual Conferences be received at an evening meeting instead of the afternoon.

The memorials appear in the report of the General Board.

A memorial from Brantford Auxiliaries, to divide the Western Branch intotwo, was accepted, and the division took place according to the division of the three Conferences decided upon by the General Conference.

We separated from each other with sad hearts, after eleven years of harmonious and affectionate association. It was an occasion of deep feeling when we realized that this was the last meeting of the "Western Branch." A most cordial vote of thanks to the old officers was presented by those going out from us into the Hamilton Branch. It was received with profound emotion.

The election of officers for the two Branches was proceeded with, resulting as follows: For London Branch-Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Burns, St. Thomas; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Fowler, London; 2nd V. Pres., Mrs. Dickson, London; 3rd V. Pres., Mrs. Hadley, Chatham; Rec. Sec., Mrs. McMechan, London; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Cunningham, St. Mary's; Treas., Mrs. M. J. Gardiner, Chatham; Mission Band Cor. Sec., Mrs. F. W. Daly, London; Conference Organizer, Mrs. Bond,

An invitation from St. Thomas to hold the next Branch meeting was accepted. Representative to the Annual Conference-Mrs. McMechan, London.

## DISTRICT ORGANIZERS.

London,						Mrs.	McMechan.
St. Thomas,							
Aylmer,					-	11	Risdon.
Chatham,						**	Treleaven.
Strathroy,					•		McIntyre.
Didachroy,	•	• •	•	-			J. Wilson.
Ridgetown,	•		-	-		"	Scatcherd, Newbury.
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Windsor,						"	Edwards, Point Edward.
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Tidawal	-	•	-	•	•		Chown, Lucan.
Listowel,	•	-		-			Hampton.
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## REPORT OF MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

We have always heard that "a broad outlook is an essential of progress." When we come to consider the outlook of our Woman's Missionary Society, embracing, as God's command to us expresses it, "all the world" and "every creature," we realize that our Society has at least one essential of progress a broad outlook.

There can be no standing still; so a constant forward movement must prevail or a falling behind will result.

The Mission Bands of the Western Branch have worked bravely through the past year, which has not been a season of smooth sailing, for "hard times" and "financial depression" are words that do not belong exclusively to the world of trades and professions. However, some of the apparent obstructions to progress have, we believe, led to a deeper development of the missionary spirit, which is the prime object of our young people, and in this way they have been brought more into touch with the work, its needs and their resultant responsibility.

Fourteen new Bands have reported this year—Cainsville, Christie (West Flamboro'), Dereham Centre, Dunnville (Moote's Appointment), Galt, Grimsby, London West, Mount Zion, Muncey, Macville, Niagara Falls South, Owen Sound, Owen Sound (juvenile) and Palmerston.

In addition to these, eight Bands have reported as organized ready for work this year—Anderson, Copetown, Cheapside, Fargo, London (Colborne St.), Markdale, St. Thomas Central and Strathroy (juvenile.)

Five Bands have dropped out of the work, which lowers the increase.

Total number of Mission Bands 58, an increase of 8; number of Mission Band members 1,895, an increase of 164; amount paid to Auxiliary Treasurer \$2,388.03, an increase of \$234.09.

We submit this report with grateful recognition of the past year's work and in hopeful anticipation of a future of increased usefulness on the part of the young people of our Woman's Missionary Society.

B. DICKSON DALY, Cor. Sec.

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## STATISTICAL REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH, 1893-94.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Members, Sept. 15th, 1894.	Total Sum from Mem- bers' Fees.	Amount paid to Aux- iliaryTreasurerduring year.
Brantford, Brant Avenue	36 44	\$9 00 11 00	\$64 82 17 00 2 00
Chatham	40	10 00	52 21
"Unristie, West Flamboro'	22	5 50	50 00 38 53
Dundas	8	2 00	17 10
*Dereham Centre	14	3 50	7 97
*Dunnville, Moote's Appointment Essex	19	4 75	5 34
Essex Goderich	19	4 75	78 60
Guelph, Dublin Street	21	10 00	50 00
" Norioik Street	27	6 75	15 65
*Galt	121	$\begin{array}{c c} 6 & 75 \\ 30 & 25 \end{array}$	$32 80 \\ 30 25$
Grimsby	25	9 70	<b>9</b> 70
namilton, Centenary	97	20 75	150 00
" First Methodist	40	10 00	225 38
	40	10 00	117 06
Hespeler	8	2 00	34 09
Ingersoll, King Street	25	6 25	26 50
Jarvis	19 30	4 75 7 50	13 12
Jerseyville	11	2 75	8 74 21 38
London, Queen's Avenue	104	34 25	300 00
" Dundas Street	101	25 25	312 18
" South	37	9 25	93 45
* Wellington Street	49	12 25	58 44
Mitchell, Trafalgar Street	41	10 25	24 24
Mount vernon	33	8 25	33 40
Mount Zion	10 80	$\begin{array}{c c} 2 & 50 \\ 20 & 00 \end{array}$	10 00
Muncey	6	150	$\begin{array}{c} 28 & 13 \\ 8 & 00 \end{array}$
macville	9	2 25	6 75
(Donation)			5 00
Maple Grove			8 00
Norwich *Niagara Falls South Oakland	26	6 50	6 50
	8	2 00	2 11
Old Windham	43	10 75	38 75
Owen Sound (Circle)	22 16	5 50 4 00	5 50
" (Band)	20	5 00	4 00 5 00
Port Dover	65	16 25	0 00

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MISSION BANDS.	Number of Members, Sept. 15th, 1894.	Total Sum from Mem- bers' Fees.	Amount Paid to Aux- iliaryTreasurerduring year.
*Palmerston	41	\$10 25	\$12 20
Rockwood	20	5 00	6 70
St. Thomas, First "Gleaners"	39	9 75	55 00
" Grace Church	41	10 25	10 25
St. Mary's (Band)	52	13 00	24 95
St. Catharines, St. Paul's	12	3 25	4 06
Sarnia	28	7 00	21 62
Simcoe	12	3 00	. 16 00
Surathroy	44	15 00	21 05
The Grove	21	5 44	5 44
reeswater	24	6 00	6 00
Insondurg	32	8 00	8 00
erschöyle, Derenam Circuit	15	3 75	8 00
valkerton	20	5 00	5 00
valeriora	18	4 50	4 50
Vilsonville	52	13 00	40 30
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Total	1895	\$491 14	\$2,388 03

# STATISTICAL REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH, 1893-94-Continued.

\*New Band. †The Banner Band sent \$9.46 too late to be entered.

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## REPORT OF HAMILTON BRANCH.

## AUXILIARIES IN LONDON BRANCH.

Aylmer. Arva. Attercliffe. Auburn. Brussels. Brucefield. Bethel. Baker's. Blenheim. Brownsville. Chatham. Charing Cross. Corinth. Clinton, Rattenbury St. **Ontario** St. Carlingford. Cooper's. Dungannon. Delaware Township. Essex. Exeter. Fullarton. Fingal. Florence. Forest. Fairfield. Glencoe. Grovesend.

Goderich. Gorrie. Granton. Holmesville. Hensall. Highgate. Kingsville. Kirkton. Kincardine. Kippen. London, Queen's Ave. Dundas St. = Wellington St. ... 11 South. West. ... Centennial. 11 Littlewood. Luton. Lambeth. Listowel. Lucan. Mitchell. Milverton. Muncey. Melbourne. Newbury. Nile. Petrolia.

Port Stanley. Rochester. Strathroy. Siloam. Sarnia. Staffordville. Seaforth. Salem. Stratford. St. Thomas First. Central. ... Grace. St. Mary's. The Grove. Town Line, Talbotville. Thorndale. Teeswater. Tuckersmith. Union. Varna. Wingham. Whitechurch. Watford. Westminster. Windsor. Woodslee. Zion.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT TO TORONTO BRANCH.

Chatsworth. Dundalk.

Flesherton. Markdale

Owen Sound.

## HAMILTON BRANCH.

The Hamilton Branch elected the following officers: President, Mrs. T. W. Jackson, Caledonia; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Phelps, Mt. Pleasant; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Hardy, Hamilton; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Sharpe, Brantford; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Gayfer, Hamilton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. G. Smith, Guelph; Treas., Mrs. Williams, Galt; Mission Band Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. N. Jackson, Hamilton; Anditor, Mr. Cober, Galt; Conference Organizer, Mrs. Scarff, Guelph; Conference Representative, Mrs. Ryan, Guelph.

Invitations for the next annual meeting were received from St. Catharines and Mount Forest. The former was accepted.

## DISTRICT ORGANIZERS :

Hamilton						Mna	W. Caster 1	
St. Catharine	8				1.1		W. Crawford.	
Milton -					•		E. P. Lewis.	
Brantford	1.1		•	•	•	ir.	Deacon.	
	•	•		-	-		Phelps (Mohawk).	
Woodstock	•	-	-	-			Fletcher.	
Guelph	•					Miss	Barker.	
Galt -	-					Mrs	Chrysler.	
Palmerston		-					Hamilton.	
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Acton.	Guelph, Dublin Street.	Oakland.
Arthur.	Galt.	Old Windham.
Alma.	Grand Valley.	Paris.
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" Wellington St.	Hamilton, Centenary.	Princeton.
" Colborne St.	Wesley.	Paisley.
" Sydenham St.	" First.	Palmerston.
Burlington.	" Gore Street.	Rockwood.
Burford.	" Z. Tabernacle.	Smithville.
Beamsville.	" Hannah Street.	Simcoe.
Bartonville.	Hagersville.	Stoney Creek.
Burgessville.	Harriston.	Selkirk.
Belfountaine.	Ingersoll, King Street.	South Cayuga.
Berlin.	" Charles Street.	St. Catharines, St. Paul's.
Belwood.	Jarvis.	" Well'nd Av.
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Caistorville.	Little Lake.	Thorold.
Caledonia.		Tilsonburg.
Currie's Crossing.		Tintern.
Canboro'.		Teeterville.
Dundas.	1.6	Waterdown.
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## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT, 1893-94.

This Branch is composed of thirteen districts. three of which are mainly missions, so that we get no support from them. The other districts are slowly realizing that they have responsibilities in connection with this work.

The majority of the reports from the Auxiliaries speak hopefully of the coming year, while all unite in their testimony as to the blessing the meetings have been to the members of each society. Our organizers have labored faithfully, notwithstanding many discouragements, and we hope to see the result of their efforts during the coming year in the organization of many societies.

Nine Auxiliaries were formed during this year, but only five can be reported, as the others did not continue their meetings. Two have been dropped from the list of last year, but we have strong hopes of regaining them in a short time. The new Auxiliaries are at Mimico, Crown Hill, Inglewood, Palgrave and Claremont.

Number of Auxiliaries 58	Increase 4
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## FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

The Annual Meeting of the Toronto Conference Branch was held in the Dunn Avenue Church, Parkdale, October 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

As this was the first Annual Meeting since the division of the Central Branch, some faint-hearted ones feared that the comparative smallness of numbers would have a depressing influence; but though many old friends and former fellow-workers were missed, the meeting was pleasant and profitable. Eighty-two delegates were in attendance, besides a large number of visitors.

The President, Mrs. Williams, occupied the chair, and the opening devotional services were conducted by Mrs. W. W. Ogden, followed by an impressive memorial service, led by Mrs. Langford.

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## ANNUAL MEETING, TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

On Tuesday evening a reception and tea were given to the delegates and friends by the hospitable ladies of the Parkdale Auxiliary, after which a public meeting was held, presided over by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Scott. Interesting addresses were delivered by Rev. J. Goforth, of China, and Dr. Bolton, of the Port Simpson Hospital.

On Wednesday a Mission Band Conference was presided over by Mrs. Bascom, a valuable paper entitled "Mountain Peak Glimpses" being contributed by Miss Webber. An "Open Conference for Discouraged Workers" was conducted by Mrs. Willmott. Many encouraging thoughts were so beautifully brought out by the leader that discouraged ones took fresh courage, and more earnest prayer and work is anticipated for the coming year than

This was suitably followed by a consecration meeting, led by Mrs. D. G. Sutherland, when several in the audience consecrated themselves to missionary work, who confessed that they had hitherto felt comparatively little interest

A Round Table Conference, of especial interest to Mission Band workers, was conducted by Miss McGuffin.

The following resolution was carried with much enthusiasm : "That as our beloved President, Mrs. Williams, feels compelled to retire from the position which she has so long and ably filled, we cannot allow her to do so without expressing our appreciation of her valuable services. She has, by her patient, loving administration, endeared herself to every one who has been privileged to attend the meetings of the Branch. While regretting that failing health renders it necessary that she should give up the more active duties of President, we still hope to retain her in our councils. We shall always welcome her presence at our Branch meetings, and we pray that she may long be spared to bless the Church she so dearly loves."

An invitation from Broadway Tabernacle for the next Annual Meeting was accepted.

### BY-LAWS.

The following by-laws were adopted by the Branch :----

1. The Election of Officers in Auxiliaries and of Delegates to the Branch meeting shall be by ballot without nomination, and a majority vote required.

2. That Organizers and Officers be required to send in a statement of their expenses before September 15th of each year, as the Treasurer of the Branch is obliged to close her books on the 20th.

3. That District Organizers be ex officio members of the Branch meeting, and have all the privileges of delegates, and that their expenses be paid by the

4. That, in the case of new Auxiliaries organized late in the year, the Treasurer and Corresponding Secretary be instructed to mention the organization of Auxiliary, with the money that has been sent, without stating the

5. That the reports of Auxiliaries be given by the District Organizers.

6. That District Organizers be nominated by the Branch Corresponding Secretary and elected by the Branch meeting.

7. That Auxiliaries provide for the expenses of their delegates to the Annual Branch meeting. The Auxiliary Treasurers, in making returns to the Branch Treasurer, shall state the net sum received, and the amount paid for delegates' expenses, and transmit the balance to the Branch Treasurer. The Branch Treasurer, in preparing her report, shall credit the Auxiliaries with the full amount of their contributions and charge the expenses of delegates

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## ANNUAL MEETING, TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

## OFFICERS.

Honorary President -	-	Mrs. J. A. Williams, 119 Maitland St., Toronto.
President -		Mrs. J. B. Willmott, 50 Bond St., Toronto.
1st Vice-President .		Mrs. G. P. McKay, 100 Madison Ave., Toronto.
2nd Vice-President -		Mrs. Alex. Langford, 583 Markham St., Toronto.
3rd Vice-President -		Mrs. D. G. Sutherland, 14 Gwynne St., Toronto.
Recording Secretary -		Mrs. George Kerr, 42 Charles St., Toronto.
Corresponding Secretary		Mrs. Wm. Briggs, 21 Grenville St., Toronto.
Treasurer -		Mrs. W. W. Ogden, 184 Spadina Ave., Toronto.
Auditor -		Miss. M. Wilkes, 84 Gloucester St., Toronto.
Mission Band Cor. Sec.		Mrs. J. Bascom, 189 Dunn Ave., Parkdale.

## District Organizers were appointed as follows :

Toronto East Dist	trict		Mrs. N. A. Powell, 167 College St., Toronto.
Toronto Central		-	Mrs. J. C. Locke, 84 Summerhill Ave., Toronto.
Toronto West			Mrs. Hamilton, 183 Close Ave., Parkdale.
Brampton		-	Mrs. Cheyne, Brampton.
Bradford		-	Mrs. McDonald, Aurora.
Barrie	"	-	Mrs. Barker, Orillia.
Collingwood	"		Mrs. Towler.
Bracebridge	"		Mrs. Groves.
Whitby		-	Mrs. George Browne, Claremont.
Orangeville			Mrs. A. E. Stevens, 200 Cowan Ave., Parkdale.

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COMBINED REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY AND TREASURER. .

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" Euclid Avenue	43					48 16
" -New Richmond	30				20	123 26
" Sherbourne Street	60	12	14	2	.33	157 35
" —St. Paul's	25		1		17	38 94
" — Parkdale	92	21	5		30	152 53
" —Parliament Street	47		3		21	65 08
" Trinity	33	33	3	3	17	59 03
" —King Street	20		1	1	9	16 75
" — Queen Street	70		11		35	319 50
" —Yonge Street	57		11	3	25	123 13
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Whitby	21		1		8	58 65
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## COMBINED REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY AND TREASURER-Continued.

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## SPECIAL SUMS, TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

## (Sums Received too late for Auditing.)

Parkdale Auxiliary	\$1	00	
Central Auxiliary. Sherbourne Street Epworth League	140	00	
Donation by Miss Winnifred Constance Lee (per Central Auxiliary)	5	00	

## SPECIAL DONATIONS.

### (included in Report of Auxiliaries.)

Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Blackstock, per Berkeley St. Auxiliary, for Girls'		
Boarding School in China	\$50	00
Mrs. (Rev.) E. R. Young, per Trinity Auxiliary, for Indian Work	10	00
Port Perry Auxiliary, for Indian Work		25
Bequest, per Orillia Auxiliary, for native Bible Woman in Japan	50	
Mrs. Dr. U. Ogden, in memory of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. McCallum	00	00
Carlton Street Auxiliary	50	00
Mrs. Aikins, Carlton Street Auxiliary		00
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**	Gurney	10	00
	Geo. Kerr	8	00
	H. E. Clarke	6	00
**	J. Browne	5	00
MISS	E. Clarke	4	00
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ELIZABETH P. OGDEN,

Treasurer.

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# MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

# REPORT OF MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

The division of the Branch took from us some of our best Bands and most efficient workers. We deplore their loss, but trust it may result to the good of the work. Thirty Bands remained to us with a membership of 962. Of these—Aurora Sunshine Workers have become discouraged ; Bell Ewart, Bracebridge, Dunkerron, Glen Orchard and Honeywood have disbanded. New Bands have been organized in Burk's Falls, Claremont, Eglinton, Orillia, Port Perry, Tottenham, Tuam, West Toronto Junction, Central Church (Toronto), New Richmond (Toronto), Dunn Avenue (Parkdale), St. Alban's (Toronto) To sum up, the outcome of this year's work is thirty-four Bands, with a membership of 882.

The Secretary desires to acknowledge the faithful work of the Organizers in most of the districts. Mission Band workers feel the stringent times as much as older workers, and the scarcity of employment affects the children's power of giving.

When we think of the large number of Sunday School scholars in the Methodist Church who are still uninterested in missions, we feel there is much ground yet to be occupied, and we wonder if our Methodist women are true to the missionary spirit of their Church in training the young people.

A. M. BASCOM, Secretary.

# MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

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Brampton, Grace Church—(1892) Misses Eloise Chapman, Edith Brown, Bertram Eaton; (1893) Mrs. Eaton, Misses C. Neelands, Baskerville, Mr. R. Broddy, Duggan.

Brampton, St. Paul's Church—(1892) Misses Sutcliffe, McConnell (Mrs. Calbic), Alexander, Maud Alexander, Ronald, H. S. Starr, Charlie Starr; (1893) Misses Martha Bell, Emma Calvin, Masters Edgar Alexander, Stanley Alexander.

Eglinton-(1894) Mr. H. H. Duke.

Toronto, Metropolitan—(1892) Mesdames J. B. Wilmott, W. E. Wilmott, Misses M. Wilkes, McGuffin, Drummond, Harrington, Segsworth, E. Segsworth, Hooker, A. L. Hooker, Allie Magurn, Sutherland (New York), M. L. Sutherland (New York), M. B. Sutherland (New York), F. H. Sutherland (New York), Bertha M. Shoults; Dr. D. W. Stevenson (China), Dr. W. E. Wilmott, S. R. Hanna, P. A. Onderkirk; (1893) Misses Hatton, Aggie Hatton, E. Faragher, A. Ward; (1894) Miss Massey.

Toronto, Parkdale Circle-Master Edwin Scott.

# MISSION BANDS, TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Members, 1894.	Amount sent to Treasurer.
*Burk's Falls *Cherrywood *Claremont *Eglinton Gravenhurst Highland Creek. Huntsville "Circuit. Maple. Mimico Newmarket. "Band *Orillia. Penville *Port Perry. Schomberg. Toronto-Berkeley Street "Carlton Street "Carlton Street "-Carlton Street "-Elm Street "-Elm Street "-Netropolitan "-Netropolitan "-Netropolitan "-St. Alban's "-Queen Street	Light Bearers. Mission Circle Truth Seekers 	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$
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# STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

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Pres., \*Mr. Myers; Rec. S. J. B. Edwards. Pearson, Ball, J Barr, Rankin, M Dyment, Lower, hart, M. Johnso Taylor, A. J. Sa

Pres., Mrs. Rec. Sec., Miss Mary Dunham. Fanny Dunham,

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PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUUES A MEMBER.

Those marked with an Asterisk (\*) are Life-Members.

# TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

### ALLANDALE.

Pres., Mrs. Herd; V.-Pres., Mrs. Bailey; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wilson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Kreitz; Treas., Mrs. Tucker. Mesdames Woollatt, J. Brunton, Adams, Hope, Burton, Humphrey; Miss M. Brunton.

### ALLISTON.

Pres., Mrs. H. Matthews; V.-Pres., Mrs. D. More; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Borair; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. G. Fisher: Treas., Mrs. W. D. Clark. Mesdames Dunlop, Hutchinson, Martindale, W. Miller, W. I. Clark, Upton, Sutherland; Misses L. F. Clark, S. Steckley, I. Chantler.

## AURORA.

Pres., Mrs. Winters; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Dunlop; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Rogers; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. Broad; Cor. Sec., Miss Norman; Treas., Mrs. Daville. Mesdames McNally, S. H. Lundy, Nichol, Forsyth, Armitage, Mc-Dowell, McDonald, Tillman, A. Lundy, Evans, Graham, Clubine, J. Reynolds, Weir, Braund, Holland, Lawrence, Proctor, J. Davis, Anderson, Grice, Hutchinson, Haines, W. Reynolds, Johnston, Van Zautol, White, Soules, J. W. Stevenson, Rogers, Stevens, T. Lloyd, (Dr.) Stevenson, Long, Doan, H. D. Lundy, Toole; Misses Lavelle, Anderson, Reynolds, Love, Lloyd.

#### BARRIE.

Pres., \*Mrs. Lanceley; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Gibson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Myers; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. H. Bosanko; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Minns; Treas., Mrs. J. B. Edwards. Mesdames Story, \*F. Marr, \*Sargent, Mick. Lang, Dyment, Pearson, Ball, J. Edwards, J. Johnson. J. Laird, Neill, G. D. Ellis, Waterson, Barr, Rankin, N. King, Greenside, Bemrose, F. E. King, Hamner, Lawson, S. Dyment, Lower, Plaxton, Crosby, M. Burton, N. Dyment, Sherwood, Urqu hart, M. Johnson, Booth, Taylor, Courtland, Lyon, Graver, Morin, Smith, (Dr.) Taylor, A. J. Sargent, Hunter; Misses J. King, Lang, Warner, Walker.

#### BEETON.

Pres., Mrs. Owens; 1st V. Pres., Mrs. Atkins; 2nd V. Pres., Mrs. Rose; Rec. Sec., Miss Millie Meggison; Cor. Sec., Miss Maggie Cross; Treas., Miss Mary Dunham. Mesdames McDonald, Martin; Misses Wallwin, Bemrose, Fanny Dunham, Jessie Nichol, Eleanor Milligan.

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#### BRACEBRIDGE.

Pres., Mrs. E. Rowe; V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Johnston; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. T. R. Boothby; Treas., Mrs. R. Vincent. Mesdames Archer, Bastedo, Johnston, Webster, Vincent, Slater, Fenn, Rowe, Wasdell, Miller, Higgins, Anderson, Boothby, Ney, Boyer, McLeod; Miss Bettes.

#### BRAMPTON, ST. PAUL'S.

Pres., Mrs. Carter; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Boyle; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Rankin; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. P. L. Woods; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. L. Stork; Cor. Sec., Mrs. D. E. Smith; Treas., Mrs. W. W. Woods. Mesdames Rankin, Carter, Reeve, Smith, McBride, Boyle, Pulfer, Woods, Herridge, Francis, J. Hodgson, Robinson, Gardiner, Sleightholm, W. Elliott, Center, Treadgold, McBride, Crawford, Stork, Trimble, Hart, Daly, C. Stork, G. Graham; Misses Marshall, Annie Marshall, Wilson, Daly.

# BRAMPTON, GRACE CHURCH.

Pres., Mrs. Main; 1st V.-Pres., \*Mrs. Gardiner; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Baskerville; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Murchison; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Graham; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Oliver; Treas., Mrs. Cheyne. Mesdames Tye, (Rev.) Pearson, Austin, Broddy, \*Holtby, Price, Duggan, \*Neelands, Cooper, Eli Crawford, Pearen, (Rev.) Pearen, J. E. Pearen, Crandell, Bousfield, Newhouse, Harrison, Winters, Howard, \*Aitkens, Robinson, Kenney, Justin, Holden, Morton, Wilson, Foster, Cooney, Eaton, Williamson, Ferguson, Runians, Perry, Norval, R. Blair, Reynolds, Gordon, M. Crawford, Owen, Lloyd; Misses Broddy, Neelands, Owen, Eva Aitkens, Emmett, McKinney, Leary, Annie Aitkens, Beck, Roberts, Millson, T. Blair, Robson.

## BURK'S FALLS.

Organized September 19th, 1894. Mesdames Wm. Train, H. Knight, M. A. Walsh, Geddes, Templeman, Crawford, W. Knight.

### CROWN HILL.

Pres., Mrs. C. Drury; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. W. J. Partridge; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Chappell; Rec. Sec., Victoria Emms; Cor. Sec., Dora Chappell; Treas., Gussie Partridge.

#### COLLINGWOOD.

Pres., Mrs. Towler; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Williams; 2nd V.-Pres., \*Mrs. (Dr.) Stone; Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. Williams; Asst. Rec. Sec., Mrs. Watson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Greaves; Treas., Mrs. Frank Telfer. Mesdames H. Telfer, Hilborn, Martin, Chamberlain, Creighton, Fagan, H. Y. Telfer, Dand, Carpenter, Scott, G. W. Brown, Motson Brown, Bruce, Fry, J. Birnie, sen., J. Birnie, jun., D. Johnston, Mulholland, Toner, H. Birnie, Belcher, Foster, Frier, Begg; Misses Hilborn, C. Telfer, Lawrence, L. Williams, Clement, G. Fry, H. Birnie, E. Toner.

### EGLINTON.

Pres., \*Mrs. (Dr.) J. F. German; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Jackes; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss E. Doel; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. G. Woodley; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Woodley; Treas., Mrs. McCormack. Mesdames W. H. Moore, Geo. Moore, Geo. Jackes, \*M. Jones, Wm. Perry, A. Doig, S. Lawrence, Wm. Douglass, A. Snider, White, Gardiner, Booth, Dunnett, Scott; Misses Brady, Muriel German. Honorary member—\*Mr. R. Jones. Pres., M Cor. Sec., M Oaten, Hugh Miss Wylie.

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# TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

### GRAVENHURST.

Pres., Mrs. Mugford; V. Pres., Mrs. Sherin; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Boyd; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Harvie; Treas., \*Mrs. Groves. Mesdames Mickle, Clipsham, Oaten, Hughes, Miller, Adam, Newlove, Slater, Doxey, Campbell, Brown; Miss Wylie.

### HUNTSVILLE.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Richard; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. E. Bray; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Silverwood; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. R. Boyd; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. Randleson; Treas., Mrs. G. Metcalf. Mesdames W. Bray, Whaley, Reece, G. Hutcheson, W. Wright, W. White, G. R. Metcalf, S. Snyder, H. Metcalf, Spiers.

## LOCUST HILL.

Pres., Mrs. C. Reesor; V.-Pres., Mrs. B. Hagerman; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss De Hagerman; Treas., Mrs. J. Jarvis. Mesdames Stephenson, J. McNeelv, N. E. Reesor, A. B. Reesor, A. H. Reesor, P. R. Hoover, Harper; Misses V. M. Reesor, Keitha Pickett.

### MAPLE.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Bedford; V.-Pres., Mrs. Speight; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Dickout; Cor. Sec., Mrs. T. Oliver; Treas., Mrs. G. Smith. Mesdames L. Richardson, Kaiser, Livingstone, Anderson, W. Cook, J. Oliver, W. C. Sanderson, Craddock, R. Thomas, T. Cook, H. Line, Holladay; Misses Devlin, Page, Browne, E. Browne.

### MIMICO.

Pres., Mrs. G. M. Brown; V.-Pres., Mrs. Henry Whitlam; Rec. Sec., Miss F. A. Parker; Cor. Sec., Miss H. J. Whitlam; Treas., Miss J. McDonald. Mesdames J. Rush, W. H. Polk, F. Hendry, W. H. Parker, Chas. Segsworth, E. Johnson, W. Hill.

### NEWMARKET.

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In many respects our first year has been a good year, bringing us cheering evidences of the permanency of our work and of growth from within. Here and there throughout the Branch are churches in which the Auxiliaries are centres of spiritual life, the members regarding this work not only as an obligation resting upon the Church and the Society, but as an opportunity of paying a personal debt to Christ.

Organizers have not found it a good year for extending the work. Hard times and the pressing needs of the parent Society have closed their lips on some occasions; but prayers have been offered and busy brains have planned, and willing hands have gleaned a little here and there.

The District Convention is coming to be a regular institution, and to many of our workers is *the* annual meeting of the year.

Two of our young ladies, Miss Lambly, of Bloomfield, and Miss Paul, of Newburgh, have been accepted as missionaries, and the former has already entered upon her term of service in Japan. Miss Hart has been permitted to return to us for her well-earned rest, and Miss Munro, of Peterboro', after a year's furlough, has entered upon her second term in Japan. May these "living links" be greatly increased in numbers and efficiency.

Early in the year four new Auxiliaries were formed: Zephyr, Eden, Newtonville and Wooler. In April, Omemee and Bobcaygeon were added to our list, and, still later, Consecon, Hillier, Cherry Valley, Mountain View, Demorestville (reorganized) and Wesley.

We report :

Number of	of Auxiliaries	107	Incre	ease	12
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# ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

H. L. PLATT.

The first Annual Meeting was held at Port Hope, October 2nd, 3rd and 4th, 1894, Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, President, in the chair. 107 delegates were present. The memorial service was conducted by Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, of Tweed, a large number of ladies taking part. The names of thirteen departed sisters were read by the Secretary, and the testimonies in reference to them prove that "our women die well."

The organizers reported for their districts, the reports showing advancement all along the line.

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# ANNUAL MEETING OF BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

Wednesday afternoon's discussion on "Our Work" was introduced by Mrs. Bowerman, of Napanee, in a paper entitled "A Model Auxiliary." "A Model Mission Band," by Mrs. H. A. Crosby, of Uxbridge, followed. These papers, with the one read by Mrs. Yarwood, Tuesday evening, on "Selfdenial or Thank-offering," will, by request of the Convention, be sent to the Outlook for publication.

It was decided that our Branch Executive make arrangements to have a supply of literature and mite-boxes on sale at future Branch meetings.

An appeal was read from the editress of *Palm Branch*, asking for the practical sympathy of the ladies in carrying on that paper.

A public meeting was held Tuesday evening, after a very pleasant reception tendered by the ladies of Port Hope. Rev. Mr. Crothers occupied the chair and gave the address of welcome. A very fine musical and literary programme followed, provided by Port Hope Auxiliary and Band; also, report of Corresponding Secretary.

On Wednesday evening we listened with great pleasure and profit to Dr. Bolton, of Port Simpson, B.C. A report of the Supply Committee had been kindly furnished by the Secretary, Mrs. Briggs, and was listened to with marked attention. On both evenings the music furnished by the choir of the church was exceptionally fine and is deserving of special mention.

It was resolved that in future organizers have ten minutes in which to report their districts; also, that each Auxiliary furnish organizer with total amount sent to Branch Treasurer during the year, total number of members in Auxiliary, number of *Leaflets* and *Outlooks* taken, what other missionary paper, if any, and the best methods of conducting monthly meetings.

Election of officers resulted as follows :

President			Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, Belleville.
1st Vice-President			Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Tweed.
2nd Vice-President			Mrs. L. Massey, Wallbridge.
3rd Vice-President	-	-	Mrs. (Rev.) A. R. Campbell, Hastings.
Recording Secretary		-	Mrs. James Kendry, Peterboro'.
Corresponding Secrete	ary		Mrs. G. D. Platt, Picton.
Treasurer	-	-	Mrs. (Rev.) G. H. Copeland, Newcastle.
Mission Band Cor. S.	ecret	ary	Miss M. G. Howley, Bath.
Anditor	-	• -	To be appointed by the Executive.

#### **Organizers**:

Belleville					Mrs I. Massar W-111 1
Brighton					Mrs. L. Massey, Wallbridge. Miss Taggart, Brighton.
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Cobourg	-				Mrs. (Rev.) M. E. Wilson, Baltimore.
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Lindsay					Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Totten, Lindsay.
Napanee		-			Mrs. Stephen Gibson, Napanee.
Madoc			-		Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Tweed.
Tamworth					No appointment.
Uxbridge					Mrs. H. A. Crosby, Uxbridge.
Picton					Mrs. Platt. Assistant, Miss Murney.
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# REPORT OF BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

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# STATISTICAL REPORT OF BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH, 1893-94—Continued.

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# SPECIAL DONATIONS IN BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

### EXPENDITURE.

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D. L. BOUGARD, Auditor.

CATHARINE CURRY, Treasurer. H. L. PLATT, Corresponding Secy.

PICTON, October 13th, 1894.

# SPECIAL DONATIONS IN BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

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# MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

# MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

Belleville, Jubilee—(1892) Mesdames W. W. Chown, Charles M. Reid, Miss Jennie Higginbotham; (1893) Misses Lillie Craig, Clara Craig, B. Lazier. Belleville University—(1892) Mrs. (Dr.) Carman; (1893) Miss Allo Carman. Lakefield—(1893) John Hull, Esq.

Newburgh-(1893) Mesdames H. L. Wilson, Nelson McKim.

Newcastle-(1892) Miss M. Thorn.

Napanee-(1894) Mrs. W. W. Miller.

Orono-(1893) Elizabeth L. Brown.

Oshawa, Simcoe Street --- (1893) Miss H. M. Dingle; (1894) Miss Mary E. Lake.

Uxbridge, Steinhaur-(1892) Mrs. (Dr) Bascom.

# REPORT OF MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

In presenting the first Report of Mission Bands to this Annual Meeting, I do so with gratitude to our Master for the growing interest we have been permitted to see in this department of mission work. All the ardent desires expressed at the opening of the year have not been realized, but we rejoice that the missionary spirit is being more widely diffused among our young people, the hope of our future Missionary Society. Figures do not by any means represent the work done, because many of the Bands have contributed to the comfort and convenience of the inmates of the different nomes through the Supply Committee ; also, aided educational interests peculiar to their taste. While sympathy and help have gone abroad, the home work has not been ignored ; many sick and suffering ones have received substantial aid.

Letters received by the Secretary have borne the most earnest and loyal spirit to our Society. We are indebted to organizers for ten new Bands. There are 640 regular members and eighteen life-members. Cobourg alone has dropped from our ranks. Bands organized this year are—Peterboro' (Charlotte Street), Picton (The Nellie Hart Circle), Napanee Circle, Napanee Junior Band, Stirling, Sidney Crossing, Springbrook, Kingston Road, Oakwood, Wellington. Our report is as follows: Forty-three Bands, 640 members (including life-members), and \$659.81 sent Branch Treasurer.

M. G. HANLEY, Cor. Sec.

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# REPORT OF MISSION BANDS.

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# EASTERN BRANCH.

# REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE EASTERN BRANCH.

We have come to another landmark in our missionary work where we take a retrospect of the year that is gone with its many changes, its hopes and fears, and as the sheaves have been garnered we anxiously await the results as far as they may be ascertained. Through the good providence of God, we report some growth and a deeper interest in the extension of His Kingdom. We also rejoice that one of our number has responded to the call of the Master and has gone to labor in Japan, bringing that nation nearer than ever before in our sympathies and prayers. Seven Auxiliaries of last year have not reported to the Corresponding Secretary or Treasurer, reducing our increase to one, while we report seven new Auxiliaries. They are : Maxville, Magog, Manotick, Kars, George Street (Brockville), Lennoxville and Forfar.

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Members, 1893 1,762				
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# REPORT OF ANNUAL MEETING OF EASTERN BRANCH.

The eleventh Annual Meeting of the Eastern Branch was held in the Methodist Church, Vankleek Hill, October 3rd and 4th, 1894. The President, Mrs. W. E. Ross, occupied the chair, and fifty-nine delegates answered to their names. An impressive memorial service was held, in which touching reference was made to those who had been called home during the year, special mention being made of our devoted and much-loved missionary, Miss Hannah Lund.

The President's address, which was full of information, was listened to with interest and profit by all present. The reports from Auxiliaries were encouraging, and, notwithstanding hard times, an increase in funds and membership was noted.

Three very excellent papers on "How to Make Auxiliary Meetings Successful" were read. The first as to Programme, by Miss Knox, of Montreal; second, as to Attendance, by Mrs. Conklin, of Iroquois; third, as to Finances, by Miss Nellie Service, of Aultsville. All of these were replete with information on the points referred to. The O interesting amount of v A very

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# TREASURER'S REPORT, EASTERN BRANCH.

The Organizers' Conference, led by Mrs. Bigelow, was one of the most interesting parts of the meeting, as all present seemed to realize the great amount of work that may be accomplished by faithful, persistent work.

A very instructive paper by Mrs. (Dr.) Shaw, of Montreal, on "Scattered Helpers," was read, also an appeal from *The Palm Branch*.

Reports were given of the French work and of the Supply and Literature Conmittees. It was moved by Mrs. Morton, seconded by Mrs. B. O. Britton, —That a most hearty vote of thanks be sent Miss Ogden and the Literature Committee for the prompt, courteous, painstaking manner in which they had performed their duties during the past year.—Carried unanimously.

The Corresponding Secretary gave extracts from a letter she received from Miss Alice Beltin, the first missionery sent from this Branch. Greetings from the Baptist Society were given by Mrs. Peter McLaren, and from the Presbyterian Society by Mrs. McLeod.

The attendance at the public meeting was very large, and all listened with rapt attention till its close. The President occupied the chair and gave a short interesting account of the work, and was followed by the Treasurer, Mrs. McRossie, who has held that office ever since the Branch was formed, and has been able every year to report an increase in the funds. The Corresponding Secretary gave a short pointed address, emphasizing the value of little things. Very cordial words of welcome were given by Miss Cross and replied to by Mrs. J. S. Atkinson. Mrs. Bigelow gave a very effective address, showing how the women in the Bible were honored in their time, and Mrs. Bannell Sawyer gave one of her well-prepared, eloquent addresses, which was much appreciated, and the choir of the church enlivened the proceedings by singing several choice selections very charmingly. Rev. Mr. Treadrae closed with prayer. An invitation to hold the meeting next year at Iroquois was accepted.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

			Mrs. W. E. Ross, Montreal.
			Mrs. Bigelow, Aultsville.
			Mrs. Sawyer, Montreal.
3rd Vice-President	• •	-	Mrs. Morton, Montreal.
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Corresponding Secretar	y -		Mrs. T. G. Williams, Sherbroke
Treasurer	• •		Mrs. McRossie, Kingston.
Mission Band Cor. Sec.	•	•	Miss Effie Bailey, Iroquois.

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Mrs. Bigelow, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. L. Conly, Mrs. McRossie, Mrs. Hughes.

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Kingston, Oct. 6th, 1894.

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Gananoque Mission Circle, girl in Chinese Home	50	00	
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Montreal, St. James' Mission Circle, mite-box offering for China	50		
Iroquois, for Japan	56	00	
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Montreal, Mountain Street, Mission Band, girl in Chinese Home	50	00	
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Pres., Mrs. A. Sweet; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Huxtable; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Geddes; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. L. Palmer; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Rogers; Treas., Mrs. Davidson. Mesdames \*Challies, \*(Rev.) Brown, \*Mercill, Timmons, G. Annable, J. L. Hughs, D. Irving, J. S. Ross, L. Brown, H. Earl, Mills, Bickwin, Melvin, I. Hughs, J. Walker, P. McIntosh, Manning, E. Cass, H. Hughs, Wickwire, G. Barkley, C. Beach, Blackman, W. H. Erratt, McCullah, Davidson, L. Helmer, J. McKercher, W. Shaver, T. King, Grey, Ed. Holmes, A. Beach, A. Christie, F. Suffel, Corrigan, A. Kendrick, Casselman, I. Christie, L. Suffel, M. Baily, Cowan, T. G. Holmes, R. Parker, J. Earl, J. Cass, G. Lock, G. R. Bow, G. Annable, I. Erratt, G. Johnston, W. Scott, M. Durant, A. Barrager, H. Hughs, I. Timmons, J. Hutt, Wm. Bow, Weir, Boid, Patrick, Albrant, H. Smith, G. Malloy; Misses H. Parker, S. Annable, McLaughlin. Honorary members—Rev. Huxtable, Messrs. Wm. Bow, A. Sweet, Manning.

# MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS, EASTERN BRANCH.

Montreal, St. James' Mission Circle.-(1893) Mrs. M. E. Ross, Miss Gertrude Nichol.

Iroquois, Mission Circle. - (1894) Miss C. A. Rogers.

Iroquois, Onward.-(1893) Misses J. E. Carman, E. S. Bailey; (1894) Misses Maggie S. Carman, Maggie E. Carman, Jennie Hornick.

Almonte.-Miss Edith Parlee.

Montreal, Douglas.-Mrs. Regan.

Gananoque, Barbara Heck.-Miss Nellie Day.

EFFIE S. BAILEY, Cor. Sec.

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# EASTERN BRANCH.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Members, 1894.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount sent to Treasurer.
Aultsville	Earnest Toilers	61		5	\$43 00
	Juvenile			-	
*Avonmore	Happy Workers	lii	ii	••	
Almonte	Watchers				
Athens	Myrtle	6	1.00	23	
Brockville		-			
*Cobden		4	4		
*Delta		10	10	••	
Gananoque	Barbara Heck	34		••	
	01		7	•:	53 00
Iroquois	Onward	65		5	6 71
"	Mining Ct 1	35	3		41 00
Kingston, Sydenham St		22	6		15 00
Lunenburg	Goforth	14			
Lakefield		28			5 86
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" Mountain St		23			31 00
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" Dominion Sq		31	14		
" Douglas Ch		17			111 00
Merrickville		41			29 59
Mallorytown	Mission Circle	32			-0 00
	Juvenile	32			
Northfield		11	11		
Newington		20	20		9 00
embroke	Sunshine Senders	28			32 22
Portland	Minnie McLean	17	17		
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mith's Falls	Maple Leaf	50			
herbrooke		8			20 10
St. Lambert		20	20	••	39 18
Vinchester	Mizpah		20		
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Total					
		784	145	53	

# REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, EASTERN BRANCH.

Increase this year, 57.

Total amount sent to Treasurer, \$986.83.

\*New Bands.

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# NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

# ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

Although we have no great things to record of the past year's work, the year may still be regarded as one of encouragement and success. For this there is manifest throughout the Branch a general feeling of thankfulness and a general determination to persevere in the work.

The faithful efforts of our District Superintendents have resulted in the addition to our numbers of two Auxiliaries and nine Bands. The Auxiliaries are Granville Ferry, which has been resuscitated, and Barton. Two very successful District Conventions have been held—one at Bridgetown, the other at Bridgewater.

We regret to have to drop two Auxiliaries—Cheverie and Gabarus Cape. The former, finding its membership too small to work properly as an Auxiliary, has united with the Mission Band. We are thus left with the same number of Auxiliaries as last year.

Miss Sadie Hart's tour during the winter was a means of great help and inspiration to all who were favored by hearing her. Her future life as Mrs. Spencer will be watched with loving, prayerful interest by her many friends in the Nova Scotia Branch.

The Easter offerings proved a fruitful source of income, and the service prepared by our President was highly appreciated.

Deeply grateful to our Heavenly Father for His help and guidance during the past year, we enter upon the new one with renewed determination and confidence, feeling assured that

#### " So long His power hath blessed us, sure it still Will lead us on."

Number	of Auxiliaries 53		
н	Mission Bands	Increase 6	
"	Annual Members. 1094	"	
"	Life-Members	" 4	
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A. F. BROWNRIGG, Cor. Sec.

Amherst ... Annapolis.. Arcadia ... Auburn.... Barrington Bermuda .. Berwick ... Bridgetown Bridgewater Bear River Burlington Barton .... Canning .... Canso ..... Cape Negro Dartmouth . Digby ..... Gabarus Har Grafton.... Guysboro'... Granville Fer Halifax Sout Halifax Nort Halifax West Hantsport ... Horton ..... Kingston ... Lawrencetow Liverpool ... Londonderry Lunenburg . Musquodoboit Newport ... New Germany North Sydney Oxford Parrsboro' ... Pictou ... Port Greville Port Hawkesb Pugwash . .. Ritcey's Cove Selma ..... Shelburne.... Springhill.... Sydney ..... Truro .....

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# STATISTICAL REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

# STATISTICAL REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1893-94.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Life-Members.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Annapolis         Arcadia         Auburn         Barrington         Bermuda         Bermuda         Berwick         Bridgetown         Bridgetown         Bridgetown         Bridgetown         Bridgetown         Bridgetown         Bridgetown         Barton         Canning         Canso         Cape Negro         Dartmouth         Digby         Gabarus Harbor         Grafton         Guysboro'         Granville Ferry         Halifax South         Halifax North         Halifax West         Hantsport         Horton         Liverpool         Londonderry         Lunenburg         Musquodoboit         Newport         New Germany.         North Sydney         Naford         'arrsboro'         'ictou         'ort Greville         'ort Hawkesbury         'ugwash	$\begin{array}{c} 40\\ 13\\ 7\\ 26\\ 27\\ 20\\ 21\\ 10\\ 10\\ 22\\ 22\\ 7\\ 14\\ 19\\ 14\\ 38\\ 18\\ 17\\ 18\\ 8\\ 52\\ 45\\ 24\\ 14\\ 19\\ 16\\ 12\\ 20\\ 9\\ 29\\ 13\\ 7\\ 13\\ 18\\ 35\\ 16\\ 15\\ 34\\ 21\\ 13\\ 21\\ 9\\ 8\\ 22\\ 15\\ 43\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \cdot \cdot 5 \\ \cdot \cdot 27 \\ \cdot 7 \\ \cdot \cdot 452 \\ \cdot \cdot \cdot 883 \\ \cdot \cdot \cdot 33 \\ \cdot 43 \\ \cdot \cdot 522 \\ \cdot 2 \\ \cdot 21 \\ 91 \\ \cdot \cdot 6 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		$\begin{array}{c} 19\\ 9\\ 6\\ 6\\ 7\\ 10\\ 10\\ 6\\ 7\\ 6\\ 12\\ 4\\ 7\\ 7\\ 14\\ 8\\ 8\\ 8\\ 6\\ 8\\ 19\\ 14\\ 15\\ 6\\ 9\\ 8\\ 5\\ 7\\ 6\\ 8\\ 7\\ 5\\ 10\\ 8\\ 15\\ 7\\ 6\\ 14\\ 11\\ 6\\ 16\\ 6\\ 4\\ 7\\ 6\\ 14\\ \end{array}$	\$98 43 53 28 27 73 54 07 43 03 88 66 104 11 15 42 49 30 60 63 89 23 6 16 42 97 59 00 17 01 135 47 50 00 14 00 34 74 93 60 7 82 629 71 375 80 93 80 20 43 91 31 35 48 32 87 9 88 52 24 27 60 9 07 33 75 59 93 80 20 43 88 52 24 27 607 33 75 59 93 82 87 9 88 52 24 27 607 33 75 59 93 82 971 35 48 32 87 9 88 52 24 27 607 33 75 59 93 68 09 24 32 23 85 32 00 26 44 8 25 81 95 31 05 23 18

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#### REPORT OF TREASURER OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

# STATISTICAL REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1893-94—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Life-Members.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Wallace	11				7	34 41
Wilmot	35				6	152 86
Windsor	25				9	66 92
Wolfville	11				6	30 54
Yarmouth (Providence Church)	30	4			17	154 37
" (Wesley Church)	43	4	3		18	165 75
	1094	123	83	• 4	277	\$3933 70

# REPORT OF TREASURER OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

#### RECEIPTS.

 From Auxiliaries and Bands—
 \$539 47

 First quarter
 \$500 80

 Third quarter
 1,258 39

 Fourth quarter
 1,545 04

 Collection at Annual Meeting
 9 05

 Sale of Literature at Branch Meeting
 3 43

 Balance on hand, Oct., 1893
 9 00

#### SOURCES OF INCOME.

Members' Fees.	\$1.094	00
Life-Members' Fees	100	00
Mission Bands	1 258	17
Easter Offerings for China	391	
Mite-boxes	324	11
Public Meetings	395	15
Scattered Helpers	6	45
Donations and Thank-offerings	344	31
Other Sources	122	11

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# ANNUAL MEETING OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

#### EXPENDITURE.

To printing resolutions and Easter services. " Literature for Branch Meeting, 1893" " Miss Hart's travelling expenses" " President for printing circulars" " Expenses, editors of <i>Palm Branch</i> "	5 24 2	06 00 00 00 90		
" Treasurer's postage, etc	$2 \\ 5$	37 60 00		
Meeting	38 4 \$546	67 23	\$103	76
Third quarter Fourth quarter	1 054	01	\$3,851	42
Amount raised in 1893 Increase, 1894	3,760 194	71	\$3,955	18
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# ANNUAL MEETING OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

Our eleventh Annual Meeting, which was held at Dartmouth, September 18th, 19th and 20th, was, in point of interest and profit, quite up to the average. The President, Mrs. Whiston, occupied the chair, and the opening devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Ainley.

Forty-nine delegates answered to the first roll-call. We were also favored with the presence of three of our returned missionaries—Miss Blackmore and Miss Lizzie Hart, from Japan, and Miss Leake, from British Columbia. At the reception the first evening, Mrs. D. W. Johnson, in a very pleasing manner, extended to the visitors, on behalf of the ladies of Dartmouth, a cordial welcome, and greetings were also presented from sister organizations of the Presbyterian and Baptist churches. All were replied to by Mrs. Whitman, of Canso.

The general tone of encouragement in reports from Branch officers was very gratifying, while reports from Auxiliaries and Bands gave evidence of increasing effort and interest on the part of all our workers.

Among interesting and profitable features of the business meetings may be mentioned a paper by Mrs. Deinstadt, of Shelburne, on "General Features of Missionary Work;" an interesting discussion on "Methods of Work," and "An Hour with our Missionaries," when each told of the work in her respective field of labor—Mrs. Ross, of Montreal, following with a short account of our French work in Montreal.

Invitations for next Annual Meeting were received from Canso and Liverpool, but it was deemed wisest to accept one standing over from Wesley Church, Yarmouth.

Greetings were received from the Presbyterian W. F. M. Society in session at Truro, and from the Maritime W. C. T. U.

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# 96 REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

A new and very successful feature of the public anniversary meeting was an anniversary hymn, and a responsive Scripture reading, compiled by our President.

The Dartmouth Mission Circle and Band rendered valuable assistance on "Mission Band Evening" by supplying prominent parts of the programme.

A very impressive consecration service, led by Mrs. Prestwood, closed the session. Following is the result of the election of officers :

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### DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS.

Annapolis .	District				Mrs. Strothard, Annapolis.
Shelburne	**	-		-	Mrs. Quinlan, Shelburne.
Liverpool				-	Mrs. Ainley, Rose Bay, Lunenburg Co.
Cape Breto	n n	-	•	-	Miss Burns, Sydney.

# REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

A review of our Band work impresses one with the fact that one great need in this direction is competent, faithful leaders. In many places the work is either not what it ought to be or entirely at a standstill, owing to this lack.

Realizing the possibilities that lie in our boys and girls, and that the responsibility of their training in missionary matters rests largely upon our Auxiliaries, we urge that each Auxiliary do its utmost, during the coming year, to promote the interests of its Band, and may there go up to the "Lord of the Harvest" a united prayer for efficient, consecrated laborers in this department of His vineyard.

As we only count as members those who pay the annual fee of twenty-five cents, our membership is somewhat reduced. We trust all our workers will remember in future that the number of members must correspond with the amount sent as annual fees.

The Palm Branch has been hailed with delight, and we hope no Band will be without its club hereafter.

Nine new Bands are reported. They are: "Wayside Gleaners" Circle, Annapolis; "Golden Rule" Circle, Dartmouth; "Lone Star," Bermuda; "North Sydney" Band, North Sydney; "River Jordan," Jordan; Barton, Lockport and Sydney Bands, and "The King's Own" at Avondale. The latter has been organized since our Branch meeting. Owing to three bands having dropped out, our increase is but six.

We thus report: 48 Bands, net increase 6; number of members 857; lifemembers 47, increase 7; amount raised by Bands \$1,258.17.

A. F. BROWNRIGG, Cor. Sec.

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# LIFE-MEMBERS OF NOVA SCOTIA MISSION BANDS.

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Mrs. Cunningham. T. Jost. ... T. Watson Smith. .. Jairus Hart. .. Barss. ... G. H. Starr. .. T. A. Anderson. ... F. G. Parker. .. R. P. Woodill. " Duffield. ... Joseph Hart. .. H. F. Paisley. ... W. Crowe. ... Richardson. .. Walker. .. R. T. Braine. .. J. A. Rogers. •• C. H Lougard. ... Weir. .. J. Wesley Smith. .. S. F. Huestis. ... Whiston. .. Schwartz. ... Hawkins. ... J. Starr. .. Buckley. " ... S. H. Black. D. W. Johnson.

" F. Woodbury. C. H. Whitman. 11 A. W. Hart. 11 Strothard. ... " Ainley. Heartz. A. S. Tuttle. 15 " E. B. Moore. McMurray. ... " Evans. " G. E. Buckley. \*\* Jas. Taylor. J. L. Dawson. " E. E. England. 11 McArthur. ... F. A. Buckley. .. " Quinlan. W. J. McGill. \*\* John Young. 11 Thos. Killam. ... G. Cook. .. Ainsley Hatfield. " ... C. Fullerton. W. C. Brown. .. Fisher. .. Jas. T. Burchell. \*\* " I. D. Vroom.

Mrs. Brownrigg. Miss Blackmore. McCallum. ... Brookman. ., .. Ray. Black. .. Maria Hart. .. ... M. Braine. Katie Braine. .. Beta Braine. ... Annie Braine. .. Winnie Braine. \*\* M. Crane. .. C. L. Crane. ... E. Crane. 11 G. A. Paisley. " L. H. Paisley. \*\* Lizzie Hart. 11 Sadie Hart. 11 Kate Large. 11 Janie Cunningham. 11 \*\* A. Laidlaw. F. Black. 11 " M. Black. Lena Woodhill. ... Mr. W. B. McCoy. " Langford McCoy.

# LIFE-MEMBERS OF NOVA SCOTIA MISSION BANDS.

Mrs. R. Quinlan. Wm. Ainley. ... Joseph Hart. " S. G. Black. ... F. A. Hennigar. .. I. N. Phillips. !! Lillie Ross. ... Whiston. ... Rev. Wm. Ainley. Miss Bessie Bell. Minnie Bell. ... Ella Calkin. ... Emily Harris. ... Lizzie Hills. 11 Alice Knight. .. Annie Mitchell. ..

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Miss Louise Ray. Annie Starr. 11 Bertha Starr. .. Laura Starr. 11 ... Hattie Teasdale. Mabel Whiston. ., ... Gertie Rogers. Muriel Black. " Bessie Kline. ... Minnie Parker. .. Mary Crowell. " Maud Killam. " Minnie W. Buckley. 11 Ada Lewis. .. Florence Johnson. 11 Ella M. Beckwith. ...

Miss	s Emma Tuttle.
**	Alice Hart.
"	J. Cunningham.
**	Carrie Cunningham.
**	Janie Young.
	Minnie Hawkesworth.
"	Laura Chipman.
	Maggie Taylor.
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BANDS.	NAME OF BANDS.	Number of Members.	Life-Members.	Annual Mem- bers' Fees.	Life-Members' Fees.	Other Sources.	Total.
Auburn	Oak and Ivy	4	4			@1_00	@1_00
Arcadia	Seed Sowers	12		\$3 00		\$1 00	\$1 00
Amherst	Willing Circle	8		2 00		11 00	14 00
	Rays of Light	-				27 32	29 32
Annapolis	Wayside Gleaners' Circle	17		4 25		10 15	
Barrington	Little Helpers	9		4 20	••••	13 45	17 70
Berwick	Royal Workers	34	2				
Bear River			2	8 50		24 00	32 50
	Hillsburgh	12		3 00		1 00	4 56
Bridgewater	Snowflake	9		2 25		1 60	3 85
Burlington	Large-Hart	16		4 00		14 35	18 35
Bermuda	Lone Star	22		5 50		31 26	36 76
Barton		18		4 50			4 50
Canning	Light Bearers	20		5 00		17 73	22 73
Canso	Cunningham	24		6 00			6 00
Cheverie	Wesley Centennial	13		3 25		13 90	17 15
Dartmouth	Golden Rule Circle	32		8 00		32 00	40 00
	Buds of Promise	12		3 00		30 41	33 41
Digby	Sunshine	31	1	7 75		2 25	10 00
Farmington	Picket Guard	42		10 50		10 63	21 13
Jabarus	Forward Movement	12		3 00			3 00
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Halifax South	Coralline Circle	36	4	9 00		39 85 180 85	
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	Reapers' Circle	27	15	6 75		160 87	167 62
	Gleaners	32	2	8 00		32 53	40 89

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1893-94.

Halifax, Kaye Street	Kaye Street							
Hantsport	Naye Street Olive Branch	16	2	\$4 00		\$18 70	\$22 70	
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Lockport	Hopeful	20		5 00		0 62	11 53	
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Avondale	Larnest Gleaners	39	9 75	5 00	38 70	48 45
	The King's Own		9 10		43 12	52 87
Total						
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# PRESIDENTS, CORRESPONDING SECRETARIES AND TREASURERS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

AUXILIARY.	President.	CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.	TREASURER.
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# NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH.

# NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH, 1803-04.

In reviewing the work of the past year, with its lights and shadows, records of earnest toil and self-sacrificing effort, we gratefully recognize that the loving hand of our Father has been upon us, and that as a Branch we have been wonderfully blessed. For the first time in our history we are obliged to report a decrease in membership; ranks have been broken by removal of families, in a few cases by withdrawal, while several who filled important posts of trust and usefulness have been called into the presence of the King; but, notwithstanding there have been fewer workers, and that the financial depression has seriously affected certain districts, we are able to report an increase in funds, which gives evidence that noble painstaking work has been done. The presence of Miss Sadie Hart, visiting many of our Auxiliaries, was a delight and assistance, and we labor more lovingly when we have looked into the faces of our returned missionaries. While no eye but the Infinite can watch and see the varied avenues of labor, we can try and glance at the little company in lands afar and fields at home, and give thanks to the Father who protects, guides and blesses all.

Four new Auxiliaries report this year, viz.: West Devon, Montrose, Jerusalem and Lakeville Corner, while three others are ready for work. One has died, so we have only a net increase of three. At the following places Mission Bands have been organized: Benton, Cape Traverse, Highfield, Oromocto, Carmarthen Street, St. John. The Mite-box has found its way into over one hundred new homes, and a larger number of our women subscribe to the *Outlook*. We can only give facts as to the visible side of our work, for the other we must await developments. May we realize the deep responsibility of maintaining with vigor and determination the special work God has committed to us; and turn hopefully, trustfully, to renewed efforts, feeling sure that each revolving season brings us nearer to the ultimate reign of righteousness and peace, when all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.

Number of	Auxiliaries	79	Increase	3	
	Auxiliary Members	1,500	Decrease		
	Mission Bands		Increase		
	Mission Band Members	1,187	Decrease		
**	Life-Members	69	Increase		
Total numb	per of Members	2,756	Decrease		
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# NINTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH, 1893-94.

The ninth Annual Meeting of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Branch was held in Summerside, October 2nd, 3rd and 4th-Miss Palmer, President, in the chair. Sixty eight delegates and many visitors were present.

Papers were read on the following subjects: "Parlor Meetings," "Discouraged Workers," and "How to Treat a Returned Missionary." The discussions which followed were of great practical benefit.

The public services were made doubly interesting by the presence of Miss Blackmore, and her clear statement of facts will undoubtedly stimulate our Auxiliaries and Bands to greater efforts for the coming year. We were also glad to welcome Mrs. Whitman, who brought us greetings from the Nova Scotia Branch.

For this year committees were dispensed with and the business transacted in a committee of the whole. This was thought to provoke a better discussion and to educate more thoroughly the greater number.

The Mission Band Banner was awarded to the "Sunbeam" Mission Band of Margate, for the best answers to questions on "Our Fields."

The following officers were elected :

President	- Miss Palmer, 29 Queen Square, St. John, N.B.	
1st Vice-President -	- MIRS, J. D. Chinman St Stanlar M D	
2nd Vice-President -	- Mrs. R. Johnson, Charlottetown, P.E.I.	
3rd Vice-President -	- Mrs. S. Howard, Hampton, N.B.	
Corresponding Secretary	- Miss Hattie Stewart, Sackville, N B	
Recording Secretary -	- Mrs. C. E. McMichael, 17 Orange St., St. John.	
Treasurer	MIS. C. W. Strong, Summerside, P. E. I.	
Mission Band Cor. Sec.	Mrs. E. C. Turner, Pownal, P. E. I.	
Auditor	- Mrs. F. Stewart, West Cape, P.E.I.	

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Mrs. Sharpe, of Marysville, was appointed representative to Conference; Miss S. E. Smith, of *Palm Branch*, was elected delegate to Board of Managers. An invitation to hold the next Branch Meeting in Sussex was accepted.

# TREASURER'S REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH, 1893-94.

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AUXILIARIES.	Annual Members' Fees.	Life-Members' Fees.	Mission Bands.	Public Meetings.	Mite-Boxes.	Easter Offerings.	Donations.	Scattered Help- ers' Fund.	Bequests.	Other Sources.	Total Raised.	Total sent to Branch Treas.
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Mount Allison Band			51 52								14 00	14 00
Marysville "			20 00								51 52	51 52
Salisbury "			12 00								20 00	20 00
Dromocto "			1 05					·			12 00	12 00
Old Ridge "			11 59								1 05	1 05
Carmarthen St. "			34 42								11 59	11 59
P. E. I. District Convention				26 40							34 42	34 42

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Branch Collections Balance from last year				\$25 08	 	 	 	\$25 08	\$25 08
" Miss Hart					 				20 12
Interest on deposit					 	 	 5 10	5 10	5 10
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Old Ridge "		11 50		 		 	 1 05	1 05
Carmarthan St	 	11 59		 		 	 11 59	11 59
P. E. I. District Convention	 	34 42	00 10	 		 	 34 42	34 42
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Branch Collections Balance from last year				\$25 08			 	 	\$25	08	\$25	08
" Miss Hart				• ••	• • • • •						20	
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Total\$	31481 99	\$175 00	\$1332 82	\$628 85	\$622 06	\$471 72		 1		00	-	

### EXPENDITURE.

To	General	Treasurer	, 1st quarter \$578	13
"	"	"	2nd " 545	
**			3rd " 1,425	
"	"		4th " 2,651	
			\$5,200	00
Ger	neral exp	enses for	President 14	65
	"	** **	Corresponding Secretary 10	0Û
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-			Recording Secretary 0	82
Exp	penses for	r Organize	ers	25
Sun	aries			23
Bala	ance on	hand		93

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# SPECIAL DONATIONS.

Bedeque Auxiliary, for French work	\$19	48
In memory of Laura Humphrey, Moncton	95	
Portland Sabbath School, for Hospital work in China.	154	
York Auxiliary, for Chinese Home, Victoria	1	
Bedeque Auxiliary, for Medical Work in China	27	
Prince Edward Island District Convention, for Hospital	~,	00
in China	26	40
Easter offerings for Hospital in China	471	70
Mount Allison Band, for girl in Japan	50	

#### REPORT OF MISSION BANDS.

# STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NEW BRUNS-WICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH, 1894.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount paid Treas dur- ing the year.
Alberton	Rill and River	43		2	\$37 14
Bedeque	Perseverance	37		5	83 00
" (South)	Earnest Workers			15	
" (Wilmot)	Harrison			12	
Baie Verte	Glad Tidings	30	5		11 04
Bathurst	Busy Gleaners	19		11	27 78
*Benton	Sadie Hart	43	43		4 99
Centreville		28	5		15 50
Cornwall	Onward	19		5	18 25
Charlottetown	Wesley	40	18		71 20
	Coqualeetza	27	4		33 52
" (U.P.S.)	Earnest Toilers	37		10	10 00
Cape Traverse	Cheerful Givers	14	14		21 00
East Royalty	Royal Workers	18	ā		10 00
Gagetown	X. L Twinkling Star	21	• •	8	73 41
Hampton	Day Star	12		4	11 46
Highfield	Pleasant Hours	19	6		36 36
acksonville	Friendly Workers	$\frac{16}{22}$	16		4 00
Kensington	Trichary Workers	22		5	43 95
Little York	Day Spring	18	1	1	14 52
akeville	Look Up, Lift Up	11	• •	1	15 15 2 93
Margate	Sunbeam	28	4		16 24
Murray Harbor	Dawning Light	30	ī		10 24
Moncton	Do What We Can	3			11 53
" (W.M.)	Help a Little	12		33	28 00
Aillstream	Little Daisy			11	
larysville	Active Workers	47	4		20 00
Iount Middleton		7		i	4 15
Old Ridge	Buds of Promise.	11		3	11 59
oint de Bute	Cartmell	23		5	11 20
ortland	Jessie Chipman	30		10	35 59
ownal	Lavinia Clarke	31	16		45 54
ackville	Ready Helpers	40		1	45 57
	Mount Allison	41	1		51 52
earletown	Anchor of Hope	23	2		25 79
Oromocto	T-1 D	24	24	·	1 05
t. Stephen	Torch Bearers	29		26	47 57
t. John (Centenary)	Hiriawa	39		20	64 10
" (Oueen Severe)	King's Messengers	17			12 55
" (Queen Square).	Excelsior	17		2	72 15
" (Exmouth St.).	Edelweiss	13		Repo	
" (Exmouth St.). " (Carmarthen St.)	Star Cheerful Toilers	42	14	• •	110 37
(Contrator offer OU.)	Willing Workers	20	6		34 42

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Summerside... Salisbury .... Teteagouche ... Union Road ... Upper Keswick Upper Kent ... Victoria ..... Winsloe ..... Woodstock ...

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ALBERTON Alice Dignan, D. Emma Gard, Sus

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SACKVILLE "Miss Amelia True

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\*New Bands.

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BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount paid Treas. dur-	ing the year.
Teteagouche Union Road Upper Keswick Upper Kent Victoria	Skylank	24 12 23 12 10 16 28 19 7	··· 2 ·· 9 5	9 3  2  1  23	$31 \\ -3 \\ 4 \\ 12 \\ 30$	00 89 00 98 36 25 62
Total		1187	215	237	\$1332	82

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### THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA. BRANCH, 1893-94.

The third Annual Convention of the British Columbia Branch was opened by a public meeting in Homer Street Church, Vancouver, Sunday, May 13th. As the Conference was sitting, we were favored by the presence of the

wives of the missionaries. Mrs. Crosby, of "Glad Tidings," gave a sketch of their missionary efforts among the Indians, particularly in the way of Homes on the northern coast. For twenty long years the struggle had been carried on in loneliness and isolation. In the early days she had been the only white woman in that part of the country, and a brief visit from Mrs. Tate was an event never to be forgotten. At present they have two Homes for the children.

Mrs. Tate traced the history of the Coqualeetza Home from its early beginning some years ago, when a few Indian children were received in their own house, down to the present Home but lately opened. The work had been long and not always hopeful, but the results were now no less gratifying than

The President, Mrs. Sexsmith, referred in her address to the great privilege beneficial. we had in the presence of so many missionaries. The meetings were presided over with ability and tact, the business being despatched with little loss of time. Mrs. McCraney, in a suitable and hearty address of welcome to the delegates, expressed a desire that we, in this Province, might be foremost in mission work. Mrs. Chapman, in replying, spoke of the pleasure she had at the cordial recep-

tion of the delegates. Mr. Gardener, in a short address, referred to the good work that was being done in Victoria by our missionaries. They had many comfortable, Christian homes among the Chinese there, and the good work through these converted in Victoria had spread to China.

A very touching address was given by Mrs. Raley, of Kita-maat, which has more children, for its size, than any other place on the British Columbia coast. They had started a Home at their own expense, having twenty-three children in residence. Their school had been very successful, although they had to work under great disadvantages, and they hoped that their Home would ere long be as satisfactory as the one at Chilliwhack.

On Tuesday afternoon a very interesting paper on "How best to interest Auxiliaries in our own work" was read by Mrs. (Rev.) C. Watson. A paper on "The Lord's Tenth," read by Mrs. Nicolls, was followed by a short discussion on "Systematic Giving" short discussion on "Systematic-Giving." Miss Buttimer gave an interesting account of the Princess Street Mission

Band, and the various methods by which they raised money. The Committee on Modes of Work urged the importance of each Auxiliary appointing one person to distribute leaflets and try to secure new members.

For the same reason, it was resolved to hold monthly missionary prayer-meetings and "at-homes." A Supply Committee was formed, composed of the following persons:—Mrs. Teague, Victoria; Mrs. Peers, New Westminster; Mrs. Shannon, Vancouver; Mrs. Wells, Chilliwhack. Mrs. Nicolls was appointed District Organizer. The various collections amounted to \$33.30.

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The shifting character of the population will account to some extent for the decrease in several of our Auxiliaries, but we believe where the missionary cause is laid on the heart there will be a corresponding sense of responsibility, which will result in earnest prayer and successful effort. God help us in the future to be "steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord!"

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### STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH, SEPTEMBER, 1893, TO MAY, 1894.

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VANCOUVER, B.C., Sept. 24th, 1894.

LOUISA WILSON, Treasurer.

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## MEMBERS OF AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER. Those marked with an Asterisk (\*) are Life-Members.

### BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH.

### HOMER STREET, VANCOUVER.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Watson; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Nicolls; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wintemute; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Breeze; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. McCraney; Treas., Miss Wintemute. Mesdames \*Latimer, McTaggart, Morris, Robinson, Major, Harris, T. B. Godfrey, Martensen, Le Page, Shannon, Wilson, Trythall, Forbes, Boake, Pyke, Broderick, Miller, Jennings, Donaldson, Sweet, Vermilyea, Curtis, Jarrett, Tufts, Leeson, G. Martin, Rumble, Lees, Cosman, Mason, Hall; Misses Smythe, A. Wintemute, Gould, Fletcher. Honorary members-Rev. C. Watson; Messrs. Mole, Peart, Malkin, Hunter, Odlum, Miller, Mansell.

#### CHILLIWHACK.

Pres., Mrs. Stevenson; V.-Pres., Miss Clarke; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Midgeley; Cor. Sec., Miss Smith; Treas., Miss Burpee. Mesdames Tate, Wells, Ludner; Misses J. Dick, M. Thompson, L. Palmer, N. Taffandale.

#### PRINCESS STREET, VANCOUVER.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Baer ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Lunn ; Rec. Sec., Miss McIntyre ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. B. H. Wilson; Treas., Mrs. E. Newcombe. Mesdames \*Glen, Newcombe, De Wolf, Clandening, Whipple, Ridley, Bowyer, Bailey, Edmonson, Kelly, Gordon, Woodside, Hutchings, Reynolds, Godfrey; Misses \*Bowes, Buttamer, Forin.

#### PRINCESS STREET MISSION BAND.

Pres., Miss Buttimer; Sec., Miss Hamilton.

#### PANDORA AVENUE, VICTORIA.

Pres., Mrs. Burkholder ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Sargison ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Burgess ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. J. Pendray; Treas., Mrs. Bargison, Red. Geo., Mrs. Durgess, \*Teague, Goodacre, Luney, Butler, Jewell, Winkle, Yeo, Lawry, Williams, Carnther, Earle, Donagh, Durham, Weir, Lane, Carne, Archibald, Gardner, Cleaver, Elford, (Dr.) Hall, (Dr.) Siddall, Charlton, Carey, Hooper, Bullen, McDerrette, Donagh, D. Spencer, C. Spencer, Bickle, Joshing, Mice McDonald, Powell, Dempster, D. Spencer, C. Spencer, Bickle, Jenkins; Miss Wickett.

#### RICHMOND.

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#### LADY HOK.

Pres., Mrs. C. D. Grant; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Cliff; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. T. W. Hall; Rec. Sec., Mrs. S. K. Pearson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. E. Rand; Treas., Mrs. Peers. Mesdames T. W. Pearson, W. A. Calbick, C. G. Major, F. H. Robson, E. Hird, J. Cunningham, S. Cunningham, D. Robson, J. Wintemute, R. Wintemute, Wells, J. L. Brown, Keith, C. J. Robson, W. E. Townsend; Misses Major, Hicks, Crake, Howison, Mansell.

#### GEORGE ROAD, VICTORIA.

Pres., Mrs. Chapman; V.-Pres., Mrs. Kay; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Grant; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. G. Hall; Treas., Mrs. Calvert. Mesdames (Rev.) Hall, S. Johns, Holt, Adams; Misses Nellie Chapman, Calvert. Honorary members—Messrs. Chapman, Holt, Calvert.

#### KAMLOOPS.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Betts ; Sec., Mrs. Scott Shannon.

#### MOUNT PLEASANT, VANCOUVER.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) T. J. Thompson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. S. Dunlop; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. E. Reid; Treas., Mrs. McMorran. Mesdames \*Bowyer, T. Kerfoot, T. Mole.

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### SEPARATE AUXILIARIES.

### ST. JOHN'S EAST, NEWFOUNDLAND.

We are thankful to report that the past year has been one of the most successful in our history as an Auxiliary. Our monthly meetings have been unusually well attended, and have been both interesting and profitable. During the year mite-boxes were distributed amongst the members, from which source our funds were largely supplemented. We enter upon the duties of the coming year with renewed zeal, realizing that we are "workers together with Him."

Pres., Mrs. Burchell; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Bridgeman; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Pres., Mrs. Burchell; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Bridgeman; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Greaves; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. Peters; Cor. Sec., C. March; Treas., Mrs. Saint Hill. Mesdames Morton, Storey, Reay, \*Burns, Bishop, March, Chaplin, Pippy, Woods, Leard, Adrian, Hudson, Campbell, Scott, Sparks, Tuck, English, Tait, Hutchings, Olsen, Johns, Soper, Dawe, Bemister, Robinson, English, Tait, Hutchings, Olsen, Johns, Soper, Dawe, Bemister, Robinson, Watson, Taylor, Martin, Trim, Codner, Babstock, Simmons, Noseworthy, Bumsey, Benson, Morgan, Taylor; Misses Squires, Mannel, \*Ida Burns.

### "GLADY'S" MISSION BAND, ST. JOHN'S EAST.

The "Glady's" Mission Band is still at work for the Master. Sick visitation during the past year has been of real help both to visited and visitors. Our "talent" money was devoted to a worthy cause, that of procuring nourishment for the sick in need, and of giving proper apparel to children detained from Sabbath School through lack of it. We have thirty-one names now on our roll.

### ST. JOHN'S WEST, NEWFOUNDLAND.

It is with pleasure and gratitude to the goodness of God that we come to the close of another year. Our Father's smile has rested upon us. Meetings held regularly every month; all most interesting, especially public ones; collections good ; several new members. It is with a degree of sadness that we have lost as our President Mrs. Steer. Owing to trying afflictions, she felt it more than she was able to be, and could not longer fill so important and public a position in connection with our Society. May God's blessing rest upon her.

Mrs. Steer has been President since ever the Society started. We were delighted to hear through the year from Miss Hart, Japan, and our girl, O'Leyi Aruga. We have a very interesting and flourishing Mission

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Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Dove; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs Ayre; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Kendall ; 3rd V. Pres., Mrs. Cowperthwaite ; Rec. Sec., Miss Cole ; Cor. Sec., Miss Shirran ; Treas., Mrs. John Angel. Mesdames Rogerson, E. Whiteway. John Taylor, R. Miller, Swanson, Geo. Nicholl, J. B. Ayre, Withycombe, Mews, M. Pike, R. C. Ayre, P. Taylor, Stidstone, Burt, Cox, Bell, Knight, Hunter, Cramb, Gibbs, Jas. Angel, Rowe, C. R. Steer, W. Whiteway, Pitman, Payne, Samways, Soper, A. Dove, (Dr.) Milligan, Geo. Milligan, T. Morris, McNeilly, R. Whiteway, Green, R. Green, R. White, Sanson, Giles Taylor, Penny, Tucker; Misses Roberts, Milley, Courtney, Smith, Burchell.

#### BONAVISTA, NEWFOUNDLAND.

Although we have to report a small decrease in membership, we have had a fairly good year; have held eight regular meetings and two prayer-meetings. The interest has somewhat increased, and we look forward to better things in the future. Amount sent to Branch Treasurer for the year, \$18.

Pres., Mrs. J. Saint; 1st V.-Pres., Miss House; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Adam Harris; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Forbes; Treas., Mrs. J. Roper. Mesdames Geo. Templeman, T. Ford, (Rev.) Atkinson, J. Abbott; Misses Florence Atkinson, Thirza Saint, Jennie Saint.

#### AUXILIARIES IN MANITOBA.

#### BRANDON.

This Society was organized in Brandon, July, 1891, with a membership of It has increased in that time to 48. 29.

The officers and members are :

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Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) Woodsworth; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Johnstone; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Leech; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Reeson; Cor. Sec., Miss McKenzie; Treas., Mrs. Watson. Mesdames Hornibrook, Philp, White, Bawden, Brooks, Jack-son, Huston, Burchill, Begg, A. M. Peterson, Moore, Merner, Adams, Lee, Sifton, Paisley, E.H.Johnson, Watson, Allen, Caldwell, Wallace, C.W. Peterson, Morgan, McFadden, Smythe, Somerville, Parish, Ridd, Cooper; Misses Bawden, Law, Gilliland, Knowlton, Waite, Ella Somerville, Mary Woodsworth, Edith Woodsworth, Ollie Watson, Cosie Lee. Paid half of membership fee-Mesdames Sproule, McVicar, M. E. Johnstone.

Members' fees, \$40.25; Life-members', \$25.00; missionary prayer-meeting, \$4.70; Easter thank-offering, \$8.65; making a total of \$78.60.

#### CALGARY.

Pres., Mrs. Binkley; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Cushing; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Cook; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Bowes; Cor. Sec., Miss Vallentyne; Treas., Mrs. Kelly. Mesdames W. Jarrett, T. F. Watson, Pyman, J. Lee, Whiting, (Dr.) Etta Den ovan, Binley, W. McBride, Church, D. Robinson, Ed. McBride, H. Atkinson, A. E. Waldon, A. McBride, J. Dawson, (Rev.) Dean, Whittleton, (Rev.) German, Grant, A. F. Turnbull, Jamieson; Misses May, Smith, Buckler, B. Parrish. Honorary members-Messrs A. E. McDirmid, A. F. Turnbull, H. Atkinson, M. Westaway, W. Jarrett, W. A. Simpson, F. P. Higgs, A. McBride, B. Jarrett, R. S. Kelly, J. F. Whiting, W. H. Cushing.

Auxiliary members, 31; total membership, 31; annual fee, \$31.00; other sources, \$28.95; received by General Treasurer, \$59.95; increase, \$8.15; increase of Auxiliary members, 5.

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## REPORT OF THE CALGARY AUXILIARY, SEPT., 1893, TO JUNE 20TH, 1894.

Monthly meetings held, 8; prayer-meetings, 1; number of members, 25; number of honorary members, 7; leaflets taken, 24; calendars, 12; sub-scribers to Outlook, 79.

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### WINNIPEG, GRACE CHURCH.

The Grace Church Auxiliary is glad to report a successful year. The entertainments held have been of an instructive nature and were generally appreciated. The Auxiliary welcomed with joy Miss Hargrave, who, after five years of faithful labor in Japan, was permitted to return in safety to her

Pres., Mrs. G. R. Turk ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. B. Somerset ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Banning ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. M. Bull ; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. W. H. Culver ; Cor. Sec., \*Mrs. A. W. Austen ; Treas., \*Mrs. D. K. Elliott. Mes-dames J. H. Ashdown, Wm. Ashdown, G. Chamberlain, Crowson, G. A. Elliott, G. Parr, N. D. McDonald, H. Price, Sturgeon, J. Plaxton, Leath, Cleat, Montgomery, Macnamara, Wilson, Irish, Wm. Robinson, J. Robin-son, R. Wyatt, Blakely, Brooks, Watson, Rublee, Dingman, Sproule, McBride, Riley, \*G. H. Young, J. G. Moore, J. H. Housser, \*R. J. Whitla, \*R. H. Bryce ; Misses Benson, Stephens, Long. Pearson. Misses Benson, Stephens, Long, Pearson.

#### MEDICINE HAT.

The membership of the Society has increased and considerable interest awakened outside of the membership, but it being our first year we have not attempted anything outside the regular work.

Pres., Mrs. F. W. Locke; Vice.-Pres., Mrs. J. C. Colter; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Niblock; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. A. Luno; Treas., Mrs. W. McF. Evans. Mesdames J. Armstrong, Brown, Bomford, Douglas, Fleager, Avery, Munday, Shaw, Cooper, Porter, Gillis, White ; Misses Cleveland, McLean.

#### WINNIPEG ZION CHURCH.

We have had much to encourage us during the year ; good work has been done, and the members have worked more earnestly than ever for the good of their sisters in less favored lands. Number of meetings held during the year, 12; open meetings, 4. The "Prairie Gleaners" Mission Band has worked bravely and contributed \$26.25 towards the funds.

Pres., Mrs. Morris; V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Harrison; Rec. Sec., Miss Motley; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Douglas; Treas., Mrs. Ronald; Sec. Scattered Helpers, Mrs. Sutton. Mesdames (Rev.) Henderson, Morris, McDonald, Lovell, Ensign, Abbott, Rutherford, Hague, Wallace, Sutton, Wolris, McDonaid, Loven, Ensigh, Mills, Spink, F. E. Cuthbert, Ferguson, Guest, Burridge, Slemon, Hardisty, Dawson, (Rev.) Harrison; Misses Hicks, M. Lovell, M. Neilson, Peacock, Codday Godley.

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Auxiliary members, 32; Life-members, 1; total ratable membership, 33; Mission Circles and Bands, 1; members, 18; annual fees, \$32; Mission Circles and Bands, \$26.25; Auxiliary mite-boxes, \$13.26; other sources, \$31.89; received by General Treasurer, \$103.40.

WINNIPEG, ZION CHURCH. — "Prairie Gleaners" Mission Band has worked steadily during the year. An entertainment was held in March, which realized \$5. New officers were elected in June. The members, numbering 18, formed themselves into a sewing circle, which was kept up during the midsummer vacation. On August 30th we held an entertainment. After the singing and recitations, a sale of work, done by the "Prairie Gleaners," was held. There was also a table of Japanese work, done by the King's Daughters and girls of one of the industrial institutes of Japan. The work was brought home by Miss Hargraves, to whom we handed over \$23. Number of members, 18; membership fees, \$4.50; sale of work, \$16.75; entertainment, \$5; total, \$26.25.

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## CONSTITUTION

OF THE

# WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

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### THE METHODIST CHURCH.

#### ART. I.-NAME.

This Association shall be called "THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH."

#### ART. II.-OBJECT.

The object of this Society shall be to engage the efforts of Christian women in the evangelization of heathen women and children; to aid in sustaining female missionaries and teachers, or other special laborers in connection with mission work, in foreign and home fields; and to raise funds for the work of the Society.

#### ART. III .--- MEMBERSHIP.

The payment of one dollar annually, either at one time or in instalments, shall constitute membership; and twenty-five dollars given by one person at one time, or in instalments during the year, shall constitute a Life-membership.

#### ART. IV. -ORGANIZATION.

The organization of this Society shall consist of a Board of Managers, co-ordinate Branches, Auxiliary Societies and Mission Bands, to be constituted and limited as laid down in subsequent articles.

### ART. V.-BOARD OF MANAGERS.

SECTION 1.—The management and general administration of the affairs of the Society shall be vested in a Board of Managers, consisting of the Officers of the Society, the Corresponding Secretary of each Branch, the Editor of department in *Outlook*, Secretary-Treasurer of the Literature and Publication Department, and delegates from each Branch in the proportion of one to every four hundred members, or major fraction thereof, which delegates, together with two alternates, shall be elected at the Branch Annual Meetings, said meetings to be held within two months before the meeting of the Board of Managers, except in the case of the British Columbia Branch, which may hold its annual meeting during the session of the British Columbia C such tim SEC.

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umbia Conference. Said Board shall meet annually or oftener, at such time and place as it shall annually determine.

SEC. 2.—The Officers of the Board of Managers shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer, who shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting of the Board, and also the President of each Branch, who is by virtue of her office a Vice-President of the Board of Managers. Any vacancies occurring during the year shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

SEC. 3.—The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Managers and its Executive Committee; she shall sign all drafts and orders on the Treasurer, authorized by the Board of Managers and its Executive Committee; she shall call special meetings of the Executive Committee at the request of three of its members, of which not less than ten days' notice shall be given, except in cases of emergency. She is ex officio a member of all standing committees. The Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in the absence of that officer. The Recording Secretary shall notify all meetings of the Board, and its Executive Committee, and shall keep a full record of the proceedings. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Society with our missionaries and the different Branches; she shall prepare the monthly letters for publication, and the report of the work during the year for presentation to the Annual The Treasurer shall receive all contributions to the Society, Meeting. keeping proper books of account, and shall make such disposition of the funds as the Board of Managers and its Executive Committee may direct, each order of the Board and its Executive Committee being duly signed by the President of the Society; and she shall present an audited statement to the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers.

SEC. 4.—To transact business during the year, the Officers of the Board of Managers, with the Corresponding Secretary of each Branch, shall *ex officio* form an Executive Committee, seven of whom shall form a quorum.

SEC. 5.—The duties of the Board of Managers shall be: (1) To take into consideration the interests and demands of the entire work of the Society, as presented in the reports of the Branch Corresponding Secretaries, the reports of the agents employed by the Society, and the estimates of the needs of mission fields; to ascertain the financial condition of the Society, to appropriate its funds, to devise the means for the carrying forward of the work to be undertaken by each; suggesting the amount to be raised, employing suitable missionaries, as the work may require, and designating their fields of labor. (2) To appoint a committee to arrange for the publication of an Annual Report of the work of the Society. (3) To transact any other business that the interests of the Society may demand, provided all the plans and the directions of the Board shall be in harmony with the provisions of the Constitution.

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### ART. VI.-BRANCHES.

SECTION 1.—Branches may be organized according to Conferences. This plan, however, may be changed by an affirmative vote of threefourths of the Board of Managers present at any Annual Meeting of

the same. SEC. 2.—The officers of each Branch of the Society shall consist of a President, three or more Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Mission Band Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and an Auditor, who shall be elected at the Branch Annual Treasurer, and shall continue in office till others are elected. These, Meeting, and shall continue in office till others are elected. These, with the exception of Auditor, shall constitute an Executive Committee for the administration of the affairs of the Branch, five of whom shall be a quorum.

SEC. 3.-The President or one of the Vice-Presidents shall preside at all meetings of the Branch and of its Executive Committee. She shall sign all drafts upon the treasury before they are paid. Recording Secretary shall notify all the meetings of the Branch, and of its Executive Committee, and shall keep a full record of the proceedings. The Corresponding Secretary shall, under the direction of the Executive Committee, conduct any official correspondence with the other Branches, with its Auxiliaries, hereinafter mentioned, and with the Secretary of the Board of Managers, and shall endeavor, by all practicable means, to form Auxiliary Societies within the prescribed territory of the Branch. It shall also be her duty to prepare for the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers a report of the work of the Branch during the year, for publication in their Annual The Treasurer shall receive all contributions to the Branch, keeping proper books of account, and shall forward the money quarterly to the Treasurer of the Board of Managers.

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approval of the Board of Hanagers. SEC. 6.—Each Branch may make its own by-laws, regulating its own meetings and those of its Executive Committee, also any others which may be deemed necessary to its efficiency, not inconsistent with this Constitution.

### ART. VII.—AUXILIARY SOCIETIES.

Any number of women contributing at least one dollar each annually may form a Society auxiliary to that Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society within whose prescribed limits they may reside, by appointing a President, one or more Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, and a Treasurer, who together shall constitute a local Executive Committee.

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#### WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

### ART. VIII.-RELATION TO THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

SECTION 1.—This Society shall work in harmony with the authorities of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, and be subject to their approval, in the employment and remuneration of missionaries or other agents, the designation of fields of labor, and in the general plans and designs of the work.

SEC. 2.—All missionaries or other agents supported or aided by this Society shall be approved, before appointment, by the constituted authorities of the Methodist Church, and shall be subject to the same rules and regulations as other missionaries or agents of the said Church.

#### ART. IX.-CHANGE OF CONSTITUTION.

This Constitution may be changed at any Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers by a two-thirds vote of each Branch delegation, notice of such amendment having been given to each Branch before its Annual Meeting; but Art. VIII. shall not be changed, except with the concurrence of the General Board of Missions of the Methodist Church.

#### By-LAWS.

1. The Corresponding Secretary of each Branch shall be required to furnish in her report, in schedule form, to the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers, the following items :---

List of Auxiliaries.

Number of Auxiliaries present year.

Increase.

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Number of Life-members present year.

Increase.

Decrease.

Number of Mission Bands.

Number of Mission Band Members.

Total Number of Members.

Number of Public Meetings.

Number of Monthly Meetings.

Average Attendance at Monthly Meetings.

Total Number of Meetings.

Also a list of Life-members and Annual Members, and the report of the Branch Treasurer.

2. Each Branch Treasurer shall furnish the Corresponding Secretary an annual report, in schedule form, of moneys received by her quarterly, and the sources of income.

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3. The General Treasurer shall publish each quarter, in the Outlook, the moneys received by her.

4. Certificates of Membership may be granted to members of any Auxiliary who may be changing their place of residence, which shall constitute them members of the Auxiliary in the place to which they

remove. 5. It shall be the duty of the Editor of the Woman's Missionary Society Department of the *Outlook* to publish articles relating to our own work; and also to select and publish items of interest concerning the work and modes of working of the Woman's Missionary Societies of other denominations.

6. All solicitations for funds for Special objects, excepting those legitimately belonging to the Supply Committee, before being introduced to the notice of our members, through any agency of this Society, shall be referred to and receive the approval of the proper authorities, namely, this Board or its Executive.

7. Any Branch may arrange for representation, by proxy, from the Branch within whose limits the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers may, from time to time, be held.

8. All memorials and resolutions forwarded to the Board of Managers of this Society shall be officially signed and dated.

9. RELATING TO JAPAN.—If any money be not required for the object for which it was appropriated, it may be used for any other purpose which the Council may recommend and the Executive approve; and any surplus funds from native sources may be used under the direction of the Council.

10. All funds of this Society in the hands of the General Treasurer shall be deposited in a chartered bank, designated by the Board of Management. All funds of this Society in the hands of Branch Treasurers shall be deposited in chartered banks, to be designated by such Branch.

### RESOLUTIONS PASSED AT ANNUAL MEETINGS.

1883. Resolved,—That all expenses of the Annual Meetings of the Board, and of meetings of the Executive, including travelling expenses, shall be paid from the General Fund.

1884. Resolved,—That printed (or prepared) forms be issued by the General Board to all homes, refuges, schools, etc., supported by the Woman's Missionary Society, in order that proper returns may be made of the number, names, days' stay, age, sex, etc., of inmates, sources of income, and expenditure of the same, in detail, so that the cost of such institutions may be ascertained in order to have a basis on which grants may be made from the aforesaid Society to support such institutions, and that such reports be sent to the Corresponding Secretary of the General Board not later than the 1st of September each year.

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1885. Resolved,—That the Annual Meeting be held in the third week of October, leaving power with the President and Corresponding Secretary to postpone to the fourth, if necessary.

Resolved,—That the Secretary of each Branch shall furnish a condensed account of their Annual Meetings, to be published in the Report.

Resolved,—That the members be requested to remember this Society in prayer, between the hours of five and six each Sabbath.

1886. Resolved,—That each institution under the care of this Society be requested to furnish quarterly reports.

1887. Resolved,—That the Auxiliaries and Mission Bands be requested to confine their efforts in mission work to the objects named by our Society at the last preceding Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers.

*Resolved*,—That, in order to equalize the distribution of supplies to missions, a Supply Committee be appointed, with whom missionaries wishing for goods, and Auxiliaries desiring to supply the same, shall be requested to communicate; and that the Auxiliaries shall be credited with the goods sent, but in no case shall the funds of the Auxiliary be used for the purchase of material or the payment of freight.

1888. Resolved, — That the names of life-members shall be printed with the Auxiliaries where they reside.

Resolved,—That in the election of delegates to the Branches and General Board, a majority vote be required.

1889. Resolved,—That when any change of Constitution is requested, notice of such change shall be published in the Guardian, Wesleyan and Outlook, not later than the middle of September preceding the Annual "Meeting, and that this be considered sufficient notice to the Branches.

Resolved,—That members contributing over \$1.00 have the amount entered opposite their names.

Resolved,-That reports of Auxiliaries be limited to fifteen lines.

1890. Resolved,—That the last Wednesday in September be observed throughout our entire membership as a day of special prayer for God's blessing on the approaching Annual Branch and Board Meetings.

Resolved,—That the names of life-members of Mission Bands be printed in the Annual Report.

Resolved,—That auditors be appointed to the Board of Managers and Auxiliaries.

*Resolved*,—That the authorized expenses of delegates to Board meeting include railway fare and all additional necessary expenses, such as berth in sleeping-car or hotel bill, whenever it is necessary to spend a night on the way.

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Resolved, —That all matter for the Annual Report, except the minutes of the Board meeting, shall be handed to the committee not later than the last day of the Board meeting.

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Annual Report. Resolved,—That the General Board make appropriations for all its work, and that no special appeals be made to our Auxiliaries, but that all our funds pass through the hands of Branch and Board

Treasurers. Resolved,—That each Auxiliary be responsible for the number of letters sent; the method of payment to be left to the Auxiliary.

1892. Resolved,—That all money received from legacies be used for special purposes, unless the object for which it is to be used be

specified by the donor. Resolved,—That orders for Annual Reports, Monthly Letters and Quarterlies, be sent to the Literature Committee, Room 20, Wesley Buildings, Toronto, instead of through Corresponding Secretaries of Branches, the money to accompany each order.

*Resolved*,—That each lady appointed to Japan be allowed \$100 for outfit, and that during the first year of service her salary be twothirds of the fixed salary.

## CONSTITUTION FOR AN AUXILIARY.

#### ART. I.-NAME.

This Association shall be called "THE — AUXILIARY OF THE — BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH."

#### ART. II.—OBJECT.

Its object shall be to aid the Woman's Missionary Society of the . Methodist Church in its work of engaging the efforts of Christian women in the evangelization of heathen women and children; to assist in sustaining female missionaries and teachers, or other special laborers, in foreign or home fields; and to raise funds for the work of this Society.

#### ART. III.-MEMBERSHIP.

Any person paying annually the sum of One Dollar, at one time or in instalments, to the funds of this Society, shall be deemed a member, and as such shall be entitled to be present at the Annual Meeting of the Society, and vote at the election of Officers. Twenty-five Dollars given by one person at one time, or in instalments during the year, shall constitute a Life-membership.

#### ART. IV.-OFFICERS.

The Officers shall consist of a President, one or more Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer, to be elected from among the members, at the Annual Meeting. A C with the conduct

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#### ART. V.—COMMITTEE.

A Committee of —— ladies shall be appointed annually, who, with the Officers, shall constitute an Executive Committee, who shall conduct the affairs of the Auxiliary during the year.

#### ART. VI.-ANNUAL MEETING.

An Annual Meeting shall be held in the month of September, at which the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer shall be presented, an abstract of which is to be forwarded immediately to the Secretary of that Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society to which the Auxiliary belongs; Officers, Auditor and Committee elected for the ensuing year, and such services held as may tend to promote the objects of the Society.

#### ART. VII.-FUNDS.

The funds of this Society shall be derived from membership fees, the proceeds of missionary socials, sewing circles, or the like, and from voluntary donations by friends.

#### ART. VIII.- APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS.

After meeting necessary local expenses, the funds raised by the Auxiliary shall be transmitted quarterly to the Branch Treasurer, to be applied to the support of such part of the work as the Central Board of Management may indicate.

NOTE.—Any Auxiliary having a preference for any special department of the work is at liberty to designate it.

#### By-LAWS FOR AUXILIARIES.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all the meetings of the Society, and to supervise its general interests. She shall call special meetings upon the request of three members, and shall be *ex officio* a member of all standing committees. She shall sign all drafts upon the treasury before they are paid.

2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Presidents to perform the duties of the President in the absence of that officer, and to aid in devising means for the efficiency of the Society.

3. The Recording Secretary shall keep a fair record of the proceedings at all meetings of the Society or Committee, and give proper notice of all special and stated meetings.

4. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to report quarterly to the Corresponding Secretary of the Branch the amount sent to the Branch Treasurer- for the quarter, and any other items indicating the state of the Society. She shall, in connection with the Recording Secretary, prepare the Annual Report.

5. The Treasurer shall receive, hold and keep an account of all money given to the Auxiliary, and shall transmit the same quarterly to the Branch Treasurer, not later than the 20th of the month.

6. Meetings of the Society for prayer and business shall be held ——of each month. Once a quarter, if practicable, a public meet

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ing shall be held, in which reports shall be read, addresses given, and every effort made to increase general missionary intelligence and zeal, as well as earnestness in the special work of the Society.

7. There shall be a Standing Committee of three or more to provide literary exercises of a missionary character for monthly and quarterly meetings, one of whom shall drop out each month, and another be elected to take her place.

8. If an office becomes vacant by death, resignation, or removal, it must be filled by the appointment of the Executive Committee,

until the next Annual Meeting. 9. Each lady connected with this Society shall try to induce others to become members, and shall do what she can to add to the general interest, remembering in prayer daily the Society, its workers, missionaries, orphans, or other special interest.

10. At the Annual Meeting of each Auxiliary in September, or such other meeting as may be most convenient, delegates to the Branch Annual Meeting shall be elected in the proportion of one for every Auxiliary numbering under fifty, and two for every Auxiliary numbering fifty or more.

11. A lady shall be appointed in each Auxiliary to obtain subscribers for the Outlook.

12. Membership fees must be forwarded in full to the Branch Treasurer. Local expenses must be met out of other funds.

### ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MONTHLY MEETINGS.

1. Reading the subject of prayer for the month.

2. Devotional Exercises.

3. Reading and Approval of Minutes.

4. Unfinished Business.

5. Report of Treasurer in writing.

6. Correspondence.

7. Reports from members of what they have done for the good of

the Society during the past month.

8. Enrolment of New Members.

9. Miscellaneous Business.

10. Adjournment.

#### MISSION BANDS.

1. An Association of young people, banded together to aid the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, shall be called a Mission Band Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church in which it is found, or to the Branch in whose territory it is.

2. The object of Mission Bands shall be, primarily, to develop a missionary spirit, and secondarily, to raise funds to send the Gospel to the heathen.

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### REQUIREMENTS OF MISSIONARY CANDIDATES.

3. Anyone may become a member of the Mission Band by the annual payment of twenty-five cents, and may become a life-member thereof by the payment of five dollars.

4. The Officers of a Mission Band shall be President, Vice-President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries and Treasurer, and a Committee to arrange the best methods of work; these and an Auditor shall be elected annually.

5. The duty of the President shall be to preside at all stated meetings, and to have a general oversight of the work of the Band.

6. The duty of the Secretary shall be to keep a record of the proceedings of the Band, and make an annual report to the Missionary Society to which it is Auxiliary, or to the Branch in whose bounds it is.

7. The Treasurer shall receive and hold all funds, paying the same annually to the Treasurer of the Auxiliary or the Branch in which the Band is formed.

8. Each Mission Band must select an appropriate name not already in use, and report the same to the Society to which its money is sent.

9. Any Mission Band numbering forty members or over shall be entitled to send one delegate to the Branch Annual Meeting, but she shall not be eligible to any office in the Branch, or election to the Board of Managers, except she be a member of an Auxiliary.

### REQUIREMENTS OF MISSIONARY CANDIDATES.

1. A missionary candidate must believe herself divinely called to the work of a foreign missionary, and assert her belief that she is actuated only by a desire to work in accordance with God's will.

2. She must here indicate her ability to work in a foreign field by Christian usefulness at home.

3. She must declare her intention to make foreign missionary work the service of her effective years, and agree to give at least five of these years of continuous service, as a single woman, to the work of the Woman's Missionary Society, unless prevented by ill-health; she must also assert her willingness to labor in any field, though her preference is always to be taken into account.

4. She must furnish satisfactory testimonials in regard to scholarship; some experience in teaching and a knowledge of medicine and nursing are desirable qualifications.

5. The age of a candidate must not be less than twenty-two years nor more than thirty. A thorough intellectual training, with a

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facility in acquiring languages, and a remarkable ability for Christian work, may be considered as a sufficient reason for deviation from this rule.

6. Financial and executive ability, and power of adaptation to circumstances, are essential qualifications.

7. She must present a certificate of health from a competent physician, and give satisfactory answers to medical questions.

8. Resolved, --- That every missionary candidate be required to sign

the following contract :----, agree to conform to the above requirements and conditions while in the employ of the Woman's Missionary Society, and, failing in this, to refund the amount of outfit and passage-money.

2nd. After the adoption of a missionary candidate, she shall be regarded as under the direction of the General Executive Committee.

9. That missionary candidates be recommended by the Branch in which they reside, before their testimonials are considered by the General Executive, that there must be a personal interview with at least two members of the Executive before final acceptance.

## QUESTIONS TO MISSIONARY APPLICANTS.

1. Do you trust that you are inwardly moved by the Holy Ghost to take upon you the work of a foreign missionary?

2. Do you desire and intend to make this your life-work, and are you willing to labor in any field ?

3. Have you any experimental knowledge of salvation through the atonement of Jesus Christ our Lord ?

4. Have you an earnest desire to win souls for Christ, and how has this desire been manifested in the past?

5. Do you believe in the doctrines of the Methodist Church, as set forth in the Book of Discipline of said Church?

6. Have you a thorough English education ?

7. Have you studied Latin or any modern language; what proficiency have you made, and do you readily acquire the same?

8. In what schools have you taught, and with what success?

9. Have you a knowledge of music, either vocal or instrumental?

10. What is the condition of your health ?

11. Are you engaged to be married ?

12. Have you ever been married? If so, is your husband living?

13. Will you answer by testimonials to each of these questions?

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They shall incur no expense during the year to be met by this Society for which estimates have not previously been submitted to, and approved by, the Board of Managers at its Annual Meeting, or by its Executive Committee.

They shall credit to the Society all donations received for the support of their work, and annually report the same with their financial statement.

All solicitations for funds for special work must be made through the proper official authorities, and missionaries are requested not to apply to private sources for aid for support of their work.

A medical missionary shall keep an itemized account of all receipts and disbursements. Such receipts may be used for necessary expenses in the medical work, and any surplus shall be credited to the Woman's Missionary Society, and her medical outfit shall be the property of

We recommend that, when practicable, such arrangements shall be the same. made for the duties of our missionaries, during their first year's service, as shall allow them considerable time for the study of the language, and that during the first year of service their salaries shall be two-thirds of the fixed salary. But medical missionaries shall from the first receive full salary.

Our missionaries to foreign fields shall be allowed one hundred dollars (\$100) for personal outfit, and \$100 for house furnishings, when necessary-the latter to be the property of the W. M. S.

If there prove manifest unfitness for missionary labor, the Board of Managers may cancel its obligations to a missionary whom it has appointed-three months' notice having been given to such appointee by the Board or its Executive; return expenses to be paid by the Society, provided she return at the expiration of the three months.

A missionary desiring to return home from any other cause than ill-health, must secure permission from the Board of Managers or its Executive, otherwise her expenses cannot be allowed. ill-health demanding her immediate return, she shall bring a certificate of disability from a physician and the lady missionary in charge, and she shall be entitled to one-half salary for the year.

Leaflets (ordered from the list), Mite-Boxes and Life-Members' Certificates may be obtained on application to MISS ANNIE L. OGDEN, Room 20, Wesley Buildings, Richmond Street West, Toronto, Ont.

Monthly Letters and Reports must be ordered through Miss Ogden.

Articles for the "Missionary Outlook" to be addressed to MRS. WRIGHT, 133 Elmwood Avenue, London, Ont.

Items for the "Christian Guardian" to MISS FIRSTBROOK, 328 Wellesley

Street, Toronto, Ont. Items for the "Wesleyan" to MRS. WHISTON, 297 Brunswick Street, Halifax, N.S.

Items for the "Palm Branch" to MISS SMITH, St. John, N.B.

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## THE METHODIST CHURCH, CANADA.

I GIVE and Bequeath to the WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH the sum of

dollars out of my pure personalty, to be paid, expended, and applied by the said Society for the benefit of the Missionary Fund of the said Society, and the support of the different Mission Stations of the said Society, or any of them, or for the aid and support of the [fill in the name of the Mission for which preference is had for instance, the Japan Mission, the French Missions, or otherwise as the case may be] Missions of said Society, and the receipt or receipts of the Treasurer or Treasurers of the said Missionary Society, for the time being, shall be a sufficient discharge to my Executors, and the published Report of the General Board of the said Society, containing the appointment of such Treasurer or Treasurers, shall be sufficient evidence of the authority upon which the said Treasurer or Treasurers may demand payment of the said bequest.