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Taking a retrospect of the work of the City Mission during the past months, we acknowledge the gracious guiding hand of our Heavenly Father and say in the words of the Psalmist "Not unto us O Lord, not unto us but unto Thy Name give glory," for truly the Lord has helped us by inclining the hearts of so many kind friends and subscribers to continue to take a practical interest in the work, thus enabling the Mission, to administer to the needs of our poor and suffering fellow-citizens. Gratefully acknowledging the generous assistance given, we present our Annual Report.

The Committee have met as usual, on the second Wednesday of the month, at the residence of the President, Mrs. W. R. Dean, when matters are taken into consideration, and arrangements made for the carrying on of the work, and Mrs. Salter's monthly report submitted. The Committee have been pleased to welcome Miss Veasey as a new member this year.

Gladly do we continue to avail ourselves of the services of our worthy Missionary, Mrs. Salter, whose untiring energy and judicious management of the work committed to her care, proves her efficiency. While administering to the physical needs, the Gospel Message has been carried by her to many homes and bedsides. During the year 477 visits have been made to homes. The patients in the "Jeffrey Hale Hospital" also have received a share of her attention—two cases also in the "Hôtel Dieu," placed there in order to receive treatment by an oculist.

The regular and increased attendance of from 22 to 28 women at the "Mothers' Meetings" held each Friday afternoon during the winter at the "Jeffrey Hale School House" has been most encouraging, the time spent at these gatherings has, we feel, been appreciated and we trust helpful in many ways. These meetings are presided over by the President and three or more members of the Committee with the Missionary.

Material, such as flannel, flannélette, print and grey Cotton, is provided and sold to the women at half cost, and garments are made by them for themselves or families. During the time occupied by sewing, some interesting story book is read; before closing, work is laid aside and a Bible lesson given by some member of the Committee. Once a month a tea is provided at the close of the meeting.

During the summer months, Mrs. Salter continued to visit occasionally, where her attention was most required.

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At Xmas time 35 families were kindly provided with dinners by the "St. George's Society," also 242 lbs. of beef and groceries from the Mission, distributed through Mrs. Salter.

The Committee avail themselves of this opportunity to most gratefully acknowledge the handsome gift of \$50.00 from an unknown friend to Mrs. Salter to provide "toys for some poor children." The money was carefully and judiciously expended by her, and two Xmas trees laden with toys to the delight of 130 children. After partaking of a comfortable and substantial tea each child was made the happy recipient of a present.

Xmas
Trees!

Thanks are due also to Mrs. F. Ross for her kind remembrance of the "Mothers' Meetings," by a generous donation of flannel.

The Committee desire to tender thanks to the St. George, Irish P. Benevolent Societies, W. C. Association, and many kind friends, for their generous liberality in donations of fuel, food, clothing, and money, earnestly requesting a continuance of their generosity.

Closing this report with gratitude for all the blessings of 1897 we "go forward" trusting that He whose work this is, will supply all that is needed of wisdom, workers, and means, and enable us to work with greater energy, knowing that "inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these ye have done it unto me."

MARY F. BROWN,

Sec., L. C. M.

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For the Year 1897.

Collected by Mrs. Geggie.		Mrs E. Hurper Wade.	1 00
Mrs E. E. Webb.....	\$5 00	Mrs A. T. Love.....	1 00
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Miss McKenzie.....	2 00	Miss M. D. Webster...	1 00
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Miss Maud Thomson.....	50	Miss Wheeler.....	50
Mrs Lawrence.....	25	Mrs H. Budden.....	50
Mrs Thos. Lawrence..	1 00	Mrs Gowen.....	50
Mrs Badger.....	1 00	Mrs M. Bell Irvine..	1 00
Mrs J. Theo. Ross....	5 00	Mrs J. H. Green.....	1 00
Mrs Nelson.....	1 00	Mrs A. Foulds.....	1 00
Mrs Penny.....	25	Mrs J. Ritchie.....	1 00
Mrs A. Miller.....	2 00	Miss Holliday.....	50
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Mr. John Brown.....	\$2 00
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G. Seifert.....	1 00
J. R. Kane.....	1 00
Mrs E. A. Pfeiffer...	1 00
W. B. Rogers	50
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Lady Meredith.....	1 00
Miss Winfield.....	50
Mrs Begg.....	50
Mrs R. Brodie.....	50
Mrs H. Griffith.....	50
Mrs W. Fraser.....	50
Mr C. Shaw.....	1 00
Miss Marsh.....	1 00
Mrs Copeman.....	50
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Mrs T. H. Oliver.....	2 00
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Mrs J. E. Jeffery.....	50
Mrs W. E. Meiklejohn	1 00
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Mrs J. S. Thom	1 00
Mrs McWilliams.....	2 00
Mrs H. Beemer.....	50
Mrs F. H. Andrews...	1 00
A Friend.....	25

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Collected by Mrs. Salter.

J. T. Ross.....	\$10 00
William Shaw	10 00
Hon. E. J. Price.....	10 00
F. T. Thomas.....	5 00
G. M. Webster & Co.	5 00
Dobell Beckett & Co..	5 00
A. Thomson.....	5 00
J. Macara.....	5 00
A Friend.....	5 00
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E. C. Fry	2 00
Hon. G. Irvine	2 00
E. E. Webb.....	2 00
T. H. Dunn.....	2 00
A Friend.....	25
J. Reid	2 00
W. A. Marsh.....	5 00
J. Ritchie.....	2 00
Herman Young.....	1 00
Arthur Ahern.....	1 00
A. H. Hunt.....	1 00
Herbert M. Price.....	1 00
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	J. C. More.....	1 00	H. C. Austin.....	1 00
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	A. Robertson.....	1 00	J. H. Holt.....	10 00
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Collected by Mrs. Salter.

J. H. Holt.....	\$10 00	H. R. Goodday	1 00
J. Louis.....	10 00	A. Thomson.....	5 00
Miss Fedden	5 00	Robert Hamilton.....	1 00
William Shaw.....	10 00	A. W. Colley	1 00
J. H. Billett.....	1 00	E. J. Hale	1 00
Dobell, Beckett & Co.	5 00	E. E. Welch.....	0 50
J. Thomson.....	1 00	Cash.....	0 50
J. T. Ross.....	10 00	A. H. Cook.....	1 00
Harold Kennedy.....	10 00	Ed. C. Fry.....	2 00
Hon. E. J. Price	10 00	D. Smith.....	2 00
G. W. Webster & Co..	5 00	W. R. Dean	5 00
J. Macara.....	5 00	Mrs A. Laurie, (2 yrs)	20 00
Cash.....	3 00	W. A. Marsh.....	5 00
Cash.....	2 00	John Ritchie.....	2 00
Friend	2 00	Herman Young	2 00
James Reid.....	2 00	J. J. Dunlop.....	1 00
J. B. Forsyth	1 00	J. C. More.....	1 00
Mrs J. K. Boswell.....	10 00	T. C. Aylwin.....	1 00
Miss Henderson.....	1 00	W. W. Welch.....	1 00
A Friend.....	5 00	H. Budden	2 00
J. L. Bell.....	1 00	Henry C. Austin.....	1 00
J. Winfield.....	1 00	T. H. Dunn.....	2 00
W. H. Wiggs.....	1 00	H. M. Price.....	1 00
A. Robertson.....	2 00	Mrs. Renfrew.....	10 00
C. P. Champion	1 00	E. E. Webb.....	2 00
Harcourt Smith.....	1 00	Geo. Elliott.....	1 00
T. J. Moore.....	1 00	W. Simons.....	2 00
E. Jones	1 00	Cash.....	3 00
J. L. Welch.....	2 00	Cash.....	2 00
Arthur Ahern.....	1 00	Cash.....	1 00
A. H. Hunt.....	1 00	Cash	1 00
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LOUISA F. POPE,
Treasurer.

