

Booker Smith

*"The Church of the living God, the pillar and  
ground of the truth."—1st Tim. III, 15*

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BAPTIST CHURCH

PARIS, ONTARIO.

For the Year ending 31st Dec. 1889

Fasten this Report in your Bible for reference.

*"Let all things be done decently and in order."  
—1st Cor. XIV, 40.*

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**CHURCH SERVICES.**

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PREACHING—Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND PASTOR'S BIBLE CLASS 2.30 p. m

MISSION SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THE STATION - 2.45 p. m

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY  
Monday, 8 p. m.

GENERAL PRAYER MEETING—Wednesday, 8 p. m.

WOMEN'S MISSION CIRCLE—1st Wednesday in each  
month.

MISSION BAND -1st Saturday in each month.

COMMUNION SERVICE -1st Sunday in each month.

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**OFFICERS.**

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**PASTOR.**

Rev. S. Sheldon.

**DEACONS**

Stephen Dadson, Robert Morrow,  
Wm. Moyle, J. H. Patten.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE.**

DEACONS AND BRETHERN, Jas. K. Moyle, Robt.  
Gillies, J. K. Finlayson, H. W. Nellies,  
Thomas Aver.

**TRUSTEES.**

Robert Morrow, J. H. Patten, Robt. Gillies.

**CLERK.**

Jno. K. Finlayson.

**TREASURER.**

Stephen Dadson.

**USHERS.**

Wm. Russel, Allan Saunders.

**CHOIR LEADER.**

Mr. Alex. Kay.

**ORGANIST.**—Miss Mary Martin

**PEW MANAGER.**—Dea. Robt. Morrow.

**CARETAKERS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Lynchberry,

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.				DISBURSEMENTS.	
Balance from 1888	\$	3	22	Rev. R. Trotter	\$610 00
Arrears from 1888	\$145			Rev. S. Sheldon	240 00
Weekly Offerings	743			J. Camelford, Sexton	100 00
Pew Rents	17			Wood, &c.	77 68
Special Contributions				Pulpit Supply	16 00
to Bro. Trotter	130			Pastor's expenses to	
Special contributions to				Ottawa	12 75
Home Missions	53			Gasoline	80 01
Special contributions to				Insurance (3 years)	60 00
Foreign Missions	20			E. Randall, disburs-	
Fellowship Collections	21			ment	19 50
General Collections	179			Sunday School	10 00
	-----	\$1310	95	Hymn Books	23 20
				Foreign Missions	20 35
				Home Missions	53 50
				Wine for 2 years	5 00
				Water Rate	4 00
				Note and Interest	109 50
				Sund'es for repairs, &c	12 85
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		\$1314	17		-----\$1454 34

LIABILITIES.

Balance due Treasurer	\$140 17
“ Pastor	90 00
“ Sexton	25 00
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	\$225 17

ASSETS.

Arrears.....	\$175 95
Balance unprovided for	\$79 22
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	\$ 225 17

NOTE.—A glance at this sheet is sufficient to show that our finances have not been in a healthy condition. Our prospects for the year 1890, however, are brighter as our contribution pledges are over \$350 higher than last year. If all members will do their part cheerfully and promptly, our next annual report will tell a much better story.

Pew renting in this church as a general practice was abolished about two years ago. A few persons, however, prefer to pay rent for their pews still.

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 NUMERICAL STATISTICS.
 

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Names on Roll Jan. 1st, 1889.....	172
INCREASE—By Baptism.....	23
By Letter.....	8
By Experience.....	2
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	33
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	205
DECREASE—By Death.....	2
By Letter.....	13
Dropped.....	11
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	26
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Names on Roll Jan. 1st, 1890.....	179

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 CANDIDATES FOR BAPTISM.
 

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Persons appointed to visit Candidates for Baptism should endeavor to get, for their report to the church, definite answers to the following questions.

- 1.—Does the Candidate profess to be saved ?
- 2.—How long since he first made this profession ?
- 3.—Why does he believe he is saved ?
- 4.—Is the Committee satisfied that the Candidate is trusting only in Christ ?
- 5.—On what facts do the Committee base their answer to the foregoing question ?
- 6.—Does the Candidate understand the intention of Baptism ?



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## MISSION SUNDAY SCHOOL.

SUPERINTENDENT—Allan Saunders.

SECRETARY. — Arthur Sayles.

### TEACHERS.

A. Saunders, Miss D. Misener, Miss K. Smith, Miss Cuff, Miss E. Churchill, Miss K. Thomas, Mrs. England, Mrs. Robt. Gillies.

### STATISTICS.

Average attendance of pupils for the year.....	35
Number of pupils enrolled.....	50
“ “ papers distributed per Sunday.....	35

### FINANCES.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Sunday Collections \$32 00	School Supplies \$16 48
Subscriptions..... 5 00	Acc'ts unpaid 8 09
Xmas Ent. Coll.. 8 17	Bal. on hand
	after paying ac-
	counts due.... 20 60
\$45 17	\$45 17

### MISSION BAND.

President—Mrs. S. Sheldon.

Secretary—Miss Ellen Armstrong.

Treas.—Mrs. Lowland.

Collectors—Harry Morrow, Mary Morrow, Nellie Reid.

Names on the Roll, 56.

The amount raised during the year (\$13.65) was given to Foreign Missions through the W. M. C.

The object of the Mission Band is to awaken and develop a genuine Missionary Spirit in the hearts of the young by giving them fresh, stirring incidents from the different Mission Fields of the world.

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WOMEN'S MISSION CIRCLE.

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President—Mrs. Thos. Rickert.

Vice-President—Mrs. S. Sheldon.

Secretary—Mrs. S. Dadson.

Treasurer—Foreign Missions, Miss J. Randall.

Treasurer—Home Missions, Miss Emma Simpson.

Number of Members, 50.

During the year the following sums have been raised and paid out :—

For Foreign Missions.. . . . .	\$ 80 16
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For Home Missions. . . . .	28 65
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For Grand Ligne. . . . .	10 10
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	\$118 81
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YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY.

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President.—A. Saunders.

Vice-President—Miss D. Misener.

Secretary—Miss A. Schram.

Executive Committee—A. Saunders, A. Pequegnat, Miss D. Misener, Miss A. Schram, Miss M. Martin.

This is a Mutual Improvement Society, with a regular constitution, holding a meeting every Monday evening. A programme consisting of hymns, scripture reading, prayer, addresses and readings from religious literature is prepared by the Executive, subject to the approval of the Society, and on these programmes, each member is supposed to appear as often as possible. Any person in sympathy with the object of the Society may become a member by signing the roll. There is no fee. The attendance is large and the interest excellent.

## MEMBERS.

Armstrong Robert	Cuff Miss
Armstrong Mrs. Robert	Cossey Martha
Armstrong Mark	Crichton Thomas
Armstrong Mrs. Sarah //	Crichton Mrs. Thomas
Armstrong Adeline	Dadson Stephen
Armstrong Annie	Dadson Mrs. Stephen
Armstrong Ellen	Dickie Mrs.
Apps Mrs. Charlotte	Davidson Lizzie
Apps Charles	Davidson Jennet
Apps Hattie	Elliot Thomas
Apps Alice	Elliot Mrs. Thomas
Aver Thomas	Evans Fred
Aver Mrs. Thomas	Evans Mrs. Fred
Aver Myra	England Mrs.
Aver Clara	Finlayson John K.
Arnold Mrs. Annie	Frazer William
Almas Mrs.	Frazer Mrs. William
Bygrove James E.	Frazer William jr.
Bygrove Mrs. James E.	Frazer Annie
Bigham James	Ferguson Mrs. Nancy
Bigham Mrs. James	Finch Mrs.
Bannister Archibald	Finch Grace
Bannister Mrs. Archibald	Foote Miss
Battye Mrs. Hannah	Fick Thomas
Butler Mrs	Fick Mrs. Thomas
Brown Mrs.	Fick Tishue
Brown Miss Elizabeth	Fick Minnie
Bartram Frances	Gillies Robert
Bartram Jennie	Gillies Mrs. Robert
Bowler Geo. H.	Gardner John
Collins O.	Hawkins Mrs.
Collins Mrs. O.	Hicks Wm. H.
Currey Minnie	Hicks Mrs. Wm. H.
Clump Miss H.	Hicks Lily
Clump Mrs. Gilfred	Howell Mrs. Susan
Clegg Mrs.	Hutchinson Matilda
Clegg Addie	Holt Mrs. Nancy

Hamilton Mrs.	Newstead Charles
4 Howie Mary	6 Newell Mrs.
1 Jennie Eliza	1 Olmstead Mrs. Martha
Kay Alexander	Patten J. H.
Kay Mrs. Alexander	Patten Mrs. J. H.
3 Kitchen Mrs.	Patten Mrs. R.
Latshaw Lucinda	Pickering Hugh
Lapress Mrs.	Pickering Joshua
3 Lynchberry Mrs.	Pickering Hannah
Moyle Wm.	Pickering Helen
Moyle Mrs. Wm.	Pollock Mrs.
Moyle Joseph	Pollock Janet
Moyle Charles	Parney Mrs.
Morrow Robert	Peel Wm.
Morrow Mrs. Robert	Peel Arthur
Morrow William	13 Pequegnat Albert
Morrow Mrs. William	Randall Ephraim
Martin Mary	Randall James
Martin Mrs.	Rutherford Mrs. James
Miller Jennie	Rowland Mrs. Lettie
Miller Janet	Rickert Mrs.
Misener Maria	Rand Caroline
Misener Deborah	Russell William
Morrison Maud	8 Reid Nellie
Morrison Birdie	Sovereign Philip
McMichael Mrs.	Sovereign Mrs. Philip
McLellan Mrs.	Sovereign Albert
McLellan Mary	Sovereign Mrs. Albert
McLellan Annie	Spottiswoode Clara.
McLellan Cassia	Spottiswoode Hattie
McClung Mrs.	Spottiswoode Bella
McArtie Mrs.	Stenabaugh Mrs. Emily
24 McArtie Miss	Stenabaugh Gertrude
Nellis Henry	Speare Henry
Nellis Mrs. Henry	Speare Mrs.
Newstead Edward	Speare John
Newstead Mrs. Edward	Smith Wm.

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Smith Mrs. Wm.		Schram Addie
Smith Booker		Scarf Mrs.
Smith Katie		Saunders Allan
Smith Gertie Tovel		Stewart Lily
Sayles Thomas sr.		Sheldon Rev. S.
Sayles Mrs. Thomas	34	Sheldon Mrs. S.
Sayles Thomas jr.		Tovel Julia
Sayles Amy		Thomas Kate
Sayles Arthur	3	Telfer Alice
Sayles Solomon	1	Vincent Maria
Sayles Mrs. Solomon		White John
Stockton James		Whelpton Sarah
Strickland Mrs.		Whelpton Mary
Simpson Emma		Wells Mrs.
Somers Alice	5	Wells Elizabeth



