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REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Committee was held in Toronto, on the 17th and 18th December, 1891, nine members present. In view of letters having been received from Miss Leake and Miss Cartmell, regarding the arrival of Chinese women in Victoria for immoral purposes, the Cor. Sec. is authorized to prepare a petition to be presented to other Mission Boards to secure their co-operation in endeavoring to have the evil stopped.

Resolved,—That Mr. Watson and Miss Cartmell be a committee to purchase the furniture for the Port Simpson Home, and that Mrs. Crosby and Miss Hart be associated with them as advisory members; Miss Cartmell, Treasurer.

Resolved,—That an additional \$50 be paid to extend the insurance policy on the Port Simpson Home over three years.

The action of Miss Cartmell in sending Miss Lawrence to Port Simpson, to assist Miss Hart during the sickness of the children there, was sustained. The necessary appropriation for the expense was made. Letters were read giving particulars of the fire at Chilliwhack, stating that sixteen children had been sent to their homes, and fifteen children with the teachers were at Mr. Tate's.

A resolution was passed, expressing the high appreciation of Mr. and Mrs. Tate's kindness, sympathy and self-sacrifice in receiving our teachers and children into their own home at much personal inconvenience.

The Literature and Publication Committee was authorized to issue life-membership certificates for Mission Bands free.

That all money received from legacies be used for special purposes, unless the object for which it is to be used is specified by the donor.

A committee was appointed to meet with the Committee on Consultation and Finance, to take immediate steps regarding the erection of a home, to take the place of the burned Coqualeetza Home.

The Executive met again in June; six present.

The report of the Committee to meet with the Committee on Consultation and Finance was received. As the plans presented were too expensive, it was resolved that other plans be obtained, the cost of which should not exceed \$16,000 for the two Societies.

Provision was made for Miss Lund's furlough and the expenses.

Miss Veazey, having been accepted by correspondence, was appointed to Japan.

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REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Miss Cartmell was authorized to insure the furnace, furniture, desks, etc., of the new Crosby Home.

A committee was appointed to meet with the Committee on Publication and Literature, to formulate a scheme for the reduction of expense of reports, etc.

Twenty-five dollars was granted to the Literature Committee, for the purchase of leaflets, etc.

Decisions by correspondence :

Miss Amelia Brown having married Dr. Stevenson, medical missionary of the Parent Board, was released from her engagement with the Woman's Missionary Society, and her expenses were refunded.

That land be purchased at Chilliwhack in connection with the parent Society for a Union Institute for boys and girls; that Misses Cartmell and Clarke be representatives of the W.M.S. on the Building Committee at Chilliwhack.

That the following ladies were accepted and appointed: Miss Caldwell, of Somerfield, N.S., to Crosby Home; Miss Gifford, M.D., of Owen Sound, to China; Miss Veazey, of St. Stephen's, N.B., to Japan; Miss Alexander, of Owen Sound, to Japan; Miss Brackbill, of Owen Sound, to the Chinese Home in Victoria.

That Miss Wintemute take a full year's furlough.

That the architect's charges in connection with the Crosby Home be paid.

Approval was given of Miss Cartmell's return to Japan, providing her health would warrant it.

The Union Committee *re* Chilliwhack Institute, met in September, considered and accepted plans prepared by Mr. Hooper, subject to some changes. Dr. Sutherland was asked to instruct the architect to proceed with the work.

Executive met October 17th, at Brantford; thirteen present.

A letter was received from Mrs. Large, tendering her resignation as one of our agents; also a memorial from the teachers in Japan, asking that her resignation be not accepted.

Resolved,—That this Board regret exceedingly that any circumstances should have arisen leading to the resignation of Mrs. Large.

Resolved,—That the resignation be not accepted, but that we take this opportunity of expressing our sense of obligation to Mrs. Large, and our appreciation of her faithful and wise discharge of the important trust committed to her, and that we hope that the day is distant when anything may necessitate her withdrawal from our work in Japan.

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MINUTES OF THE ELEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING
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THE METHODIST CHURCH.

The Eleventh Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers of the Woman's Missionary Society assembled in Wellington Street Church, Brantford, on Tuesday, October 18th, 1892, at 2.30 p.m.

There were present :—

Mrs. J. Gooderham, President, Toronto.
Mrs. Dr. Carman, Vice-President, Belleville.
Mrs. Dr. Willmott, Recording Secretary, Toronto.
Mrs. E. S. Strachan, Corresponding Secretary, Hamilton.
Mrs. T. Thompson, Treasurer, Toronto.

WESTERN BRANCH.—Mrs (Dr.) Burns, President, St. Thomas ; Mrs. (Rev.) A. Cunningham, Corresponding Secretary, Guelph ; Mesdames (Dr.) Fowler, Dickson, London ; W. Phelps, Mt. Pleasant ; T. M. Jackson, Caledonia ; D. G. Sutherland, Hamilton ; T.H. Scarffe, Guelph ; Williams, Galt ; (Dr.) Rosebrugh, Hamilton ; James Mills, Guelph.

CENTRAL BRANCH.—Mrs. (Dr.) J. A. Williams, President, Toronto ; Mrs. (Dr.) Briggs, Corresponding Secretary, Toronto ; Mrs. (Dr.) Parker, Editor of Department in *Outlook*, Barrie ; Mesdames Bascom, McKay, (Rev.) Blackstock, Toronto ; J. Kendry, Peterboro' ; G. D. Platt, Picton ; L. Massey, Wallbridge ; C. H. Elliott, Belleville ; (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Warkworth ; (Rev.) G. Browne, Maple.

EASTERN BRANCH.—Mrs. W. E. Ross, President, Montreal ; Mrs. (Dr.) T. G. Williams, Corresponding Secretary, Montreal ; Mesdames Sawyer, Montreal ; McRossie, Kingston ; (Dr.) Atkinson, Gananoque.

NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.—Mrs. S. E. Whiston, Corresponding Secretary, Halifax.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH.—Miss Palmer, President, St. John, N.B. ; Mrs. J. D. Chipman, St. Stephen, N.B. ; Mrs. (Dr.) Johnson, Charlottetown, P.E.I.

BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH (by proxy).—Miss Cartmell, Hamilton; Visitors, Miss S. A. Wintemute, Miss H. Lund, Japan.

The Secretary being granted an assistant, Mrs. G. D. Platt, of Picton, was chosen.

The report of the Executive Committee was read by the Secretary and confirmed.

The President gave her annual address. For the first time we have had the privilege of listening to a report of our various Mission Fields from the home-workers' point of view, the President and Corresponding Secretary having at their own expense visited during the summer all our Mission Stations in Japan, British Columbia and the North-West. A cordial vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Gooderham.

The report of the Nominating Committee was adopted as follows:—

COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS.

Mesdames Carman, Fowler, Sutherland, Scarffe, Wilson, Blackstock, Kendry, McRossie, Whiston, Johnson, Atkinson, Chipman; Miss Cartmell.

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS.

Mesdames Gooderham, Strachan, Thompson, Burns, Rosebrugh, Cunningham, J. A. Williams, Briggs, Platt, Ross, T. G. Williams, Whiston, McRossie; Miss Palmer.

COMMITTEE ON MISSIONARY CANDIDATES.

Mesdames J. A. Williams, Dickson, R. T. Williams, Burns, Massey, Elliott, Browne, Carman, Ross, Skinner, Whiston; Miss Palmer.

COMMITTEE ON LITERATURE AND PUBLICATION.

Mesdames Willmott, Parker, Jackson, Phelps, Mills, Bascom, McKay, Johnson, Sawyer; Miss Cartmell, Miss Palmer.

COMMITTEE ON COURTESIES.

Mesdames Scarffe, Browne, Sawyer, Chipman.

Memorials and resolutions were received from Branches, and referred to the appropriate committees.

The report of the Corresponding Secretary was read and adopted, permission being given to add the statistics not yet received.

The report of the Treasurer, which was presented by Mrs. Thompson and adopted, showed the receipts for the year to be \$35,789.90, an increase of \$4,091.24.

Miss Lund and Miss Wintemute were introduced by the President, and on motion were invited to take seats with and have all the privileges of the delegates.

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Reports from the Branches were read by the respective Corresponding Secretaries. Reports from separate Auxiliaries were read by Mrs. Strachan, Corresponding Secretary.

The President reported that the Superintendent of Missions in the North-West, the Rev. Mr. Woodsworth, desired the appointment of an Organizer for that field.

The report of the French work was presented by Mrs. Ross and adopted. A memorial from the Committee on French Work, recommending an extension of the work by opening a school at St. Hyacinthe, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The financial statement of the French work was presented, Mrs. Torrance, Treasurer.

The report and financial statement of the Crosby Home were presented and adopted.

The report and financial statement of the Coqualeetza Home were presented and adopted.

The deed of the property on which the Coqualeetza Home was built, is held by the Parent Society, Mrs. Strachan was instructed to obtain a declaration that it was held in trust for the Woman's Missionary Society.

Miss Cartmell's report was read by Mrs. Strachan, Mrs. Gooderham having explained the circumstance of Miss Cartmell's return to Japan. It was resolved and carried unanimously that this Board desires to express its appreciation of Miss Cartmell's unselfish devotion in returning on such short notice to the work in Japan, and to assure her that our sympathies and prayers will be with her in her work in the future, as they have been in the past, only in an increased degree, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to Miss Cartmell.

The report of the Standing Committee on Literature and Publication was presented and adopted. A special vote of thanks was tendered to this committee, especial mention being made to the work of Miss Ogden and Miss Wilkes.

The report of the Council in Japan, including the reports of the various branches and the financial statements, was presented and adopted.

The recommendation that each lady appointed to Japan be allowed \$100 for outfit, and that during the first year of service her salary be two-thirds of the fixed salary. Carried

The President and Corresponding Secretary having permitted the Council in Japan to use the \$300 donated last year by Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle for the purpose of a school for poor children in Kanazawa, their action was sustained by the Board.

A recommendation from the Council of the Missionary Society in Japan was presented, asking that we establish a Central Home for evangelistic work in Hongo.

Resolved,—That while we sympathize with Dr. Eby in regard to

having a lady missionary in the district occupied by him, yet as a Board, we feel that the state of our funds does not warrant us in extending our work as desired this year. However, our Board has directed that a home be provided for two Bible-women and that our ladies visit this neighborhood as heretofore.

The report of the Chinese Home, Victoria, B.C., was read and adopted.

A communication from the Board of Trustees of the Kingston Medical Woman's College was presented, offering for the consideration of \$1,000 as a scholarship endowment to make permanent provision for the education of one missionary student annually.

The Secretary was instructed to inform the Board of Trustees that their offer had been placed before this Board for consideration.

The General Society having taken over the McDougall Orphanage, asked our co-operation, this was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The report of the Committee on Literature and Publication was presented by Mrs. Bascom, and the following recommendations adopted:—

1. That a badge pin be adopted by this society—a silver star encircling a little world—signifying the "Star of Bethlehem" encircling the world.
2. That the *Letter-Leaflet* be printed as at present.
3. That District Organizers be responsible for introducing and forwarding the Scattered Helpers Scheme.
4. That owing to the need of the prayer-cards in working the Scattered Helpers Scheme, the Committee be authorized to issue the necessary number.
5. That the publication of a missionary calendar be authorized.

The Committee appointed to consider the annual report and suggest improvements recommended:—

That in statistical reports General Corresponding Secretary omit column "amount raised," strike out word "net" in fourteenth column, also column giving "sale of reports, literature."

In Branch Corresponding Secretary's report, omit columns showing "number of auxiliary and life members" of previous year.

Column showing "decrease" to be retained.

Column showing "number of monthly and public meetings" to be retained, omit "total number."

That the same omissions be made from Mission Bands as from Auxiliary reports.

That all reports of Auxiliaries and Bands be omitted in report but not to take effect this year. Carried.

That the price of Report remain unchanged.

That orders for Annual Reports, Monthly Letters and Quarterlies, be sent direct to Literature Committee, Room 20, Wesley Buildings,

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Toronto, instead of through Corresponding Secretaries of Branches, the money to accompany each order.

That the leaflet entitled, "An Appeal to the Methodist Women of Canada," be furnished free to organizers.

The Literature Committee were empowered to issue any leaflet that may be helpful to Auxiliaries.

Report of *Outlook* was given verbally by Mrs. Parker, and adopted. It was recommended that we have an official correspondent for the *Outlook* in each mission field. In Japan the appointment of such correspondent to be left with the Council. The Executive to provide for the other fields.

Resolved,—That the *Mission Band Quarterly* be edited by one person. Miss Smith, of St. John, N.B., was appointed for that office; the Mission Band Corresponding Secretaries to be associate editors.

Miss Palmer, President of N. B. and P. E. I., reported the publishing of a paper entitled the *Palm Branch*. On motion, it was decided that the *Palm Branch* and our *Quarterly* be amalgamated.

The following Notice of Motion was given:

That Art. V., Sec. 1, of the Constitution be amended, to include as a member of the General Board of Managers, *ex officio*, the Secretary-Treasurer of the Standing Committee on Literature and Publication.

The report of the Memorial Committee was presented by Mrs. Whiston. Committee recommended,

That in Constitution for Mission Bands provision be made for a Corresponding Secretary;

That where a Mission Circle or Band desires to work in conjunction with the Epworth League, liberty shall be given to do so, but such Band or Circle must work under the Constitution of the Woman's Missionary Society. When this cannot be done it is earnestly desired that the Circle or Band do not affiliate with the Epworth League, but remain a separate organization;

That Mission Circles use the set of books prepared for the use of Auxiliary officers; also, that smaller books for junior bands be ruled to suit the requirements of such Bands, by the Secretary and Treasurer of the Auxiliary with which the Band is connected;

That as the work done by the Auxiliaries is legitimate missionary work, the expenses of delegates to Branch meetings are considered legitimate expenses;

That membership fees must be forwarded in full to the Branch Treasurer. Local expenses must be met out of other funds. This to be a By-Law No. 12;

That the memorial asking that Article II. of Constitution be amended to read, "women and girls," instead of "women and children," be not entertained, but be brought before the Branches next year. Carried.

Memorial No. 2, coming from the N. S. Branch, asked the Board to consider the urgent appeal of the Indians in the interior, and to take up work among these Indians at as early a date as possible; the Committee recommended this to the favorable consideration of the Board, and that the Executive be asked to consult with the authorities of the parent Society, and also that the Executive be empowered to take action as soon as practicable. Carried.

Report of Committee on Missionary Candidates, adopted.

No. 1.—Accepted, if necessary medical certificate be obtained.

No. 2.—Not accepted.

No. 3.—To be asked for the usual testimonials, to sign the requirements for missionary candidates, to answer the questions for missionary applicants, and that this case be left to the Executive.

That the Board endorse the action of the Executive Committee in appointing Miss Brackbill to the Chinese work in Victoria; but if two ladies be sent at once to China, Miss Brackbill be released from her engagement at Victoria.

The report of Committee on Appropriations was as follows:—

FOR JAPAN.

GENERAL.

Travelling expenses	\$50 00	
Postage and stationery	40 00	
Books and incidentals	10 00	
Furnishing allowances (for 2)	150 00	
Salary of Secretary-Treasurer	700 00	
		\$950 00

TOKYO BRANCH.

Tokyo School :		
Salaries of four ladies	\$2,050 00	
Study of Japanese	250 00	
Support of girls	800 00	
Teachers and servants	1,000 00	
Repairs and incidentals	500 00	
Printing and advertising	50 00	
Literature	30 00	
Postage and paper	20 00	
Miss Munro's furlough expenses	200 00	
		4,900 00
Evangelistic :		
Salaries of two ladies	\$1,200 00	
Bible-women	200 00	
Jinrikisha, postage and stationery	135 00	
Books, papers and tracts	100 00	
Incidentals	20 00	
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SHIZUOKA BRANCH.

Shizuoka School :

Salary of one lady	\$600 00	
Support of girls.....	110 00	
Teachers and servants	550 00	
Rent of building	180 00	
Wood and light.....	40 00	
Repairs and incidentals	40 00	
Miss Morgan's furlough expenses.....	200 00	
Moving expenses	110 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,830 00

Evangelistic :

Salary of one lady	\$600 00	
Papers and tracts	15 00	
Bible-women (three).....	150 00	
Jinrikisha, postage and incidentals	110 00	
Books and interpreter.....	70 00	
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KOFU BRANCH.

Kofu School :

Salary of one lady	\$600 00	
Teachers, servants and incidentals	600 00	
Teacher of Japanese.....	75 00	
Support of girls.....	100 00	
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Evangelistic :

Salary of one lady	\$600 00	
Bible-women	100 00	
Teacher of Japanese.....	75 00	
Papers and tracts	15 00	
Jinrikisha, postage and incidentals	110 00	
Miss Preston's furlough expenses	200 00	
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KANAZAWA BRANCH.

Kanazawa :

House rent	\$150 00	
Two school buildings, land and furniture	600 00	
Jinrikisha, postage, etc.....	75 00	
Bible-women (two)	100 00	
Teachers of Japanese	150 00	
Teacher for poor schools.....	150 00	
Moving expenses	30 00	
Salaries of two ladies	1,200 00	
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Home for Bible-women	\$15,300 00	
Miss Cartmell's return expenses	150 00	
Miss Lund's return expenses	240 00	
Miss Cunningham's return expenses.....	240 00	
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Salaries of three ladies at home	900 00
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Resolved,—That the Executive be authorized to send two ladies to Japan, if suitable persons can be found, and to provide for their salaries and travelling expenses.

INDIAN WORK.

CROSBY HOME, PORT SIMPSON, B.C.

Salary of Matron	\$450 00	
Salary of two ladies	700 00	
Support of forty children	2,400 00	
	<u> </u>	\$3,550 00
Nurse at Port Simpson Hospital		400 00

CHILLIWHACK, B.C.

Salaries of two ladies	\$750 00	
Support of nineteen children	1,140 00	
For new building	7,500 00	
	<u> </u>	9,390 00

McDOUGALL ORPHANAGE.

If reports from the Committee are satisfactory, the Executive Committee are authorized to expend a sum not exceeding \$600.

Total for Indian work..... \$13,940 00

FRENCH WORK.

Running expenses	\$2,534 00	
Interest	600 00	
Two Bible-women	560 00	
School at St. Jovite	50 00	
School at St. Theodore	50 00	
School at East End, Montreal	350 00	
School at West End, Montreal	325 00	
	<u> </u>	4,469 00

Resolved,—That the memorial from French Committee in reference to a school at St. Hyacinthe be complied with in so far that the Executive be empowered to make an appropriation during the year, if found necessary.

CHINESE HOME.

Insurance	\$30 00	
Support of home	400 00	
Matron's salary	400 00	
Teacher	400 00	
Water rates	12 00	
Scavenger	18 00	
Incidentals	100 00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,360 00

Necessary repairs to Chinese Home to be left to the Executive.

CHINA.

Resolved,—Provided that Dr. Sutherland approves, we send the two ladies who have been accepted for work in China, to Shanghai, at once, to study the language, and be ready to go to Shen-tu as soon as required.

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The necessary expenses would be :

Incidentals	\$300 00
Salary of medical lady	600 00
Teacher	500 00
Travelling expenses	600 00
	\$2,000 00

NEWFOUNDLAND.

Methodist Orphanage	500 00
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Mrs. Strachan stated that in regard to the action of the Board last year *re* traffic in Chinese girls, a circular letter had been sent to the different Woman's Missionary Societies, and a joint Committee appointed to take the necessary steps to ensure the prohibition of this traffic.

A verbal report was given by Mrs. Burns, and adopted, of the work of Committee on Indian Affairs, stating that forms had been prepared for returns from the Homes, petitions sent to Government, and considerable information received during the year affecting our work. The Committee on Indian Work was re-appointed, Mesdames Burns, Cunningham and D. G. Sutherland.

A letter was received from Miss Elderkin, of Chilliwhack, tendering her resignation, as she wished to enter some other department of mission work. This was accepted.

A letter was read from Miss Shoults, asking to be released from her engagement with the Society. This was referred to the Executive.

A letter from Port Simpson Auxiliary conveyed thanks for prompt response to the request for a trained nurse for Dr. Bolton's Hospital.

The Committee of last year was re-appointed to prepare the Annual Report, 6,000 to be printed.

The Supply Committee was re-appointed, viz., Mesdames Williams, Price, Briggs and Willmott.

The election of officers was proceeded with, by ballot. The following were declared elected :—

<i>President</i> - - - -	Mrs. Jas. Gooderham.
<i>Vice-President</i> - - - -	" A. Carman.
<i>Recording Secretary</i> - - - -	" J. B. Willmott.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i> - - - -	" E. S. Strachan.
<i>Treasurer</i> - - - -	" T. Thompson.

Editors of departments in *Outlook*, *Wesleyan*, *Onward* and *Guardian*, Mrs. W. R. Parker, Mrs. S. G. Whiston, Mrs. G. D. Platt and Miss McGuffin, respectively.

The Treasurers in the various fields were re-appointed.

The Literature and Publishing Committee was appointed as follows :—

- Eastern Branch—Mrs. Croft.
- Nova Scotia—Mrs. Bascom.

New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island—Mrs. McKay.
 Western Branch—Miss McCallum.
 British Columbia—Mrs. Hamilton.
 Central Branch—Miss Ogden.

The following resolutions were passed:—

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;

That the week before Easter be a self-denial week;

That Mrs. J. Lewis be appointed our representative to the Provincial Convention of the W. C. T. U. to be held in Belleville, October 25th;

That we have a form of bequest in the Annual Report;

That a letter of sympathy be written by Mrs. Blackstock to Mrs. McCoy, President of N. S. Branch.

A resolution, conveying words of loving sympathy to Mrs. John Ross, in her circumstances of personal affliction, received the standing endorsement of the Board.

That an expression of our appreciation of the generous gift of rice for the supply of the Chinese Home in Victoria during several years be sent to Messrs. Hall & Ross;

That the hearty thanks of the Woman's Missionary Society be conveyed to Rev. J. E. Gardiner for his long-continued interest in the Chinese Home, which owes its origin largely to his efforts; his watchful care and help in many ways have contributed to its welfare. We trust he may have the joy of seeing many Chinese in this country turning to the Lord;

That votes of thanks be presented to Dr. Dewart and Rev. Mr. Lathern for our columns in the *Guardian* and *Wesleyan*, and to Dr. Withrow for the column in *Onward*;

That an expression of the appreciation of the Board be sent to Thos. Hooper, Esq., of Victoria, for his services as architect of the building at Port Simpson. He bestowed unusual time, thought and labor to secure our interests, and amid many difficulties, has, as far as we can judge, dealt faithfully;

That we also thank the Building Committee who acceded to our request in overseeing to some extent the erection of the building;

That a letter be sent to the Secretary of Manitoba Conference, asking the members of that Conference to assist in the organization of Auxiliaries;

That the thanks of this Board be tendered to the pastor and trustees for their kindness in placing the Wellington Street Church

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That a special vote of thanks be tendered to the Press for their very full reports of the meeting.

Mr. G. D. McKay, of Toronto, was appointed Auditor of Treasurer's books.

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

A reception tea was given on Tuesday evening, after which a public meeting was held. The pastor, Rev. A. E. Russ, occupied the chair. The address of welcome was given by Mrs. Russ, which was responded to by Mrs. Whiston, of Halifax. Greetings from sister societies were received. The report of the Corresponding Secretary was read, after which Mrs. Strachan briefly addressed the meeting, giving place to Miss Wintemute, our recently returned missionary from Kofu, Japan, who impressed the audience with her intelligence and zeal.

A second public meeting was held Thursday evening. Mrs. W. E. Ross, President of the Eastern Branch, occupied the chair. Very interesting addresses were given by Mrs. Gooderham and Miss Lund, recently returned from Tokio, Japan.

The testimony meeting was led by Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, and was of deep interest and profit.

Motto : Malachi iii. 10 and Matthew ix. 37, 38.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

"How precious are Thy thoughts unto us, O God, how great is the sum of them."

So far as the general work of the year is concerned, it has been much like the year which preceded it. But in so far as the outlook appears to me, it is somewhat different, in that a personal observation is more satisfactory than anything else.

Often we have been advised to send someone to visit the fields occupied by the Woman's Missionary Society, but they are distant—women cannot always command the time, and the expense had to be considered, so the years went by and we assumed financial obligations which will necessitate a heavy yearly outlay.

The decision of Mrs. Strachan and myself to undertake the task of visiting all the Mission Stations, met the approval of the members of the Executive Committee, and though it was done voluntarily, loyalty to the cause requires that we should withhold nothing that will advance the cause whose servants we have so long been.

Leaving Toronto, April 18th, we arrived in Vancouver on the 24th, and sailed on the 27th for the "land of the rising sun," and were very glad when the shores of Japan were sighted. We were landed in Yokohama, May 11th, and made very welcome.

As the officers of the society—every opportunity was given us to observe and judge of the character and amount of work performed by all our agents.

Japan is now considered one of the most interesting countries to visit, and in many respects one of the most interesting and encouraging mission fields. Native agencies are multiplying and the people are progressing, as well as peaceable and polite generally in their intercourse with foreigners. In all the places occupied by our agents there is much to encourage, both in the school and in the evangelistic department. This fact caused us devout thankfulness. The quiet manner and voices of the students impressed us favorably. The absence of noisy footsteps or shutting of doors was very grateful to tired nerves, but the earnestness in religious duties, and the readiness to engage in teaching and evangelistic work by the students pleased us most of all.

A reception and welcome was given us in Azabu, Shizuoka, and Kofu, native Christian women presiding in every case.

Expressions of gratitude were abundant for the love shown by the women in Canada to their Japanese sisters, in sending teachers to lead them to Christ. As one said, "truly the sisters were heavenly angels to me."

"If ye sow sparingly, ye shall reap sparingly," may truly be said in Japan, and some churches are proving this now.

There are about forty millions of souls in Japan, and only forty thousand Christians. Our Church has a great responsibility there, in that so many doors are open to us. In a province of four hundred thousand, two of our teachers are the only resident foreigners, with, perhaps, three hundred native Christians. Other parts are much more destitute. "The harvest truly is plenteous, the laborers are few." The converts will need much counsel—we do not ask pecuniary aid for them, but these lambs must have spiritual food and guidance, and they will become strong to work for the salvation of others. We were asked to explain at the meetings the origin and history of the Woman's Missionary Society, and were assured that it was "bread cast upon the waters." We visited many other missions and passed through the district which suffered so greatly, from the earthquake, October, 1891. We were entertained in Kioto, in the Doshisha Jo

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Gakko, most hospitably, and witnessed the work of the successors of the late Dr. Neesima, of whom the Japanese are justly proud.

Mission schools are doing much for Japan womanhood. Education alone does not meet their wants. "A woman must be taught that she is more than a chattel, wholly at the disposal of her male relatives."

We have a noble band of women in Japan. They have much to discourage them. Temples of Buddha abound; churches are few. We little understand the temptations which beset the converts in leaving the old worship for the new. Let us support them all by more prayer, asking and expecting more from God through the power of the Spirit, so shall "Showers of blessings descend upon the thirsty land."

The home voyage was very pleasant; a goodly number of home-bound missionaries accompanied us. Miss Howe, of the M. E. Mission, had in charge two Chinese girls and three boys preparing for the medical profession. Miss Howe went to China with Dr. Hart twenty years ago, and was in the place he is now in until she was driven out of it. We were met in Victoria by Miss Cartmell and Mr. Gardiner who showed us every kindness during our visit in the city. After a few days' rest we started for Port Simpson. Those who have made the trip to Alaska know something of the pleasure of the voyage to Port Simpson in fine weather. We stopped a short time at Port Essington, and regretted that we saw Bella Bella only from the steamer. These three Christian Indian villages present a great contrast to some others, where, instead of the neat small houses, one for each family, furnished with stoves, lamps, sewing machines, organs, and other modern furniture, we saw the large houses where several families were huddled together, a fire built here and there on the clay floor amidst the general confusion and disorder. In these houses there was nothing to indicate that there was any poverty among the inmates. Abundance of granite ware unwashed lay all around. The canneries were at work, giving employment and large wages to all willing to work. The season is short, and the earnings soon squandered. The women squatted at the doors, with painted faces, gold and silver finger and ear rings, also bracelets; and good garments shewed how much the love of finery still binds them.

Port Simpson is beautifully situated. There are about seven hundred Indians in the village most of the year, who are ministered to by Rev. T. Crosby, Dr. Bolton, Miss Spence (a trained nurse), Miss Hart, and two other teachers in the Girls' Home, the teacher in the day school and Boys' Home. There is a rifle and fire hall, and two brass bands. The houses seem comfortable and pretty, the work in most cases of the owners.

The church and schools are well attended; Miss Hart has quite a difficult position to fill for one of her years. As she will soon leave

on her furlough, a woman of experience will be required to fill her place.

We attended a wedding in the church, and the feast in the rifle hall, where several hundreds were entertained. The cost of the feast was estimated by the missionary to be from \$150 to \$200. There are some handsome marble tombstones in the village valued at hundreds of dollars.

On the return trip we saw a potlatch in progress. I afterwards saw it described in a Nanaimo newspaper: "The greatest potlatch ever known took place at Cape Mudge on the 9th inst. Chief Bell of the Salmon River Indians, gave away 5,380 blankets, 350 boxes of biscuits, 280 silver bracelets, 150 trunks, and \$300 in cash. The total value is estimated at \$8,000." I learned on this visit that the Indian is generous. Are we doing all that is possible to direct this spirit of liberality into the proper channel?

Our visit to Chilliwack gave us the opportunity to see the Indians on their reserves. This valley is very fertile, and most of the Indians own lands, stock and crops. We were very sorry to hear that these are neglected by some who go to the States in "hop picking," leaving the aged and infirm to look after the work at home.

The burning of the Home was a great loss to the work. Miss Clarke is doing her work well in the school; she has some bright pupils. Miss Elderkin has her reward in the proficiency made by the girls in housekeeping, and Miss Somers was teaching them the use of the needle. I entertain the hope that many of the Indian girls in these institutions will develop into matrons and teachers, and occupy the responsible positions, their training in these industrial schools is intended to qualify them to fill. The Indians seem fond of social meetings, class and prayer meetings, and many of the children have accepted Christ.

On our return to Victoria to attend the first annual meeting of the British Columbia Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society, we found that Miss Leake had returned from her holiday trip. Many are ready to acknowledge the faithful work performed by her in the difficult position she filled in the early history of the rescue work.

Miss Cartmell was busy helping in the business of the Branch meeting, and making ready for her departure on the next steamer for Japan. In her quiet way she had attached many to herself by leading them to Christ, and the members of her Chinese Sunday School were very sorry to lose her from the work. Three of the inmates of the Home were married to Christian Chinamen before she left, and two returned to China on the same steamer. The Chinamen furnished the costumes for their brides, and the refreshments and wedding cake also.

The Branch meeting was most interesting; Mrs. Watson made an admirable presiding officer, and the whole delegation seemed enthusiastic.

We were in Vancouver, Alexander, acted as interpreter before sailing to make arrangements for the Columbia coast.

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We were present at the annual meeting of one of the Auxiliaries in Vancouver, after taking leave of the Misses Cartmell, Veazey and Alexander, Mr. Kobiashi and other missionaries. Mr. Kobiashi acted as interpreter at the baptism of three of his countrymen just before sailing. Our last act in the British Columbia province was to make arrangements to place "Gertie," a Chinese girl, in the British Columbia college at Westminster.

It is hoped that she will fulfil her promise and become a missionary to her own race after she has completed her education. Pray for her.

We stopped off at Morley and saw the new orphanage built by the government; it is full, and a fine opportunity is afforded now for excellent work amongst the Indian children. There is an abundance of bedding and clothing at the Home, sent out by the Supply Committee. We received much kindness from Rev. J. McDougall and family. The impression made by seeing the Indians riding over the prairie to and from church will not soon be forgotten. Their devout attention in the service was most pleasing.

At Calgary we organized an Auxiliary, held meetings in Brandon, Portage la Prairie, and Winnipeg, receiving much kindness for "the work's sake." We made some new friends and renewed old attachments. Coming so frequently in close contact with the servants of the Lord, we were saved from the dissipation and weariness so often experienced in travel, making us the debtors of many whom we may not meet until "the shadows all flee away."

What the Lord has done for us in the past is but an earnest and promise of what the future may be, if we are faithful in keeping His commandments, and walk in His ways, harkening unto the voice of His word. "All the kings of the earth shall praise Thee, O Lord, when they hear the words of Thy mouth."

The delay in opening a Mission in China has been trying. We lament that one who gave her life to the cause in connection with the Mission of the General Society, has fallen so soon, and we extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones. Have we prayed as earnestly as the case demands for the removal of all the barriers which stand in the way of our entrance into that field? Millions are without the "bread of life." Is it not surprising that oftentimes those most ready to feed the hungry evince no concern for those who are destitute of the Gospel? "The things which are seen are temporal, the things which are not seen are eternal." Have we any warrant in the Scriptures which will excuse us if we give more attention to the temporal wants of our fellows than we do to their spiritual need?

S. K. GOODERHAM.

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR THE
YEAR 1891-92.

The retrospect of another year brings memories of continued and added mercies and favors from our heavenly Father, such as prolonged life to all our missionaries, spiritual blessings in all our fields, souls renewed in righteousness, though not as many as we would desire, advance in knowledge on the part of our pupils, increased efficiency of our Bible-women and young Christian workers, added membership at home, and a somewhat enlarged income, with an incalculable enrichment of our lives through this service for our Master.

Thanksgiving is befitting. Let us hope that its expression may appear in renewed diligence and enthusiasm, a more complete devotion of time and means to the work of the Lord, and at the same time, enlarged supplication and expectation of His certain blessing.

Difficulties there are, but what work, worth the doing, is without them? Let us face them courageously, looking for the "wisdom that is profitable to direct," "with good will doing service as to the Lord."

JAPAN.

Our special lines of work in this land have been prosecuted with patience and devotion. Many evidences of God's presence and blessing have cheered the hearts of the missionaries, more especially in the growth in grace and development of Christian character and usefulness of those who, but for our schools, might themselves never have heard "the truth as it is in Jesus."

Of the seventy pupils in Azabu, Tokyo, fifty attend class, ten are Sunday School teachers, and here the result of their own daily systematic instruction in the Bible is very apparent. Two or three visit a hospital, and others daily teach a number of poor children, whom they have gathered from the neighborhood, thus learning to give out what they have themselves received.

In a city of a million inhabitants, one can readily imagine that there are boundless opportunities of following in the steps of the Master, who "went about doing good," and we realize that it is most important to send forth those now under our influence well trained and "thoroughly furnished unto every good word and work." It is a matter of rejoicing that they take evident delight in such employment, and it furnishes an augury of their future usefulness.

There have been five baptisms in this school during the year, and several others have applied for admission into the Church.

While the great majority are paying pupils, a few are supported by the Society; and again others have been admitted who have been willing and glad to do any work about the school in return for the advantages received. The ability shown by these, and their marked improvement, together with their gratitude, have been very pleasing.

In contrast with these there has been an occasional instance deeply painful to the teachers, of a girl rescued from temptation and poverty, yet not appreciating the opportunities offered, and so necessitating her return to her friends. Yet who can tell the result of her having heard even a few times of God and His great love to all the world?

The family worship in the school, when teachers, pupils and servants meet to sing, read and pray together, is very impressive, even though the language is not understood by an onlooker. After the opening hymn led by one of the teachers, the girls themselves conduct this service, reading the Scriptures alternately with the school, and three of them leading readily in prayer, after which all unite in the Lord's prayer. Some of the Christian girls are also a

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Azabu is the centre of our work in Tokyo, being the home of all our ladies and the location of our school; from it regular visits are made to several points in the city, from three to five miles distant, where services are held both on Sabbath and week days, and the work of the Bible-women supervised and supplemented. There exists in the school a very flourishing Society of King's Daughters, whose labors and gifts have been highly creditable.

During the year the girls in this school have raised 130 yen for charitable purposes, besides 120 yen for the Church, supporting a bed in a Christian hospital, also a child in the school, and carrying on the "poor school."

Six students have been in attendance at the Bible school, with a view to special training for work as Bible-women. In all our fields the two branches of our work, educational and evangelistic, are closely related and interlaced, both as regards the special employments of our missionaries and their general influence in either department.

One hundred and sixty-nine weekly, and sixteen monthly, meetings have been held; 1,864 visits have been made; forty-two have been baptized, and eleven are on trial.

In speaking of our interests in Tokyo, it would be very ungrateful to omit mention of the unwearied kindness and attention of Rev. Dr. MacDonald who, through all these years, has so freely and cheerfully ministered to the health of our missionaries and that of the pupils. His counsel, both as a medical man and as a wise Christian worker, is most highly valued, and our Church may well feel honored in having such a man on its staff. His expressed appreciation of our work has been a great encouragement.

SHIZUOKA.

The position of the work here this past year has been the most satisfactory of its history, both in our relations with the Japanese Directors and in the increase of pupils, thirty-one having been in attendance, six of whom have been candidates for baptism, besides some of the native teachers.

Eleven are in active Christian work, besides two Bible-women, under the guidance of our two missionaries. Five Sunday Schools, chiefly held in private houses, owe their origin to our Society, and are carried on by those connected with our school. A few here and a few there, gathered to learn about the Saviour of the world—who can tell the result!

KOFU.

Here the pupils have not increased as might be desired, but it is from no lack of efficiency on the part of the teachers, or want of convenient or comfortable quarters, the new building and grounds being very suitable and attractive, but it may be that the general reaction against foreign ways has at length reached this interior city, and it is to be hoped that the evident good accomplished will induce many more parents to avail themselves of these advantages for their daughters. It speaks well for the people and for our two noble representatives, that they can live in such peace and comfort in a large city, and it speaks loudly to our Church that these two young women are the only foreigners in that whole province of 400,000 people. To them, with the few Japanese pastors and evangelists, is committed the work of carrying the Gospel to this numerous population. "What are they among so many?" Village after village, town upon town, without one to proclaim the glad tidings. Surely we may rejoice that to us has been given the opportunity of building not upon another man's foundation.

The one who had the responsibility and honor of beginning our work in this city is with us, and we have no doubt that Miss Wintemute's presence and words will be a fresh stimulous and encouragement. Before returning to the

home land, she had the gratification of seeing the graduation of three who had had her careful training. Twenty pupils, nine baptisms and one conversion are reported.

KANAZAWA.

In this large city upon the north-west coast, another two of our ladies have been "holding forth the word of life" in women's meetings, Bible classes and Sunday Schools. We have no established school, but some poor children have been taught in hired rooms and it is proposed to erect a couple of inexpensive buildings in different parts of the city. This seems necessary so as to secure control of them for day and Sunday Schools, as in this city containing 250 Buddhist temples, there is such a strong opposition to Christianity. Two of our graduates from the Tokyo school have been of great help here as Christian workers, and we are thus reaping what we sowed a few years ago. Sixteen have received baptism.

Details of our different stations are presented in their several reports. We may well give thanks that God has heard our prayers and sent forth "laborers into His harvest." He has surely chosen for us and blessed their labor—a noble band of gifted, consecrated women, cheerfully and courageously doing service.

Three of them have returned on furlough, having well earned a period of rest and home coming—the one already mentioned, Miss Lund, of Woodstock, and Miss Cunningham, of Halifax, N.S.—while during the past summer three others have gone to occupy places in that important field.

Many other matters are deserving of notice, such as the Council, where all our representatives confer together and deliberate carefully before submitting any proposal to us, the conscientious watchfulness over the expenditure of money, the business capacity and faithful administration of our Sec. Treas., Mrs. Large; the weekly Sabbath afternoon prayer meeting of the teachers and the readiness to speak in private with those enquiring "the way of life." Our ability does not equal our desires; much more remains to be done, but thankfulness prevails for what has been permitted.

FRENCH WORK.

At the French Institute, Montreal, there have not been quite as many enrolled as during the previous year, but there has been a larger average attendance; fifteen of them entering as Roman Catholics, the greater number have now embraced Protestantism.

The two day-schools in the east and west end seem to be doing a fine work and are drawing increased numbers. The work of the Bible-women has been most encouraging, there being freer access to the homes of the people, and who can tell the result of these quiet visits with the reading of the numerous tracts distributed!

Two country schools have also received aid from our Society.

INDIAN WORK.

PORT SIMPSON, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The building so long desired has during the year been completed, possession being given in May, and the twenty-nine girls now in residence, with their three instructors, have a comfortable and commodious dwelling, in which, we hope, many will be brought to know and love God, and be trained in habits of cleanliness and industry. They are being taught sewing, knitting and housework, besides elementary education.

It is to be regretted that the land is of such a character as to preclude the making of a garden, and from the cost of transportation, living is expensive.

Our thanks are due to Dr. Bolton for his kind medical help during times of sickness in the school. We are glad that he has secured such an efficient helper in Miss Spence.

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Very fortunately the desks were saved from destruction. The children show marked progress in their studies. It was hoped that a new building would be erected early in the year, but delay has occurred through consideration of a proposal to unite with the parent Society in an institution of a more extensive character. A desirable property of twenty-five acres has been secured in the neighborhood, and plans have been submitted for a union building.

CHINESE WORK.

VICTORIA, B. C.

This has been a year of change, eight having entered and eight having left. Three of the girls were married one evening in the presence of several members of the British Columbia Branch, which had just been holding its annual meeting. One of them had been baptized the previous Sunday, and it was a very touching sight, as she was one of the six whose landing on our shores so stirred our hearts at our last annual meeting. During the year two of those six have found shelter in our Home, and better still, we hope they have learned of the true God and have put their trust in Him.

Through the summer a good deal of anxiety was felt owing to the prevalence of smallpox, but God, in mercy, preserved all the inmates of the Home even when the dread disease was claiming its victims in the next house. During this time especially the watchful care of Dr. Ernest Hall was much appreciated.

The requirements of our work seemed to indicate that Miss Cartmell should be transplanted back to her former field of labor in Japan, and she accordingly sailed August 31st, in company with the two young ladies chosen this summer.

One of the girls who had been in the Home for five years, and had shown aptitude for study, was sent to the Methodist College in New Westminster, through the generous contribution of our President and other friends, with the object of fitting her for future Christian work among her own people in this country; and much prayer is desired on her behalf that she may become "a vessel unto honor, thoroughly furnished unto every good work." A similar training is very much desired for another bright little girl, as the more workers can be multiplied among their own people the better.

While doing a little (and very little compared with the need) for those who come to our shores, we desired to reach beyond and send some to represent us in China itself. We did choose a young lady to accompany the party sent out by the parent Society, but in some way there happened to be one of the said party who also made the same choice before the journey was finished, and our Society, not being on the spot, had to yield; but we are glad that our Church is not the loser. We have a medical lady, who is only waiting for the opportunity, when she, with others, will join those who are already planting the standard of the cross in that distant field.

This is only a summary for convenient reference of the work in our different fields, fuller information being given under their respective headings.

The Home Departments in the work of the various Branches, Auxiliaries, Mission Circles and Bands, the publishing interests, the Supply Committee, the Committee on Indian Affairs, will all need to be heard to obtain a just idea of the year's growth, that is, in its outward manifestation. None but the all-seeing One can know all the thought, prayer and effort here represented, nor estimate the results; but all the good, purified and separated from any evil accompaniment, has been of His own inspiring, and to Him most gladly and most humbly do we offer all the glory.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF

CORRESPONDENCE

BRANCHES.	Number of Auxiliaries.		Auxiliary Members.	Net Increase.		Life Members.		Total Ratable Members.	Mission Circles and Bands.		Mission Band Members.		Increase.
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Western Branch.....	147	12	3500	391	193	20	3693	50	4	1725	
Central ".....	139	25	3527	739	194	10	3721	61	10	2086	319	..	
Eastern ".....	71	8	1702	317	54	..	1756	26	9	600	105	..	
Nova Scotia ".....	52	5	1119	45	77	9	1196	37	8	932	74	..	
N. B. & P. E. I. Branch...	72	12	1463	197	59	12	1522	44	9	1175	260	..	
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Bonavista, Nfld.....	1	..	23	14	
Grace Ch., Winnipeg, Man.	1	..	39	..	7	3	46	1	..	40	
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	Annual Fees.	Life Members' Fees.	Mission Circles and Bands.	Mite-Boxes in Auxiliaries.	Other Sources.	Received by General Treasurer.	Increase.
1725	\$3514 60	\$825 00	\$2078 00	\$776 96	\$2605 44	\$9800 00	\$1700 00
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REPORT OF INTERIM TREASURER, FROM OCTOBER 20th
TO NOVEMBER 3rd, 1891.

RECEIPTS.

To Balance, 1890-91	-	-	-	-	-	\$21,003 24
Collection at Annual Meeting, \$10.70; less paid						
Caretaker, \$5						5 70
Interest on deposit						401 98
						<u>\$21,410 92</u>

EXPENDITURE.

By Delegates' expenses to Annual Meeting, Oct. 20th	-					\$612 97
Officers, postage and cost of draft						43 75
Mrs. Thompson, for Japan (teacher's friend)						300 00
Japan, Oct. 29th						2,500 00
Miss Brown's ticket to China						190 00
Crosby Home, Nov. 3rd						636 20
Transferred to Bank of Toronto						17,128 00
						<u>\$21,410 92</u>

REPORT OF THE GENERAL TREASURER, 1891-92.

RECEIPTS.

To Amount received from Mrs. Rosebrugh	-					\$300 00
Balance transferred from H. P. and L. S. to Bank of Toronto						17,128 00
Western Branch						9,800 00
Central Branch						\$8,131.87 }
Onyon Bequest						1,925.00 }
Eastern Branch						4,424 65
Nova Scotia Branch						3,610 28
New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Branch						4,596 85
British Columbia Branch						559 15
Newfoundland, St. John's East Auxiliary						141 10
Newfoundland, St. John's West Auxiliary						159 77
Newfoundland, Bona-Vista Auxiliary						14 00
Winnipeg, Grace Church Auxiliary						269 68
Winnipeg, Zion Church Auxiliary						94 20
Portage La Prairie Auxiliary						29 25
Brandon Auxiliary						50 70
Acorn Mission Band, Morrisburg, for Miss Cunningham, B. W.						25 00
Bequest from Mrs. Hiram Seely						300 00
Donation from Friend, Tennessee						2 00
Life-members' certificates						23 51
From New Brunswick, for <i>Quarterlies</i>						12 64
<i>Leaflets</i>						10 61
Dominion Government grant for Chilliwack Home						1,300 00
Amt. returned from Furnishing Fund, Port Simpson						159 00
From General Secretary, on account of China						748 35
Interest on deposits						296 03
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Port Simpson, maintenance, etc.	\$2,231.67)	5,601 67
Port Simpson, building and furnishing,	3,370 00)	
Coqualeetza Home, Chilliwack	- - - - -	2,815 00
Chinese Home, Victoria	- - - - -	1,480 00
Chinese Home, taxes for three years	- - - - -	102 50
China, Miss Brown's salary, etc.	- - - - -	600 00
Ticket to Port Simpson for Miss Cartmell (1890)	- - - - -	50 00
Methodist Book Room, printing reports, <i>Leaflets</i> , etc.	- - - - -	1,734 36
Kilgour Brothers, mite boxes	- - - - -	70 95
Newsome & Hough, for Mission Band Life-members' Certificates	- - - - -	12 00
Grant to Literature Committee	- - - - -	25 00
Expenses of Depository	- - - - -	19 65
Letter Book and Corresponding Secretary	- - - - -	16 30
Stamps, stationery, and Recording Secretary	- - - - -	7 35
Lawyer's fees, Recording Secretary and Onyon bequest	- - - - -	33 59
Expenses of delegates to Executive Meeting	- - - - -	85 35
Treasurer's expenses, copying book, stamps, drafts to Japan, British Columbia, and teacher's friends	- - - - -	50 91
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		\$29,946 79
Balance in Bank of Toronto	- - - - -	23,830 85
One quarter's Government grant for Chilliwack, deposited in British Columbia Bank	- - - - -	325 00
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Examined and found correct,

G. P. MCKAY, *Auditor.*HESTER C. THOMPSON, *Treasurer.*

TORONTO, Oct. 15th, 1892.

Total amount raised this year	- - - - -	\$35,789 90
Amount raised last year	- - - - -	31,698 66
Increase	- - - - -	<hr/> \$4,091 24
Total amount sent to Japan	- - - - -	<hr/> \$14,873 16
Total amount sent to Port Simpson	- - - - -	\$6,237 87
Less \$15, amount returned Furlough Fund	- - - - -	150 00
Balance	- - - - -	<hr/> \$6,087 87

In the Newfoundland returns, St. John's West sent \$50, to support of pupil in Japan school, and \$30 for Chilliwack Home.

Nova Scotia sent \$34 50 for China, and \$7 for Chilliwack Home.

Grace Church, Winnipeg, includes \$50 from the Sabbath School for support of Grace Endo, Japan, and \$26 collection from special meeting, addressed by Mesdames Gooderham and Strachan.

Bequest received in May, 1891, from Dr. John McMurray, of Halifax, N.S., and included in donations for that year.

MISSIONARIES OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Entered upon the work.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	Former Residence.
JAPAN.			
Dec. 27, 1882	*Miss Martha J. Cartmell	Jo Gakko, 14 Torii Zaka	Hamilton, Ont.
Feb. 26, 1885	Mrs. Eliza Spence Large	Jo Gakko, 14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo, Japan	Paris, Ont.
Sept. 24, 1886	† Miss S. Aggie Wintemute	Jo Gakko, Kofu	St. Thomas, Ont.
May 31, 1887	† " Hannah Lund	Jo Gakko, 14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo, Japan	Woodstock, Ont.
Sept. 15, 1887	† " Janie Cunningham	Kanazawa, Japan	Halifax, N.S.
Jan. 23, 1888	§ " Kate Morgan	Jo Gakko, Shizuoka, Japan	Brantford, Ont.
May 16, 1888	" Gussie Preston	Jo Gakko, Kofu	Mt. Pleasant, Ont.
Sept. 1, 1888	" Jessie K. Munro	Jo Gakko, 14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo, Japan	Peterboro', Ont.
May 30, 1889	" Isabella Hargrave	Kanazawa, Japan	Winnipeg, Man.
Aug. 27, 1889	" Lizzie Hart	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo, Japan	Arcadia, N.S.
" "	" Isabella Blackmore	" " " "	Truro, N.S.
" "	" Nellie Hart	Jo Gakko, Kofu	Pictou, Ont.
Aug. 12, 1891	" Minnie A. Robertson	Jo Gakko, Shizuoka	St John, N.B.
" "	§ " Bertha M. Shoults	" " " "	Parkhill, Ont.
Sept. 1, 1891	" Annie Cushing	Kanazawa, Japan	—, Ont.
Sept. 13, 1892	" M. Abbie Veazey	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo, Japan	St. Stephen, N.B.
" "	" Alexander	" " " "	Streetsville, Ont.
PORT SIMPSON, B.C.			
March 3, 1888	Miss Sarah L. Hart	Port Simpson, British Col.	Berwick, N.S.
Dec. 17, 1891	" E. Beavis	" " " "	Hastings, Ont.
May 23, 1892	" Leda T. Caldwell	" " " "	Summersville, N.S.
CHINESE HOME.			
Dec. 22, 1887	Miss Annie Leake	100 Cormorant St., Victoria, British Columbia	Parrsboro', N.S.
COQUALLETZA HOME			
March 23, 1889	Miss Laura Elterkin	Chilliwack, British Col.	Port Greville, N.S.
Jan. 4, 1890	" Lavinia Clarke	" " " "	Pownall, P.E.I.
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* Miss Cartmell re-entered the work in Japan, September, 1892.

† Home on furlough § Returned.

REPORT OF THE LITERATURE COMMITTEE.

Acting on the instructions received from the General Board at its meeting, last year, your Committee secured "a room in Wesley Buildings, to be used as a central depot for literature." This has been found of great convenience to all interested in our work, and used not only by the Committee, but for the Executive meetings of both Board and Branch when necessary. It has been furnished by the kindness of friends, and is open every Wednesday morning from 11 o'clock to 1.

The monthly *Letter Leaflet* was enlarged to twelve pages, and has now an average monthly circulation of 10,000 copies.

In reference to the resolution passed by the General Board, "that statistical reports be simplified," your Committee, after careful thought, considered, in view of the fact that a large number of the old forms were still on hand, it was better to make use of them for the present year, and delay publishing another form, especially as this resolution seemed to conflict with By-law No. 1, page 167 (Annual Report).

Of the schedule for Mission Bands, the preparation of which was left in the hands of the Mission Band Corresponding Secretaries, 300 copies were printed.

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Owing to the delay of the manuscript of specimen page for Mission Band Secretaries "as a guide in keeping correct records of their work," reaching the Committee, it was, after careful consideration, deemed advisable to postpone publishing it until this year.

The Missionary Catechism, authorized by the Board, has been published, and several kind references made to its usefulness among our Juvenile Bands.

The booklet, "Why are We Protestants?" was published in an attractive form, and in time for the Christmas sales. There has been a steady demand for it, the edition being half exhausted.

Suggestions having been received by the Committee for life-member certificates for Mission Bands, after careful thought and consultation with the Mission Band Corresponding Secretaries of the different Branches, it was decided to publish one. A very pretty design was prepared by Miss Orr, a member of one of the Auxiliaries in Toronto, and to whom the thanks of the Committee are due for her valuable assistance.

Leaflets which are in stock have been reviewed in the *Monthly Letter Leaflet* from time to time, according to a resolution of the General Board, thus drawing attention to them; not only in the increased sales are the good results shown, but the interest thus aroused is as good seed sown which will continue to bring forth such harvests as will bless both sower and reaper.

The publications for the year are as follows :—

Constitution—Woman's Missionary Society	1,000 copies.
Duties of Auxiliary Officers	3,000 "
Origin and Work	5,000 "
Hints and Helps Over Hard Places	4,000 "
What Thomas Henry and I learned at the Board Meeting in London	3,000 "
Ten Reasons	3,000 "
Scattered Helpers' Leaflets and cards	2,000 "
Why are we Protestants	1,000 "
Easter Obligations	2,100 "
An Appeal to the Women of the Methodist Church	2,000 "
One Self-Denial Week	1,000 "
Missionary Catechism	1,000 "
Prayer Cards	2,500 "
Mission Band Life-Member Certificates	200 "
Mission Band Schedules	300 "
	31,000

Over 3,000 mite-boxes have been distributed, about the same as last year.

The Committee are deeply indebted and return their thanks to all those interested in the Woman's Missionary Society who have assisted them in the preparation of the *Monthly Letter Leaflet*, and the various publications issued by them this year. Also, to the Mission Rooms and Book Room for their many kindnesses received, which have materially lightened the labors of the Committee.

The Committee have met thirty-two times. They have enjoyed being brought into contact with the many kindred hearts all over the country who are engaged in strengthening and extending the work of Christ's kingdom. They have recognized also the responsibilities of their task, and in closing this report would respectfully emphasize the importance of our literature as a factor in the work of our Woman's Missionary Society in continuing the interest already aroused, and in creating interest in the hearts of others.

M. B. WILLMOTT, *Convener.*

MARY G. CARTY, *Secretary.*

Total amount received for leaflets this year	}	Ending October 13.	\$314 96
" " " " " last "			74 36
Increase			240 60
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Number of leaflets sold this year	}	Ending with June.	13,136
" " " last "			3,905
Increase			9,231

(Mainly due to advertising begun by Miss Wilkes in *Monthly Letter*.)

Subscriptions to Missionary periodicals	\$160 00
" previous year	36 00
Increase	124 00

(Signed)

ANNIE L. OGDEN.

October 14th, 1892.

REPORT OF THE SUPPLY COMMITTEE.

We have again to thank our numerous friends for their liberal contributions of clothing and bedding to the different missions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Society, and are very thankful that, owing to the generosity of our Auxiliaries and Mission Bands, we have in addition been able to contribute to the comfort and joy of many poor Indians, not only in the North-West, but in Ontario.

We have found missions among the white people also, in poor districts, who have highly appreciated these gifts, and are assured that many prayers and blessings have gone to the throne of grace for the Christian charity of the members of the Woman's Missionary Society. The work has extended considerably during the past year, and we owe many thanks to the Indian Department at Ottawa for their payment of freight on clothing to the Indians in the North-West, the total sum of \$147.92 having been refunded by them to Auxiliaries and Mission Bands.

As far as we can judge, by the contents of cases sent to different missions, the aggregate value has been over \$2,000.

The Committee has received in cash the sum of \$75.13, which was used in the purchase of goods and payment of freight to missions in Ontario, British Columbia and the North-West. Neither this sum nor that paid by the Government includes the freight on boxes sent direct from different places. Nearly 150 Auxiliaries and Mission Bands have been engaged in this work of benevolence.

MCDUGALL ORPHANAGE.—This institution was represented to us early in the year as being in great need of assistance, and the appeal met with a generous response. Cases were sent from the following places valued at the sums mentioned: Welland, \$38; Newmarket, \$59.75; Dereham Centre, \$35; Warkworth, \$30; Bloomfield, \$48; Winchester Epworth League, \$26.45; Wicklow, \$23; Orono, large bale, \$98.76; Dominion Church, Ottawa, \$173.14; Playfair, \$27.75; Carlton Street Mission Band, flannel underwear, \$10; boots donated by Messrs. S. R. and D. Hanna, Toronto, \$6; boots, per Mrs. (Dr.) Rosebrugh, Hamilton, \$10; Members and friends of Davisville Church sent a valuable case of goods, \$81.59; sewing machine, from Davisville Church, \$30; Eglington congregation

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sent large stove, \$44 ; Carlton Street Sunday School contributed a parcel, \$1 ; parcel of pants from Mr. Fred. Walker, Toronto, \$15 ; Dunnville Auxiliary sent 48 yards rag carpet, \$30 ; Fredericton, N.B., sent yarn, \$5 ; Granton, Keene and Mt. Pleasant each contributed useful articles ; Mrs. W. W. Ogden contributed \$5 ; A Friend, \$2 ; Mrs. Strachan, \$1 ; W. H. Doel, Esq., \$10 ; Davisville, \$5 ; Scarboro', \$10.

CHILLIWHACK—The fire at Chilliwhack called for generous support, which was responded to by Brockville, Barrie, Galt, St. George, Petrolea, Baltimore, Belleville, Tabernacle Mission Band, Pennville Mission Band, Mount Albert, and a large and valuable case from Auxiliaries and Mission Bands of Prince Edward Island, viz.:—Summerside, Alberton, West Cape, Montague, North Wiltshire, Bedeque ; Mission Bands, Summerside and Wesley ; also friends from Mount Mellick, St. Avars, Avondale and Charlottetown. Mrs. Prowse, Murray Harbor, \$5 ; Miss Tuplin, Margate, \$1 ; a Friend, Schomberg, \$1. Quilts were sent from Bathurst, N.B., and Fredericton, N.B., Mission Bands, and Vankleek Hill ; Aurora (Junior) Mission Band sent six quilts ; Thomasburg Auxiliary, case valued at \$26.

CROSBY HOME—Received gifts of clothing and bedding from Verschoyle (Ebenezer Auxiliary), Wallace, N.S. ; Lefroy, Maple, Woodstock, N.S. ; Queen's Avenue, London ; Colborne, Burlington, Hants County, N.S. ; Huntsville Mission Band, Rockwood, Vankleek Hill.

HOSPITAL AT PORT SIMPSON—Received a box of clothing and bedding from Athens ; Thornbury Mission Band sent scrap-books ; Rednersville (Centre Church), quilts ; "Helping Hand Mission Band of St. Paul's Church, Toronto, sent bedding ; Queen Street Auxiliary, Kingston, box of clothing.

CHINESE HOME, Victoria—The Ebenezer Auxiliary, Dereham Circuit, sent small parcel, and Honeywood Mission Band, three quilts.

GORE BAY—Box of clothing was sent from Collingwood Auxiliary.

NORTH BAY—Received box of clothing and Christmas presents from Norwood Mission Band and Castleton ; the Broadway Tabernacle Auxiliary of Toronto sent a large case ; Stoney Creek, barrel of clothing.

CAPE CROKER—The Cambridge Street Mission Band, Lindsay, sent a valuable box at Christmas time.

SAUGEEN—Received cases from Seaforth, Glencoe and Atwood ; St. Thomas Auxiliary sent \$20.

REV. S. HUNTINGTON, Sturgeon Falls—Received cases and bales from Brockville, Grimsby, Playfair, Perth, Prescott and Guelph Mission Circles.

ST. CLAIR—To this Mission the Renfrew Mission Band sent a box, and Brockville and Prescott sent box and bale.

GIBSON RESERVE, Muskoka—Niagara Falls, Pickering, Woodham, and London South Mission Circles sent boxes and bales of clothing.

BEREN'S RIVER, per Rev. J. Semmens, Winnipeg—A case valued at \$86 from Milverton ; \$6.50 in cash from Kettleby Sunday School ; large box of clothing and Christmas gifts from Goderich Mission Circle to Mr. McLaughlin.

OKA—The Varna Auxiliary sent a large box of clothing.

MOOSE WOODS RESERVE, SASKATOON—The "Busy Bees" Mission Band, Montreal East, sent a valuable box of clothing ; a case from Milverton valued at \$75 ; bale from Portsmouth, \$30. Picton and Brampton sent bales. Oshawa and Ingersoll Mission Bands also rejoiced the teacher's heart by their kind gifts.

FRENCH INSTITUTE—The "Light Bearers" Mission Band, First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, sent quilts and pair of blankets ; Orono, bale of quilts, \$24 ; Miss Swayze's Bible Class at Mt. Vernon Sunday School sent \$1.52.

EDMONTON—Received a case from Lefroy.

PARRY ISLAND—Teeswater sent a box valued at \$30.

CHRISTIAN ISLAND—A box from Clinton.

MUNCEY—Received a package of clothing from Bowmanville, and a case from Jasper.

THESSALON, Algoma—Dungannon sent box of quilts and clothing; Granton, quilts; and Luton, a box valued at \$18.60.

SUDBURY—Received a case of quilts and clothing from Wellington.

POWASSAN—Box from Granton, also a sewing machine kindly donated by Mrs. Greene to the missionary's wife; a case from Greenwood Auxiliary.

YEARBY'S, UTTERSON—St. Mary's Mission Band sent barrel of clothing.

PEVENSEY—St. George Auxiliary sent 300 Sunday School books.

FALKENBURG, Muskoka—Received parcel from Queen's Avenue, London, and boxes from Frankford and Vanessa. A Society of little girls, called "The Little Protectors," from Frankford, sent a specially nice quilt. Corbett's Corners Sunday School sent \$14.38, which, with \$9 from Broadway Tabernacle, Toronto, was used for the purchase of Christmas gifts to missionaries. Carlton Street "Daughters of Comfort" sent \$4.15; Laurel, \$1.10.

Thanks are due to Mr. C. W. Watson, Molesworth, for a case of boots and shoes, remnants of cloth, boys' caps and children's hose, which were sent to the Committee for distribution.

REV. J. SEMMENS, Winnipeg, very kindly ships our cases to the far north, such as Beren's River and Norway House. Norwich, Gorrie, Newcastle and Cobourg sent valuable cases which were very greatly appreciated by the recipients.

GODERICH—Auxiliary sent large case of clothing to North-West, per Rev. E. R. Young.

ROSALIE M. BRIGGS, *Secretary*.

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THE JAPAN WORK.

The Fifth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society's Council in Japan, was held in Karuizawa, July 13th and 14th, 1892. The following members were present: Mrs. Large, Misses Munro, Lund, Preston, Hargrave, Blackmore, N. Hart, L. Hart, Morgan, Shoults and Robertson.

After the opening devotional exercises, the Secretary of the Council addressed the meeting and welcomed the beloved President and Cor.-Sec. of the Woman's Missionary Society to our midst, and extended to them all the privileges of members of the Council. She also stated that Miss Cushing had received a certificate of health from Dr. Macdonald, and that all the terms for her reception as a member of the Council were now fulfilled. By a unanimous vote, Miss Cushing was received as a member of the Council. The reports from the various Branches of the work were read and received as follows:

TOKYO BRANCH—SCHOOL.

Only one in daily contact with our school can know the amount of work being done by our students. The Christian living and Christian influence cannot be put into words, but for the encouragement of our fellow-workers I will try to give a resume of the reportable work done by our Christian girls.

Once a month some of our pupils visit a Christian hospital in which they pay for the support of a bed. Although not more than 5 sen a month from each contributor is allowed, more than yen 35 has been given; many of the 5 sen pieces have been earned. Our "King's Daughters' Society" have expended 53 yen, and have a balance on hand of 70.00 yen, almost all of which has been earned. In turn each "King's Daughter" teaches in our poor school, four going for an hour each day, including Saturday. More than 6 yen have been given to the Scripture Union Society. At the time of the great earthquake in Nagoya, some 47 yen were contributed by the pupils and sent to the relief of the sufferers. All this is exclusive of church subscriptions, missionary, Sunday School and other collections. In all, about 250 yen (gold, \$180) in money have been given by the students of our school for religious and charitable purposes. Besides this, old clothing has been received and made over for the poor. Twelve of our students go out every Sunday for Sunday School and hospital work. One of the senior girls acts the part of an elder sister to the little ones while the others are at the Sunday evening service, and various other meetings are aided or conducted by our girls.

This term we report our first income from our industrial work, which is succeeding according to our hopes. Our attendance continues the same, about seventy. Five have been baptized during the year. One child from the poor school, which is supported by the "King's Daughters' Society," has also been baptized. It has been necessary to expel one of our supported girls.

Evangelistic.—We began this year with six Bible-women, but during the year one has been dropped, one has left us, and one resigned temporarily on account of illness. One hundred and sixty-nine weekly, and sixteen monthly

meetings have been held, with an average attendance of twelve. The greatest average attendance was twenty, the least five. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four people have been visited, forty-two have received baptism and eleven are still on trial. Taken as a whole, the work has been marked by considerable advancement, the women showing by their lives that they have attained to a deeper knowledge of the things of God.

Six students have entered the Bible school. Of these, one has been dropped, and the remaining five have successfully completed their first year's work. Two of these have assisted in Sunday School work, and the other three have visited in the charity hospital. During the week, one taught a class in the school, two caught in the "King's Daughters" poor school, and the other two worked as opportunity offered at our women's meetings.

SHIZUOKA BRANCH—SCHOOL.

We are glad to report an increase of twelve pupils since Easter. Two of last term's pupils were obliged to withdraw on account of ill-health, one of these expects to return in the fall. Our attendance is now thirty-one, besides two special pupils.

We have watched with delight the growing interest of the girls in their Bible study. Eleven of our pupils are engaged in active Christian work. Six are candidates for baptism, and we hope that during vacation permission will be given them to be baptized on their return. The "King's Daughters' Circle" is widening, and its members are more anxious to work for the Master. The Sunday School started last term has a regular attendance of twenty-two. We gratefully acknowledge our Father's guiding hand during the past, and pray that an increased earnestness may mark our next year's work.

Evangelistic.—Regular meetings have been held once a fortnight at Hirona, Ejiri and Shimada. Once a month at Fujiyeda and Yonakoshi. Every Wednesday afternoon a Bible Class has been held at the school, to which all interested in Bible study were invited (this was not open to the pupils of the school, but for outsiders only). Four Sunday Schools have been carried on. It was necessary to close one of these for a time, but it will be reopened again in the autumn. The others are in a favorable condition, the attendance is good and the order excellent. The school in the west end of the city was given in charge of one of the pupils of our girls' school; the interest and attendance there are especially good. A lady near Hirona has an empty storehouse which she has offered for Sunday School use. We expect to accept her offer and open there in the autumn.

The Bible-women's reports show an increased number of visits; several non-Christian families are being reached. The Bible-woman in Numadzu reports troubles in the Church that have interfered with her work. She is an earnest, true Christian, and we trust that ere long the troubles will be past.

When thinking of the difference between what one wishes to see, and what is actually seen, there might be cause for discouragement, but we labor on, knowing the battle is not ours but the Lord's, and in his own time good will triumph and an abundant harvest be reaped.

KOFU BRANCH—SCHOOL.

In looking back over our work of the past year in Kofu, as the perplexities and the blessings, the difficulties and the discouragements, pass in review before us, the predominance of the blessings and encouragements is very plain. The difficulties have been very real and often discouraging for a time, but many of them belong now only to the past, while the encouragements are encouragements still.

In the school the year has been a memorable one. The opening of the new building took place during the first term, greatly increasing our comfort and

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the facilities for work. The first graduation (a class of three girls) and Miss Wintemute's departure marked the close of the second term. At the beginning of the third, we felt some anxiety for the girls who, owing to the graduations, now became the seniors of the school. These were a class of six by no means model girls, and we were doubtful as to the effect their new position would have upon themselves. On the whole we believe it has done them good. At times they have seemed in immediate danger of overbalancing, but throughout they have made honest efforts and shown a real desire to fill their position worthily.

Early in the year a weekly prayer-meeting was started at the request of the teachers and some of the older students, and though nothing has been said by way of urging attendance, all the resident students have been present at every meeting, unless prevented by sickness or by their work in the cooking-class. At first only a few took part in the meetings, now there are but a few who do not. Much earnestness was manifested at our last meeting, and two girls led in prayer for the first time.

The influence of the reaction against woman's education, which began in Tokyo three years ago, is being felt here now; though it can scarcely be called "reaction against" in Yamanashi, it is rather a loss of interest in the matter, a feeling that woman's education is of small importance, and any trifling inconvenience may lead a man to remove his daughter from school. We began the year with thirty-one girls, we closed with twenty. The founders of the school have lost none of their interest in it and its work.

Evangelistic.—The Lord has graciously manifested Himself in power among us in the work of the past year. There have been shadows; we have seen numbers listening to the truth faithfully and earnestly for a time, and then "the cares of this world" choked the good seed and it was unfruitful. Again, we have not been given to see any fruit of our labor in some of the country meetings, but notwithstanding disappointments, some have been brought into the fold. Our opportunities for work have widened, the tie that unites us to the Japanese has been strengthened, and there has been marked growth spiritually among our Christian workers. Our Bible-women's training class, held twice a week, numbers ten members, and nearly all are engaged in some form of Christian work. We have nine baptisms and one conversion to report. There have been two weekly meetings, one fortnightly, six twice a month, and three monthly. "Strengthen, O Lord, that which thou hast wrought in us."

KANAZAWA BRANCH.

The last year has been a good one, and we feel the Lord has been with us, and that the guidance for which we have so often prayed has been given. Three women's meetings have been held weekly; one of these, until Christmas, was in the house of an old lady who with her husband had become interested in Christianity through attending some of the preaching services. At the beginning of the year we decided that it would be well to remove this meeting to the church, where we could have a fire, as we suffered from the cold in the Japanese house. The change was a good one. The attendance was largely increased, and no storm was severe enough to keep the old lady, now thoroughly interested, away. On April 17th she and her husband received baptism. Another meeting was held in a preaching-place in the city with an average attendance of about eight. The third was held in our own house. During the winter the attendance was small, and the day invariably stormy, but when the fine weather came more attended, and there has been of late an average attendance of eleven. We, who know how Christianity is hated on this west coast of Japan, and how hard it is to reach the women, do rejoice over each one brought in. Buddhism is strong here; there are about 250 Buddhist temples in the city.

In September a class for training Bible-women was started. Three joined at that time, later on two more joined, so that now there are five who attend;

the first three are now teaching in Sunday School. Shimada san, our Bible-woman, and Yamanaka san, Miss Hargrave's teacher, have gained entrance to some houses, where they have talked to the women on Christianity. They have always been politely, and in some cases, gladly received. Preaching services have been commenced in two neighboring villages. We hope the time is not far distant when there will be trained workers to place in these and other villages.

Within the year fourteen women and two little girls have received baptism.

There are thousands of women in this city whom it seems impossible to reach, thousands who hate us because we are Christians and foreigners. May God this coming year go before the workers and open up the way to many hearts and homes.

The plan for training evangelistic workers and the Bible school regulations having been found unsatisfactory. It was resolved to bring those preparing for Bible workers into the regular schools, giving them an extra Bible training where it was found necessary; and that henceforth all estimates for supported students shall come under the head of appropriations for schools, and that such students shall be under the control of the school with which they are connected.

The time having come for the appointing of the first Woman's Missionary Conference (according to the Constitution passed last year), the matter was brought up for discussion; but this plan having proved impracticable, as studied during the year, it was set aside, and the rules for the guidance of the Council revised and accepted. The Treasurer's report was accepted. The accepted report of the Stationing Committee is as follows:—

TOKYO.

Mrs Large, Secretary of Branch; Miss Munro, Principal of School.
Misses Shoults, L. Hart, and two to be sent, Miss Hart until November (the work to be divided by the Branch later on).

SHIZUOKA.

Miss Morgan, Principal of School until November.
Miss Robertson, Secretary of Branch, and Principal from the time of Miss Morgan's leaving for home. Miss Hart to evangelistic work from November.

KOFU.

Miss Blackmore, Secretary of Branch and Principal of School:
Miss Preston, evangelistic work.

KANAZAWA.

Miss Hargrave, Secretary of Branch, and to have charge of poor schools.
Miss Cushing, to evangelistic work.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF JAPAN COUNCIL.

	RECEIPTS.	Yen.	Sen.
1891-92.			
To Cash on hand	- - - - -	693	21
Drafts	- - - - -	15,961	62
Cash returned by Mrs. Large, Misses Robertson and Shoults	- - - - -	31	98
Cash for medicines (purchased in Canada)	- - - - -	25	97
Cash from Miss Toye (Morrisville)	- - - - -	65	32
Bank interest	- - - - -	42	30
Sundries	- - - - -	12	50
		<u>16,832</u>	<u>90</u>

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EXPENDITURE.

	Yen.	Sen.
By Tokyo Branch - - - - -	7,211	30
Shizuoka Branch - - - - -	2,358	04
Kofu Branch - - - - -	3,213	05
Kanazawa Branch - - - - -	2,040	59
Registration - - - - -	85	00
Furniture grant - - - - -	570	93
Travelling and jinriki - - - - -	57	46
Postage and stationery - - - - -	40	56
Sundries - - - - -	48	69
Balance on hand - - - - -	1,207	28
	<u>16,832</u>	<u>90</u>

ELIZA S. LARGE, *Cor. Sec.-Treas.*

FINANCIAL REPORT OF TOYO EIWA, JO GAKKO, TOKYO BRANCH.

RECEIPTS.

	Yen.	Sen.
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To Cash on hand - - - - -	195	88
From Treasurer - - - - -	1,940	10
For ladies' salaries - - - - -	2,991	67
Entrance and tuition fees - - - - -	729	00
Boarding fees - - - - -	1,500	15
Music fees - - - - -	188	50
Books - - - - -	78	57
Medicines - - - - -	27	01
From rebate on insurance - - - - -	16	50
For support of girls, from special sources - - - - -	18	98
From industrial work - - - - -	21	19
From sundries - - - - -	43	09
<i>Evangelistic—</i>		
To Cash from Treasurer - - - - -	837	37
For ladies' salaries - - - - -	1,159	99
Miss Lund's furlough expenses - - - - -	279	00
<i>General—</i>		
To books for Japanese study - - - - -	3	17
	<u>9,830</u>	<u>17</u>

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	Yen.	Sen.
By Ladies' salaries - - - - -	2,991	67
Clothing, board, etc., of support of girls - - - - -	109	00
Students' board - - - - -	1,540	75
Light and fuel - - - - -	207	21
Medicines - - - - -	41	01
Postage and stationery - - - - -	12	22
Teachers and servants - - - - -	1,420	03
Printing and advertising - - - - -	33	35
Repairs, 642.18 ; tuning pianos, 40 - - - - -	682	18
Books, 106.97 ; taxes, 37.72 - - - - -	144	69
Study of Japanese language - - - - -	108	75
Industrial work - - - - -	12	83

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By Insurance, 112; sundries, 67.57	179	57
Supported girls (2)	98	00
Teacher and interpreter	158	36
Bible-women (3)	199	50
Bible school students (5)	114	00
Jinrikisha, 158.14; sundries, 17.16	175	30
Books, 19.73; papers, 30.25	49	98
Stationery and postage	11	85
Ladies' salaries (2)	1,159	99
Miss Lund's furlough expenses	279	00
Books for Japanese study	3	17
Balance on hand	97	76
	9,830	17

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SHIZUOKA BRANCH.

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1891-92.		Yen.	Sen.
<i>School—</i>			
To Cash from Treasurer		2,358	50
From entrance and tuition fees		186	50
From boarding fees		606	30
From music fees		38	50
From embroidery fees		24	70
From books		24	97
		3,229	01

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	Yen.	Sen.	
By Supported girls	126	75	
School Board	505	59	
Postage, 4.63; light, 26.04	30	67	
Japanese teachers and servants	722	25	
Fuel, 55.44; printing and advertising, 10.54	65	98	
Repairs, 16.09; rent, 180	196	09	
Books, 16.54; papers, 8.64	25	18	
Freight and sundries	10	79	
Salary of one lady	621	91	
<i>Evangelistic—</i>			
By Bible-women	165	00	
Travelling and incidentals	115	29	
Books, magazines and leaflets	26	27	
Interpreter and teacher	68	00	
Salary of one lady	510	82	
Cash on hand	38	43	
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FINANCIAL REPORT OF KANAZAWA BRANCH.

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1891-92.		Yen.	Sen.
To Balance from last year		29	57
Cash from Treasurer		2,040	59
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By Bible-women's support	59 26	
Teachers of Japanese	60 82	
Jinrikisha, 9.82; books and papers, 22.08	31 90	
Organ, and freight on the same	42 86	
House rent	162 00	
Postage and stationery, 1.63; sundries, 14.97	16 60	
Miss C.'s furlough expenses	298 00	
Rent, furnishings, etc., for poor school	19 92	
Teachers and servants for poor school	15 80	
Salaries of two ladies	1,322 58	
Balance on hand	40 41	
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FINANCIAL REPORT OF KOFU BRANCH.

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<i>School—</i>		<i>Yen. Sen.</i>
To Cash from Treasurer	-	3,213 05
Entrance and tuition fees	-	213 50
Boarding fees	-	703 33
Books	-	12 32
Sundries	-	15 44
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	<i>Yen. Sen.</i>	
By Salary of two ladies	935 37	
Miss Wintemute's furlough expenses	322 14	
Removal expenses	13 58	
Interpreter and teacher	86 50	
Organ and freight	108 08	
Books, stationery, and postage	30 06	
Sunday School papers	21 78	
Jinrikisha	5 97	
Boarding expenses	537 51	
Japanese teachers and servants	855 07	
Rent	22 50	
Printing and advertising	15 47	
Light and fuel	124 88	
Closing expenses	14 21	
School furnishings	11 87	
Sundries	70 96	
<i>Evangelistic—</i>		
By Salary of one lady	651 86	
Teacher and translator	90 87	
Bible-women	53 93	
Books for Bible-women	1 00	
Jinrikisha, postage and incidentals	105 24	
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The Secretary of the Kanazawa Branch having stated that it was desirable to have one of the two school buildings estimated for erected before the winter sets in, the question was asked as to whether we were at liberty to use the amount required before hearing the decision of the Board. In reply to this, Miss Munro asked if the \$300 given by Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle could not be at once used, and expressed it as her opinion that such an appropriation of it would be nearest the wish of the donors.

The President and Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society expressed their willingness for this, and volunteered to take the responsibility of the money being used before the meeting of the Board. The following was then unanimously passed:—

Resolved,—That we ask the Home Board to sustain the action of the President and Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society in granting permission to the Council to use the \$300 given by Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle for the building and furnishing of a school for the poor at Kanazawa, the amount named to be used at once.

Resolved,—That we recommend that the Home Board appropriate to each lady appointed to the Japan work \$100 for outfit, and that during the first year of service, when she is really on trial, her salary be two-thirds of the fixed salary.

Miss Morgan asked for arrangements to be made for her to return home the latter end of November or early in December. Miss Munro desired to sail by the ship leaving nearest the 1st of July, 1893. Miss Preston desired to leave in June, 1893.

Resolved,—That while we consider the text-books on the course of Japanese study (arranged three years ago), the best that can be used, we do not require the study of the "character," and we do not consider ability to *successfully pass the examinations* of said "course" as any test of a real knowledge of Japanese, but consider the *power* to use the language the only test needed.

Resolved,—That we respectfully request the Home Board will not consider requests from individual members of the Japan Council unless they are sent through the official medium.

Resolved,—That we express our appreciation of the work done by Miss Wintemute during her term of service, and we pray that wherever her future lot may be cast that she may have many souls for her hire.

We parted a few days ago with Miss Cunningham, and to-day bid farewell to Miss Lund. We pray that God's richest blessing may rest upon them, that as they meet with loved ones, joy may be unmingled with sorrow. When in the interests of mission work they are called before the great congregations, that God will teach them what to say, and that they may be very useful in His hands. We part now, but look forward to another year when, with renewed health, they will return to us again, if God so wills.

Resolved,—That our sincere thanks be tendered to our loved President and Corresponding Secretary for their coming among us. We can truly say they have done us good, cheered us by their expressed pleasure in the state of our work, helped us by their counsel, and brought us more in touch with those in the home land. We regret that they are to leave us so soon, but pray that journeying mercies may be theirs, that as they go from one mission station to the other, they may ever have the consciousness of the Master's presence, and that if permitted to meet with our sisters and fellow-workers in Canada, the recounting of what they have seen and heard may be the means of awakening a deeper interest than ever in this "woman's work for woman."

Then followed an hour of "prayer and praise," led by Mrs. Strachan, after which Mrs. Gooderham addressed the members of the Council, giving touching words of experience, encouragement and counsel.

After the reading of the minutes of the last session, the fifth annual meeting was closed by Mrs. Gooderham.

ELIZA S. LARGE, Cor. Sec.-Treas.

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THE FRENCH WORK.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRENCH WORK FOR 1891-92.

In reviewing the work of the past year we cannot but express our thankfulness at the measure of success which has crowned the efforts of our Bible-women, and of our teachers in the two mission schools under our care in this city. Amid much discouragement, the seed has been sown, and we can only leave results with Him who is sure to bless every effort put forth in His name.

Early in the year, Miss Jackson, our faithful teacher in the west end school, was taken seriously ill, and her place was temporarily filled by Miss Maynard, your Committee hoping that Miss Jackson would be able to resume the work she loved so well, and which had so prospered under her care. But it was not so to be, and Miss Maynard has continued in charge of the school throughout the year. The attendance has been good, the highest number on the books being eighty-eight in July, average attendance for the year forty-nine; many causes preventing more regular attendance in children of the class from which our school is supplied. The annual examination was held in June, with satisfactory results, and the school was continued throughout the month of July, it being deemed advisable to try the experiment for this year, with what success the large attendance for that month has made evident.

Particular mention must be made of Miss Anderson's painstaking labors amongst the smaller children, who have been by her well grounded in Bible truth and in the catechism, most important seed-sowing in those young hearts, which, we pray, may spring up and bear fruit in after years. Of the children attending this school, twenty-one are French-Canadians, fourteen Irish Catholics, and the remainder, though English and Protestant, have French grandmothers. Twelve or fifteen boys in addition have attended school a portion of the year. The school opened in September, with Miss Maynard as teacher, and sixty names on the roll, so that prospects are bright for the winter's work. Miss Anderson reports having made 1,078 visits during the eleven months, also distributing 1,000 tracts, and a quantity of religious reading matter which has been very helpful. She found the mothers this year not only willing but eager to send their children to our school, realizing the benefit they have received in the past. In the east end school there has been an average attendance of twenty scholars, composed of French-Canadian, English, Jews, Italian and Indian. The teacher, Miss Runnells, reports good progress on the part of her scholars, who did creditably at the June examination. Four of the most promising of her pupils have been removed to a convent, under great pressure from the priests, and other children have been withdrawn from the school under threats of excommunication, the most dire and terrible threat ever held over the head of a devoted Roman Catholic.

Madame Lamontagne reports having made an average of 150 visits per month during the year. She has grown in the confidence and love of those whom she visits, and they listen eagerly while she reads the Scriptures and prays with them.

Although opposition to our work in the east end still continues, it is not of so open and direct a character as formerly, and we think that the parents are more ready to listen to and believe the truth as time reveals the purity of motive and devotion of our workers, the more particularly as their faith in the priesthood has been somewhat rudely shaken by certain occurrences in the neighborhood during the past year.

Your Committee must not omit to report the establishment of a Band of Hope under Miss Anderson's care, in the west end school, of which almost all the scholars are members.

The schools of St. Faustian and of St. Theodore have received grants of \$50 each during the year.

L. H. MORTON, *President.*
C. E. BROWN, *Secretary.*

FRENCH METHODIST INSTITUTE.

Thursday, April 28th, brought to a close our third year's work in the new French Institute. In many respects it has proved the most successful session since the amalgamation of the boys' and girls' schools. Seven names were enrolled more than during the previous year, but the average attendance has been greater, and no epidemic occurred, as during the first two winters, materially interfering with our work.

The students were nearly all thoroughly in earnest in their various classes, many of them, particularly the girls, petitioning day after day to spend the time allotted to out-door exercise in study. The lack of interest displayed by many of the students in taking recreation out of doors has been a source of much anxiety to us, as we consider it one of the greatest aids to health, satisfactory study and good order in the building. Could an appropriation be made in the near future for a gymnasium, or even a covered shed where exercise might be taken in stormy weather, we feel that it would be money wisely spent. The pleasure and profit derived by the girls from the weekly drill in calisthenics, kindly given by Miss Finley and Miss Hall, have been very great, showing that exercise is enjoyed when means for taking it are provided.

We are indebted to many kind friends for numerous favors shown to our students during the session, perhaps most of all to the members of the Douglas Mission Band, who in addition to continuing their weekly drawing and sewing lessons, provided a Thanksgiving supper and social, and two well-laden Christmas trees.

Much disappointment was felt by us at the beginning of the year, that so many of our older students were taken from the Institute to carry on the work in the mission fields. We felt, more deeply than they realized themselves, that they were greatly in need of further training before being able to successfully combat the ignorance, intolerance and superstition with which they must necessarily come in contact. A special course of lectures on controversial doctrines was given by Mr. Massicotte, during the session, not only to instruct the pupils in the errors of the Church of Rome, but to prepare them for the discussions and arguments which it is the delight of the Roman Catholic to provoke, and which have been found productive of very good results when, as is not always the case, they are successfully sustained by our people.

We have had fifteen Roman Catholic pupils with us during the session, and of these the greater part profess to have renounced their faith and embraced Protestantism. Several have shown both courage and perseverance in holding to their new faith against ridicule and persecution, and give promise of doing good work for us in future years.

The interest in the Sunday School, class-meeting and prayer-meeting has been well sustained throughout the year, owing greatly to the unceasing and zealous labors of Mr. and Mrs. Hall, to whom the success of this most important part of our work is almost wholly due.

We are looking hopefully to the future, that by God's blessing this time of seed-sowing may result in an abundant harvest throughout the many darkened portions of our Province.

Trusting that we shall be sustained during the year upon which we are now entering by the united prayers of the Woman's Missionary Society,

I remain, faithfully yours,

ISABEL G. MASTEN.

MONTREAL, Oct. 3rd, 1892.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE FRENCH METHODIST INSTITUTE.

INCOME.

To	Balance on hand, Oct. 1st, 1891	- - -	\$254 00	
	Cash from General Treasurer, Dec. 10th, 1891	- - -	2,234 50	
	Interest from Savings Bank, Dec. 31st, 1892	- - -	13 78	
	Cash from General Treasurer, Feb. 25th, 1892	- - -	2,234 50	
	Fees from West End School, Sept. 30th, 1892	- - -	1 45	
				\$4,738 23
	Balance brought down, Oct. 1st, 1892	- - -	- - -	\$231 57
By	Cost of East End School, Sept. 30th, 1892	- - -	\$418 88	
	" West End " " "	- - -	402 78	
	" Bible-woman, East End	- - -	270 00	
	" " West End	- - -	255 00	
	Interest to Missionary Secretary	- - -	600 00	
	Grant to St. Faustian	- - -	50 00	
	" St. Theodore	- - -	50 00	
	Expenses of French Institute	- - -	2,300 00	
	Cost of Piano for French Institute	- - -	160 00	
				\$4506 66
	Balance carried down	- - -	- - -	231 57
				\$4,738 23

M. W. TORRANCE, *Treasurer.*

THE CHINESE WORK — BRITISH COLUMBIA.

REPORT OF CHINESE GIRLS' HOME, VICTORIA, B.C.

No.	NAMES.		AGES.	TIME SINCE RESCUE.		
	Chinese.	English.		Years.	Years.	Months.
1	Ah Lin	Lillie	18	6	..	..
2	Sau Kam	Gertrude	15	5	..	4
3	Kam Ho	Mary	16	3	..	6
4	Don Choy	Daisy	16	3	..	5
5	Loi Ho	Jessie	12	3	..	2
6	Yuen Kee	Edith	12	1	..	10
7	Ah Kui	Emma	9	1	..	10
8	Tsoi Kui	Ruth	16	1	..	7
9	Joseph	..	1½	1	..	5
10	Wong Ah Hoe	Martha	15	..	..	10
11	Shung Mui	..	7	..	..	9
12	Nun Choy	..	24	..	..	5
13	Choiz Lin	Rose	20	..	..	5
14	Ah Pui	..	4 mos.	..	..	5
15	Bo Kum	..	20	..	..	3
16	Kam Yuck	..	24	..	..	3
17	Chan Ah Tai	..	21	..	..	2

Of the seventeen persons named in the preceding list, only seven are in the Home at the present time. Shung Mui was only with us about three weeks, when we had to return her to her owner.

Ah Pui, Choy Lin's infant son, died suddenly, August 16th, of heart disease. August 23rd, three of the girls, Lillie, Ruth and Nun Choy, were married to Christian Chinamen, Ruth taking Joseph to her own home. Bo Kum, who was brought over from Westminster in June, has returned to her husband, we believe much benefited by her two months' stay in the Home. 'Kam Yuck and Chan Ah Tai returned to China in company with Miss Cartmell on her return to Japan. They came into the Home to have our assistance in helping them to return to their friends in China. September 14th, Gertrude was taken to New Westminster to the British Columbia College. We had been hopeful during the five years, that Gertie has been under our care, that something of this kind would open up for her, and were glad that Mrs. Gooderham and Mrs. Strachan, while in Victoria, decided that the time had come to give her this opportunity for an education, thus preparing her for a useful life among her own people.

The seven girls left in the Home are young and we are hopeful for their future.

Number of scholars at last report, 9; 8 admitted during the year, 1 died, 3 married, 5 returned, 1 gone to school, 7 in residence at date.

The mercies of the year have been many, for which we desire to render thanksgiving especially for continued good health and preservation from disease. We also desire to thank the many friends who work, pray and give, for their kind gifts and loving interest, and remain,

Yours sincerely,

ANNIE LEAKE.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF CHINESE HOME,

For Year ending Sept. 30th, 1892.

RECEIPTS.	
To Balance from last year	\$6 70
General Treasurer	1,480 00
Donations	38 00
Returned by Miss Cartmell	34 00
	\$1,558 70
To balance	10 87
	\$1,569 57

DONATIONS.—Sixty bags of rice, cakes, fruit and candies at Christmas; \$15 worth of dishes, 1 table-cloth, 12 table-napkins, one small table. From Ilderton, Ont.: 2 pairs pillows, 3 pairs pillow-slips, 1 pair sheets, 2 towels, 3 quilts, 1 blanket. From Denham, Ont.: 1 tea cozy, 2 Holland bags furnished with thread, needles, thimbles and scissors. St. Paul's Church Mission Band, Toronto: 2 quilts. Received for knitting and crochet lace, \$50.

Amount expended from Sept. 15th, 1891, to Sept. 15th, 1892.

By Teachers' salaries	\$816 00
Hired labor—scavenger, \$20; music, \$60	80 00
Stationery, books, etc.	13 80
Drugs	3 35
Meat, \$72.30; Fish, \$54.65; Chinese food, \$15.85	142 80

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Hardware	5 65
Furnishing	37 10
Wood or coal—coal, \$49; wood, \$10.55;	59 55
Funeral expenses	7 00
Insurance on furniture	10 00
Incidental expenses, repairs and rescue	105 10
Light	7 00
Sundries not specified	114 65
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VALUE OF FURNITURE, PROVISIONS, ETC., ON HAND SEPT. 15TH, 1892.

By Wood, 1 cord, \$4 per cord; for cutting, \$1.25	\$5 25
Groceries: tea, \$1.15; rice, \$11; salmon and pork, \$4	16 15
Garden produce: potatoes, \$6; cabbage \$1.50; apples, \$20	27 50
Garden implements and lawn mower, \$8; hose, \$8; others, \$1.50	17 50
Dry goods: clothing seven girls, 3 suits, average, \$12	84 00
Stoves: Range, \$15; school-room, \$10; others, \$10	35 00
Tables, chairs, etc.: tables, \$20.50; chairs, \$28.50	49 00
Sewing machine	30 00
School furniture: maps, \$9; blackboard, \$3	12 00
Beds and bedding, also furniture	353 75
Medical instrument	100 00
Crockery, with knives and forks	25 00
Tinware	3 00
Barrels, tubs, etc.: wash-boards and wringer	12 00
Books and stationery	5 00
Medical necessities	1 00
Sundries, carpets and mats	149 00
Whatnot	8 50
Hall stand, \$10; sideboard, \$14	24 00
Clock, \$5; 3 lounges, \$38	43 00
Window blinds and curtains	22 00
Lamps, \$4; flower-stand, \$4	8 00
Six benches	12 00

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REPORT OF MISS CARTMELL.

It is always difficult to give an idea of a year's work, and I find it especially hard to attempt it this time for several reasons.

I cannot report along the lines of work assigned me, by the Board, last annual meeting. Not being relieved from the duties of the Chinese Home, I could not properly enter upon those of "inspector." I am glad to think the work has not suffered, as Providence has made it apparently unnecessary.

The destruction of the Coqualeetza Home left no work for me there. While I would have liked to have visited and helped more with the work at Port Simpson, there, perhaps, was not much more I could have done. I was pleased and relieved in many respects by my recent visit there, accompanied by Mrs. Gooderham, Mrs. Strachan, and Mr. Hooper, the architect of the new school building, just finished.

The anxieties connected with the work have neither been few nor unimportant. It was therefore a great satisfaction for me to have the ladies clearly understand by seeing and hearing on the ground. While I was sorry to see the oppression that rested upon them as they comprehended the expensiveness of work at that remote station, and saw the various phases of the work that discourage rather than stimulate, I felt it would be well to have them know what are the burdens under which the missionaries have lived for years, and must continue to labor till the fruit of their lives and advancing civilization proves what the work has been. Though the building is by no means perfect, it is a good substantial one, in which there is no reason why the best results may not be accomplished in the training of the pupils for lives of usefulness.

My financial report and notes of explanation to the Executive Committee as Treasurer for this building at Port Simpson, and the reports of Mrs. Gooderham and Mrs. Strachan will make it superfluous for me to say more on this point.

My school work in the Chinese Home at Victoria did not meet my ambition, yet the pupils made fair progress in their studies. We will pray that the efforts made to awaken aspirations after a true and noble life may not be in vain, but that the Spirit of God may keep in their minds the word of the Lord and incite them to self-control and unselfish desire and action. May they intelligently aim at proving their love to Christ by keeping His commandments. May the Lord lead them from strength to strength in the divine life, and cause them to bear much fruit, that His grace may be magnified in them. They are very intelligent, loving, and lovable girls.

In Chinatown, outside the homes of our married girls, there were a few where I was made welcome as an occasional visitor. I felt the former suspicion and aversion were wearing away. The two little girls with bound feet, of whom I have written, were objects of special solicitude. The parents of one yielded to my desire to become her teacher more to gratify me than from appreciation of the advantage to their child. But they were pleased, and proud as they saw her pick up a little English. In this home I became acquainted with another young woman, who had no aversion to me; she knew a little English, and desired to learn more, and though she was considered of very low class, and rude and ignorant by her own people, she really helped me.

In the home of the other little girl, I was conscious of gaining favor. The child herself knew she was of special interest to me, and the mother too, but the fear was gone. I accept these signs most gratefully as evidence that the Lord is working where we cannot, in the hearts of the people.

I am encouraged to hope also that the time is near when we shall be able to do something for the dear little children whose condition appeals to me so strongly. They are neglected and abused as the little slave-girls are liable to be, but loved and indulged. We do not need to rescue them from their parents, but from lives of ignorance and vice. We cannot expect their parents or the Government to practically recognize the importance of making good citizens of them. Certainly not the duty of winning them for the service of our King. In our mission work let us spare no thought nor effort to gain the children. The difficulties attending every effort at rescue work inspires the prayer, "Thou canst work, and who shall let it." Move upon the hearts—cause the people to think truly and act courageously. "Send by whom thou wilt send, only save some."

The entrance this year and presence in the Home, for a longer or shorter time, of the eight young women and two children, prove Him to be a prayer-hearing and answering God, though allowing Himself to respect His own gift to men, the power to choose, as seen in the case of the girl who elected to return to her old life—the decision of the Judge who gave back that precious child-life to ignorance and sin, and the later two cases, who returned to China on the same ship with me.

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Standing awe-stricken in the presence of these immortal souls, and feeling how impossible it is for us to make them see and choose intelligently, and to cast in their lot among the people of God, and thus secure for themselves the blessings of the Covenant, what joy it was to remember, "He is able to keep that which I have committed unto Him, against that day." He can finish what He has begun—ignorance and superstition will melt away under His heart-teaching. Only the human will can defeat His purposes of love. The sweetest rest of spirit comes as I leave with my Father the work of the past, and return with Him to take up again the work He took from my hand five and a half years ago.

The delight of this renewed trust cannot be expressed. Most conscientiously I refrained from asking Him for this, lest I should murmur at His decision. But the glad, kind welcome from all the missionaries, and all the Japanese friends I have had time to see, as well as the view of the work, assures me I have not been left to myself, but have returned at the appointed time, that the President and Secretary were under guidance when they decided I ought not to wait for the Board meeting. Graciously acknowledging the consciously received benediction upon me and the work from the prayers of our people, I beg continued remembrance. Very sincerely,

M. J. CARTMELL.

 PORT SIMPSON.

September 15th, 1892.

DEAR MRS. STRACHAN,—Again the time has come for the yearly report, and it is with a heart filled with gratitude to our Father for all the blessings we have enjoyed during the year that I prepare my report.

We commenced the year in the old home with twenty-two pupils. The following month came the sickness that all suffered from, two of our number dying, one a little girl of seven, the other, fifteen years of age. I feel sure both are among the white-robed throng, saved for evermore.

During the time of the illness, four of the children returned home to their parents, coming back to us in the spring. Towards the last of November, Miss Lawrence came to my help, remaining with us for two months. Miss Beavis arrived in December. In May we moved to our new building. Miss Caldwell arrived the last of May, when school was opened in the Home. All the pupils are doing well in both household, sewing and school work.

During the year five children have left the Home; one had been with us two years over her time, the second at the close of her term. Another was allowed to leave before her term was ended, as the mother wanted her child home again. The fourth was married here in the village. The other was the one who remained home, spoken of before. Our present number is twenty-nine. There have been many more applicants, but have kept them waiting so that we may not have too many new ones to deal with at one time. The names of those we have at present are: Betsy Webster, Olive Dilly, Maggie Gosnel, Emma Pierce, Angelina Harris, Matilda McKay, Minnie Offet, Nellie Tenas, Louisa Gurney, Peggie Bryant, Martha Harris, Kattie Tenas, Tilly Bradley, Amy Wells, Martha Ross, Sallie Bryant, Mary Tate, Fanny Gosnel, Martha Bradley, Lizzie Bradley, Maggie Paterson, Selina Sampson, Hannah Edgar, Emily Pollard, Elespeth Hinksman, Josephine Abbot, Alice Wells, Dollie Robinson, Maggie Henry.

I forgot to speak of another girl who was with us part of the year, Elizabeth Russ; she came in while the children were ill, remaining till spring, and is now living with Mrs. Crosby.

Sincerely,

S. L. HART.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE CROSBY GIRLS' HOME.

RECEIPTS.

September 30th, 1892.		
To Treasurer	- - - - -	\$2,389 45
Donations	- - - - -	4 00
Sale of boots used in Home	- - - - -	6 00
		\$2,399 45

EXPENDITURE.

By Fuel and light	- - - - -	\$248 65
Last year's deficiency	- - - - -	132 01
Machine	- - - - -	50 00
Burial expenses	- - - - -	16 50
Freight and wharfage	- - - - -	106 15
Clothing	- - - - -	125 04
Provision and sundries	- - - - -	762 17
Miss Beavis' salary (9 months, 2 weeks)	- - - - -	277 00
Miss Caldwell (less \$25.71) (4 months, 1 week)	- - - - -	123 96
Matron	- - - - -	450 00
Balance on hand	- - - - -	133 98
		\$2,399 45

REPORT.

To September 15th, 1892.

NAMES OF CHILDREN.	AGE.	DATE OF ADMISSION.	DATE OF LEAVING.
Betsy Webster	18	1884	
Lucy Baxter	17	1884	December, 1891.
Harriet Edgar	16	1887	February, 1892.
Priscilla Harris	17	1885	May, 1892.
Angelina Harris	15	1886	
Martha Harris	10	1885	
Ellen Tennis	10	1888	
Minnie Offut	12	1888	
Olive Dilly	13	May, 1888	
Hannah Edgar	12	August, 1889	
Hannah Harris	7	April, 1890	November, 1891.
Margaret Gosnel	11	July, 1890	
Emma Lincoln	9	January, 1890	November, 1891.
Hannah Wells	14	" 1890	
Alice Wells	7	" 1890	
Mary Tate	16	" 1890	
Sarah Bryant	7	" 1890	
Maggie Bryant	14	" 1890	
Carrie Bryant	8	" 1890	November, 1891.
Martha Russ	11	July, 1891	
Edith McKay	15	" 1891	November, 1891.
Elespeth Hinksman	4	" 1891	
Katie Tennis	7	January, 1891	

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- Dollie Robins
- Lizzie Bradley
- Elizabeth Russ
- Maggie Patten
- Emma Pierce
- Emily Pollard
- Fanny Gosnel
- Louisa Gurne
- Matilda Brad
- Martha Brad
- Selina Samson
- Josephine Ab
- Maggie Henry
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NAMES OF CHILDREN.	AGE.	DATE OF ADMISSION.	DATE OF LEAVING.
Dollie Robinson	6	1886	
Lizzie Bradly	13	February, 1892	
Elizabeth Russ	17	October, 1891	May, 1891.
Maggie Patterson	10	March, 1892	
Emma Pierce	8	May, 1892	
Emily Pollard	7	July, 1892	
Fanny Gosnel	13	" 1892	
Louisa Gurney	17	August, 1892	
Matilda Bradly	14	" 1892	
Martha Bradly	9	" 1892	
Selina Samson	7	" 1892	
Josephine Abbot	15	1892	
Maggie Henry	16	1892	
Matilda McKay	13	1885	

VALUE OF FURNITURE, PROVISIONS, ETC., ON HAND, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 1892.

Wood - - - - -	\$10 00
Groceries - - - - -	80 00
Dry goods - - - - -	30 00
Clothing - - - - -	200 00
Stoves - - - - -	100 00
Tables, chairs, etc.	60 00
Machine - - - - -	60 00
School furniture - - - - -	40 00
Beds and bedding - - - - -	400 00
Musical instruments - - - - -	25 00
Crockery - - - - -	7 00
Tinware - - - - -	6 00
Books and stationery - - - - -	17 50

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REPORT OF COQUALEETZA HOME, 1891-92.

It is with feelings of gratitude to Almighty God for His protecting care throughout the past year, marked by such unexpected and sweeping change, that we submit the annual report.

Through the destruction of the Home building, Nov. 30th, 1891, the work was hindered, and our numbers limited, still we are thankful to say all the inmates escaped uninjured, and with a smaller number of pupils the school was soon re-organized in the Mission House, which was thrown open to us by the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Tate.

Last year thirty-one inmates were reported. This number continued in residence until the Home was destroyed. At that time eighteen were sent to their homes. As accommodation was provided, different ones were brought back, until there are now nineteen children under our care.

In the housework boys and girls have shared alike, and all have made themselves very useful. Besides cultivating the Home garden, the boys have rendered considerable assistance in working the land purchased by the General Board.

In the sewing department work has been limited to the necessary making and mending for the children, our changed circumstances having rendered it so that work for exhibition was out of the question. However, had the preparation of work been possible, doubtless our girls would have won a good share of prizes as on former occasions.

We have been pleased to note an increased interest in the studies undertaken. Several have reached the stage where the reading of books for themselves becomes a pleasure, because of their enlarged comprehension of the force of words. Perhaps the most marked progress has been made in the study of arithmetic, the rules of which these children find difficult of practical application. The subjects taught are reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, grammar, composition, temperance and music.

The weekly class and prayer-meetings, the Sabbath School and Sabbath evening services have been well sustained, and have proved a means of much spiritual good to those who have attended.

Steady progress is the record of the year. We have endeavored to impart thorough, practical instruction, and have been rewarded and encouraged by the degree of success that has attended our efforts.

We have to acknowledge with gratitude the many substantial marks of kindness shown us by the members of the Woman's Missionary Society and other friends since the fire. Their gifts and words of sympathy have proved very helpful throughout what has been to us, notwithstanding the many ameliorating circumstances, a year of special trial and anxiety.

We are looking forward to the establishment of our work on a broader and firmer basis, and earnestly hope and pray that the desires and expectations of all who have the temporal and spiritual welfare of the Indians at heart may be fully realized in the work of the proposed Institute.

LAVINIA CLARKE.

REPORT

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Lizzie
 Lillie Cushan
 Jessie
 Harry Ward
 Joseph Sewell
 Martha
 Nellie Taffand
 Louisa
 Emma
 John Westfield
 Henry
 Christine
 Richard McL
 Willie
 Alfred Steven
 Moses Ward
 Thomas
 Emily Sewell
 James Woolla
 George Westf
 Agnes
 Amy
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REPORT OF THE COQUALEETZA HOME AND SCHOOL.

Year ending September 15th, 1892.

NAMES.	AGES.	ADMISSION.	LEAVING.
Lizzie	16	March, 1888.....	Dec. 1st, 1891.
Lillie Cushan	16	June, 1889.....	June 6th, 1891.
Jessie	14	March, 1889.....	
Harry Ward	11	July, 1891.....	Dec. 3rd, 1891.
Joseph Sewell.....	12	June, 1889.....	Dec. 3rd, 1891.
Martha	13	March, 1888.....	
Nellie Taffandale	13	June, 1888.....	
Louisa	12	July, 1889.....	
Emma	11	July, 1889.....	Dec. 1st, 1891.
John Westfield	7	Nov., 1891.....	Dec. 3rd, 1891.
Henry	11	June, 1891.....	
Christine	9	Nov., 1889.....	Mar. 30th, 1892.
Richard McLean.....	12	July, 1889.....	Dec. 3rd, 1891.
Willie	10	June, 1889.....	
Alfred Stevens.....	12	July, 1889.....	
Moses Ward.....	12	June, 1891.....	Dec. 3rd, 1891.
Thomas	7	July, 1891.....	April 28th, 1892.
Emily Sewell.....	9	June, 1889.....	
James Woollard.....	7	Dec., 1890.....	Dec. 29th, 1891.
George Westfield.....	6	Nov., 1891.....	Dec. 3rd, 1891.
Agnes.....	8	Sept., 1889.....	
Amy	6	Oct., 1889.....	
Amos	10	Nov., 1890.....	
John Young.....	7	Oct., 1891.....	
Louis Saunders.....	9	April, 1890.....	
John Johnson	12	April, 1890.....	
Oscar Johnson	11	June, 1890.....	
Annie Johnson.....	9	July, 1890.....	
Frank Saunders	7	July, 1890.....	
Charlotte	6	July, 1891.....	
Matilda	6	July, 1891.....	Dec. 1st, 1891.
Augustus	9	Jan. 2, 1892.....	
Eva.....	6	July, 1889.....	October, 1891.
Mary.....	14	Feb., 1891.....	October, 1891.
May	12	Oct., 1889.....	October, 1891.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

To Amount received from Woman's Missionary Society - \$2,815 00
 Donations - - - - - 5 00

Amount expended from Sept. 15th, 1891, to Sept. 15th, 1892.

By Teachers' salaries - - - - - \$1,250 00
 Hired labor - - - - - 106 95
 Stationery, books, etc. - - - - - 22 00
 Drugs - - - - - 3 80

CLARKE.

By Meat	\$105 55
Bread and flour	186 04
Groceries	124 37
Dry goods	241 16
Boots and shoes	186 86
Hardware	36 35
Furnishing	35 35
Wood	41 75
Permanent improvements (kitchen)	100 00
Light	6 75
Travelling	64 15
Freight	13 10
Cow	55 00
Cow-feed	23 70
Painting floors	7 45
Repairs	16 45
Fruit trees	7 00
Vegetables	49 30
Coal	16 00
Sundries	27 92
	<u>\$2,727 00</u>
Balance on hand	\$93 00
Against this are purchases to the amount of (since Sept. 15th)	\$60 47

STATISTICAL REPORT.

From Sept. 15th, 1891, to Sept., 1892.

Number of scholars at last report, 31; admitted during year, 4; discharged, 16; in residence at date, 19; average number of inmates during year, 21; number of teachers, 3.

Value of provisions on hand:—Groceries, \$10; flour, \$20; wood, \$20; coal oil, \$17.70; a quantity of garden produce sufficient to last until the end of 1892.

Received donations of 2 boxes apples, 2 sacks beets, 8 pounds bacon, 1 sack peas, 8 bags potatoes, 1 bag turnips, $\frac{1}{2}$ barrel salt-salmon, 1 crock of jam.

All our blankets are required for the 18 beds for children and the three teachers' beds; 9 pillows, 30 quilts, and a quantity of sheets and pillow slips are packed away in store-room.

The girls have done the sewing and mending for the children, with the exception of a part of the boys' clothing.

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Twenty August year. The Annual Circuit, Beaver Guilds, Kintore Selkirk, St. George Besides these Alvinston, Bra Shedden. Rap organized. T (Emerald Street (First Church) Mount Vernon St. Mary's and have dropped Rowan, Paris Bands are Har

We report annual membership 3,693, including Bands amount sent \$10,040.62; a

REPORTS FROM BRANCHES.

WESTERN BRANCH.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT OF THE WESTERN BRANCH, 1891-92.

The work of the Western Branch during this, its tenth year, has been very encouraging. We may not report the formation of as many Auxiliaries as last year, nor as large an increase in membership, but we can say that during no year of our existence has work been more faithfully done, as we may gather from the reports sent in, all which show an increased interest taken in all departments of our work.

Twenty Auxiliaries and nine Mission Bands have been organized during the year. The Auxiliaries are Auburn, Belwood, Bethel Appointment, Fullarton Circuit, Beaverdam, Ebenezer Appointment, Holmesville Circuit, Highgate, Guilds, Kintore, Listowel, Muncey (Indian), Nelson, Palmerston, Stratford, Selkirk, St. George, Teeswater, Tuckersmith, Walkerton, Wesley, Whitechurch. Besides these some have organized lately, ready for work next year; they are Alvinston, Brantford (Sydenham Street), Bartonville, Decewsville, Kippen, and Shedden. Raper and Baker's Appointment, Westminster Circuit, have each organized. The new Bands are Copetown, Guelph (Dublin Street), Hamilton (Emerald Street), Jerseyville, London (Wellington Street), Strathroy, Sarnia (First Church), Sarnia (Queen Street), and Teeswater. In addition to these Mount Vernon, Simcoe and Walkerton have just organized Mission Circles; St. Mary's and Cayuga, Juvenile Bands. We are sorry to report that some have dropped out; among the Auxiliaries are Eden, Fergus, Forestville, Port Rowan, Paris Plains, Preston, St. Williams and Tilbury Centre; among the Bands are Harrow and Teeterville.

We report 147 Auxiliaries, an increase of 12; Mission Bands 50, increase 4; annual members 3,500, increase 391; life members 193, increase 20; total membership 3,693, increase 412; Mission Band members 1,725; total membership, including Bands, 5,418. Amount raised by Bands \$2,079.13, increase \$573.44; amount sent Branch Treasurer, \$9,895.70; total received from all sources, \$10,040.62; amount sent to General Treasurer, \$9,800; increase, \$1,700.

**REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH CORRESPONDING
SECRETARY, 1891-92.**

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Annual Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	No. of Life Mem- bers, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Total No. of Mem- bers, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Average Atten- dance.	Amount Received by Branch Treas- urer, 1891-92.
Aylmer	16	1	17	6	\$33 14
Arva	15	..	15	9	40 66
Acton	17	..	17	9	22 45
Auburn	13	..	13	7	14 69
Brantford, Brant Avenue	44	4	48	16	189 03
" Wellington Street	58	5	63	19	127 61
" Colborne Street	30	..	30	9	42 24
Burlington	33	3	36	9	50 02
Brussels	14	..	14	13	38 53
Burford	27	..	27	9	88 71
Beamsville	22	1	23	11	53 50
Belfontaine	11	..	11	5	14 80
Berlin	19	..	19	11	26 70
Brucefield	12	..	12	7	28 69
Belwood	14	..	14	9	17 40
Bethel Appointment	9	..	9	..	7 29
Clinton, Rattenbury Street	53	3	56	17	94 39
" Ontario Street	16	..	16	12	55 30
Chatham	50	..	50	17	170 54
Charing Cross	26	1	27	10	110 76
Carlingford	21	..	21	10	53 63
Carlisle	14	..	14	8	16 10
Caistorville	24	..	24	11	52 20
Corinth	11	..	11	6	21 39
Cayuga South	11	..	11	7	26 63
Cooper's Appt., Woodham Ct.	12	..	12	6	31 66
Dundas	48	8	56	15	196 94
Dungannon	22	..	22	10	38 43
Dereham	36	..	36	19	37 10
Dunnville	23	..	23	10	41 26
Exeter	35	2	37	11	49 05
Elora	12	..	12	7	25 05
Eramosa	11	..	11	6	13 00
Erin	9	..	9	6	19 91
Essex	12	..	12	5	55 76
Fullarton	12	..	12	6	29 30
Fingal	17	..	17	8	25 09
Freelton	19	..	19	9	28 16
Flamboro' West Circuit	56	1	57	15	123 61
Florence	17	..	17	6	25 55
Goderich	23	..	23	12	49 90
Gorrie	9	1	10	4	8 00
Guelph, Norfolk Street	42	1	43	14	160 14
" Dublin Street	26	1	27	15	135 51
Galt	17	..	17	12	19 61

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REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH CORRESPONDING
SECRETARY, 1891-92—Continued.

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AUXILIARIES.	No. of Annual Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	No. of Life Mem- bers, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Total No. of Mem- bers, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Average Atten- dance.	Amount Received by Branch Treas- urer, 1891-92.
Grimsby	16	1	17	10	\$13 35
Granton	23	..	23	9	65 90
Glencoe	13	..	13	5	30 45
Guilds	8	..	8	..	8 68
Hamilton, Centenary.....	50	34	84	20	467 38
" Wesley.....	46	11	57	19	317 75
" First.....	32	2	34	14	246 46
" Gore Street.....	17	..	17	..	30 05
" Zion Tabernacle.....	18	..	18	8	44 81
Harriston	25	..	25	8	33 53
Holmesville	19	1	20	10	45 85
" Ebenezer Appt.....	14	..	14	..	25 00
Hagersville	19	..	19	7	30 75
Highgate (no report) .....	..	..	..	..	25 00
Ingersoll, King Street	37	7	44	18	112 69
" Charles Street.....	21	1	22	8	49 91
Jarvis	51	..	51	21	91 37
Jerseyville	35	2	37	14	120 25
Kirkton Circuit.....	45	..	45	12	60 34
Kintore Circuit.....	9	..	9	..	9 20
Kincardine.....	20	..	20	9	25 08
Kingsville.....	23	..	23	16	30 32
London, Queen's Avenue	91	18	109	29	595 55
" Dundas Street.....	56	9	65	14	400 00
" Wellington Street	38	3	41	15	104 32
" South	86	1	87	15	313 84
" West.....	28	..	28	20	79 00
Littlewood	23	..	23	16	61 87
Little Lake.....	17	..	17	8	24 22
Lynnville .....	..	..	..	..	1 25
Listowel	20	1	21	10	45 60
Luton	15	..	15	8	21 66
Milton	38	1	39	15	49 30
Mitchell	48	2	50	21	102 70
Mount Pleasant.....	18	2	20	8	41 16
Mount Forest	30	3	33	12	90 65
Merritton	35	..	35	17	59 95
Milverton	34	..	34	14	53 77
Muncey	7	..	7	5	20 00
Niagara Falls South.....	44	1	45	10	103 00
Niagara Falls.....	18	1	19	8	50 45
Norwich	23	1	24	8	51 24
Nile	10	..	10	5	39 50
Newbury	15	1	16	6	26 16
Northfield Centre.....	23	..	23	9	28 68

REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, 1891-92 - Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Annual Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	No. of Life Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Total No. of Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Average Attendance.	Amount Received by Branch Treasurer, 1891-92.
Nelson	20	..	20	9	\$44 02
Otterville	11	..	11	6	8 75
Oakville	29	2	31	7	96 16
Owen Sound	35	..	35	..	37 10
Oakland Circuit	28	4	32	8	105 25
Old Windham	10	..	10	..	11 50
Paris	36	1	37	15	113 01
Paisley	17	..	17	12	28 20
Petrolia	29	2	31	12	94 95
Port Dover	18	1	19	7	28 47
Port Stanley	14	..	14	8	12 67
Palmerston	14	1	15	7	53 94
Rockwood	24	1	25	13	53 63
Rock Chapel	11	..	11	6	58 79
Strathroy	34	..	34	5	70 63
Siloam	20	..	20	8	20 30
Seaforth	13	1	14	9	37 75
Sarnia	50	2	52	14	123 33
Stratford	25	1	26	8	72 00
Smithville	15	..	15	8	34 70
Southampton	5	..	5	..	6 88
Simcoe	36	1	37	4	52 00
Salem	13	..	13	6	40 85
Selkirk	8	..	8	5	9 00
Stoney Creek	28	1	29	10	86 70
St. Catharines, St. Paul's	43	8	51	18	92 01
" Welland Avenue.	25	1	26	8	52 70
St. Mary's	42	6	48	17	126 14
St. Thomas, First	62	10	72	15	297 22
" Central	18	1	19	6	49 85
" Grace Church	14	..	14	8	55 38
" Alma College	..	..	..	..	60 00
St. George	25	2	27	8	32 15
Thorold	7	..	7	..	24 10
Tilsonburg	33	..	33	13	58 83
The Grove	15	..	15	7	35 56
Tintern	30	..	30	10	79 27
Town Line, Talbotville Circuit	12	..	12	4	53 43
Teeterville	28	1	29	15	33 15
Thorndale	9	1	10	..	34 00
Teeswater	20	..	20	10	24 38
Tuckersmith	11	..	11	6	16 10
Union	9	3	12	7	28 40
Varna	8	..	8	4	13 95
Waterdown	21	1	22	12	61 25

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REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, 1891-92—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Annual Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	No. of Life Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Total No. of Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Average Attendance.	Amount Received by Branch Treasurer, 1891-92.
Waterford	16	..	16	8	\$27 44
Wingham	23	..	23	7	45 65
Woodstock	65	3	68	21	140 14
Watford	21	..	21	7	25 71
Welland	5	..	5	..	5 50
Westminster	19	1	20	13	82 24
Windsor	13	..	13	5	17 90
Whitechurch	18	..	18	8	26 00
Wesley	14	..	14	5	15 45
Walkerton	20	1	21	9	28 63
Woodhouse	2	..	17	9	26 65
Zion	17	..	2	..	17 05
Total	3500	193	3693	..	\$99895 70

Holland Centre, Miss B. Pepper, Life Membership Fee....\$25 00
 E. E., Donation for China..... 5 00
 From some New Auxiliaries for Leaflets..... 2 73
 Total receipts.....\$10,040 00
 Sent General Treasurer..... 9,800 00
 Increase..... 1,700 00

REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, 1891-92.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Total Sum from Members' Fees.	Amount Paid to Aux. Treasurer during year.
Brantford, Brant Avenue.....	41	\$10 25	\$37 77
“ Wellington Street.....	92	23 00	37 10
Beamsville.....	5	1 25	1 25
Chatham..... (Donation)	..	....	50 00
Clinton, Rattenbury Street.....	28	7 00	7 00
Cayuga.....	29	12 13	7 30
Dundas.....	26	6 50	36 18
Essex.....	..	....	42 16
Elora	15	3 75	11 00

**REPORT OF WESTERN BRANCH CORRESPONDING
SECRETARY, 1891-92—Continued.**

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Mem- bers, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Total Sum from Members' Fees.	Amount Paid to Aux. Treasurer during year.
Goderich.....	23	\$5 75	\$23 61
Galt (no report) .....	..	....	....
Guelph, Nortolk Street (no report) .....	..	....	....
" Dublin Street*	38	9 50	60 10
Hamilton, Centenary	120	68 00	192 46
" Wesley (juvenile).....	11	2 75	56 00
" ".....	46	11 50	122 85
" First Methodist	48	12 00	197 50
" Simcoe Street	17	4 25	30 00
" Emerald Street*.....	17	4 25	18 00
Hespeler	28	7 00	25 00
Ingersoll, Charles Street	48	12 00	20 96
" King Street	31	7 75	11 15
Jarvis	59	14 75	18 90
Jerseyville*	9	2 25	3 00
London, Queen's Avenue	90	33 75	170 00
" Dundas Street	139	34 75	235 68
" South.....	95	32 50	168 93
" Wellington Street*	38	9 50	13 50
Mitchell.....	50	12 50	40 00
Mount Pleasant	10	2 50	3 63
Maple Grove..... (Donation)	..	....	8 00
Oakville	9	2 25	12 25
Oakland.....	43	10 75	28 27
Paris	22	5 50	31 44
Petrolia	11	2 81	28 90
Port Dover.....	28	7 12	25 30
Rockwood	20	5 00	7 79
St. Catharines, St. Paul's.....	..	....	25 75
St. Thomas, First, "Gleaners"	50	12 50	45 00
" " "Light Bearers"	29	7 25	47 60
" Grace Church	130	32 50	33 70
Seaforth .....	..	....	15 50
St. Mary's	23	5 75	5 75
Sarnia*	33	8 25	27 26
" Queen Street*	11	2 75	2 75
Strathroy*	31	7 75	14 21
The Grove	40	10 00	18 85
Teeswater*	15	3 88	3 88
Waterford	28	7 20	7 60
Woodhouse	8	2 00	15 05
Wilsonville, "Thanksgiving"	9	2 25	16 50
Welland .....	..	....	8 75
Zion Hill, Jerseyville*.....	32	8 00	8 00
Total.....	1725	\$494 64	\$2079 13

Number of Mission Bands.....	50	Increase.....	4
" " Band Members.....	1725	Decrease.....	76
Amount sent to Auxiliary Treasurer	\$2,079 13	Increase.....	\$573 44

* New Band.

SUMMARY

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SUMMARY OF TREASURER'S REPORT, WESTERN BRANCH,
FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER, 1892.

RECEIPTS.

Received from Auxiliaries	\$9,895 70
Interest	12 00
Collections at Annual Meeting	57 42
Balance from 1891	75 50
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EXPENDITURE.

To General Treasurer	\$9,800 00
Expenses	140 94
Refund	50 00
Balance	49 68
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Memoranda included in above donations, special objects, etc. :-

Donation for China, E. E., Teeswater	\$5 00
" Beaverdams	20 00
Arva, for Chinese Girls' Home	40 66
Burford, for Bible-woman, Japan	64 00
Merritton, " " "	37 50
Oakville, for China	20 00
Tintern, for Bible-woman	50 00
Miss B. Pepper, life membership	25 00

Amount Paid to
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197 50
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235 68
168 93
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12 25
28 27
31 44
28 90
25 30
7 79
25 75
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TENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WESTERN BRANCH.

The tenth annual meeting of the Western Branch assembled in the Central Methodist Church, Woodstock, on Tuesday, October 4th, at 2.30 p.m., continuing through Wednesday and Thursday, the President, Mrs. (Dr.) Burns, of St. Thomas, in the chair. After devotional exercises and roll-call the Nominating Committee were chosen, being Mesdames Wood (St. Thomas), Jackson (Caledonia), and Williams (Galt). These ladies afterwards reported the entire convention divided into the following committees: Resolutions, Modes of Work, Organizers, Mission Bands, and Courtesies.

A tender and solemn memorial service was led by Mrs. Dickson. The following members have died during the year: Mrs. Awde, Mrs. Stinson, Miss Della Thompson, Mrs. Robinson, Miss Cooley, Miss Ham, of Brantford; Mrs. L. T. Kiltie, Sarnia; Mrs. Sharp, Caistorville; Mrs. F. Charlton, Littlewood; Mrs. D. C. Clark, Mrs. Smith, Dunnville; Mrs. J. Crow, Mrs. J. C. Walker, Miss S. A. Smith, Miss W. B. Clark, Guelph; Miss Code, Listowel; Mrs. S. A. Morse, Niagara Falls South; Mrs. J. S. Job, Waterdown; Miss Davidson, Dundas; Mrs. Elson, London West; Mrs. Smith, Woodstock; Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Laird, Mrs. Abbott, London; Mrs. Bradley, Tintern; Mrs. J. Grant, Acton; Mrs. R. Fulford, Teeswater; Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. Austin, Paris; Miss Tisdale, Otterville; Mrs. McCallum, Hamilton; Mrs. G. Horning, Jerseyville; Mrs. Crow, Welland; Mrs. Morden, Rock Chapel; Miss Dora Switzer, Kirkton. As each name was called, some member of the Convention gave testimony to her work and worth. Mrs. Dickson closed with a reflection on the shortness of life and our consequent responsibility.

Between the afternoon and evening session a most delightful reception was held in the lecture-room. The Woodstock ladies had prepared an excellent supper, and a pleasant two hours was spent in social intercourse.

THE OPENING ADDRESS.

After devotional exercises the President, Mrs. Burns, gave her opening address. She said the Society was first organized eleven years ago in Hamilton, at which thirteen Auxiliaries were reported. Now there are in connection with the whole Society 436 Auxiliaries, 183 Mission Bands, 10,014 members, and 5,899 Mission Band members. Last year \$31,698.96 was raised. The Society employs twenty-three missionaries.

The aims of the Society are, first, to establish an Auxiliary in every church, and to imbue its members with a love for missions. The bounds of this general Society stretch from the Atlantic to the Pacific. In connection with each Branch are Auxiliaries and Mission Bands, where the real work is done. The President spoke of the aims and expectations of the Society, laying stress upon our duty with regard to unused talent in our churches. She gave an interesting sketch of the work being done on our different fields of labor among the Japanese, the Chinese and Indians of British Columbia, and the French of the Province of Quebec.

Mrs. Cunningham, of Guelph, read the Secretary's report. It showed that during the year 20 new Auxiliaries and nine Mission Bands have been established, while several new ones have lately been organized ready for work. A few societies have disbanded. In the Western Branch of the Society are now 148 Auxiliaries, a net increase of 13; 50 Mission Bands, an increase of 4; 3,500 annual members, an increase of 391; life members, 193, increase 20; total membership, 3,693, increase 412. The amount raised by hand was \$2,079.13, an increase of \$573.44 over last year.

Miss Dickson, of London, the Corresponding Secretary of Mission Bands, read her report. It gave the total number of Bands as 50, being an increase of 4; membership, 1,723, a decrease of 74. This decrease in the membership is accounted for by the fact that all members who have not paid the full fee of

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25 cents have this year been struck off. The amount received during the year was \$2,098.16. Sent to the Branch Treasurer, \$2,078, an increase of \$572.13.

The report of the Treasurer, Mrs. Williams, of Galt, showed the finances to be in a most satisfactory condition. The total receipts for the year were \$10,040; of this \$9,895.70 has been sent to the General Treasurer; an increase of \$1,700.

Mrs. (Rev.) Ross, of Woodstock, read a gracefully worded and hearty address of welcome to the delegates.

Mrs. Mills, of Guelph, replied in a few appropriate words.

The representatives from sister societies were: Mrs. Dadson, Baptist; Miss White, Congregational; and Mrs. Beard, New St. Paul's. On the following day, Mrs. McMullen, of Knox Church; Mrs. McLeod, of the McAll Mission; and Mrs. McKay, of Chalmers' Church, were present. All these ladies spoke of the unity of mission work, and wished Godspeed to their Methodist sisters. Mrs. McMechan responded on behalf of the Branch.

Miss Whitfield, who has been engaged in missionary work in Africa, then briefly addressed the Convention, describing the work in the Dark Continent. She had been engaged for five years under Bishop Taylor, her work being in Liberia.

Wednesday was largely taken up with committee work and reports of the same.

At the afternoon session the Committee on Modes of Work recommended (1) that a missionary prayer-meeting be held in connection with the regular prayer-meeting in order to interest and instruct the general public; (2) that once or twice a year the Auxiliary give a plain tea, and especially invite members and any others they may wish to become interested in the work; (3) that members be asked to bring any interesting missionary matter to the meetings; (4) that in each Auxiliary a recruiting committee be appointed, and (5) that there be a thanksgiving offering and a birthday box established, also a self-denial week.

The Committee on Organizer's Work reported (1) that each organizer be provided with the following outfit: Three Reports, twenty-five copies each of "Origin of Our Work," "Ten Reasons why I should belong to the Woman's Missionary Society," "Duties of Auxiliary Officers," "An Appeal to the Women of the Methodist Church," and copies of the Constitution; also one sample copy of the *Outlook*. (2) That the duties of organizers be to enter all fields in their district as soon as possible; to urge Auxiliaries to organize Bands among their young people; to be in communication with all the Auxiliaries of the District, strengthening the weak, and visiting where necessary to encourage and help. (3) That our Society be represented the second day at the May District Meeting, taking this opportunity to thank the ministers for their co-operation in the work, and trusting that they may have their assistance in entering fields not as yet occupied. (4) That District Conventions be held whenever practicable.

The Mission Band Committee reported as follows:—(1) Where there is both a Circle and Band in a church, if their combined membership be forty, it is recommended that they be entitled to representation at the Branch meeting, if it be eighty, that each may send a delegate. (2) That organizers give particular attention to organizing Bands, and that they be provided with suitable Mission Band literature. (3) That the Mission Bands be provided with annual cards similar to those of last year. (4) That a closer relation between the older and younger members in the same church be cultivated; to effect this, let an interchange of friendly visits be arranged for once or twice a year. (5) To secure accuracy, let the officers of the Auxiliary confer with the officers of the Band in preparing reports.

In the evening the large church was crowded with people to hear the address of Miss Wintemute, the returned missionary from Japan. Rev. J. S. Ross presided, and in his opening address referred to the opposition manifested in some quarters when the Woman's Missionary Society was first inaugurated. He was pleased that the opposition had been successfully overcome.

Miss Wintemute is a graceful and fluent speaker, and her address proved very interesting. She described the inner life of the Japanese, especially that which has to do with the schools of the Woman's Missionary Society. She gave a brief history of the schools at Tokio, Shidzuoka, and Kofu, describing the daily routine of the scholastic and religious life. She impressed deeply the thought of the perishing millions in heathen lands and the responsibility of practising economy.

The Organizers reported in detail, giving statistics of each district in their respective Conferences. Faithful work has been done by the District Organizers, much correspondence, and a fairly successful year. District Conventions had been held on several of the districts, and had been found very helpful.

Thursday was crowded with business, but the tact and capability of the President brought the Convention safely through the programme in regular order.

At the morning's session the Conference Organizers were appointed as follows: London Conference, Mrs. Wright, South London; Guelph Conference, Mrs. Scarff, Guelph; Niagara Conference, Mrs. Jackson, Caledonia.

The question of where the next annual meeting should be held was then taken up. Invitations were presented from Listowel, Hamilton, Centenary Church, Milton, and Strathroy. Listowel was chosen.

The afternoon's session opened with a consecration meeting, led by Mrs. Jackson. Mrs. Burns led the Conference of Auxiliaries and Mission Circles. Her topics were: (1) How to make Auxiliary meetings interesting; (2) how to increase attendance; (3) how to sustain country auxiliaries.

The following were the suggestions on these topics: (1) Appoint Visiting Committees; appoint a Committee on personal work for the Lord; self-denial week; quilts and mite-boxes for the children; (2) that "at homes" at houses of members be given; the Church members be canvassed for membership; to distribute leaflets, especially in the country; missionary prayer-meeting; missionary teas; give information in a popular way by tourists' letters, etc.; hold public meetings quarterly, use your own people. On the question of how to sustain country Auxiliaries, where the appointments are far apart, some Auxiliaries hold monthly meetings at each appointment; these have their officers who transact the business. All meet once a quarter, at the same time as the quarterly official business meeting, when the quarter's work is reviewed, and the officers of the different appointments report to the officers of the head of the circuits, who alone report to the Branch officers. By this means the interest is kept up, and the attendance at the monthly meetings is large. Mrs. Mason, of Muncey, gave an interesting account of the only Indian Auxiliary in the Western Branch. In this Auxiliary, seven Indian women had raised \$20 last year. Answers to the question drawer were given by Mrs. Sutherland. Upwards of fifty questions were answered bearing on the work in its different phases. Much valuable information was gleaned from this source. The election of officers was the next business.

The following is the result:

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<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Dickson, London.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Phelps, Mount Pleasant.

The following were elected by acclamation:

<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Cunningham, Guelph.
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<i>Treasurer</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. R. T. Williams, Galt.
<i>Cor. Secretary of Mission Bands</i>	- - - - -	Miss Dickson, London.

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<i>London</i>	-	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Burns.
<i>Guelph</i>	-	-	-	-	-	Mrs. McMechan.

Delegates to the General Board which meets in Brantford this month. were voted upon with the following result : Mrs. Jackson, Caledonia ; Mrs. Sutherland, Hamilton ; Mrs. Dickson, London ; Mrs. Wright, South London ; Mrs. Fowler, London ; Mrs. Williams, Galt ; Mrs. Phelps, Mount Pleasant ; Mrs. Scarff, Guelph ; Mrs. Mills, Guelph ; Mrs. McMechan, London ; Mrs. Rosebrugh, Hamilton. The last two alternates.

The evening meeting was given to the Bands and Circles, and included several most interesting numbers.

Miss Louise Daly, of Dundas Centre Church, London, gave an appropriate solo, and also a Chinese melody, as a conclusion to the tourists' letter—an imaginary journey through China, following the route of our missionaries to Cheng-tu. The report of Miss Dickson, Corresponding Secretary of Mission Bands, was briefly given, and the prize banner presented to the Band of Grace Church, St. Thomas, Mrs. J. G. Scott coming forward to receive it. The collections at the three evening meetings amounted to \$56.

The usual votes of thanks closed a most successful Convention. One hundred and seventy delegates and visitors were present, showing the growing interest of these gatherings. We separated with regret, both from each other as members of the Convention, and from the kind Woodstock friends, whose forethought and assiduous attention left nothing undone for our comfort and happiness.

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CENTRAL BRANCH.

TENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF CORRESPONDING
SECRETARY.

Interest in the missionary cause, sympathy with all efforts for the advancement of Christ's kingdom, and a corresponding deepening of the religious life in the individual have been the chief features of the home history of this Branch during the year.

With few exceptions the reports from Auxiliaries indicate perseverance and earnestness, often contending with disadvantageous surroundings, but they rejoice in the success that has attended their efforts and gird themselves for further and better service.

Our organizers are a noble band of women, working faithfully, prayerfully, and patiently, with much to discourage them, and trials that are little known or appreciated, but the love of Christ constraineth them to persevere in the work.

Thanks to their efforts during the year, we have added twenty-nine new Auxiliaries to our list, which are in Allandale, Alliston, Anderson, Beulah, Baltimore, Bethany (Bay Circuit), Bethel, Bethany (Durham Co.), Bethesda, Crown Hill, Dartford, Fenella, Hawley, Ivanhoe, Little Britain, Locust Hill, Marmora, Moira, Newburgh, Oakwood, Rose Hall, Sandford, Scarboro', Springbrook, Tottenham, Trenton, "The People's Church," Toronto, Warsaw, Yarker. We report 139 Auxiliaries; increase, 29. Annual members, 3,527; increase, 739. Life-members, 194; increase, 10. Total membership, 3721. Mission Band members, 2,050; life members, 36. Total income, \$9,060.15. Remitted to General Treasurer, \$8,131.87.

ROSALIE M. BRIGGS, *Cor. Sec.*

ANNUAL MEETING OF CENTRAL BRANCH.

The tenth annual meeting was held in Bridge Street Church, Belleville, October 4th, 5th and 6th.

The President, Mrs. (Dr.) Williams, occupied the chair.

The following officers were elected:

<i>President</i>	-	Mrs. (Dr.) Williams, 62 Bismarck Ave., Toronto.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	-	Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, Belleville.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	-	Mrs. (Dr.) Willmott, 50 Bond St., Toronto.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	-	Mrs. G. McKay, 83 Czar St., Toronto.
<i>Treasurer</i>	-	Miss M. Wilkes, 84 Gloucester St., Toronto.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	-	Mrs. James Kendry, Peterboro'.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	-	Mrs. W. Briggs, 21 Grenville St., Toronto.
<i>Mission Band Cor. Sec.</i>	-	Mrs. Bascom, 72 Brunswick Ave., Toronto.

Mrs. A. R. Campbell was appointed as delegate to the Bay of Quinte Conference. Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom to Toronto Conference.

The following ladies will act as District Organizers:

<i>Brampton</i>	<i>District</i>	-	Mrs. (Rev.) A. Langford.
<i>Bradford</i>	"	-	Mrs. W. D. Walker, Schomberg.
<i>Barrie</i>	"	-	Mrs. (Dr.) Parker.
<i>Bracebridge</i>	"	-	Mrs. (Rev.) E. S. Rowe.
<i>Belleville</i>	"	-	Mrs. L. Massey, Wallbridge.
<i>Brighton</i>	"	-	Mrs. W. Luxon, Orono.
<i>Bowmanville</i>	"	-	Miss Tourjee, Orono.

<i>Cannington</i>	<i>District</i>	-	Mrs. (Rev.) A. R. Campbell, Atherley.
<i>Cobourg</i>	"	-	Miss Bennett.
<i>Campbellford</i>	"	-	Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Warkworth.
<i>Lindsay</i>	"	-	Mrs. G. E. Broderick.
<i>Napanee</i>	"	-	Mrs. A. W. Grange.
<i>Orangeville</i>	"	-	Mrs. (Rev.) A. Brown.
<i>Peterboro'</i>	"	-	Mrs. James Kendry.
<i>Picton</i>	"	-	Mrs. G. D. Platt.
<i>Madoc</i>	"	-	Mrs. A. C. Maybee, Belleville.
<i>Tamworth</i>	"	-	Miss Hawley, Bath.
<i>Uxbridge</i>	"	-	Mrs. H. A. Crosby, Uxbridge.
<i>Collingwood</i>	"	-	Mrs. Towler.
<i>Whitby</i>	"	-	Miss S. Crosby.
<i>Toronto West</i>	"	-	Mrs. Rev. G. Browne, Maple.

Summary of reports of Committees :

That on District Work recommended :

That the duty of an organizer is to keep in communication with all Auxiliaries in the District, giving all the information and encouragement possible ;

To repeat the request for co-operation to the minister on circuit each year, or as often as may seem expedient, and to appeal to the women of his charge ; wherever practicable, to visit the domestic missions, and try to bring the women into sympathy with our work ;

That Associate Auxiliaries be organized, to report only through organizers ;

To hold District Conventions annually, and where Districts are not organized, to invite the ladies to a public meeting, with a view to promoting missionary interest.

Committee on Modes of Work recommended :

The holding of public meetings and conventions ;

The scattering of missionary literature, personal effort ;

A crusade day, work for special objects, special effort of each member to interest at least one other ;

Attractive programmes.

Resolutions passed : That the division of the Branch be left with the Executive Committee, who will report at next annual meeting ;

That two minutes be allowed for each Auxiliary report, the Secretary to ring a bell when time is up ;

That a Corresponding Secretary be added to the officers of a Band ;

That, if advisable, Mission Bands may be divided into senior and junior departments ;

That the appointment of a Music Committee to provide selections of suitable music for Junior Mission Bands, be left to the Executive Committee.

Mrs. Platt gave following notice of motion :

In view of the length of time occupied each year with reports of Auxiliaries and Bands, and the necessity of omitting some of the most important, therefore

Resolved,—That in future it is desirable for Auxiliaries to report to District Organizer, who will select from each the distinctive features and report to Branch.

BY-LAWS.

The election of officers in Auxiliaries, and of delegates to the Branch meeting, shall be by ballot, without nomination, and a majority vote shall be required.

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 that date.

It was resolved that District Organizers be *ex officio* members of the Branch meeting, and have all the privileges of delegates.

The invitation from Queen Street Church, Toronto, for next annual meeting, was accepted.

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF CENTRAL BRANCH.

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Life Members, 1892.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Allendale	12	12	..	..	8	\$13 67
Alliston	11	11	1	1	..	2 75
Albury	15	..	..	..	..	10 00
Ameliasburg	20	20	..	..	9	23 00
Aurora	51	..	1	..	12	61 56
Atherley	21	14	1	..	10	34 42
Anderson	8	8	..	..	7	3 20
Barrie	46	..	4	..	11	87 75
Bath	22	4	..	..	9	31 72
Baillieboro'	14	..	..	..	9	13 40
Baltimore	28	28	..	..	10	19 64
Bayside	44	3	..	..	12	68 48
Beulah	12	12	..	..	6	13 10
Bethany (Durham County)	..	..	..	..	..	..
" Hay Bay	9	9	..	..	5	14 14
Bethesda (Organized March, 1892)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bethel	13	13	..	..	7	4 25
Bensfort	18	..	..	..	12	20 00
Beeton	24	24	..	..	6	38 59
Belleville—Bridge Street	128	..	5	..	26	205 96
" —Tabernacle	37	7	4	1	14	64 87
" —Holloway Street	42	11	..	..	12	53 71
Bowmanville	38	11	..	..	12	50 56
Brampton—St. Paul's	33	33	2	2	14	70 38
" —Grace Church	48	..	4	..	18	133 75
Bloomfield	28	..	..	..	14	44 25
Brighton	22	..	1	..	9	56 86
Bridgenorth	22	22	..	..	10	29 13
Bracebridge	14	..	..	..	5	11 00
Bolton	18	6	..	..	10	21 66
Castleton	30	..	..	..	14	53 00
Campbellford	25	2	..	..	10	30 12
Carmel	24	6	..	..	12	25 13
Cannington	14	1	..	..	9	29 33
Chatterton	16	16	1	1	6	46 59
Cobourg—King Street	22	2	1	..	8	29 95
" —Division Street	42	7	..	..	9	43 10
Collingwood	38	8	..	..	19	55 73
Colborne	24	24	..	..	10	36 88
Courtice	22	14	..	..	18	44 35
Crown Hill (no report)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dartford	19	19	..	..	11	7 74
Demorestville	9	..	..	..	..	20 05
Eglinton	24	4	2	..	10	56 54
Fenelon Falls	1	..	..	..	..	4 39

STATISTICAL REPORT OF CENTRAL BRANCH—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Life Members, 1892.	Increase.	Average Atten- dance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Fenella (Organized May, 1892)	40	7	1	..	16	\$68 36
Foxboro'	34	..	1	..	12	63 37
Frankford	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grafton (no report).	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gravenhurst	19	..	1	..	9	38 43
Hampton	8	2	..	..	5	8 10
Hastings	31	10	..	..	15	41 55
Huntsville	14	3	..	..	8	20 06
Hawley	12	..	1	..	8	28 30
Ivanhoe	17	17	..	..	5	12 80
Kettleby	8	..	..	..	4	12 77
Lakefield	19	..	4	..	9	85 89
Lindsay	35	..	2	..	10	45 42
Locust Hill	11	11	..	..	8	6 40
Lonsdale	7	1	..	..	6	12 20
Longford	..	..	..	..	..	21 74
Little Britain	23	12	..	..	12	27 60
Marmora (Organized Sept. 25th, 1892)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madoc	12	..	..	..	5	19 35
Moir (Organized Sept., 1892)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Markham	17	8	1	..	8	31 86
Maple	20	6	1	..	12	32 12
Millbrook	15	1	1	..	10	44 40
Mount Albert	17	..	..	..	8	16 05
Mount Pleasant	10	..	..	..	8	11 40
Newcastle	26	..	..	..	9	50 50
Napanee	76	26	8	..	20	133 40
Northport	..	..	..	..	..	16 10
Newmarket	29	2	..	..	14	87 92
Newburgh (Organized Feb., 1891)	..	..	..	..	..	7 67
Newton-Robinson	14	2	..	..	8	17 98
Norham	20	1	..	..	7	21 23
Ontario Ladies' College	..	..	..	..	..	25 00
Oshawa—Simcoe Street	48	4	..	..	..	73 74
" —Medcalf Street	49	42	..	..	15	54 33
Oakwood	17	17	1	..	8	20 89
Orono and Kirby	50	11	2	..	16	96 21
Orangeville	14	..	..	..	..	28 00
Orillia	24	..	..	..	10	67 00
Peterboro'—George Street	57	7	5	..	23	119 94
" —Charlotte Street	28	12	..	..	10	37 87
" —Mark Street	25	13	..	..	14	27 60
Picton	77	4	5	1	25	99 98
Port Hope	59	23	1	115 64
Pickering	12	1	6	13 90
Port Perry	16	5	1	..	9	63 14
Plainfield	10	5	1 40

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF CENTRAL BRANCH—Continued.

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	No. of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Life Members, 1892.	Increase.	Average Atten- dance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Rednersville .....	..	..	..	..	..	\$10 30
" Centre Church.....	24	..	..	..	12	54 33
Rose Hall (Organized Sept. 20th, 1892)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sidney	59	..	1	..	9	72 76
Salem	22	..	1	1	10	54 00
Sandford	15	..	..	..	8	15 30
Schomberg.....	17	2	3	..	10	18 87
Shelburne.....	14	..	..	..	6	11 25
Springbrook (Org'd Sept. 25th, 1892) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Shannonville	22	4	..	..	9	52 74
Smithfield	26	2	1	..	11	43 58
Scarboro'	9	..	..	..	7	10 25
South Bay.....	26	6	..	..	..	53 34
Streetsville	26	..	2	..	11	48 97
Stouffville	15	..	3	..	11	48 35
Toronto—Metropolitan.....	85	12	17	..	36	485 95
" —Elm Street.....	41	..	9	..	15	182 59
" —Carlton Street	62	16	15	..	17	225 83
" —Sherbourne Street	56	..	10	..	17	138 94
" —Berkeley Street.....	35	..	13	1	16	152 69
" —Central	71	13	6	..	16	173 19
" —Euclid Avenue.....	33	11	..	..	15	38 05
" —Broadway Tabernacle.....	94	21	10	..	35	162 96
" —Queen Street.....	61	..	12	..	34	254 04
" —Yonge Street.....	55	7	7	..	17	63 61
" —The People's Church (Organ- ized Sept. 29th, 1892).....	..	..	..	..	..	..
" —St. Paul's	31	4	1	1	16	71 19
" —Wesley Church.....	44	14	3	..	12	116 86
" —Parkdale	48	26	4	1	12	97 30
" —New Richmond	23	4	..	..	12	78 67
" —Parliament Street	54	6	3	..	18	100 80
" —Toronto Junction.....	29	6	3	..	12	83 99
Thomasburg.....	19	..	1	..	8	89 44
Thornbury	23	..	..	..	10	27 30
Thompsonville.....	10	..	..	..	..	13 49
Tottenham	10	10	..	..	15	2 75
Trenton (Organized June 21st, 1892) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tweed	20	3	..	..	7	8 60
Uxbridge	40	..	3	..	12	55 38
Vroomanton.....	33	..	1	..	6	21 40
Whitby	21	1	..	..	7	52 23
Warkworth	25	9	1	..	6	52 50
Willowdale	19	..	1	..	9	74 05
Wellington	33	11	..	..	10	50 05
Wicklow	21	3	..	..	9	33 01
Warsaw	13	13	..	..	7	16 40
Yarker	12	12	..	..	9	6 36

Total from Auxiliaries and Bands	\$8590 12
FROM OTHER SOURCES.	
Collection at Annual Meeting	\$13 00
Life Membership Certificate	1 00
Reports Sold (not through Auxiliaries) ..	0 65
Missionary Leaflets Sold (not through Auxiliaries).....	2 32
Uxbridge District, for the support of two girls, one in Japan and one in Crosby Home.....	80 00
Mission Band Quarterly	15 00
Bank Interest, Six Months.....	6 06
	\$118 03

Total Income (gross)\$9060 15

EXPENDITURE.

By Organizers' Expenses	\$34 08
Mission Band Corresponding Secretary's Expenses	10 66
Sundry Expenses at Branch Meeting in Brampton	12 90
Delegates' Expenses to " "	341 56
Methodist Book and Publishing Company (two years)....	61 41
Postage, Receipt Books and Stationery for Treasurer....	16 92
Collection on Brampton Cheque	0 75
	\$478 28

Net Income.....\$8581 87

Remitted to-General Treasurer, 1st Quarter.....	\$1500 00
" " " 2nd "	1590 00
" " " 3rd "	1750 00
" " " 4th "	3291 87

\$8131 87

Balance on hand, 1st October, 1892..... 450 00
\$8581 87

I have examined the above accounts with vouchers, from October 4th, 1891,
to October 1st, 1892, and find them correct.
October 1st, 1892. G. P. MCKAY, Auditor.

Amount raised in 1891.....	\$8499 19
Increase for 1892	560 96

SOURCES OF INCOME.

Annual Members' Fees	\$3438 88
Life Members' "	425 00
Mission Bands	1639 58
Public Meetings and Entertainments	1252 08
Mite Boxes and Birthday Boxes	459 98
Sabbath Schools	42 05
Donations and Thank-offerings.....	671 28
Reports	68 15
Literature (Monthly Letters).....	175 54
Scattered Helpers' Fund.....	6 83
Other Sources	609 06

Received after Books were Audited from Plainfield Auxiliary..... 8 17

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SPECIAL DONATIONS IN CENTRAL BRANCH.

Mr. C. W. Turner, Campbellford, towards furnishing a room at French Institute, Montreal	\$20 00
Mrs. (Rev.) Burns, Millbrook	1 00
" McDowell, Port Perry, for Chinese Home	5 00
" John Roblin, Rednersville	5 00
" C. Elvins, Belleville	5 00
" J. Lewis, Belleville	5 00
" W. W. Chown, Belleville	15 65
Miss Ida Story, Belleville	7 00
Mrs. Barclay, Peterboro'	2 00
Miss Wilson, Belleville	2 00
Mrs. A. A. Tucker, Orono	2 00
" G. Anderson, Picton	2 00
A Friend, Picton, towards support of child in Chinese Home	12 00
Mrs. L. Massey, Wallbridge	5 00
Miss McBean, Napanee	7 00
In memory of Mrs. McCallum, by the Misses McCallum, Central Auxiliary	25 00
Winifrith Constance Lee, Central Auxiliary	5 00
Mrs. Alcorn, Central Auxiliary	4 00
" (Dr.) Bascom, Uxbridge	4 40
" Broddy, Uxbridge	2 35
" In Memoriam " Rev. and Mrs. J. W. McCallum, Carlton St. Auxiliary,	50 00
Mrs. Fensom, Carlton St. Auxiliary	3 00
" R. I. Walker, Carlton St. Auxiliary	5 00
" Davidson, Carlton St. Auxiliary	1 00
A Friend, per Mrs. T. Thompson, Carlton St. Auxiliary	1 00
Belleville " Jubilee " M. B. support of girl in Chinese Home	
Picton " Wayside Workers," to aid in supporting child in the school to be opened in China	12 00
Port Hope M. B., to French Institute, Montreal	64 00
Uxbridge District (including Markham, \$6.08, and Stouffville, \$10.00), for support of two girls	80 00
Mrs. D. Walsh, Newcastle	2 00
Annie Ketcheson's Sunday-school Mite-box, Sidney	2 00
Young Ladies, Woodgreen Church, per Miss McGuffin	15 00
In memory of Lizzie, per Miss McGuffin	2 00

METROPOLITAN AUXILIARY, TORONTO,

TOWARDS MISS MUNRO'S SALARY.

Mrs. H. A. Massey	\$50 00	Mrs. Cuthbertson	\$5 00
" Robt. Wilkes	25 00	" J. J. Withrow	5 00
" Geo. Kerr	12 00	" Pratt	5 00
" Torrington	12 00	" W. Beatty	5 00
" J. B. Willmott	12 00	" J. A. Williams	5 00
Miss M. Wilkes	12 00	" W. C. Matthews	5 00
" Carty	12 00	Miss Treble	5 00
Mrs. E. Gurney	10 00	Mrs. Hatton	4 00
" W. H. Orr	10 00	" Mack	3 00
" W. T. Aikens	10 00	" W. T. Mason	3 00
" J. Segsworth	10 00	" Atherton	3 00
" J. Rowland	8 00	" W. B. Smith	2 00
" H. E. Clarke	6 00	" W. H. Withrow	2 00
" Brown	5 00	" S. F. Wilson	1 00
" Flint	5 00	" Reburn	1 00
" Maclaren	5 00	" Hargrave	1 00
" W. H. Pearson	5 00		
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" R. A. Wood	5 00		
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REPORT OF MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, CENTRAL BRANCH.

Looking back over the year just closed, we feel much encouraged, and are able to report progress in every respect; increase of members, increase of funds, and very decided increase of spirituality, and knowledge of our work.

We have grown from fifty Bands to sixty-two; from 1,767 members to 2,086, being an increase of eleven Bands, and 319 members. Seventeen new societies have claimed our welcome; these are: Juvenile Band, in Aurora; St. Mark's Church, Peterboro'; Mission Circle, in St. Paul's Church, Brampton; Boys' Band, in Bowmanville; King Street Church, Cobourg; Highland Creek; Honeywood; Lakefield; Medcalf Street, Oshawa; St. George's Church, Peterboro'; Pickering; Coral Workers, Metropolitan Church, Toronto; Maple; Marmora; Springbrook; Warkworth; and Holloway Street, Belleville.

On the other hand, two of our Bands have been dormant, Central Church, Toronto, and Norwood; the former owing to the removal of their President, and the latter because of the death of both President and Vice-President within a few weeks of each other. Three of our Societies have united with Epworth League of Christian Endeavor, but these we do not consider lost to us—rather expect that they shall be incited to additional labor and consecration of means to God's cause. Saddest of all to report, three societies have disbanded during the year, Madoc, Mount Albert and Peterboro', the latter, however, to rise phoenix-like from its ashes, and reorganize with fresh material.

The money sent to the Treasurer, does not at all represent the work done, because there are very few bands that have not made substantial contributions, through the Supply Committee for our different Homes, while some of them have even gone beyond the limits of the Woman's Missionary Society and sent help to other objects. The burning of our Home at Chilliwack roused the sympathies of our young people, and sent the needles flying in sympathetic fingers.

The letters received by the Secretary during the year have been very interesting, and she wishes to thank the Band Presidents and Secretaries for their kind and prompt attention. Some have told of lively interest maintained; many have borne witness to great spiritual gain; others have testified of intellectual growth in the study of the different countries; lessons of self-denial have been learned, papers prepared, addresses listened to, and many interesting and profitable open meetings have been held. Home mission work has not been neglected; sick and poor have been visited, flowers distributed, and bouquets sent to brighten the dreary days of shut-in-ones. McDougall Orphanage, Crosby Home and Coqualeetza Home have been faithfully remembered. A Chinese girl was supported at the Rescue Home; money sent to support a girl in the school which was expected to be opened in China; a handsome donation was sent to the French Institute, Montreal; and our treasury has been enriched by the efforts of our young people, to the sum of \$1,639.58.

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, CENTRAL BRANCH.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	No. of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount paid Treasurer during year.
Ashburnham	Inasmuch*	25	25	..	\$3 63
Aurora	Sunshine Workers	43	..	2	18 38
" — Juvenile Band* .. . . . .	.. . . . .	35	35	..	2 76
Barrie	Barrie Gleaners	68	19	..	62 45
Bath	Gleaners	20	..	..	3 00
Belleville	Albert College	40	11	..	36 91
" — Bridge Street	Jubilee	57	7	..	107 00
" — Tabernacle .. . . . .	.. . . . .	60	1	..	64 04
" — University Ch. .. . . . .	.. . . . .	18	..	14	14 00
" — Holloway St.* .. . . . .	.. . . . .	60	60	..	..
Bell Ewart	Lake Simcoe	55	20	..	7 60
Bowmanville	Buds of Hope	52	40	..	10 44
"	Boy's Band*	10	10	..	..
Brampton—Grace Church	Sunbeams	82	26	..	58 08
" — St. Paul's "	Light Bearers	72	..	29	50 33
" " "	Mission Circle*	22	22	..	..
Brighton	Eby .. . . . .	..	..	27	..
Cobourg—King Street	The King's Daughters*	16	16	..	..
Dunkerron	Whatsoever	21	..	5	10 42
Foxboro'	Gleaners for the Master	47	..	1	20 10
Gravenhurst	Willing Workers	44	..	26	28 76
Highland Creek* .. . . . .	.. . . . .	40	40	..	13 38
Honeywood	The Working Bees*	44	44	..	..
Huntsville	Willing Hands	22	2	..	..
Lakefield	The Sunshine*	31	31	..	24 00
Lindsay	Excelsior	18	..	12	23 00
"	Cheerful Workers	25	7	..	29 00
Maple	Coral Builders*	48	48	..	22 23
Markham	Self-Denial	25	10	..	13 00
Mount Albert	Sunlight .. . . . .	..	..	48	..
Newcastle .. . . . .	.. . . . .	44	..	7	27 75
Newmarket .. . . . .	.. . . . .	20	..	..	..
Norham	Happy Gleaners	15	1	..	9 26
Norwood	McDougall .. . . . .	..	..	22	..
Northport .. . . . .	.. . . . .	19	..	12	37 19
Orono .. . . . .	.. . . . .	13	..	26	14 39
Oshawa—Simcoe Street .. . . . .	.. . . . .	30	12	..	39 40
" — Medcalf Street	Hopewell Mission Band	25	25	..	6 25
" — Demill College .. . . . .	.. . . . .	30	3	..	12 25
Parry Sound .. . . . .	.. . . . .	38	..	..	..
Penville .. . . . .	.. . . . .	38	..	6	6 55
Peterboro'	Tireless Toilers .. . . . .	..	..	44	..
" — George Street	Light Workers*	43	43	..	..
Pickering	Rosebud*	14	14	..	1 41

* Organized this year.

**STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, CENTRAL
BRANCH—Continued.**

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	No. of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount paid Treasurer during year.
Picton	Wayside Workers	34	4	..	\$65 02
Picton	Kilborn Mission Band	20	3	..	12 00
Port Hope	Willing Workers	25	4	..	65 00
Schomberg	Light Bearers	54	..	26	28 16
Stouffville	Ruby Mission Circle	34	1	..	14 51
Thornbury	Daughters of Comfort	20	..	3	6 00
Toronto—Carlton Street	Daughters of Comfort	22	..	17	12 70
" " "	Daughters of Comfort	57	32	..	92 00
" —Central Church	Daughters of Comfort . . . . .	..	..	33	..
" —Elm Street	Mission Circle	40	8	..	52 72
" —Metropolitan	Coral Workers	85	..	4	265 00
" " "	Coral Workers	14	14	..	3 50
" —Sherbourne Street	Helping Hand Society	78	..	2	152 07
" —St. Paul's Church	Steinhauer	25	7	..	23 08
" —Wesley Church	Cheerful Givers	40	..	..	50 00
Uxbridge	Acorn*	20	..	..	30 41
" " "	Acorn*	44	..	1	2 00
Warkworth	Acorn*	30	30	..	5 50
Marmora*	Acorn*
Springbrook*	Acorn*	75	15
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* Organized this year. Increase this year, 319.

MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS, CENTRAL BRANCH.

Barrie.—Mrs. C. Harrison.

Belleville, Jubilee.—Mesdames W. W. Chown, Chas. M. Reid; Miss Jennie Higginbotham.

Belleville, University Church.—Mrs. (Dr.) Carman.

Brampton, Grace Church.—Misses Eloise Chapman, Edith Brown; Mr. Bertram Eaton.

Brampton, St. Paul's.—Misses Sutcliffe, McConnell, Alexander, Maud Alexander; Messrs. Ronald Heber Sutcliffe Starr, Charlie Starr.

Newcastle.—Miss M. Thorn.

Toronto.—Mesdames Willmott, W. E. Willmott; Misses M. Wilkes, McGuffin, Drummond, Harrington, Segsworth, E. Segsworth, Hooker, A. L. Hooker, Allie Magurn, Sutherland (New York), Bertha M. Shoults, M. L. Sutherland (New York), M. B. Sutherland (New York), F. H. Sutherland (New York); Messrs. Dr. D. W. Stephenson (China), Dr. W. E. Willmott, S. R. Hanna, P. A. Onderkirk.

Uxbridge, Steinhauer Band.—Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom.

REPORTS OF AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER.

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

CENTRAL BRANCH.

ANDERSON.

• This Auxiliary is endeavoring, in a feeble way, by the help of God, to become a light to those who are in darkness, and to do that part in the field of Christian duty which our Lord has given us to do.

Pres., Mrs. W. H. Crabbe; V.-Pres., Mrs. F. Wilson; Rec. Sec., Miss Birdie Schryver; Cor. Sec., Maude Percy; Treas., Mrs. M. Parks. Mesdames J. M. Joyce, J. Cuthill.

ALLISTON.

This Auxiliary was organized in April, 1892. We have entered upon another year with very bright prospects.

Pres., Mrs. Dunlop; V.-Pres., *Mrs. W. Hutchinson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. G. Fisher; Cor. Sec., Miss S. Steckley; Treas., Miss M. Fletcher. Mesdames W. Hutchinson, W. I. Clark, Upton, Sutherland, More, J. Hutchinson (removed), W. D. Clark; Miss L. Clark (former Cor. Sec., removed).

ALLANDALE

Auxiliary was organized October, 1891. We are looking forward with great hopefulness to the coming year. Our interest in home work has increased rather than diminished, while working and praying for those less favored.

Pres., Mrs. A. H. Woollatt; V.-Pres., Mrs. John Brunton; Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. Brunton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. Beatty; Treas., Miss Brunton. Mesdames Tucker, Baillie, Fockler, Smith, Hope, Adams, Kreitry; Miss E. Graham.

AMELIASBURG.

This Auxiliary was organized September 25th, 1891, by Mrs. G. D. Platt, of Picton. Our organization has proved a great blessing in our community, both socially and spiritually.

Pres., Mrs. Webb; V.-Pres., Mrs. E. Roblin; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. Gibson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. M. Sprague; Treas., Mrs. Simonds. Mesdames Pettet, I. Coleman, Lont, John Sprague, W. C. DeLong, W. Choat, J. Choat, Fred. DeLong, Allen, Stafford, (Rev.) W. V. Sexsmith, David Gibson, Thomas Wood, Harvey, Graves.

ATHERLEY.

This Auxiliary was organized September, 1891. Nearly every month we have had additions to our membership. We look forward hopefully to the coming year.

Pres., *Mrs. A. R. Campbell; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Duffett; 2nd V.-Pres., F. Gaddy; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. H. Whitney; Cor. Sec., Miss Carrie Renwick; Treas., Miss Emily Whitney. Mesdames C. W. Myers, Geo. Whitney, H. Whitney, D. J. McPhee, C. H. Byam, J. Allewell, S. Symington; Misses Bertha Campbell, Lamb, Bella Jamieson, Annie Jamieson. Honorary members—Messrs. D. J. McPhee, F. Gaddy, C. H. Byam, S. R. Payne, F. Chester.

AURORA.

Organized November, 1888. Much of our success is due to the untiring energy and devotion of our very efficient Rec. Sec., Mrs. T. Broad. We are earnestly hoping and praying for a good year. Mrs. (Dr.) Willmott, of Toronto, at a public meeting gave us a very interesting and instructive address.

Pres., Mrs. McDowell; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Mathews; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Rogers; Rec. Sec., *Mrs. Broad; Cor. Sec., Miss Norman; Treas., Mrs. Daville. Mesdames Tillman, S. H. Lundy, Toole, McDonald, Grennan, Armitage, Addison, E. W. Stephenson, Doan, Johnston, McNally, Devlin, Smith, H. D. Lundy, Braund, Stephens, Grice, Weir, Soules, Irwin, Graham, Scanlan, Nichols, Knowles, Evans, Wm. Reynolds, Hutchinson, Jas. Reynolds, A. Lundy, Geo. Andrews, Anderson, White, Forsyth, Haines, Rowe, Holland, Love, Usherwood, Donnelly, Clubine, E. Lloyd; Misses Roach, Lavelle, Love, Clubine.

BAILLIEBORO'.

Organized April, 1889. Our meetings not as well attended as we would wish.

Pres., Mrs. J. Lightfoot; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. Kilgour; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Dawson; Rec. Sec., Miss A. Thompson; Cor. Sec., Miss H. S. Dawson; Treas., Mrs. H. Dawson. Mesdames T. G. Hutchison, A. Dawson, A. Barnard, T. Sowden, W. Dawson, T. Hutchison, sen., W. Thompson; Miss M. Hosmer.

BALTIMORE.

This Auxiliary was organized by Miss Bennett, in December, 1891, with seventeen members. It has made some progress during the year, having now reached to twenty-eight members. We thank God and take courage.

Pres., A. J. Peake; V.-Pres., Mrs. Teney; Rec. Sec., Miss Williams; Cor. Sec., Miss Mitchell; Treas., Miss E. A. Peake. Mesdames P. Smith, Blezard, Philp, Brisben, Peters, J. C. Elliott, John Fraser, W. Smith, Chapman, Kelly, Day, Ball, McEvers, F. Lapp, H. Lapp, J. Mulholland; Misses Blezard, Clara Blezard, Sarah Blezard, McCutcheon, Teney, Jennie Cochrane, E. Brisben.

BARRIE.

Organized February, 1885. This eighth year of our work has been a moderately successful one. Many of our members having passed through severe affliction and bereavement affected the attendance at monthly meetings.

Hon. Pres., *Mrs. Harrison; Pres., *Mrs. Parker; V.-Pres., Mrs. Storey; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Gibson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. B. Edwards; Treas., Mrs. J. Plaxton. Mesdames *Sargeant, *Marr, Lang, Mick, McConkey, Vallean, Pearson, Scroggie, Myers, Ball, Dayman, J. Edwards, J. Johnston, Laird, Neil, J. Clarkson, J. W. Clarkson, Barr, Rankin, F. M. Smith, F. King, N. King, Hamner, Lawson, Bosanko, Watterson, S. Dymont, G. D. Ellis, Lower, G. Plaxton, Crosby, M. Burton, N. Dymont, Sherwood, Rook, N. Williams, Urquhart, M. Johnston, Ward, Taylor; Misses Warner, Lang, J. King, Storey.

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BATH

Auxiliary was organized November, 1885. Though not very large, earnest, sincere workers constitute its membership.

Pres., Mrs. Seymour; V.-Pres., Mrs. Hogle; Rec. Sec., Mrs. L. Armstrong; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Seward; Treas., Mrs. Finkle. Mesdames Shepherd, Aylsworth, Johnston, Sebastian, Wisken, Barley; Misses R. Phippen, L. Phippen, I. Huffman, Seymour, M. G. Hawley, D. Hawley. Honorary members—Messrs. Rouse, Rev. J. C. Seymour, Henry Shepherd, P. H. L. Seymour, R. M. Seymour.

BAYSIDE.

Organized December, 1889. The members are zealous in the work, and prospects encouraging for coming year.

Pres., Mrs. N. B. Gilbert; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) S. A. Duprau; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. P. Goldsmith; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Owens; Rec. Sec., Miss Reid; Cor. Sec., Mrs. O. S. Hicks; Treas., Mrs. C. R. Ostrom. Mesdames McMasters, C. Finkle, R. J. Graham, F. Spafford, W. Spafford, J. H. Murdoff, R. Murdoff, W. Van Blaricom, D. Hyde, R. A. Desislet, M. Vanderwaters, W. Kelley, W. W. Kelley, C. Moon, S. Lake, A. Finkle, R. A. Davis, G. A. Zufelt, L. Ketcheson, Butterfield, P. W. Fairman, W. R. Wilson; Misses Ethel Hicks, Jessie Gilbert, Kate Munro, Mary Zwick, Ethel Goldsmith, Moore, Zufelt. Honorary members—Rev. S. A. Duprau, Messrs. R. J. Graham, R. Reid, C. R. Ostrom, W. Kelley, Geo. Vantassel, Thos. Blanchard, sen., Thos. Blanchard, jun.

BEETON

Auxiliary was organized on August 20th, 1891. Owing to various reasons there has been a decrease in membership, but the work is steadily going on.

Pres., Mrs. McDonald; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Rose; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Atkins; Rec. Sec., Miss Millie Meggison; Cor. Sec., Miss Maggie Cross; Treas., Mrs. Owens. Mesdames Strangways, Cross, McCarthy, Martin, Treadgold, A. Kearns, Rogers, Dorsey, Willoughby, Lilly, Robins, Dunham, Richardson; Misses McCarthy, Houghton, Nichol, Mary Dunham, B. Bemrose, Wallwin, Fanny Dunham, Milligan, M. Kearns.

BETHEL

Auxiliary was organized by Mrs. Platt, of Picton, on April 16th, 1892.

Pres., Mrs. J. Rankin; V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Carson; Rec. Sec., Miss McFadden; Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. S. Rankin; Treas., Mrs. R. Carson. Mesdames J. Minaker, D. Ferguson, J. Betts, J. Bowerman, A. Wycott, B. Harrison; Misses Bertha Hill, Jessie Rankin.

BETHANY (DURHAM COUNTY.)

Organized by Mrs. Kendry, of Peterboro', February, 1892. Interesting monthly meetings have been held, and we look for a prosperous year.

Pres., Mrs. F. Galbraith; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Nestlick; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Preston; Cor. Sec., Miss Cora Kelly; Treas., Miss F. Adams. Mesdames *R. N. Adams, R. Johnston, A. McGill; Misses M. Ryley, M. Adams, M. Creighton, B. Nestlick.

BETHANY (BAY CIRCUIT)

Was organized by Miss Hawley, of Bath, February, 1892. We are circulating literature freely, hoping that increased knowledge will produce increased interest and effort.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Jewell; V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Miller; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. Hawley; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Woodcock; Treas., Mrs. C. Rendell. Mesdames McMurrin, C. Parks, A. C. Parks; Miss Hough.

BENSFORT.

We have had a very successful year, and hope that God's blessing may attend our labors, and that we may increase in prosperity.

Pres., Mrs. E. Kerr; 1st V.-Pres., Maggie Emberson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Fisher; Rec. Sec., Miss Martha Whittington; Cor. Sec., Miss Mary Whittington; Treas., Miss Hannah Morrison. Mesdames Thos. Wood, Robt. Wood, Jos. Dawson, Robt. Fisher, Thos. Dawson; Misses E. Creba, R. Wood, Annie McClelland, Etta McClelland, T. Whittington, Sophia Tinnie, E. Morrison.

BELLEVILLE, BRIDGE STREET,

Auxiliary, organized in 1884, has been blessed with increasing prosperity year by year. We mourn the loss, by death, of two valued members; one, Mrs. Higinbotham, a faithful member since organization; the other, Mrs. Hodson, the beloved wife of our late pastor, who was called to her eternal home from a far-off foreign land.

Pres., *Mrs. C. Elliott; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Meacham; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Baker; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Johnson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Chisholm; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. Lewis; Treas., Miss Sawyer. Mesdames Chislett, H. Pringle, J. Retallick, E. Ostrom, Quincey, Love, Marshall, Richardson, Perkins, A. Vermilyea, Hopkins, Ostrom, Higinbotham, Booth, A. Wensley, J. Crothers, L. B. Lazier, J. Conger, Barclay, P. C. Jones, R. Wallace, Trumpour, D. Campbell, W. Strong, McKeown, Flower, Murrell, W. Brenton, C. F. Smith, Osborne, Fish, *Frost, W. W. Chown, Sullman, Hodson, G. H. Pope, R. W. McMullin, G. L. Morden, Madden, C. Elvins, Hamilton, L. Pascoe, R. Conger, J. A. Vandervoort, G. S. Tickell, M. B. Roblin, Moynes, McClatchie, J. C. Lake, Redner, J. Brenton, Huffman, J. Young, Mathieson, J. McFee, T. Holden, N. Jones, W. F. Jones, Fowell, Roberts, Nosworthy, L. W. Yeomans, (Dr.) Eakins, Carroll, S. Moore, J. W. Johnson, C. H. Lewis, W. Alford, H. K. Lyon, (Dr.) Clarke, (Dr.) Nash, J. H. Mills, G. S. Johnson, J. Pringle, Craig, Carr, Allison, J. H. Gordon, J. B. Flint, W. J. Diamond, J. Geary, A. N. Reid, Millard, A. Knox, W. Pringle, J. Cornelius, D. Pringle, J. Rathman, F. M. Clarke, W. Thompson, R. Boyle, Ash, Chamberlain, S. Wood, Wm. Campbell, S. Reeves, J. Harwood, Sills, W. Bowes, J. Coulson, S. Welsh, Richards, Furnival, W. D. Bonter, Burrell, W. C. Bonter, J. H. Bonisteel, J. B. Hancock, T. S. Clark, Clark, N. Lingham, Root, Ackerman, *(Rev.) Dingman, Nelson, Emmons, Sargeant, C. Bogart, G. E. Minns; Misses Sierichs, Clara Yeomans, Bonar, Bogart, Maunder, Ida Story, Nelson, Templeton.

BELLEVILLE, HOLLOWAY STREET.

Our Auxiliary is still manifesting a good degree of enthusiasm, although many of our members do not favor us with their presence, which we feel a great drawback.

Pres., Miss Wilson (\$2); 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Lingham; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Swayzie; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Dunbar; Rec. Sec., Miss Aull; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. G. Row; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Scholes. Mesdames L. Grills, J. G. Vandueson, G. Grills, J. B. Ashley, S. Vermilyea, S. Lawrence, Edmison, Shearing, J. Wilson, J. Lang, Spencer, Clapp, Reid, G. Brown, W. Huffman, Yerex, C. Wills, R. Bennett, A. Ketcheson, F. Brenton, S. Herrington, J. Turner, Mrs. Vandervoort, J. Woodley, Boyd, H. Creber, J. W. Dafeo, J. Earle, Cobb, McCarty, Bowers, J. Hall, James Woodley; Misses E. Vandervoort, L. Swayzie.

BELLEVILLE TABERNACLE.

Organized April, 1880. Meetings well kept up. Fairly prosperous.

Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) A. C. Maybee; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) D. O. Crossley, 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Gardiner; Rec. Sec., Mrs. (Rev.) W.

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BEULAH.

Organized by Miss Hawley, Bath, October, 1891. We have been blessed with good meetings, and our members are gaining spiritually.

Pres., Miss Emily Laidley ; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Davison ; Rec. Sec., Miss Alma Sterling ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. Clarke ; Treas., Mrs. J. Sterling. Mesdames A. Wartman, Holmes, J. Smith, G. Fleming, S. Farfiel, J. Farfiel, Amey. Honorary member—Mr. H. Davison.

BLOOMFIELD.

Organized January, 1891. We feel deeply the need of a greater degree of earnestness on the part of each member. Financially we have improved.

Pres., Mrs. Briden ; V.-Pres., Mrs. S. White ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Freleigh ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Chas. Saylor ; Treas., Mrs. S. Clark. Mesdames A. Yarwood, D. Kelly, E. Switzer, J. Barker, A. Dorland, D. Vancleaf, Sarah Clark, W. Osborne, S. Barker, T. Morgan, S. Yarwood, Manley Yarwood, G. V. Christy, J. Terwillegar, Jos. Young, R. Branscombe, M. B. Trumpour, Wm. Freleigh, R. Burlingham, A. Insley, T. Welbanks, R. Ellsworth ; Miss C. Burr.

BOWMANVILLE.

Organized January, 1885. We are grateful to our heavenly Father for the prosperity of our Society this year. We are glad to be able to report a steady increase in membership, and a growing interest in our work.

Pres., Mrs. T. W. Jolliffe ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Mason, 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Joblin ; Rec. Sec., Miss G. Rundle ; Cor. Sec., Miss Cryderman ; Treas., Mrs. G. C. Haines. Mesdames Trebilcock, Hoar, J. M. Jones, Brimacombe, Robins, G. Haines, sen., Younie, R. James, Wood, Potter, Higginbotham, W. G. Tilley, Kerby, Higginbotham, sen., M. Cryderman, J. Fleming, H. Pearce, Ruddock ; Misses Sherin, Bonathan, G. Jones, M. Jones, T. Jones, Ida Gould, Ida Shaw, M. Bunner, M. Haines, J. Rundle. Honorary members—Messrs. Joblin, J. M. Jones, Higginbotham, Sherin.

BRAMPTON, ST. PAUL'S.

Organized September, 1891.

Pres., *Mrs. A. Langford ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Boyle ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. P. L. Woods ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Carter ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. John Hodgson ; Cor. Sec., Miss E. A. Alexander ; Treas., Mrs. W. W. Woods. Mesdames J. Sutcliffe, *D. E. Starr, F. Stonehouse, M. M. Elliott, Geo. Pulfer, Sleightholm, Herridge, Alexander, Joseph Gardiner, Dowling, Geo. Graham, McKinley, R. H. Hodgson, C. Stork, W. A. Robinson, Trimble, Daley, N. Chant, M. Treadgold ; Misses Sutcliffe, Stonehouse, Langford, Nellie Langford, Lansdell, Marshall, Wilson, May Graham, Daley.

BRAMPTON, GRACE CHURCH.

Organized September, 1891. Our work has progressed most favorably, with a willingness on the part of all to do something to further the cause. We go forward looking for great things at the hand of our heavenly Father.

Pres., Mrs. Baskerville ; V.-Pres., *Mrs. Gardiner ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Graham ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Cheyne ; Treas., Mrs. Main. Mesdames Murchison, Tye, Robinson, R. Broddy, Eli Crawford, Runians, Cooney, Winters, Williamson, Lloyd, *Holtby, Neelands, *Aikins, *Simpson, Brown, Perry, Williams, Price, Bonsfield, Austin, Pearen, (Rev.) Pearen, Atkinson, Harrison, Bull, Hartman, Wm. Foster, S. Wilson, Norval, R. Blair, Morton, Newhouse, Robson, Kenny, Ferguson, Justin, Duggan ; Misses Neelands, E. Simpson, Ethel Simpson, Emmett, Owen, Broddy, Leary, Beynon, Aikins, E. Aikins.

BRACEBRIDGE.

Organized February 10th, 1891. Laboring under difficulties, but determined to press forward. We suffered a severe loss in the death of our beloved President, Mrs. Betts.

Pres., Mrs. E. N. Rowe ; V.-Pres., Mrs. James Boyer ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. T. Johnson ; Treas., Mrs. R. Vincent. Mesdames Ney, Slater, Webster, Hunt, Fenn, Miller, Bowerman, Smith ; Misses Bettes.

BRIDGENORTH

Auxiliary was organized September, 1891. New life and vigor was infused into our work by our four representatives to the District Convention. We are looking for great results in the coming year.

Pres., Mrs. S. Rosborough ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Raley ; Rec. Sec., Miss Paulina Udy ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. B. Kelly ; Treas., Mrs. G. E. Elliott. Mesdames J. Sucee, Udy, W. A. Bell, R. F. Milburn, Pope, Davis, T. Heard, G. Allen, T. Milburn, H. Donnelly, S. Northey, Allen, Houck ; Misses Clark, Leinster, Fitzgerald, Tena Fitzgerald.

BRIGHTON.

Organized March, 1886. We were greatly delighted and encouraged by addresses from Mrs. Wilson, of Warkworth, and Mrs. Platt, of Picton. There is an increased interest in Mission Work, and we are encouraged to new zeal in the Master's cause.

Pres., Miss Taggart ; V.-Pres., Mrs. H. J. Scripture ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Davis ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Richard Hewitt ; Treas., Mrs. (Rev.) Clarke. Mesdames Lockwood, Porte, Sherwood, Wm. Brooks, M. P. Ketchum, Lapp, Kelly, Martin, Gordon, R. J. Hewitt, Cornwall, Reddic, J. B. Demill, Dean, Clapp, Potter, *Miller, W. Taggart ; Miss Brooks.

BOLTON

Auxiliary was organized March, 1891. It gives us great pleasure to be able to report a very prosperous year. Our membership has increased in an encouraging manner, finances in proportion.

Pres., Mrs. C. Walford ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Rutledge ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Eagan ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. R. Elliott ; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Stewart ; Treas., Mrs. W. Extence. Mesdames Lang, James Stewart, H. Rutherford, Claridge, J. Verner, (Rev.) G. Wood, Clement, D. Norton ; Misses Allie Bell, Campbell, S. Beamish.

CASTLETON

Auxiliary organized January, 1886. We have great reason to be encouraged, our meetings are very interesting.

Pres., Mrs. Leitch ; V.-Pres., Mrs. O. Simmonds ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Doyle, Cor. Sec., Miss M. Richards ; Treas., Miss Rebecca May. Mesdames Porter, Geo. Williams, Carter, Stinson, Knapp, Pomeroy, Mullett, Nichols, Warner, Blight, Newman, Pettibone, Lathrop, A. May, H. Williams, S. Rennock, J. Rennock, J. Phinn, B. Andrews, Steele, Moore ; Misses E. Richards, D. Richards, Pomeroy, Clow.

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COLBORNE.

Organized February, 1892.

Pres., Mrs. H. E. Kennedy; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Sanderson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Coyle; Rec. Sec., Miss Simmons; Cor. Sec., Miss Reive; Treas., Mrs. (Rev.) Pope. Mesdames C. E. Drewry, C. A. Gilbert, T. H. Peterson, J. Reive, C. Larke, (Dr.) Gould, H. Gale, J. C. Young, R. Clarke, J. Smith, S. Young, Gordon, Sim; Misses M. Petit, L. Fowler, Minnie Greer, Shannon, Purdy.

CAMPBELLFORD

Auxiliary organized in March, 1889. During the past year we have been much encouraged. Our Auxiliary is winning its way slowly but surely. A missionary prayer-meeting gave an immediate result of three new members.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) C. Parker; V.-Pres., Mrs. John McMaster; Rec. Sec., Miss Isaac; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Geo. E. Mills; Treas., Mrs. Wm. Wynn. Mesdames Vosper, S. Abernethy, Irwin, Sketch, Hoover, Ivey, McColl, Stevens, Bailey, Ashton, Jno. Frederick, Cross, Barnette, Richmond, Hay; Misses Mason, Lottie Mason, Hicks, Hawkins, McColl.

COBOURG, KING STREET.

Organized March, 1888. Meetings interesting and profitable

Pres., Mrs. C. Ward; V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Barber; Rec. Sec., Miss H. C. Bennett; Cor. Sec., Miss Ida Barber; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Hopper. Mesdames A. A. Shepard, *Gillbard, G. Ward, J. O'Neill, Warren, H. Climo, D. Hare, Floyd, Pengilly, (Rev.) Roberts, T. Heasman, F. Heasman, Webster, McCullagh; Misses Barber, Shepard, Collings, Climo. Honorary member—Mr. W. H. Hopper.

COBOURG, DIVISION STREET.

Organized September, 1890.

Pres., Miss Jones; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. W. Kerr; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Henderson; Cor. Sec., Miss Kerr; Treas., Mrs. Hopper. Mesdames R. Wilson, Kershaw, Sargent, McBride, Mitchell, Roberts, Hopper, Pope, N. T. Fish, J. W. Kerr, Badgley, Crossen, C. Minaker, Henderson, J. Henderson, Bain, Petch, W. Kerr, McLachlan, Horning, Beatty, Rutledge, J. Burwash, Bell, N. Burwash, Wallace; Misses E. Munson, Howard, Brooking, Stevenson, Sailsbury, E. Henderson, Burwash, Powell, Hazel Burwash, E. Rutledge, Jones, Wilson, Kerr, McEvers, Culver, M. Sailsbury.

COURTICE

Auxiliary organized October, 1890. We have been greatly prospered and blessed during the past year. We who are so highly privileged cannot, as Christian women, rest at ease, without doing what we can to send the blessed gospel to our sisters who are suffering and perishing without the Bread of Life.

Hon. Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) L. Phelps; Pres., Miss C. B. Littlejohns; V.-Pres., Mrs. C. W. Osborne; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Geo. Pearce; Rec. Sec., Miss Lizzie Rundle; Cor. Sec., Miss Ethel Osborne; Treas., Miss F. E. Courtice. Mesdames Geo. Morrow, A. E. Rundle, Wm. Courtice, J. Penfound, S. Penfound, J. Rundle, L. M. Courtice, S. Everson, C. Trull, J. Langmaid, Eli Osborne, R. Courtice; Misses Polly Worden, E. A. Courtice, M. Everson, M. Morrow.

CARMEL.

Organized June, 1890. Greatly encouraged to find a deeper interest in the work.

Pres., Mrs. J. Clark ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. C. Benedict ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. L. Jones ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Reid ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. Homan ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Rev.) Young ; Treas., Mrs. M. Gilbert. Mesdames M. Gilbert, A. P. Reid, Lyman Jones, H. Hawley, S. Gilbert, W. Gilbert, B. Fairman, H. Homan, W. Parliament, C. McDavitt, W. H. Ketcheson, J. Pitman, (Rev.) G. McCallum, D. Moore ; Miss A. Hawley. Honorary members—Messrs. Rev. H. B. Kenny, Rev. A. Jones.

CANNINGTON

Auxiliary organized February, 1890. During the past year we have enjoyed considerable success. Our District Convention was a profitable one to all present. We report a decided increase in our funds. Our meetings have been seasons of spiritual blessings.

Pres., Mrs. Totten ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Wrist ; Rec. Sec., Miss Totten ; Cor. Sec., Miss Lizzie White ; Treas., Mrs. Nutting. Mesdames Fead, McKay, C. Brandon, R. Brandon, Hodgens, Shipman, Shier ; Misses L. Vallentyne, J. Vallentyne.

COLLINGWOOD

Auxiliary organized 1887. Our meetings have been well attended, interesting and profitable. Membership steadily increasing. We are trying to interest others by the distribution of *Leaflets*.

Pres., Mrs. Towler ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Williams ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Barker ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Watson ; Asst. Rec. Sec., Mrs. B. Telfer ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Greaves ; Treas., Mrs. H. Birnie. Mesdames Carpenter, Pentney, Duncan, Tower, F. Telfer, Begg, J. L. Smith, Fagan, Barker, Chamberlain, Towler, W. Williams, Martin, Jeffery, T. Boothby, Fry, Harvey, Crossley, Belcher, Dipple, J. Birnie, jun., Hilborn, Beatty, Foster, Greaves, D. Johnston, H. Telfer, Fryer, H. Birnie, H. Y. Telfer, D. Williams, Watson ; Misses E. Hilborn, Lawrence, G. Fry, C. Telfer, A. Hilborn, L. Williams.

CHATTERTON

Auxiliary organized September, 1892. We feel greatly encouraged, trusting that God will bless our efforts in awakening a greater interest in the cause we love.

Pres., Mrs. Sing ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. D. Vanderwater ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Roblin ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. Vanderwater ; Cor. Sec., *Miss S. E. Morden ; Treas., Mrs. H. Palmer. Mesdames Livingston, M. Dafoe, M. Boardman, Turner, Ward, D. Faulkner, J. C. Morden, F. Bird, J. Searls ; Misses E. Connor, S. E. Morden.

DARTFORD.

Organized February, 1892. Membership increasing slowly.

Pres., Mrs. Boyce ; V.-Pres., Miss Atkinson ; Rec. Sec., Miss Lillian Copperthwaite ; Cor. Sec., Miss Delia Massey ; Treas., Mrs. J. B. White. Mesdames P. Spiers, S. Patterson, Wm. Massey, W. E. Hopkins, Lizzie Cunningham, W. Hutcherson, A. Marks, T. Atkinson, A. Copperthwaite, J. Patterson, J. Atkinson ; Misses Flo. Copperthwaite, J. Boyce, S. Hardy.

EGLINTON

Auxiliary organized December, 1888. We are glad to report a good attendance at our meetings and an increasing interest in the work.

Pres., Mrs. McKee ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. White ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. G. Woodley ; Cor. Sec., Miss G. Moore ; Treas., Mrs. Wm. Doel, jun. Mesdames Wm. Jackes, Geo. Moore, Robt. Moore, Geo. Jackes, Benjamin Jones, Alex. Doig, Loader, S. Lawrence, Alonzo Snider, Wm. Douglas, W. H. Moore, Perry ; Misses E. Doel, M. Jones, Ida Moore, Rose Brady, D. Ward, Fawcett. E. Jackes, *M. Jones. *Mr. Robt. Jones.

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FRANKFORD.

Organized June, 1889.

Pres., Mrs. J. W. Hendricks; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. H. Ward; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Geo. Potter; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. H. Phillips; Treas., Miss A. Gunter. Mesdames J. Richards, J. Chapman, M. Welborn, A. Chapman, (Rev.) D. Balfour, *(Rev.) R. Taylor, H. Curry, Geo. Rose, J. Osterhout, Knapp, D. I. Rose, C. Shorey, W. Rose, G. Marsh, Wm. Currey, Wm. Chisholm, A. Fox, A. B. Mallory; Misses Lillian Balfour, Florence Taylor, Ruby Taylor, Pearl Taylor, Ada Ward, Minnie Foster, Annie Countryman, Sarah Chapman, M. McDonald. Honorary members—Rev. R. Taylor, Howard Taylor.

FOXBORO'.

Organized December, 1884.

Pres., Mrs. D. Phillips; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Reid; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Holgate; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Briant. Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. A. Benedic; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Hubble; Treas., *Mrs. Sing, Mesdames A. Benedic, Stewart, J. N. Laird, R. Wickett, D. Wickett, D. Sills, I. Windover, H. Fenn, J. Gay, J. Robinson, J. Miller, Gould, M. Dafeo, Bradshaw, M. Denyes, H. Simmonds, Cox, Foster, Parliament. F. Bird, Roote, A. Thompson, Burrows; Misses Smith, L. Miller, J. Snider, M. Miller, E. Briant, Lake, Lloyd, I. Foster, Wilson, Bass, Clarke.

GRAVENHURST.

Pres., Mrs. Mickle; V.-Pres., Mrs. Boyd; Rec. Sec., Miss Annie Brown; Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. P. Bowles; Treas., *Mrs. Groves. Mesdames Newlove, R. Hughes, J. T. Harvey, T. Fawcett, A. Mowry, J. E. Clipsham, D. Brown, F. Sherin, W. Russell, W. Campbell, Adams, Blackwell, E. Martyr.

HAWLEY.

Organized by Miss Hawley, of Bath, October, 1891. We are entering upon a new year with prospects of increased membership.

Pres., Mrs. P. Bristol; V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Paul; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. Hawley; Cor. Sec., Miss Jennie Meyers; Treas., Mrs. C. B. Huffman. Mesdames P. Detlor, J. M. Hawley, P. McPherson, *H. Huffman; Misses Carrie Hawley, A. McPherson, B. Bristol. Honorary member—C. B. Creighton.

HASTINGS.

Organized March, 1889. The past year has been one of prosperity. We have increased in members and interest.

Pres., Mrs. S. B. Phillips; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Fuller; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Beavis; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. Mills; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Anderson; Treas., Mrs. Parsons. Mesdames D. V. Waite, H. Collins, D. Anderson, H. W. Fowlds, S. Mirfield, A. Huycke, J. Fleming, S. Merrills, G. Fleming, W. Huycke, J. Watson, I. Thompson, C. Dainard, R. Doxsee, B. F. Doxsee, B. Orr, J. Redner, C. S. Ash, T. McKee, J. Anderson; Misses Ketchum, E. Brooks, A. Beavis, L. Tate, A. Waite.

HAMPTON.

We are pleased to report that the interest in our meetings is increasing. We have been encouraged by the Master's presence in our midst, and are hoping, praying, and working for better success in the future.

Pres., Mrs (Rev.) Liddy; V.-Pres., Mrs. Moynes; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. B. Cryderman; Cor. Sec., Miss Ada Hastings; Treas., Miss A. Ruse. Mesdames Rev.) Hurley, Salter; Miss Pickard.

HUNTSVILLE.

We report this year an increase in membership and very interesting meetings, but a decrease in funds. We are hoping to do better next year.

Pres., Mrs. Mitchell; V.-Pres., Mrs. Richard; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Slater; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Randleson; Treas., Mrs. Metcalf. Mesdames Whaley, Reece, W. Bray, E. Bray, Hutcheson, Wright, Robb, White; Miss Hood.

IVANHOE.

Organized April, 1892.

Pres., Miss M. Harvey; V.-Pres., Mrs. C. Timmemon; Rec. Sec., Mrs. M. Roke; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. Spencer; Treas., Miss A. Chapman.

KETTLEBY.

Organized March, 1890. We report increase in interest and funds.

Pres., Mrs. Chas. Lloyd; V.-Pres., Mrs. Brown; Rec. Sec., Miss White; Cor. Sec., Miss Walton; Treas., Mrs. E. Lloyd. Mesdames Hambleton, Lemon, Love; Miss Long.

LAKEFIELD.

During the year we have enjoyed the blessing of the Master. The means used to increase our funds have been a social, a stereopticon entertainment by Rev. Mr. Cocking, and a lecture by Mr. W. H. Schofield, B.A. Each month a paper is prepared on the subject of prayer by a member of the Auxiliary.

Pres., *Mrs. Hull; V.-Pres., Mrs. Bartlett; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Madill; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. J. C. Sherin; Treas., W. Harper. Mesdames Leonard, Hendren, S. Sherin, Grylls, Carveth, Brown, Crowder, Robinson, English, Hurl, Snelgrove, Whatley, *McFarlane, Smith, Montgomery; Misses Grylls, H. Hendren. Honorary member—*Mr. Hull.

LITTLE BRITAIN.

Organized by Mrs. (Rev.) A. R. Campbell, of Atherley, Nov. 1891. Meetings well attended; an address by Mrs. (Rev.) Campbell, of Lindsay, rendered us great service. Fully equipped with our newly appointed officers for next year we hope and pray for greater success.

Pres., Mrs. G. Prouse; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Cornish; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. B. Greatrix; Rec. Sec., Miss L. Prouse; Cor. Sec., Miss L. Davidson; Treas., Mrs. E. Z. Yerex. Mesdames Blewett, Weldon, Smith, Metherill, Wallis, Pearce, Gregg, Greenaway, West, Howey; Misses Allin, Western, Sailes, Morgan.

LINDSAY.

We regret that this year has not been marked with greater prosperity financially.

Pres., *Mrs. Campbell; V.-Pres., Mrs. Eaton; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. D. Flavelle; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Weldon; Treas., Mrs. Stephens. Mesdames Broderick, Flavelle, sen., J. Graham, Hughes, Doeg, Lack, Worsley, Herriman, Magwood, Blackwell, J. Clarke, Staples, King, (Dr.) Poole, McLaughlin, Francis, Irwin, Mallett, Wm. Flavelle, Dundas, O. Biglow, Rae, *Baptie, Porter, R. J. McLaughlin, Rogers, Wetherup; Misses Poole, Mitchel, Flavelle, Taylor, Dundas.

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LONSDALE.

Our Auxiliary is not growing as fast as we would wish, but interest is increasing.

Pres., Mrs. Tulloch ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Darche ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. Winters ; Treas., Mrs. T. Anderson. Mesdames Simpkins, Kimmerley, Abbott.

LOCUST HILL.

Organized by Mrs. (Dr.) Williams and Mrs. Young, March, 1892. Meetings well attended, with an increase of interest.

Pres., Mrs. C. Reesor ; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. W. Cannom ; Rec. Sec., Miss D. Hagerman ; Cor. Sec., Miss V. M. Reesor ; Treas., Mrs. J. Jarvis. Mesdames R. T. Hawkins, Stephenson, B. Hagerman, J. McNeely, N. E. Reesor. Honorary member—Rev. J. W. Cannom.

MOUNT ALBERT.

This Auxiliary was organized February 5th, 1890, by Mrs. Crosby, of Uxbridge. Since then we have been slowly adding new members. We are pleased to say there is at present an increasing interest in this great work, and we have reason to feel encouraged, as each member seems to be alive to her responsibility.

Pres., Miss Mainprize ; V.-Pres., Miss Anderson ; Rec. Sec., Miss Long ; Cor. Sec., Miss Haigh ; Treas., Miss Ramsden. Mesdames Allen, Ross, Vanstone, Hays, Wallis, Sisler, Rowland ; Misses A. B. Long, Starr. Honorary members—Messrs. Rev. Allin, A. Miller, Hopkins.

MARKHAM

Auxiliary organized 1891. God has been with us, so in spite of failures we thank God and take courage for the future.

Pres., *Mrs. J. Young ; V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Brown ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. P. P. Crosby ; Cor. Sec., Miss L. E. Reesor ; Treas., Mrs. Waller. Mesdames D. Crosby, G. Pringle, J. Wales, H. B. Reesor, H. C. More, McGaw, B. Hoover, Beebe, A. Morrison, Purvis, W. Speight ; Misses A. Holden, A. Crowle.

MADOC.

We have not a very encouraging report to make this year. We have a membership of thirteen. We have not held our meetings regularly in the past, but we are fully determined to do better and be more prosperous the next year.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Wilson ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Harrison ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. N. M. Maybee ; Treas., Mrs. E. D. O'Flynn. Mesdames James Dale, John Dale, W. Wooley, W. Tuller, F. Ailsworth, B. O'Harra, George Brown ; Miss Emma O'Flynn.

MAPLE.

As an Auxiliary we look over this the first year of our organization with gratitude. We have held weekly prayer-meetings from which we received great spiritual help. By working for others we have been blessed by our Master.

Pres., Mrs. G. Browne ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Smith ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. C. Nixon ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Cook ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. G. Cook ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. T. Oliver ; Treas., Mrs. J. Oliver. Mesdames Anderson, Dickhout, Kirby, Speight, Knight, Craddock, R. Thomas, T. Cook, J. Kaiser, J. Saigeon, W. Jackson, Richardson ; Misses Page, Devlin.

MILLBROOK.

We are glad to report a successful year. In April our District Convention held here seemed to be a stimulus to the work. We take courage and go forward.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Young; V.-Pres., *Mrs. Walsh; Rec. Sec., Miss Pendrie; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Stanton; Treas., Mrs. Russel. Mesdames Coombe, Richards, Kennedy, Raper, Welch, Fallis; Misses Whitfield, Hampton, Greer, Winterbotham. Honorary member—Rev. Wm. R. Young, B.A.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

With renewed zeal we begin our new year. We hope in a short time to gain more of a foothold than we have had in the past. Mrs. Platt, of Picton, gave an address which was a great help to us.

Pres., Mrs. Thorn; V.-Pres., Mrs. Huff; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. Huff; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. B. Leavens; Treas., Mrs. J. Purtell. Mesdames G. Chisholm, J. E. Huff, Terwilliger, S. T. Leavens; Miss Bernice Thorn.

NAPANEE.

We have had a prosperous year. A genuine missionary spirit has taken hold of our members, causing them to contribute cheerfully to the funds of the Society. At our public meeting, which was taken charge of by the President, stirring addresses were given by our lady speakers, convincing us that God can use such as we are to assist in the evangelization of the world.

Pres., Mrs. A. W. Grange; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Gibson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. W. Miller; Rec. Sec., Miss McHenry; Cor. Sec., Mrs. T. W. Casey; Treas., Mrs. Jas. Bowerman. Mesdames *(Dr.) Meacham (Japan), *(Dr.) McDonald (Japan), *H. Perry (Japan), *S. Warner, *W. W. Miller, *(Rev.) J. S. Shorey, J. Gibbard (Mem. of Miss Gibbard), Blewett, Jas. Daly, Jamieson, C. B. Perry, J. Thompson, T. Empey, Geo. Daly, Symington, Carscallen, Fennel, Curlette, J. Madden, Geo. Fraser, Finkle, F. Bogart, McHenry, S. Dettlor, F. Richardson, A. Rose, T. Gibbard, Elliott, C. H. Wartman, D. Bogart, D. Daly, P. Gould, A. Madden, Minaker, R. J. Perry, J. Dollar, Hulett, D. McKim, Vandusen, Jas. Schemahorn, McKoy, Hooper, Scriver, Boyce, Clark, Vrooman, Bradshaw, Vine, Stan. Warner, Collins, Parrott, Brandon, J. R. Perry, Will. Davis, U. Wilson, M. Bogart, G. Vanluven, Stevens, J. R. Scott, W. F. Hall, J. Taylor, W. Daly; Misses *McBean, *Robson, H. Grange, G. Grange, C. Grange, A. Long, K. Ross, F. Hurst, D. Casey, E. Allison, B. Bogart, F. Warner, E. Fraser, L. Thompson, "In mem. of mother."

NEWMARKET.

We have kept up our meetings all summer, and those who attend regularly are conscious of a growing love for the Master and His work. We have held one "At Home" and two parlor concerts.

Pres., Mrs. Lewis; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Stewart; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Montgomery; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. E. Widdifield; Cor. Sec., Miss S. A. Belfry; Treas., Mrs. L. G. Jackson. Mesdames J. P. Belfry, C. M. Hughes, Richardson, C. Lundy, H. S. Caue, Millard, Wallace, Campbell, Scott, Griffis, Smith, Bolton, E. Jackson, Playter, J. J. Pearson, Gardiner, Mader, Odery, Trivett, Stephens, Reid; Misses Gartley, Richardson.

NEWTON-ROBINSON.

We suffered a great loss in our President's death, which occurred last February. We enter upon a new year with cheering prospects, and feel encouraged to go on as we have had several new members and expect more.

Pres., Mrs. Merrick; V.-Pres., Mrs. Hipwell; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Weif; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Merrick; Treas., Miss Fisher. Mesdames H. Harper, J. Downey, J. Coburn, W. Hill, J. Lennox, W. Hipwell, Robinson, Hainer, Merrick, jun; Misses Wardman, F. Downey, Culbert.

NEWCASTLE.

We are glad to say the missionary interest is still kept up. At our monthly meetings we have had missionary readings, and the roll call responded to by a verse of Scripture. An interesting lecture by Rev. Chas. Cocking was listened to with pleasure and profit.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) D. F. Gee; V.-Pres., Mrs. Heard; Rec. Sec., Miss Alice Lovekin; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Richard; Treas., Mrs. Orchard. Mesdames Eilbeck, Moore, Arnott, D. Walsh, Clemence, Bell, sen. (deceased), Ellsworth, Uglow, J. Douglas, W. Lovekin, J. Rickard, sen., T. A. Mason, J. Beman (deceased), Pickard, J. P. Lovekin, Hutchinson, Chenoweth (deceased), Barfett (in memory), A. Ferguson, Webster; Misses A. Foster, Atkinson.

NORHAM.

We are sorry to report a seeming lack of interest in our Auxiliary, as is shewn by our average attendance. Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson gave us an interesting address at a public meeting. We are hoping for a better report next year.

Pres., Mrs. M. E. Wilson; V.-Pres., Mrs. Smith; Rec. Sec., Miss Flora Evans; Cor. Sec., Miss Lillie Boyce; Treas., Mrs. Rankins. Mesdames Boyce, Goheen, Milligan, Bailey, Snider, J. Stone, Mallory, Denike, Gummer, Moore, E. Stone, P. Blair, Todd, G. Cryderman, E. Cryderman; Misses Minnie Curtis, Susan Petty.

OSHAWA, SIMCOE STREET.

Since our organization in 1885 we have been steadily growing. The meetings have proved very helpful to the faithful few who are found there.

Pres., Mrs. A. B. Demill; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. James Luke; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Jolliffe; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Carswell; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. King; Cor. Sec., Miss S. C. Stephenson; Treas., Mrs. J. Dingle. Mesdames Ashley, D. Drew, T. W. Dingle, Baler, German, C. Clarke, R. Clarke, Gould, Gifford, Jewell, Hazzlewood, Hislip, Harvey, Hunter, Everson, Joseph Luke, W. Luke, Johns, J. O. Guy, Keddy, Gardner, J. Larke, E. Phillips, T. G. Riley, Ritson, E. I. Rouse, C. Nicholson, Mitchell, P. Thornton, J. Thomas, W. H. Thomas, S. Steep, J. G. Scott, White, Wellington; Misses E. Dingle, H. Dingle, Hurd, Ritson, Strickland, M. Stephenson.

OSHAWA, MEDCALF STREET.

Our review of the year calls forth feelings of gratitude. Our meetings have been seasons of interest and profit. A great interest in our beloved work is being taken by many of the members.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Watch; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Kirby; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. R. J. Gray; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. E. Dyer; Cor. Sec., Miss Aylesworth; Treas., Miss Everson. Mesdames Nott, Bant, Drew, Goyne, Doidge, Bone, Dinner, Bowden, Herring, James, Hobbs, Aylesworth, Snider, Collins, Kellow, Lyons, Leek, Thomas Cinnamon Phillips, J. E. Hawkins, Lander, Fursey, Ford, White, J. Cinnamon, Gregory, Spencely, Wm. Manning, Rice, Jacobi, Squires, J. Dyer, D. Cinnamon; Misses Keeler, E. Yeo, M. Yeo, Goyne, A. Anderson, Lavis, Gale, Reta Dyer, J. Jackson, A. Jackson.

ORILLIA.

The interest in mission work is increasing amongst our members, and we trust it may work as the leaven, till all our women are imbued with missionary zeal.

Pres., Mrs. James Millard; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Thomas Williams; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. N. Wellwood; Rec. Sec., Mrs. G. Newland; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Todd; Treas., Mrs. J. J. Moore. Mesdames G. E. Whiten, J. B. Wallace, W. G. Bingham, J. J. Hind, Chambers, J. A. Stephenson, Fowler, Hart, S. Watson, Howdan, M. Johnson, Wm. Stephenson, A. Wainwright, M. P. Rush, J. Jackson, P. Kelly, F. B. Hugg, Doonan.

ORONO AND KIRBY.

We are pleased to be able to report a growing interest in the cause of Missions. We have lost one member by death, Mrs. J. Jackson.

Pres., Mrs. Millson; V.-Pres., *Mrs G. Brown; Rec. Sec., Mrs. R. Moment; Cor. Sec., Miss Lydia A. Tourjee; Treas., *Mrs. W. Luxon. Mesdames Odell, R. Knox, L. Tourjee, R. Moon, G. M. Long, E. Cobbleidick, J. Tyreman, J. Rickaby, I. Cobbleidick, A. Tamblin, R. Best, A. Pollard, (Dr.) Tucker, R. Winter, T. Smith, A. A. Tucker, Ward, J. Best, H. Linton, H. Millson, T. Raney, J. Miller, C. J. Hughson, Wm. Armstrong, Wm. Allin, J. Jerome, J. Dobson, J. Cobbleidick, A. Cobbleidick, Elliott, E. Davey, A. Powers, A. Gamsby, W. Winters, A. Knox, Rockey, Brimacombe, Clemence, M. Jackson, J. Beardmore, J. Jackson (deceased); Misses S. Tourjee, J. Knox, M. Harris, E. Best, E. McCormac.

ORANGEVILLE.

Organized November, 1891. The year has been marked by prosperity.

Pres., Mrs. Smith; V.-Pres., Mrs. Brown; Rec. Sec., Mr. W. Kent; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. A. Ceser; Treas., Mrs. J. Green. Mesdames Jackson, Henderson, Shaver, Clingham, Clark, Parsons, Conner, B. Brown; A Friend.

OAKWOOD

Auxiliary organized November, 1891, by Mrs. A. R. Campbell. Trusting in Christ, the Fountain Head, we still go forward to another year's work for the Master.

Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) W. Burns; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. R. G. Webster; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Hattie Prior; Rec. Sec., Miss Mina Foster; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. C. Jeffers; Treas., Mrs. A. O. Hogg. Mesdames Jessie Weldon, Eri Weldon, J. F. Cunnings, J. P. Cunnings, J. Armitage, S. Walters, C. Thomas, W. Coad, W. Lownsbrough, W. James, T. Staples, A. Cameron.

PLAINFIELD.

This Auxiliary was organized in June, 1890. We are sorry to report a decrease in our contributions this year. At times during the year we have felt greatly discouraged; although our numbers are few, we have enjoyed our monthly meetings. We are determined to "be watchful and strengthen the things that remain."

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) W. D. P. Wilson; V.-Pres., Mrs. James Hamilton; Rec. Sec., Miss Kate Shorey; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. V. Ketcheson; Treas., Mrs. W. Sills. Mesdames J. Clarke, W. H. Thompson, D. Carl, J. W. Denyes, W. C. Wells.

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PICKERING

Auxiliary was organized in 1888. The year has not been as successful as we anticipated, but hope that the incoming year may be one of greater consecration.

Pres., Mrs. John Gee; V.-Pres., Mrs. Mowbray; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. John Seldon; Treas., Mrs. Caldwell. Mesdames Findlay, F. Gee, Swallow, Braund, Leavens, Rogers; Miss L. Leavens.

PORT HOPE.

This year, the sixth of our existence as a society, has been fairly successful. A large increase in membership, owing chiefly to a crusade meeting held in January. The Rev. R. Whittington gave us an interesting lecture on "Woman's Life in Japan." We received a donation of six handsome Japanese panels from Rev. C. T. Cocking, which sold well.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Crothers; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Harrison; 2nd V. Pres., Mrs. Milward; Rec. Sec., Miss Wade; Cor. Sec., Miss Shepherd; Treas., Mrs. (Dr.) Powers. Mesdames Burns, Outram, Jewel, L. Reynolds, Roberts, Stephens, *Fountain, Trick, Parsons, sen., Green, Hyde, Wickett, sen., Wickett, jun., Andrews, W. H. Parsons, Gould, Budge, Henwood, Wilson, Baker, Ferguson, Walker, Curtis, Beatty, Crocker, McMaster, Neelands, Adams, J. L. Thompson, Thom, E. Mitchel, Hill, Greenaway, Chislett, Leader, Hawkins, W. H. Brown, Brownscombe, G. R. Read, Barrett, H. Rosevear, D. Scott, H. V. Sanders, Sarvis, J. Reynolds, Oke, Goheen, Byington, Rundle, Coombs; Misses Carr, M. Mitchell, Mutton, Choate, Walker.

PETERBORO', CHARLOTTE STREET.

We are glad to report an increase of members and of funds, also a growing interest in the work. We pray that our Auxiliary will be "strong and of a good courage."

Pres., Mrs. J. W. Taylor; V.-Pres., Miss Kennedy; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Bacon; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. M. Price; Treas., Mrs. Goard. Mesdames Clark, Hamilton, Brooks, Morrow, Blackstock, Christie, Madden, Lyle, Sutherland, Dobson, Neil, Beal, Allum, Adamson, C. Green, Tovey, Byam, A. Cox, A. L. Davis, (Rev.) G. Edwards; Misses Kingdon, R. Clarke, Neil.

PETERBORO', GEORGE STREET.

Organized in 1887. Meetings well kept up. Interest increasing.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. Locke; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Kendry; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Fitzgerald; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. B. Meharry; Treas., Mrs. M. Hawkins. Mesdames Nugent, Matchkee, (Rev.) Sanderson, A. Rutherford, *T. Badburn, (Dr.) Fife, Tebb, Barclay, Owens, Dixon, Hilliard, Shields, Sherry, Bird, Pethick, P. H. Green, Parker, W. J. Mason, *Carlisle, McIntyre, Mulhern, McGill, Bush, Lush, *Munro, Glass, Mann, Hamilton, Eyres, W. J. Green, Richardson, Armstrong, Stirling, (Dr.) Goldsmith, F. Mason, Shortly, Cobb, L. B. Meharry, Robinson; Misses Shortly, Meharry, McGill, Grundy, Cameron, Hawkins, Bradburn, L. Sanderson, A. Sanderson, M. J. Sanderson, Richardson, Owens; Master Hawkins.

PETERBORO', MARK STREET.

Organized by Mrs. Kendy, September, 1891. The interest in our society is increasing and we are looking forward to a prosperous year.

Pres., Mrs. J. Thom; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Wand; 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. Green; Rec. Sec., Miss Smith; Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. G. Dean; Treas., Mrs. Rose. Mesdames Throop, Noyes, Wood, Lockhart, Ritchie, Hall, Johnston, Arnott, Hines, Tilford, Patterson, Hooper, Heal, Hambridge, Hart, Agnew, Sanderson, Clewes; Miss Styles.

PORT PERRY.

Our Society has made some progress this year, our members have been more active, and we have had very interesting meetings.

Pres., Mrs. L. W. Hill; V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Dryden; Rec. Sec., Miss M. Bruce; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Brown; Treas., Miss T. Nott. Mesdames *Hill, W. Ross, Brock, Heal, Hiscox, Bond, Jones, Oke, Allin, McDowell, Dryden, Oar, Pierce, A. Ross; Misses T. Ross, Nott, Bruce, Brown.

PICTON

Auxiliary organized in 1882. Our meetings have been seasons of spiritual strengthening and proved very profitable and instructive. Through an earnest and inspiring address, by Mrs. Massey, eight more names were secured for membership.

Pres., Mrs. H. Welbanks; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. McDiarmid; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Copeland; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Powers; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. Woodrow; Treas., *Mrs. (Rev.) Adams. Mesdames *C. S. Wilson, *G. D. Platt, *E. Harris. *G. C. Curry, D. McMullen, J. McMullen, W. J. Porte, G. E. Fraser, A. Miller, Wm. Landon, B. Ailsworth, J. Murney, Dingman, McDiarmid, Branscombe, J. A. Thompson, W. C. Williams, G. Anderson, W. Tobey, J. Laird, R. Porte, J. O. Clark, P. Larue, Wm. Woodrow, Greenless, D. Tobey, Lighthall, McKibbin, J. North, Getman, Lent, Wm. Conger, H. Carter, J. G. Johnson, Wm. Lake, R. Sawyer, A. Davidson, R. Mastin, I. N. Wait, Marsh, McKenzie, Anning, Copeland, Yarwood, F. Martin, J. Terwilliger, Wm. Philip, Wm. Williamson, W. Welbanks, H. Welbanks, J. Dingman, Drummond, E. J. Laird, Barbara Tobey, J. Johnson, Ostrander, S. Wilson, Vancleaf, W. Tully, A. Bristol, E. A. Morden, R. H. Hulls, W. Powers, D. H. Spencer, J. Blakely, G. C. Kyle, W. H. R. Allison, Ranson, Wilson; Misses N. McMullen, M. Murney, N. Clark, M. Post, McArtney, N. Conger, R. Hart, C. Platt, J. Rogers, Valentine, M. Bristol, M. Hazard.

REDNERSVILLE—CENTRE CHURCH.

We have had a prosperous year, and pray for increased interest.

Pres., Mrs. A. L. Peterson; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. C. Giles; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Roblin; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. E. DeLong; Cor. Sec., Mrs. S. Fox; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Eckert. Mesdames P. D. Redner, Geo. Roblin, sen., Wm. G. Stafford, J. Allen, W. H. Redner, J. Carnrite, J. Adams, M. Giles, A. Lambert, D. T. Stafford, G. E. Roblin; Misses Florence Roblin, Lizzie Stewart, R. Peterson. Honorary members—Messrs. G. E. Vandusen, J. Roblin, D. T. Stafford.

SCHOMBERG.

The missionary spirit among our members seems to be awakening, and we hope the year that we are just entering upon will prove to be one of the best we have ever had.

Pres., *Mrs. W. D. Walker; V.-Pres., Mrs. Bedford; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Wilkinson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. J. Brereton; Treas., Mrs. J. Brydon. Mesdames G. T. Hughes, A. Tegart, C. Somerset, M. Pearson, W. Pinkerton, Stonehouse, Wm. Walker, Wm. Sproule, G. Hambly, A. Dickinson, *J. Manning, J. Butler; Misses *M. A. Davis, M. E. Pinkerton. Honorary member—Mr. Bedford.

SMITHFIELD

Auxiliary, at the close of its seventh year, reports an increase of membership and funds, and of interest in, and love for, the work. We have sustained loss by death of Mrs. Sherman, one of our faithful workers.

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SHELBURNE.

Organized November, 1890.

Pres., Mrs. A. Henderson; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. B. Noble; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Bretz; Rec. Sec., Miss Fairbairn; Cor. Sec., Mrs. James Williams; Treas., Mrs. J. Palmer. Mesdames McTavish, Dr. Barr, J. E. Marshall, J. Hamilton.

STOUFFVILLE.

Organized January, 1889.

Pres., Mrs. Park; V.-Pres., Mrs. Stewart; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Storry; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. W. Brown; Treas., Mrs. Clendennan. Mesdames Casely, *A. Stouffer, *H. Johnson, *Kent, St. John, J. Sanders, Woodburn, Flint, Raymer, Hartney; Misses A. Gilbert, B. Park.

SCARBORO'.

Organized December, 1891. Have been holding meetings from house to house, and opening with reading and prayer by the minister.

Pres., Mrs. Kearn; V.-Pres., Miss M. Richardson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. P. Mason; Cor. Sec., Miss A. F. Annis; Treas., Mrs. W. A. Heron. Mesdames J. Annis, Wilson, Chapman; Miss B. Heron.

SOUTH BAY.

In presenting our report this year we have abundant reason to "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." We were organized January, 1892, with a membership of ten, and all seem interested in the work.

Pres., Mrs. J. Church; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. P. Farrington; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Lucy Hicks; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Head; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. Clarke; Treas., Mrs. E. Ackerman. Mesdames D. Thompson, A. Collier, C. Ackerman, M. Williams, Geo. Dulmage, F. Ackerman, (Rev.) W. B. Seccombe, A. Minaker, J. Welbanks, A. Dulmage, Geo. Whattam; Misses R. Browne, J. Browne, S. E. Clarke, Cora Thompson, Jennie Williams, G. Ackerman. Honorary members—Messrs. A. M. Clarke, Rev. W. B. Seccombe, Wm. Warrington.

SHANNONVILLE.

We are glad we can report an increase in membership and finances this year, the latter being largely due to an autograph quilt which we have now nearly finished. We look forward to the coming year with hopeful hearts, feeling assured that all we do in the Master's name will prosper.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) A. L. Adam; V.-Pres., Mrs. D. W. Massey; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. R. Pennick; Cor. Sec., Miss M. German; Treas., Miss M. D. Cole. Mesdames M. B. Lake, L. E. Mills, R. L. Lazier, H. Liddle, J. Boldrick, M. Williams, W. Blathawick, Patterson, Geo. Earle, (Dr.) Whytman; Misses J. Lazier, E. Emmons, H. C. Creeper, Taylor, Blathawick, Goodman. Honorary member—Mr. L. E. Mills.

SANDFORD

Auxiliary organized by Mrs. H. A. Crosby, February, 1892. We have felt our souls enlarged as we have met to work for the Master.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Tonkin; V.-Pres., Mrs. H. Brent; Rec. Sec., Mrs. T. Moore; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. Thompson; Treas., D. A. Turner. Mesdames H. Lapp, W. Lapp, A. Gray, J. Oldham, H. Taylor, J. Moore, Rusnell; Misses Ryan, I. Brent, E. McPherson.

SALEM.

In presenting our report this year, we are glad to report an increase in membership and a growing interest in the work.

Pres., Mrs. W. E. Hinman; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. G. E. Walker; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Farrow; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Metcalf; Rec. Sec., Miss Eveline Gould; Cor. Sec., Miss Daisy Cochrane; Treas., Miss Janey Cooper. Mesdames (Rev.) E. E. Howard, Wm. Eddy, Willet Gould, J. T. Thorne; J. J. Onyon, R. B. Walt, John Turney, D. G. Purdy, J. Platt, Henry Farrow, A. A. Murphy, J. P. Dunnett; Misses E. E. Farrow, Maud Cochrane, E. Drinkwater, Frances Terry.

SIDNEY.

Prospect for the coming year is good; we have already some new names. We are looking to God for help and blessing in our work.

Pres., *Mrs. L. Massey (\$5); 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. Faull; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. C. Scott; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. H. Bonisteel; Cor. Sec., Mrs. S. E. Lane; Treas., Mrs. R. Moran. Mesdames F. B. Prior, P. Ketcheson, C. Caverly, C. J. Massey, C. B. Huffman, J. E. Ketcheson, C. Rose, G. Reddick, G. Ketcheson, B. Lucas, J. Sharp, J. O. Sharp, C. Chisholm, H. Chisholm, J. Phillips, L. Reddick, T. Ketcheson, G. A. Ketcheson, S. Reddick, S. T. Wilmot, F. Oliver, C. Merritt, Robinson, G. Vermilyea, N. Vermilyea, T. Vermilyea, S. Knight, A. Johnson, G. Mills, Ed. Vermilyea, A. Playtor, S. Sine, Wm. Moon, P. Scott, A. Crandell, W. R. Vandervoort, H. Hubble, H. Perry, E. Finkle; Misses M. Fletcher, A. Lucas, M. Richards, May Caverly, Bertha Hawley, Mabel Chisholm, Clara Lane, Emma Lane, Lucy Massey, Arletta Massey, Vera Massey, Irene Faull, R. Vincent, A. Dafoe. Honorary member—Mr. R. Macpherson.

STREETSVILLE.

Although our membership and contributions have slightly decreased this year, our monthly meetings are well attended, and are both profitable and interesting.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) W. T. Hicks; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. W. T. Davidson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. F. Switzer; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. I. H. Dracass; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Robt. Alexander; Cor. Sec., Miss Hattie Graydon; Treas., Mrs. F. Switzer. Mesdames G. H. Falconer, Peck, Wm. Hardy, Joseph Switzer, Frank Switzer, Graham, Pearson, Christie, James Jackson, Thos. McHugh, *Wm. Webb; Misses *Waite, Taylor, Gooderham, Travarrow, S. Graham, N. Cristie, Nellie Switzer, E. McKillop, Kearney. Honorary members—Revs. W. T. Hicks, H. T. Ferguson.

TOTTENHAM.

Our Auxiliary was organized March 23rd, 1892, by Mrs. Walker. We regret we have not a more encouraging report since our organization. For some time our Auxiliary lingered in the balance, and we almost disbanded. We had a public meeting in August, since which time a deeper interest has been manifested, and an increase of eight members for the coming year.

Pres., Mrs. H. Stone; V.-Pres., Mrs. T. M. Greenaway; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Stephens; Cor. Sec., Mary Tegart; Treas., Mrs. James A. Mercer. Mesdames Totten, Stone, Virney, Sydie; Miss Emma Tegard. Honorary member—Mr. Ray Mercer.

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THOMASBURG

Auxiliary organized April, 1889.

Pres., *Mrs. L. Henry ; V.-Pres., *Mrs. G. H. Clare ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. S. Clapsaddle ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Cornish ; Treas., Mrs. McCauly. Mesdames Lennox, *R. Coulson, McCauly, A. Clapsaddle, John Hewitt, W. Chapman, Hewitt, Wm. Barker, Johnston Adams ; Misses S. Coulson, Milly Sherry, Florence Henry, Lizzie Kerr, Ellen Hewitt, Maggie Johnston, Kitty Clare.

THOMPSONVILLE.

Pres., Mrs. H. T. Hipwell ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jno. Reynolds ; Rec. Sec., Miss Jenny Hipwell ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Schmietendorf ; Treas., Mrs. Jas. Banting.

THORNBURY

Auxiliary organized October, 1888.

Pres., Mrs. G. Hurlburt ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. E. Hutton ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. A. W. Cross ; Rec. Sec., Miss C. Dickenson ; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Black ; Treas., Mrs. E. Fawell. Mesdames Thomas McKenny, A. A. Ingersoll, Burnett, Devitt, Thomas Collins, E. Lyne, M. Hurlburt, T. Hurlburt, H. Pedwell, Hardy, Geo. Pearson, Reust, Sparling, *Geo. Washington ; Misses E. Stevenson, Walker, Edith Hurlburt.

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We are encouraged by a small increase both in members and finances.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Johnston ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Henry Brown ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. F. Campbell ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. S. G. Emerson ; Treas., Miss Leslie. Mesdames T. Graham, W. J. Lawrence, R. McGowan, A. J. Lazenby, W. Sills, La Fountain, G. C. Martin, L. Tuttle, Geo. Easterbrook, J. W. Shaw, A. J. Sanderson, Robt. Curry ; Misses L. Dettor (deceased), Effie Wright. Honorary member—J. E. Gordon.

TORONTO, BERKELEY STREET.

The interest in our Auxiliary is increasing, largely owing to the helpful and inspiring presence of our President, Mrs. W. S. Blackstock.

Pres., *Mrs. W. S. Blackstock ; 1st V.-Pres., *Miss A. Storm ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Galbraith ; Rec. Sec., *Mrs. (Dr.) Ball ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. C. Patterson ; Treas., *Mrs. Medcalf ; Assistant Treas., Mrs. Hillock. Mesdames Robinson, *E. Galley, J. Jackman, W. L. Edmonds, (Dr.) Galbraith, *Wilkinson, Bowron, Ross, Johnston, Armstrong, Burgess, Radcliffe, Scholey, Hurst, C. Coatsworth, Toy, J. Wickett, Dillon, W. Wickett, *J. Lumsden, *R. Galley, Worrell, Bradley, F. McDonald, Bradford, Reid, C. Bell, Bowden, McKendry, Pearsall, Parr, Walker, Asbury, Patton, *S. R. Wickett, *E. Coatsworth, sen., *E. Coatsworth, jun. ; Misses Duckworth, Thompson, *M. V. Medcalf, E. J. Galley, Ida B. Edmonds.

TORONTO, BROADWAY TABERNACLE.

This Auxiliary is pleased to report, not only an increase in membership and finances, but also increased interest in the work.

Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) J. Philp ; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Gundy ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. F. Winter ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Bastedo ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. Pearse ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wilson ; Treas., Mrs. G. W. Moore. Mesdames *(Rev.) J. H. Starr, *E. Campbell, *Calvert, *Douglas, *R. Philp, *Elliott, G. E. Williams,

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TORONTO, CARLTON STREET.

The past year has been marked by a steady growth of interest. Quarterly missionary gatherings of a more public character have been well attended, and have been seasons of great profit. Two of our number have fallen during the year, Mrs. Wingate and Mrs. W. A. Thompson, both willing helpers, only gone a little before to receive the commendation of their Lord.

Pres., *Mrs. G. P. McKay; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Thos. Thompson; 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. Joseph Lawson; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. R. I. Walker; Rec. Sec., Miss Lawson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. S. J. Hunter; Treas., Mrs. Henderson. Mesdames *Davison, *Henry Gooderham, *Hough, *Dignam, *Tackaberry, *E. Boyes, *F. W. Walker, *(Dr.) Ogden, Morrissey, Page, McWhinnie, Wright, Boyce Thompson, Follett, Monroe, Duckworth, Wingate, Dumble, MacMullen, John Kent, Cheyne, Joseph Kent, Bell, Sparrow, Porte, Thomas Briggs, (Dr.) Emory, Wilkins, Spink, Softley, Forster, (Dr.) Briggs, Downey, Slight, Fensom, Lowden, S. G. Thompson, W. A. Thompson, Greenfield, Robinson, Tucker, Drouillard, Rymal, E. M. Morphy, T. A. Crane, Good, J. R. Briggs, Berkinshaw, Dent, A. Kent, Shaw, Mitchell, Bigelow; Misses *Ogden, *Clark, *Edna Bigelow, *McCallum, Davison, Hutchinson, C. J. Pettit, Taylor, Wilcock, Bond, McKay, McCormick, Dignam, Monroe, Carter, J. Wright.

TORONTO, CENTRAL CHURCH.

On November 1st, 1891, our Auxiliary sustained a loss from which it has not yet recovered, in the death of our esteemed President, Mrs. (Rev.) MacCallum. We are pleased to report an increase in membership.

Pres., Mrs. Silvester, Selby St.; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. T. H. Bull; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Bilton; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Alfred MacDougall; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Turner; Cor. Sec., Miss Louise Hodgson, 82 Bloor Street West; Treas., Mrs. Warren. Mesdames *Silvester, *Blight, *Brett, *T. H. Bull, *Maxwell, Sanders, Bilton, Warren, Turner, Shepherd, Purkiss, Wilson, James, Smith, Moore, Dobson, Crown, Brown, A. MacDougall, Alcorn, Leak, G. Collins, R. H. Ramsay, R. H. Ramsay, jun., Fielding, G. Mills, T. Bilton, Roland, Boustead, W. Mills, Burwash, John Burwash, Dingman, C. H. Gooderham, Fallwell, Crawford, Syers, Newsome, Wilkinson, C. H. Silvester, Robt. James, Bishop, Suddaby, Massey, Murray, Bonnick, Mathews, Crang, Crang, jun., G. Lee, Clarke, Young, McCausland, (Dr.) Bull, Lander, M. C. Ellis, Scanlon, Lanning, Barton, Trick, Connelly, Oram, Cox, Woodsworth, Haag, G. Pears, G. Percy, Eckart, Tucker, Tait, Wier; Misses *J. McCallum, L. Hodgson, Horsey, G. MacDougall, Brown, Baker.

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TORONTO, ELM STREET.

The most encouraging part of our work is the public prayer service. At the monthly meeting we try to have some member give a paper bearing on the subject of prayer for the month.

Pres., Mrs. Lear; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Archibald; 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. Elmes; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Beatty; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Powell; Treas., Mrs. R. H. McBride. Mesdames *Brunt, *Forbes, *Jennings, *Parker, *J. C. Aikins, *McGee, *Butt, Symonds, jun., Harriet Symonds, J. E. Starr, Hammond, Rogers, Green, Score, sen., Wharin, Collins, Tucker, Henley, Laughlin, Fisher, R. J. Score, Hunter, Phelps, Matthews, Nudel, Brayley, G. Hamilton, Williams, Peel, Doherty, McKendry, Arnold, Lee, Gore, Hanna; Misses Mellick, Summersett, Aikens, Hazelhurst, Boate, Matthews, Lulu Collins, Gladys McBride. A Friend.

TORONTO, EUCLID AVENUE.

Organized December, 1886. The interest which has been manifested in the work has been in excess of any previous year. We have had Bible readings or addresses from Mesdames McKay, Fountain, Cowan and Miss Foster. Our Japanese day was highly appreciated, being full of interest and instruction.

Pres., Mrs. Phillips; V.-Pres., Mrs. Stutchberry; Rec. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Galloway; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Watson; Treas., Mrs. Brisbin. Mesdames Heard, Proctor, Brereton, McDonald, Steele, Causey, Hewston, Weese, Smith, Pullen, McCann, Hardy, Kennedy, Main, Jackson, Maguire, Joslin, Tatner, Lockhart, Price, Perry, Aylward, Orr, Purland, Watson; Misses Reid, Maggie Phillips, Vivian.

TORONTO JUNCTION.

Organized September, 1890. Our meetings are interesting and fairly attended.

Pres., *Mrs. Hepinstall; V.-Pres., Mrs. Armstrong; Rec. Sec., Miss Witson; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. W. Rosebush; Treas., Mrs. Finwell. Mesdames *Large, T. Wilson, Howson, Gilbert, Garrot, Burt, Batt, Barty, Flintoff, C. Clark, Freman, Workman, Holden, Rosivere, Bean, Sproule, Farkwer, Kerchoaden, Merrick, Clark, Raymer, Raybold, A. Wilkinson, Porte, Gilchrist, J. Large.

TORONTO, METROPOLITAN.

All those identified with this work feel that to themselves personally has come a blessing which they could not do without, and a knowledge which has broadened their views of the needs of the world, and made them more sympathetic of them.

Pres., Mrs. Geo. Kerr; V.-Pres., Mesdames Aikins, W. H. Orr, Gurney, J. V. Smith, Lytle, C. Massey; Rec. Sec., Miss M. Wilkes; Cor. Sec., Miss M. E. Carty; Treas., Mrs. Wm. Beatty. Mesdames *W. T. Aikins, (Dr.) Atherton, Aylett, Wm. Beatty, Joel Briggs, Blackwell, James Brown, E. J. Barrick, Boddy, Cuthbertson, H. E. Clarke, F. Clarke, G. Coleman, Clarke, Carrick, Daniel, (Dr.) Doolittle, Edwards, Edmunds, W. S. Finch, A. B. Flint, Forsyth, E. Gurney, Hatton, Hargraves, Hunt, T. Hoskin, *Geo. Kerr, *Dawson Kerr, Wm. Lawrence, *Lander, Lytle, Langford, W. T. Mason, A. J. Mason, Percy Mason, W. C. Matthews, H. A. Massey, Chester Massey, J. J. Maclaren, N. Maughan, Mack, Micklethwaite, Berry Moore, John Miller, Alex. Mills, Macgillvray, Magurn, W. McClain, R. McMaster, McMahan, Ovens, *W. H. Pearson, Pratt, J. Rowland, *F. Roper, Rosebrugh, J. H. Rogers, Reburn, Roberts, T. B. Steward, *J. Segsworth, Summerfeldt, Sparling, W. B. Smith, J. V. Smith, Stone, Torrington, C. C. Taylor, J. Verner, J. S. Williams,

Wilkes, sen., *Robt. Wilkes, *W. Willmott, *J. B. Willmott, *J. J. Withrow, W. H. Withrow, W. E. Wellington, R. A. Wood, S. F. Wilson, Warren, Yonges, *W. H. Orr, *J. A. Williams; Misses Bunting, Carty, M. Carty, E. Clarke, A. Foster, L. Kennedy, L. Massey, Main, *McGuffin, Ovens, Jennie Ovens, Rowland, Schoultz, L. Treble, Eliza Wilkes, *Marcella Wilkes, White, *J. Johnston. Associate helpers—Mesdames Banfield, Finnigan, Grant, Hutchinson, Jeandron, Morrison, Langford, Robinson, Sweetnam, Lloyd Wood.

TORONTO, NEW RICHMOND.

Organized November, 1889. We have this year to report a slight increase in numbers, attendance, and finances, for which we are truly thankful to our heavenly Father.

Pres., Mrs. Stuart; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Butt; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Brown; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Butler; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Woollings; Treas., Mrs. Tallmadge. Mesdames Bemister, Blakeley, Betzner, Brandon, Campbell, Langton, Morrison, McCormack, Shorney, Kearns, (Rev.) Wilson, Woods, Wickham, Devers; Misses Bayley, Sams, C. Stuart.

TORONTO, PARKDALE.

Our Auxiliary has been wonderfully prospered during the past year, the membership having more than doubled itself, and the outlook for our fifth year of work in this part of the Master's vineyard is very encouraging.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. F. German; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) E. Clement; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Smith; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Peck; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Armstrong; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. E. A. Stevens; Treas., Mrs. W. H. P. Clement. Mesdames *Hamilton, *(Dr.) Hart (China), Miller, Abercrombie, McFarlane, Burns, Redmond, I. Lennox, Jos. Lennox, Buchanen, C. Johnson, Griffin, G. Southcott, Forrester, Westwood, Burnett, Spaulding, McKay, Isaacs, Marter, Waterson, Huggins, Shepherd, Presant, Nafe, Drysdale, Hardy, Buchan, Dilworth, J. Edwards, T. Stewart, Morrow, Ranton, Narroway, Norman, Yearsley, (Rev.) W. L. Scott; Misses Marter, H. Hamilton, Birnie, N. V. German, Taylor, E. Hamilton, J. Harrison, Dilworth.

TORONTO, PARLIAMENT STREET.

We have much reason to be thankful for the interest taken in this important branch of the Master's work. During the year we had addresses from Mrs. McKay, Toronto, and Mr. Frost, of the China Inland Mission, both of whom were full of zeal for the cause.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) A. C. Crews; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. T. W. Self; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. B. Brick; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Thompson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. C. Robertson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. J. Fleming; Treas., Mrs. R. H. Self. Mesdames Parrott, Hocken, Grigg, Ramsey, Matchett, Fair, Franks, Knight, Lamb, Jones, Peeke, Anderson, Pearson, McDonald, Langrill, F. Langrill, W. C. Niles, Coulter, Armstrong, Fox, Barron, Baycroft, Shannon, Stinson, Williamson, Cheesman, Lackie, Cook, Howitt; Misses Lillian Robertson, Sara Hutchinson, Laura Phillimore, M. E. Clifford, Brimicombe, M. McKinnon, Cordelia Self, Lizzie Self, Shaw, Mabel Armstrong, Franks, Knight, Cheesman, Cooke, Robinson, Bell, Lilliman, Rosa Shaw. Honorary members—Messrs. Rev. Bishop, T. W. Self, Jones, Smales.

TORONTO, QUEEN STREET.

We regret to have to record the death of two of our life-members. We have tried, and successfully too, to keep up the interest in our monthly meetings by varying them by having prominent ladies of other Auxiliaries to address us,

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our own members to read short papers treating on missionary work, and in taking up Bible readings in which ten or twelve would take part. We have taken up the Home Reporter's plan, which will be of great benefit to us.

Pres., *Mrs. W. W. Ogden; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. L. Duncan; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. J. Bishop; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. John Baxter; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. T. Leadley; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. C. Paterson; Treas., Mrs. Burt. Mesdames Bascom, Boddy, Benson, Burnett, Burroughs, Baker, Barnes, J. B. Baxter, Brown, Briscoe, Bambridge, Carson, Craig, Colby, Dillon, Dodds, J. Earls, Echlin, Fountain, Hannah, Howard, *S. M. Hay, Husband, Hambleton, W. A. Johnston, Jarman, St. Leger, *Longley, *E. Leadley, J. Leadley, Lawrence, Lackie, A. O. Lee, J. Leadley sen., Lee, J. Mara, Mahaffy, McLeod, A. Ogden, Old, Prittie, Roe, *Shore, Stone, Stratton, Sheppard, Sellars, Tamblyn, *Price, *Weston, *J. J. Williams, G. Wilcock, Wardell, Webster, Ward, Waterhouse, Welch, Unitt; Misses Ash, Mabel L. Hay, *Mary Jeffery, M. Mara, Vera Ogden, *Edna Price, Ramsay, E. Tyner.

TORONTO, ST. PAUL'S.

Our report this year shows a steady increase of both members and finances.

Pres., Mrs. M.S. Fawcett; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Woolsey; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Eaton; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Milliken; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Armstrong, 10 Tranby Ave; Treas., Mrs. J. M. Smith, 22 Avenue Pl. Mesdames Young, Potts, Flowerday, Carman, Hastings, Eaton, Heighton, W. A. Clark, Faircloth, Smith, Leslie, B. Pickering, Lawrence, Mathews, F. Pickering, Booth, Edgar, Gunn, Lewis, Giles, Pickering, sen., Minkler, Bridgeland, Milliken; Misses B. Potts, E. Potts, Carrie Lanceley.

TORONTO, SHERBOURNE STREET.

All our meetings have been interesting and profitable, owing to the willingness of each one to do the work assigned her. Very excellent papers have been given, also readings and solos by different members.

Pres., Mrs. Barnett; V.-Pres., *Mrs. Brown; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Sills; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Croft; Treas., Mrs. Hawken, Mesdames *Milburn, *Cooney, *H. H. Fudger, *Gray, *Gooderham, *Wm. Hutchison, *Hillock, *Sutherland, *Willmott, Adams, Avison, Anderson, Brock, N. Burns, Bastedo, Butt, J. Burns, Beatty, Barnes, Culburt, Cocking, Donogh, Dowd, Dewart, Doan, Douglas, Ellis, Flavelle, Faircloth, Grove, J. Hutchinson, C. Hutchinson, Hall, Hardy, Isaac, Kemp, Lang, Martin, Mara, Miller, Maguire, Rundle, Robinson, Rutherford, Rice, Simpson, Stephenson, Skinner, Spink, Sargeant, Starr, Sterling, Strong, Toye, Underwood, Wickens, W. Wickens, Winters, Wilson; Miss Oliver.

TORONTO, WESLEY CHURCH.

This Auxiliary records its thankfulness to God for His watchful care and blessing during the past year. Its members have increased, its meetings have been happy and successful, especially the four prayer-meetings held on a Wednesday, and addressed on each occasion by able ministers who have awakened an interest in our Society's work. During the year, Mrs. J. Harvie delivered an earnest and stirring address. One of our number, Mrs. Parks, an aged lady, was called home early in the year.

Pres., Mrs. Chambers; V.-Pres., Mrs. Adair; Rec. Sec., Mrs. John Bulman; Cor. Sec., Mrs. F. J. Pretty; Treas., Mrs. G. McCann. Mesdames Awde, Armson, Burns, Agar, W. Bell, Boyd, Carter, Burry, Clark, McCann, Crawford, Galloway, Harrington, Hinton, Burgess, (Dr.) Ida Lynd, Lemon, Luthell, Lilly, J. J. Graham, Matson, Machell, *Magurn, Janes, Pepall, *Rogers, E. A. Rogers, Mowland, Lasher, Snider, Smith, Turncliffe, *Ward, Weiden, Willmott, Willoughby, Walterhouse, Holmes.

TORONTO, YONGE STREET.

As we glance over the past year we thankfully acknowledge God's blessing which has rested on us as an Auxiliary. Our monthly meetings have been full of interest and seasons of blessing. There is an increase of interest in Mission work, and we are looking forward to the coming year, trusting to do better work for the Master, ever bearing in mind, "Work done for man is soon forgot; Work done for God, that dieth not."

Pres., *Mrs. Macdonald; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Patterson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Calvert; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Hewgill; Rec. Sec., Miss Wood; Cor. Sec., Miss Manly; Treas., Miss Sims. Mesdames *Annie Lewis (London, Ont.), *Marion Morrow (Halifax, N.S.), *Lucy Grant (Ottawa, Ont.), Moore, Doney, Edworthy, Kinsman, Johnstone, Robinson, Williams, Matthews, G. Robinson, Holmes, Trump, Bauer, Sims, Coats, Carter, Forbes, Farr, Grainger, Gillespie, Page, Blackmore, Watt, Lydiat, T. Robinson, Vasey, Ware, Jones, Irwin, Leech, Laker, N. Wood, Taylor, Bauer, Baycroft, East, Payne, F. Floyd, Burden, Boling, Britnel, H. Wood, Frogley; Misses *W. Macdonald, *E. Macdonald, H. M. Robinson, Faulkner, Gibb, Holmes, Walker, Forbes, L. Manly.

UXBRIDGE.

We regret to report a decrease in membership, still we are not discouraged, realizing that the work is the Lord's.

Pres., Mrs. Broddy; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. J. Gould; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. DeGeer; Rec. Sec., *Mrs. H. A. Crosby; Cor. Sec., Mrs. L. O'Neill; Treas., Mrs. A. D. Williams. Mesdames Mrs. I. G. Crosby, Mrs. S. B. Todd, *Bascom, *Davis, Kelcher, Gold, McGuire, Vicars, Foster, Weeks, Dale, Peers, Thrisk, Taylor, Chapin, Prior, McKee, J. A. James, J. James, Annis, Wilcox, M. H. Crosby, Archer, Idle, Acheson, Kennedy, Sharpe, Shiers, Vanhorn; Misses M. E. Crosby, Z. F. V. Crosby, M. L. Crosby, N. B. Crosby, A. B. Crosby, M. Sellars, G. Thomas.

VROOMANTON.

Organized by Mrs. Crosby, of Uxbridge, March, 1891.

Pres., Mrs. Geo. Shier; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Hassard; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Umphrey; Rec. Sec., N. J. Yeo; Cor. Sec., Miss Millie Hassard; Treas., Miss Alberta Shier. Mesdames Alfred Thompson, Joseph Kay, Young, McCleary, H. Tiffin, Wm. Brethour, McDonald, Edwin Shier, Sol. Vroman; Misses Bertha St. John, Sarah Shier, Ida Young, Almeda Shier, Alice Brethour, Annand, Maggie Umphrey, Densie Reekie, Eva Thompson, Jennie Stineloph, Kay, Nellie Umphrey. Honorary members—Messrs. James Young, Harry Miller, James McLeary, Frank McLeary, Newton St. John, Alfred Thompson, Samuel St. John.

WARKWORTH

Reports an increase in membership and finances. Meetings have been marked with more of the real missionary spirit.

Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. M. Hamilton; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. R. P. Hurlburt; Rec. Sec., Miss A. Humphries; Cor. Sec., Miss G. Brookmyre; Treas., Miss A. Wilson. Mesdames Thomas Dunnigan, James Curtis, R. Ryal, N. Empey, T. Brookmyre, Thomas Blezzard, J. N. Mix, W. H. Thompson, O. A. Prall, P. S. Ewing, R. Potter, J. Cummings, Jamas Dunnigan, John Shearer, Fowler, Hough; Misses L. Miller, M. Haisley, A. Evans, F. Jewel.

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Organized by Mrs. Kendry, March, 1892.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) E. Dewart Lewis; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Lockridge; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Whyte; Rec. Sec., Miss Payne; Cor. Sec., Miss Lynn; Treas., Miss Luckey. Mesdames S. Payne, N. Payne. Snider, Summers; Misses Hamblin, Spencer. Honorary member—Rev. E. T. Lewis.

WELLINGTON.

Organized February, 1891. The interest in the work is growing.

Pres., Mrs. H. Greer; V.-Pres., Mrs. Stinson; Rec. Sec., Miss M. Pettingill; Cor. Sec., Miss B. Dorland; Treas., Mrs. E. Bowerman. Mesdames W. Pettingill, (Dr.) Yourex, Osterhout, Wm. Pettingill, Garrettsee, Jacobs, C. Bowerman, Babbit, Lambly, Haylock, H. Pettingill, Webster, Wilson, E. Noxon, R. Noxon, Shourds, Rorabeck, J. Y. Garrett, Dunning, Dorland, Lane, Osborne, Baillie, C. Pettingill, Cleminson; Misses Bowerman, M. K. Lambly, M. Lambly, E. Pettingill, Greer.

WILLOWDALE.

Organized by Mrs. McKay, February, 1889. Our meetings are well attended and great interest is taken in missionary work; prospects for coming year very encouraging.

Pres., Mrs. B. J. Lackie; V.-Pres., Mrs. Risebrough; Rec. Sec., Miss Levitt; Cor. Sec., Miss E. J. Goulding; Treas., Mrs. W. R. Holmes. Mesdames Brennan, Sanderson, Bales, P. S. Gibson, Bestard, Beancock, Husband, Humberstone, D. G. Holmes, Bontliff, Felerton, G. K. Adams, J. Woods, *(Rev.) J. C. Wilmott; Misses McGlashin, Wallace. Honorary members—Messrs. P. S. Gibson, John Stewart.

WHITBY.

Mrs. (Dr.) Williams organized our Society in March, 1888. In addition to our regular monthly meetings, our members assembled every two weeks in our different homes, for the purpose of discussing some literary topic.

Pres., Mrs. Jas. Holden; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Cade; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Joshua Richardson; Rec. Sec., Miss Champion; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. S. Barnard; Treas., Mrs. E. Stephenson. Mesdames Houck, (Rev.) Hare, G. V. Martin, Chas. Taylor, Irving, W. E. O'Brien, J. E. Farewell, Wm. Bryan; Misses Adams, Crosby, Burkholder, Webster, Marsh, K. Richardson, E. Richardson.

WICKLOW.

Organized April, 1891. Our meetings have been a source of blessing to each of us.

Pres., Miss Richards; V.-Pres., Mrs. Mounteer; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Bellamy; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Roberts; Treas., Miss Usher. Mesdames Dark, Davy, Usher, Bowen, Willson, Flynn, Winter, Finton, Ainsley; Misses Doolittle, Hall, Lock, Strattan, McCarel, Lumley.

YARKER

Auxiliary organized by Miss Hawley, February, 1892.

Pres., Mrs. Peter Vanluran; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. A. Shibly; Rec. Sec., Mrs. G. Joyner; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. D. Wartman; Treas., Mrs. A. A. Connolly. Mesdames E. Cheerers, H. Cambridge, J. West, F. Benjamin, Marsh; Misses E. Wartman, L. Babcock.

REPORTS FROM MISSION BANDS, CENTRAL BRANCH.

ASHBURNHAM "INASMUCH" MISSION BAND

Was organized March 7th, 1892, but in spite of its youth, is in fair working order, and though the members are small, they show decided interest in their work.

AURORA "SUNSHINE WORKERS"

Report the past year as the most spiritual in the Band's history. The members are better educated in missionary work and the countries in which our work is carried on, and they have also studied India, Japan, China, and the history of the Jews.

AURORA JUVENILE BAND

Was organized November last by the Senior Mission Circle.

BARRIE "GLEANERS" MISSION CIRCLE

Has great pleasure in reporting a very successful year's work, and is pleased to note a growing interest in the missionary work. Though the financial side of the work has not been neglected, their chief aim has been to awaken and maintain the missionary spirit.

BATH "GLEANERS"

Last year united with the Christian Endeavor Society, and have held monthly meetings.

BELLEVILLE ALBERT COLLEGE MISSION BAND

Was reorganized October 15th, 1891. Essays have been read on various subjects in connection with mission work, also letters and addresses from persons engaged in the great work for the Master.

BELLEVILLE, HOLLOWAY STREET,

Was organized in December, 1891, but have only lately affiliated with the Woman's Missionary Society.

BELLEVILLE, BRIDGE STREET "JUBILEE" MISSION BAND

During the past year held one "At Home," and also an apron sale. They have completed a number of sheets and pillow-cases to be sent to Coqualeetza Home, and are also supporting a girl in the Rescue Home.

BELLEVILLE TABERNACLE MISSION BAND.

The past year has been one of many blessings, for which we give all praise to our great Leader. An increase of members, and an increase of money raised, \$65 having been sent to Branch Treasurer, all accumulated by children's work.

BELLEVILLE UNIVERSITY CHURCH MISSION BAND

Is in connection with the Sunday School. A short programme or address is given during the Sunday School the first Sunday of every month. There is also a "Working Band" which meets every Saturday afternoon.

BELL EWART, LAKE SIMCOE MISSION BAND.

Although this Band has increased its membership, it has not prospered as hoped for at the beginning of the year, still it is existing and looking for an increase of interest and zeal.

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BOWMANVILLE MISSION BAND, "BUDS OF HOPE,"

Is a Juvenile Band, organized last year, at the District Convention, and is increasing in members and interest. They gave a concert, assisted the Auxiliary at its quarterly meeting, and during the summer distributed bouquets with Scripture texts to the sick, which were very much appreciated.

BRAMPTON, GRACE CHURCH "SUNBEAMS" MISSION BAND.

The review of the year's work of this Band is very encouraging. The regularity of the meetings, the good attendance, and work willingly and faithfully done, are all themes for praise and cause for encouragement.

BRAMPTON, ST. PAUL'S CHURCH "LIGHT-BEARERS"

Report a good year financially, educationally and spiritually, although they have lost by removal two of their most active and earnest members.

BRAMPTON, ST. PAUL'S CHURCH MISSION CIRCLE

Has just been organized with twenty-two members.

COBOURG KING STREET CHURCH BAND

Was organized June 1st, by Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson and Miss Bennett, and will, we trust, do a good work in the coming year.

DUNKERRON "WHATSOEVER" BAND

Reorganized September 1st, 1891, with a membership of twenty-one. Though few in numbers they are thoroughly in earnest.

FOXBORO' MISSION BAND, "GLEANERS FOR THE MASTER,"

Are still trying to do what they can for the mission cause.

GRAVENHURST "WILLING WORKERS"

Have had some discouragements on account of the illness of their President who was obliged to resign her office, but in face of all their difficulties they have done what they could.

HIGHLAND CREEK MISSION BAND

Was organized November 24th, 1891. They raised \$25.50, of which in March, \$4 was sent to McDougall Orphanage, and later on, \$5 to Rev. H. Lovering, their Organizer, to help pay the debt on his Indian Church at St. Elmo, B.C. In September they joined our Woman's Missionary Society.

HONEYWOOD "WORKING BEES"

Organized April 15th. Having been such a short time in operation, they do not report any amount of money, but they feel they are in a prosperous condition and their missionary zeal is increasing.

HUNTSVILLE "WILLING HANDS"

Was organized September, 1891, with twelve children. They have been very regular in attendance and have studied various countries. In January fourteen cents were given out as talent money, but as some invested in garden produce the returns will not be in until November.

LAKEFIELD "SUNSHINE BAND"

Was organized this spring.

REPORTS FROM MISSION BANDS.

LINDSAY "EXCELSIOR" MISSION BAND

Held during the year nineteen meetings, ten regular monthly meetings for devotional exercises, business, and the study of missionary literature, nine for work.

LINDSAY "CHEERFUL GIVERS"

Have had a year of varied work, the fall work consisting of weekly gatherings for the purpose of needle-work, results of which furnished material for a sale. During the spring and early summer, however, the weekly meetings have been for the purpose of inspiring the members with greater missionary zeal, and each week a short and interesting programme is rendered.

MAPLE "CORAL BUILDERS"

Were organized December, 1891, with forty-eight members, and meet after Sunday School. In June they held an interesting public meeting; the children filled the programme, with the addition of an earnest address from a Toronto Mission Band worker.

MARKHAM "SELF-DENIAL BAND"

Was organized September, 1891, by Mrs. (Rev.) Joseph Young, and the members have enjoyed their work during the year.

NEWCASTLE MISSION CIRCLE

Are thankful to be able to report another prosperous year. In April they held an entertainment at which useful and fancy articles were sold and \$18.61 realized.

NEWMARKET "BUDS OF PROMISE" MISSION BAND,

In connection with the Newmarket Auxiliary, has been in existence for two years, although only the owner of a name and regularly organized for only one year.

NORHAM "GLEANERS" MISSION BAND

Was organized March 21st, 1891. This year they took one cent to increase and have succeeded very well. Besides this way of raising money each member has a mite-box.

NORWOOD

Began the year with good prospects, but suffered severely through the loss of both President and Vice-President within a few weeks of each other, but we trust Wesley's saying, "God buries His workmen, but carries on His work," will yet be fulfilled to the members of this Band, and that they will continue to work for the Master's sake.

NORTHPORT

Has persevered in the midst of difficulties, although decreased in numbers.

ORONO.

Owing to the fact that many of the members of this Band have been out of the village attending school during the past year, the work planned has not been accomplished, but they intend to reorganize and go to work in earnest.

OSHAWA, SIMCOE STREET,

Reports an increase of twelve, and decided progress. The older members find work by way of sewing, and the younger ones are kept awake to mission work by raising money by envelope system.

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OSHAWA, "DEMILL COLLEGE."

Very interesting reports have been received from this Band during the year, telling of earnest efforts made by consecrated Christian girls.

OSHAWA, MEDCALF STREET, "HOPEWELL" MISSION BAND

Was organized September, 1892, by Mrs. (Rev.) Watch.

PARRY SOUND

Reports they are struggling along and trying to do something to help on the extension of Christ's kingdom.

PENVILLE

Reports very interesting and helpful meetings, and a public meeting once a quarter, at which a collection is taken up. A box of clothing has been sent to McDougall Orphanage, and another to Coqualeetza Home.

PETERBORO' "TIRELESS TOILERS"

Disbanded, and a new society, the "Mission Circle of St. George's Church," was organized January 27th, 1892, calling themselves the "Peterboro' Light-Bearers."

PICKERING "ROSE-BUD" MISSION BAND

Was organized January 23rd, 1892, with six members, and since that time eight have been added, who are all trying to do a little for the Master in this good missionary work.

PICTON "WAYSIDE WORKERS"

Held their annual meeting for the election of officers and have already secured quite a number of new members who seem to be ready to enter enthusiastically into the coming year's work.

PICTON "KILBORN BAND,"

Organized a year ago, has raised \$2.00 by collections at monthly meetings, and \$10.00 at a public meeting. Very little was done last year, but they expect something better for the year to come, as a leader has been secured who will meet the boys fortnightly and instruct them in missionary work.

PORT HOPE

Reports a year of active work, and have raised \$64.00 which they wish sent to Montreal French Institute.

SCHOMBERG "WILLING WORKERS"

Is a very interesting Band, composed mostly of children, who have been working very zealously on the talent money scheme.

STOUFFVILLE "LIGHT-BEARERS"

Have held nine monthly and one public meeting. They have been trying to learn something about the operations of the Woman's Missionary Society, and more especially who its missionaries are. The meetings have been both profitable and interesting and they are looking forward to a good year.

THORNBURY "RUBY" MISSION CIRCLE

Meets once a month at the home of the President, and studies mission work in different countries.

TORONTO, CARLTON STREET.

The "King's Daughters" have changed their name to "Daughters of Comfort." Their membership has greatly increased, and they have held thirty-three meetings during the year.

TORONTO, CARLTON STREET MISSION BAND.

Meetings have been very well attended, the evening meetings having been especially profitable, as a large number of articles of clothing were made for the destitute Indians and much information given about the different missions.

TORONTO, ELM STREET

Reports an increase of eight.

TORONTO, METROPOLITAN

Reports their meetings this year to have been of a deeply spiritual character. At the same time information as to the state and needs of the heathen world has been given, serving to impress on the membership their individual responsibility to obey the "Great Commission."

TORONTO, SHERBOURNE STREET MISSION CIRCLE

Is glad to report "they have done some good work this year." Meetings have been held alternately at the church and the homes of the members. At the beginning of the year sewing meetings were held to assist in clothing some of the poor in the east end of the city.

TORONTO, ST. PAUL'S "HELPING HAND SOCIETY"

Was reorganized October, 1891, and set forth with renewed energy for the year's work.

TORONTO, WESLEY CHURCH

Reports forty members and the sum of \$50.

UXBRIDGE "CHEERFUL GIVERS"

Have held eighteen regular meetings, and had one entertainment at the home of their President, and also helped the Auxiliary with a public meeting. They have sent \$12 to the Treasurer, and are also helping the District Organizer to support one child in Tokyo School in Japan, and one in the Crosby Girls' Home.

UXBRIDGE "STEINHAEUER" MISSION BAND

Has met regularly during the year, every month, at least, sometimes every two weeks. They have held three open meetings, one being for instruction, another to promote a social feeling between members of the Church and members of the Band; and the third was a garden party, at which a good programme was given.

WARKWORTH "ACORN" MISSION BAND

Was organized November 7th, 1891, with a membership of eighteen. Early in the season they found it necessary to divide into a Senior and Junior Band, meeting alternately.

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EASTERN BRANCH.

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE
EASTERN BRANCH, 1891-92.

How quickly the year has flown, and how gently the Lord has led us on ! Although we have not realized all we anticipated at the beginning of the year, we know the work is the Lord's, and the final triumph of the gospel is as sure as His promises. Eleven new Auxiliaries have been organized. They are : Carleton Place, Franklin Centre, North Gower, Calumet, Lakefield, Brock Street, Kingston ; Point Fortune, Lansdowne, Portland, Drummond's, Brinston's Corners.

Number of Auxiliaries 1891, 63 ; 1892, 71 ; life membership, 54 ; total number of members, 1,756 ; increase of 317. Twenty-six Mission Bands with a membership of 600 ; increase of nine Mission Bands, and an increase in membership of 141. Receipts for the year, \$4,677.21 ; increase of \$645.42.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE EASTERN BRANCH.

The ninth annual meeting of the Eastern Branch was held in the Methodist Church, Winchester, on October 5th and 6th, 1892. The first session opened at 9.30 a.m. Mrs. W. E. Ross, President, occupied the chair.

The attendance was better than at any former meeting, fifty-six delegates and a large number of visitors from the surrounding country being present. Reports from forty-two Auxiliaries and a number of Bands were read, and in almost every case showed an increased interest in the work and a determination to make the coming year a more successful one for missions.

At the public evening meeting we were favored by an address from Miss Lund, in which she gave a very minute account of her work in Japan, and was listened to with great interest by the large audience present. A very warm address of welcome was read by Mrs. Palmer and responded to by Mrs. Kines. Words of greeting from the Presbyterian Society, Winchester, were given by Mrs. Scott, and the singing of Mrs. Craig was fully appreciated by all.

The President, in her annual address, briefly reviewed the work in the various mission fields for the past year, and very feelingly referred to those of our number who passed over to the other shore during the year. She urged all to realize their individual responsibility and to pray fervently for the success of the work in all its branches.

Several excellent papers were read during the meeting, and it was specially requested that they appear in the *Outlook*. The hour of consecration and testimony, led by Mrs. Bigelow, was one of great solemnity and profit. Several Auxiliaries reported the Thank-offering service a blessing, financially and spiritually, and that the leaflet studies were a great help in the work.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were :

<i>President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. W. E. Ross.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. W. J. Hunter.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Kines.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Bigelow.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. J. S. Atkinson.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. T. G. Williams.
<i>Treasurer</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. E. McRossie.
<i>Corresponding Secretary Mission Bands</i>	- - - - -	Miss Effie Bailey.

The meeting adjourned to meet next year at Brockville.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE EASTERN BRANCH, 1891-92.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Increase.	No. of Life-Members Sept. 15th, 1892.	In rease.	Average Attendance at Monthly Meet'gs.	Total Number of Meetings.
Montreal—						
St. James'	50	3	4	....	14	10
Dominion Square	60	....	....	....	20	12
Douglas Church	54	7	....	....	11	11
East End	34	....	....	....	15	10
Mountain St	20	....	....	....	12	13
Point St. Charles	15	....	....	....	....	....
Ottawa—Dominion Church	78	18	2	2	15	11
" East	32	5	2	1	15	11
" West	53	6	1	1	12	11
Kingston—Sydenham Street	67	25	20	2	19	13
" Queen Street	52	14	....	....	16	11
" Brock Street	11	....	....	....	8	9
Gananoque	43	17	4	....	13	14
Portsmouth (no report for 1892) .....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Athens	27	7	....	....	11	13
Chantry and Harlem	29	....	....	....	7	12
Brockville	69	21	7	2	14	12
Prescott	21	1	....	....	8	11
Iroquois	44	19	1	1	14	12
Kemptville	15	....	....	....	....	....
Morrisburg	19	8	1	....	7	12
Cornwall	36	12	1	....	9	9
Huntingdon	51	....	....	....	15	13
Greenwood	24	....	....	....	8	12
Pembroke	67	....	3	....	....	....
Renfrew	9	1	....	....	....	....
Cobden	12	6	....	....	5	10
Smith's Falls	27	15	....	....	16	12
Merrickville	38	8	1	1	12	13
Winchester	59	8	2	1	19	12
Inkerman	16	4	....	....	5	9
Chesterville	21	....	....	....	....	....
Perth	24	6	1	....	7	11
Waterloo	36	8	....	....	14	13
Granby	18	3	....	....	8	12
Cowansville	9	....	....	....	5	14
Lunenburg	37	10	....	....	6	6
Newington	9	2	....	....	6	4
Spencerville	17	....	2	1	7	14
Bethel	18	1	....	....	....	....
Coaticook	16	9	9
Locksley	12	5	10
Lake Dore	13	1	6	6
Roebuck and McLeanville	9	4	6	11

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF EASTERN BRANCH—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members, Sept. 15th, 1892.	Increase.	No. of Life-Members Sept. 15th, 1892.	Increase.	Average Attendance at Monthly Meet'gs.	Total Number of Meetings.
Aultsville	19	3	.....	.....	5	12
Lachute	10	.....	.....	.....	5	11
Beachburg	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sherbrooke	16	5	1	1	10	12
Almonte.....	32	.....	.....	.....	9	13
Arnprior	11	.....	.....	.....	5	11
Sturgeon Falls (no report) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Playfair	17	2	.....	.....	10	13
Delta	18	1	.....	.....	7	11
Easton's Corners.....	23	.....	.....	.....	12	13
Addison.....	10	.....	.....	.....	4	13
Frankville	14	9	.....	.....	7	11
St. Lambert.....	26	.....	.....	.....	9	14
Jasper	7	.....	.....	.....	4	13
Toledo	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vankleek Hill.....	25	3	.....	.....	13	12
Mosgrove	20	2	.....	.....	12	12
Knowlton	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carleton Place.....	13
Franklin Centre	16	5	6
Lakefield	9	7	10
North Gower	17	10	9
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Point Fortune.....	6	2
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Portland	4	8	5
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AUXILIARIES.	Annual Mem- bers' Fees.	Life-Members' Fees.	Mission Bands.	Public Meet- ings and En- tertainments.	Mite-Boxes.	Sale of Reports.	Sale of Leaflets.	Donations and Thank- offerings.	Other Sources.	Total Raised.	Officers' Accounts.	Total sent to Branch Treas- urer.
Montreal—St. James'	\$51 00	.....	\$220 80	\$75 00	.....	\$1 70	.....	\$43 50	\$3 31	\$395 31	\$0 60	\$394 71
“ —Dominion Sq.	92 00	.....	70 27	7 86	\$8 00	0 90	\$1 40	52 10	.....	232 53	1 55	230 98
“ —Douglas	55 00	.....	21 40	69 95	31 14	.....	.....	24 25	.....	201 74	3 50	198 24
“ —East End	24 00	.....	31 00	.....	27 60	1 25	1 75	23 50	.....	109 10	1 45	107 65
“ —Mountain St.	16 00	.....	10 25	7 00	3 21	.....	1 50	.....	2 75	40 71	2 96	37 75
“ —St. Lambert's ..	12 00	.....	.....	25 69	10 93	0 15	0 35	7 65	0 25	57 02	0 35	56 67
“ —Centenary.	18 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18 00	.....	18 00
“ —Literature Fund	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 00	.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
Lachute	19 25	.....	.....	5 00	.....	0 40	.....	.....	1 47	26 12	.....	26 12
Ottawa—Dominion Church.	155 99	25 00	171 85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	352 84	.....	352 84
“ —East	30 15	50 00	.....	16 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 15	97 45	.....	97 45
“ —West	52 00	.....	.....	42 82	.....	0 60	2 50	7 55	.....	105 47	2 50	102 97
“ —Literature Fund..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 28	.....	.....	6 28	.....	6 28
Kingston—Sydenham St. .	51 50	25 00	53 57	44 21	.....	1 50	.....	4 00	.....	179 78	0 32	179 46
“ —Queen Street ..	50 00	25 00	.....	25 65	.....	1 00	0 70	.....	1 70	104 25	0 75	103 50
“ —Brock Street ..	11 00	.....	.....	8 00	.....	.....	0 50	.....	.....	19 50	.....	19 50
Gananoque	58 50	.....	80 00	27 05	3 40	1 00	.....	29 00	.....	198 95	11 91	187 04
Morrisburg	29 97	.....	.....	12 25	.....	.....	.....	4 25	.....	46 47	1 50	44 97
Pembroke	68 00	25 00	.....	140 22	0 38	0 95	0 25	4 17	.....	238 97	2 65	236 32
Cornwall	29 00	.....	.....	30 20	7 14	0 50	.....	1 00	5 65	73 49	0 65	72 84
Huntingdon	82 29	.....	.....	10 00	.....	1 97	.....	.....	33 00	127 26	4 27	122 99
Winchester	57 00	25 00	25 00	62 31	0 75	1 70	.....	49 61	.....	221 37	10 15	211 22
Frankville	9 00	.....	.....	.....	8 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	17 63	.....	17 63
Coaticook	18 50	.....	12 15	21 70	.....	1 50	.....	6 00	0 25	60 10	18 90	41 20
Sherbrooke	15 00	25 00	.....	10 80	.....	0 20	.....	.....	.....	51 00	6 25	44 75
Knowlton	13 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 15	.....	.....	.....	13 15	0 10	13 05
Perth	24 75	.....	.....	32 00	8 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	65 75	.....	65 75
Prescott	20 00	.....	15 00	71 93	21 33	0 75	0 80	15 35	.....	144 26	6 30	137 96
Athens	27 75	.....	56 12	11 11	3 67	0 60	1 00	30 27	.....	130 52	8 75	121 77
Locksley	12 00	.....	.....	.....	2 68	.....	.....	19 49	2 64	36 81	0 24	36 57
Playfair	12 50	.....	.....	.....	7 64	1 50	.....	.....	6 36	28 00	3 50	24 50
Smith's Falls	27 50	.....	21 19	.....	13 36	0 75	1 80	.....	.....	65 32	0 55	64 77

Cobden	17 75	.....	.....	18 35	1 50	.....	.....	1 40	.....	0 39	.....	0 39
Bethel	4 75	.....	.....	.....	1 35	.....	.....	0 50	.....	6 60	.....	6 60
Waterloo	28 50	.....	.....	9 70	4 79	1 10	2 70	6 35	9 20	62 34	10 61	51 73
Addison	11 05	.....	.....	.....	1 42	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 47	0 17	12 30
Toledo	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
Easton's Corners	22 55	5 35	1 60	3 00	32 50	1 90	30 60
Harlem and Chantry	39 17	11 74	50 91	0 44	50 47

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Playfair	12 50			7 64	1 50				6 36	28 00	3 50	24 50
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Cobden	17 75			18 35	1 50			1 40		0 39		0 39
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Easton's Corners	22 55			5 35			1 60		3 00	32 50	1 90	30 60
Harlem and Chantry	39 17				11 74					50 91	0 44	50 47
Mosgrove	29 59				1 40	0 45			0 68	32 12	0 10	32 02
Almonte	30 25		6 73		11 94	1 20	0 60		0 20	50 92	0 45	50 47
Arnprior	4 75									4 75		4 75
Vankleek Hill	13 50				7 49	0 55	0 60	11 00	16 31	49 45	7 60	41 85
Peritton	2 00									2 00		2 00
Brockville	67 55		29 77	26 65		1 57	1 10		0 05	126 69		126 69
Spencerville	18 50	20 00		27 25	13 86	1 95	2 10	9 50	0 50	93 66	2 52	91 14
Merrickville	44 50	25 00	7 00			0 60				77 10		77 10
North Gower	14 61			9 10			1 00			24 71	3 90	20 81
Inkerman	16 25			1 00					0 75	24 00	0 84	23 16
Greenwood	20 00			56 00		0 60				76 60	2 60	84 00
Jasper	4 75		0 50	8 65		0 25	0 25	1 00		13 40	3 90	11 50
Chesterville	21 39			39 53					1 08	62 00		62 00
Lake Dore	13 00			5 33	0 60			25 20	0 27	44 45	0 45	44 00
Iroquois	43 00	25 00	46 33			1 20		8 50	1 75	125 78	1 75	124 33
Lakefield	6 25		0 84		10 00	0 30				17 39	0 85	16 54
Portsmouth	6 25			6 14			0 10	1 25		13 74		13 74
Kemptville	15 00					0 60	0 75	2 00	3 05	21 40	1 65	19 75
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STATISTICAL REPORT OF EASTERN BRANCH, 1891-92.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Members 1892.	Life-Members.	Total, 1892.	Increase.
Montreal—St. James' Mission Circle.....	40	..	40	..
“ —Willing Helpers	24	..	24	..
“ —East End “ Busy Bees ”	11	..	11	..
“ —Mountain Street	16	..	16	1
“ —Dominion Square	20	..	20	..
“ —Douglas	23	1	24	5
Athens, Pansy	43	..	90	28
Myrtle	47	..	..	..
Aultsville	55	..	55	..
Brockville	19	..	19	..
Gananoque—Olive	40	..	40	7
“ —Barbara Heck	42	1	43	11
Prescott	19	..	19	5
Smith's Falls	40	..	40	..
Iroquois	44	..	44	..
Pembroke (no report) .....	..	..	..	..
Ottawa—Dominion Church (no report)	25	..	25	..
“ —McLeod Street (no report) .....	..	..	..	..
Kingston	13	..	13	4
Aylmer	15	..	15	..
Winchester	28	..	28	..
Almonte	16	..	16	..
Merrickville	18	..	18	..
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REPORTS OF AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER.

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

EASTERN BRANCH.

ADDISON.

Holding on amidst many difficulties.

Pres., Mrs. B. W. Loverin ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Knox ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Geo. Taplin ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. Stowel ; Treas., Miss Lou Taplin. Mesdames G. Dixon, Gibson, Geo. Empey, R. Brown, P. Brown, B. Blancher ; Miss Hawkes.

ALMONTE.

Although our new members do not number as many as those who have removed, we feel that we are growing strong in the Lord. We have organized a Band with a membership of sixteen. Our open meetings have been well attended ; many earnest prayers have been offered through our Society.

Pres., Miss Parlee ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Bray ; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Blake ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Hebblewhite ; Rec. Sec., Miss Belton ; Cor. Sec., Miss Howe ; Treas., Miss Kerr. Mesdames Chown, Murray, Anderson, Horton, Keyes, Shipman, Howie, Hammond, Howe ; Misses Greer, Jones, Potter, Davis, Brown, L. Brown, Thompson, Barr, Currie, Avison, A. Belton. Honorary members—Messrs. Chown, Howe, Hebblewhite, Anderson, Deachman.

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Auxiliary organized March, 1891.

Pres., Mrs. Jane Cox ; V.-Pres., Mrs. E. K. Johnston ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. McCreary ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. S. A. McEwan ; Treas., Mrs. W. Raney. Mesdames T. W. Kenney, Hunt, Davis, H. Johnston, E. Mohr, Lough, Howard.

ATHENS.

We gratefully acknowledge God's blessing with us this year.

Pres., Mrs. Geo. Nash ; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. P. Lamb ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. H. Taplin ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. W. Beach ; Treas., Mrs. T. G. Stevens. Mesdames H. Brown, S. Boyce, T. C. Alguire, A. Robinson, J. Kerr, J. Wiltsie, S. A. Taplin, T. Vanarnam, McLaughlin, Patterson, L. A. Betts, O. Bullis, D. Fisher, H. Arnold, L. A. Kennedy, G. Wiltsie, G. Slack, L. Phillips, W. Wiltsie, C. Slack ; Misses Carrie Grenfell, Barber.

AULTSVILLE.

With hearts full of gratitude to God we report a year better than the last, spiritually and financially, a growing interest in the work, and an increased spirit of liberality. Our most hopeful work is in the Mission Band from which we expect much in the coming year.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) L. Conley; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. S. Baker; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. F. Nash; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. B. Bigelow; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Beach. Mesdames T. Coppins, R. Lapointe, S. Gone, S. Loucks. J. M. Cook, Perry, Dafoe, W. Morgan, N. Morgan, G. Morgan, F. Anderson; Misses Agnes Cook, Gillespie, M. Bredin.

BEACHBURG.

Through multiplied difficulties and discouragements we still wish to have a name and a place in the Woman's Missionary Society, so we labor on at His command and offer all our works to Him.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) W. A. Hanna; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. Geo. Pounder; Treas., Mrs. J. Findlay. Mesdames D. Anderson, Geo. Fensom, Jas. Dunn, sen., J. W. McNeil, H. R. Dunn, John Dunn, J. Farnell; Misses Maggie Dunn, Annie Shaw.

BRINSTON'S CORNERS

Auxiliary was organized September 23rd, 1892, by Mrs. T. C. Brown, of Winchester, with a membership of eleven.

Pres., Mrs. P. Locke; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Meyers; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Rose; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Smith; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Shaver; Treas., Mrs. C. Locke.

BROCKVILLE

Auxiliary organized October, 1883. We have had a very encouraging increase in membership. Our meetings have been profitable and enjoyable.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) H. Cairas; V.-Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) Saunders; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. McGivin; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. Bissel; Treas., Mrs. A. Brown. Mesdames D. Dukelon, A. McDougal, J. Wright, A. Robinson, A. Tenant, H. Gill, Blair, S. Simpson, Edgar, A. A. Davis, *W. S. Donaldson, *Patrick, *M. White, *W. Bresse, H. Cole, O. Earl, W. Wood, Heck, Wm. Sherwood, J. J. Mansell, D. V. Beacock, J. McElhiny, Nuell, G. McLean, May, J. Arnold, Clint, Marshall, Frost, H. Coates, Miller, Brace, G. Bissell, G. Young, G. Bishop, G. T. Mallory, E. Billings, Wm. Coates, E. Shepherd, T. G. Cook, C. Merkison, Murphy, E. Abbott, J. Pyke, C. French, W. Wright, S. Powell, E. Field, Tackaberry, D. B. Jones, L. Fox, Bolton, F. Blanchard, W. McKenzie, J. Abbott, Stephens; Misses *E. Story, McColough, *Austen, Sweet, Hazlewood, E. Sweet, A. Gill.

CARLETON PLACE

Auxiliary organized March, 1892. The prospect for next year is encouraging.

Pres., Mrs. Jennie Kines; V.-Pres., Mrs. Merrick; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Way; Cor. Sec., Miss Jessie Hopkirk; Treas., Mrs. Elliott. Mesdames Crothers, Johnston, Labron, Whitton, Reid, Easton; Misses Mansell, Elliott.

CORNWALL.

We are progressing favorably.

Pres., Mrs. D. R. Brown; V.-Pres., Mrs. Hulet; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. F. Abbott; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. Farlinger; Treas., Mrs. E. H. Brown. Mesdames *D. Hulet, D. R. Brown, A. Farlinger, J. F. Abbott, E. H. Brown, Geo. Armstrong, Feek, Logan, Akin, Ashton, Copp, Greenwood, (Rev.) McGill, Winter, D. W. Johnston, Pitts, Cooper, Farrell, J. M. Pinkerton, H. Stafford, Relyea, Pringle, Corrigan, Nicholson; Misses Earl, McGill, Brown. Honorary members—Messrs. E. H. Brown, D. Hulet, D. R. Brown.

COBDEN

Auxiliary organized December, 1887. We are glad to be able to report an increase in missionary enthusiasm, membership and funds.

Pres., Mrs. R. D. Boyle ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jno. Delahey ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss Lillie M. M. Jessup ; Treas., Miss Annie Graham. Mesdames J. T. Collins, Henry Sparling, C. Marchand, T. Burton ; Misses C. Jessup, E. DeLong, Sophia Strattan, Bella Reid. Honorary members, six.

CHESTERVILLE.

This Auxiliary has held regular monthly meetings and two public meetings during the year, also a Thank-offering Easter service.

COATICOOK.

We enter upon this year's labor with a desire to do good work for the Master.

Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Ryckman ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Keough ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Thornton ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Masten ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Knapp ; Treas., Mrs. T. Shurtliff. Mesdames Nunns, Rainville, Child, C. Buckland, (Dr.) Plett, Trenholm, Griggs, Snyder, Tomkins, A. F. Adams.

COWANSVILLE.

This Auxiliary, although small, held regular meetings, endeavoring to circulate missionary information, and pressing forward in obedience to the Saviour's command.

Pres., Miss Teel ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Cowie ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. H. Porter ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Edith Jacques ; Treas., Mrs. E. M. Taylor. Mesdames Haskell, Gilbert Teel ; Misses Jacques, E. Wilkinson.

DELTA

Auxiliary reports an increasing interest in this most important work in the vineyard of the Master.

Pres., Mrs. Perley ; V.-Pres., Mrs. A. E. Hicock ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Chamberlain ; Cor. Sec., Miss Nora Stevens ; Treas., Mrs. S. Russell. Mesdames Pierce, Bell, Whaley, Curtis, Baken, Beatty, Mallory, Eaton, Knowlton, V. Stevens, G. Stevens, P. Hicock ; Miss Russell.

EASTON'S CORNERS.

We attribute our success to the united prayer, as well as work, of our members.

Pres. Mrs. W. Coburn ; V.-Pres., Mrs. F. B. Wickware ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. M. Brown ; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Tweedy ; Treas., Mrs. H. A. Watts. Mesdames Gibson, Smith, Hunt, Devitt, Mason, Arnold, Barber, Phillip, Ferguson, Umphrey, sen., Umphrey, jun., Bissell, Campbell ; Misses Bissell, Putnam, Mason, Brown.

FRANKLIN CENTRE.

We report an increase in our membership this year, but we regret to say the amount raised is small. We hope and pray that God will bless us in this good work, and that we may have a better report to send next year.

Pres., Mrs. J. B. Manning ; V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Abbott ; Rec. Sec., Miss Cain ; Cor. Sec., Miss Manning ; Treas., Mrs. Abbott. Mesdames C. Abbott, C. Coburn, T. Blair, H. Young, W. Blair, A. M. Haire, B. McGilton, (Rev.) Davis, R. C. Manning, Johndro ; Miss M. McCoy.

FRANKVILLE

Auxiliary organized July, 1891. Success very encouraging.

Pres., Mrs. R. Richards; V.-Pres., Mrs. Montgomery; Rec. Sec., Miss D. Eaton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. A. Radley; Treas., Mrs. W. Livingston. Mesdames Coad, Tallman, Brown, Dixon, Jno. Davison, E. Richards, Cross; Misses Soper, Mulvaugh.

GANANOQUE

Auxiliary reports progress in every department of their work during the year, and trusting in their heavenly Father they determine to go on.

Pres., Mrs. J. H. Davis; V.-Pres., *Mrs. Geo. Taylor; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. M. Thomson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. S. Atkinson; Treas., Mrs. J. A. Jackson. Mesdames *Day, W. Taylor, B. O. Britton, O. D. Cowan, H. Coapland, E. Harvey, W. Y. Boyd, E. Abbott, A. Allen, D. C. Cowan, Jas. Taylor, E. L. Osterhout, F. A. Tales, R. R. Johnston, A. Wright, N. Gilbert, S. Davis, C. Taylor, M. A. Emery, C. Rogers, S. P. Peck, F. C. Renolds, W. Funnell, W. Acton, McLean, Yule, Wm. Taylor, H. Cowan, W. Beach, I. Harrison, *Calbeck, J. W. McCalpin, C. Green, J. C. Thomson, J. Cochran, T. Meggs, R. T. Kenny; Miss Hardy.

GRANBY

Organized 1889.

Pres., Mrs. T. Roberts; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Wallace; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. D. Bradford; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Watson; Treas., Miss E. A. Bishop. Mesdames E. T. Miles, J. A. Tomkins, James Irwin, A. Hale, A. Kent, (Rev.) Taylor, Hayes, H. Gidding, Brown, Cork, F. Fainsworth, J. N. Smith; Misses Louisa Chalmers, Lillie Horner.

GREENWOOD (COBDEN).

We praise God the encouragements are many.

Pres., Miss A. Winters; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Nelson; Rec. Sec., J. C. Thompson; *Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. Whitmore; Treas., Mrs. J. Hawkins. Mesdames J. O'Brien, P. Thrasher, J. Robinson, J. Hamilton, A. Coburn, T. Fraser, H. Fraser, L. Mathieson, W. Mathieson, G. Thrasher, G. Cotnam, J. B. Cushing, Wm. Houston; Misses A. Thompson, L. Thompson, M. Dunlop.

HUNTINGDON.

We realize that our efforts have been a help to us spiritually.

Pres., Mrs. T. W. Kelly; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Fortune; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. McNaughton; Rec. Sec., Miss Clark; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Dalgliesh; Treas., Mrs. Brown. Mesdames Clipsham, Armstrong, Stephen, McLaren, Lunan, Smith, Clouston, Penhay, Robson, R. Kelly, H. Kelly, J. Seeley, H. Seeley, R. Pringle, W. Wilson, Burrowes, McCallum, Campbell, Chalmers, Morrison, Bissett, Clyde, Thornton, Wells, McCullouch, Hayter, Henderson; Misses McNaughton, Rutherford, Cunningham, Nolan, Annie Stephen, L. Kelly, Ethel McLaren, Edna Brown, Brydges, McGill, Dalgliesh, Stark, Lamb, L. Clipsham, R. Bissett. Honorary members—Messrs. W. S. McLaren, W. W. Dalgliesh, F. H. Henderson.

HARLEM AND CHANTRY.

This Auxiliary thankfully reports progress; the Master has been with us in our meetings.

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INKERMAN.

Amid much discouragement we are trying to "hold the fort," hoping and praying that a better day will dawn for our Auxiliary.

Pres., Mrs. Wm. Morton; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss May Storey; Treas., Mrs. R. Rennick. Mesdames C. Durant, J. Sullivan, C. Berry, J. Patterson, A. Corrigan, W. Suffel, R. Suffel, W. Barkley, J. Keys, sen., J. Keys, jun., W. Brown, (Rev.) Wilkinson; Miss Phœbe Barclay.

IROQUOIS.

We are glad to be able to report some progress made during the year. We have eight new members and believe that the interest in this work is increasing.

Pres., Mrs. J. N. Forward; V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Rogers; Rec. Sec. Miss J. E. Carman; Cor. Sec., *Miss E. S. Bailey; Treas., Miss M. Brown. Mesdames W. L. Redmond, J. A. Carman, Jas. Carman, A. B. Carman, M. F. Beach (\$5), G. Parlow, T. S. Edwards, J. N. Tuttle, M. Doran, J. Tindale, A. Feader, A. Coons, Wm. Moore, J. McInnis, R. Dillabough, J. Bullis, J. Robertson, R. Carstairs, H. Jubb, P. Coons, W. Hare, E. Thompson, J. Conklin, B. C. Beach, J. Parlow, R. McLelland, G. Serviss, M. Redmond, S. Landon, Wm. Munro; Misses L. Shaver, A. Tuttle (\$5.50), C. Lennox, S. Dixon, F. Everetts, M. Coons, J. Ault, A. Shaver, S. A. Tuttle.

JASPER.

Auxiliary organized September, 1891. The meetings have been a blessing to all present.

Pres., Mrs. Richards; V.-Pres., Mrs. Eason; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss Elma Cannon; Treas., Mrs. Lehigh. Misses Ferguson, Olive Johnston, Brown.

KINGSTON—SYDENHAM STREET

Organized September, 1882. We are pleased to note an increase in membership.

Pres., *Mrs. Griffith; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. McCammon; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Gardiner; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. A. Rockwell; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. McRossie; Treas., *Mrs. Skinner. Mesdames *E. Chown, *A. F. Chown, *Arthur Chown, *Dunlop, *Crumby, *H. Skinner, *W. Skinner, *I. Simpson, *McRossie, *McCammon, *J. Richardson, *Gowdey, *Whitfield, *Griffith, *H. Cunningham, W. J. Ford, Elliott, Neal, J. Gardiner, Hiscock, Wales, Johnston, J. M. Shaw, Bennett, W. Downing, J. Shaw, A. J. Rees, W. B. Anglin, J. Dowling, Mundell, Crumby, Herbert Tyon, Ashley, A. R. Chown, R. J. Chown, E. Adams, B. Bailey, A. Rockwell, R. Ford, Oldrieve, Durman, A. Shaw, S. Chown, McCutcheon, Asseltine, C. Anglin, Williams, H. Wilson, G. Richardson, Marriott, Dupuis, W. Anglin, J. Wilson; Misses *Alice Chown, *Fannie Chown, *Carrie Skinner, *A. J. Skinner, *Minnie Shaw, Abernathy, Wheeler, S. Gowdey, M. Dunlop, A. Griffith, S. Chown, S. Crawford, Carrie Vandewater, Nettie Anglin.

KINGSTON—QUEEN STREET.

Our meetings have been well attended and profitable, and we thankfully record a marked degree of interest in the work of our Society.

Pres., *Mrs. Sparks ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Kines ; 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) Whiting ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wormwith ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Nicolle ; Treas., Mrs. (Dr.) McVety. Mesdames J. Taylor (deceased), Wilson, C. H. Martin, Nugent, Gardner, Toye, Cliff, VanWinkle, Casey, J. Walker, W. Bailey, Gordon, Landergeron, Rutherford, King, S. Birch, Squires, Bassam, Lavell, Webster, Milne, G. Birch, Kilpatrick, Johns, Powell, Britton, J. H. Taylor, Rockwell, Crothers, Lambert, Meek, Smith, Elliott, Charles, Clark, Chapman, Guess, Wright, Asselstine, Liffiton, Reeves ; Misses *Walker, Ford, Gill, Lavell.

LAKEFIELD, QUE.

This Auxiliary, organized December last, by Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) T. G. Williams, continues to enjoy the favor of God in all its undertakings. The monthly meetings have been held regularly, also an occasional prayer service, and the pastor has had a regular Woman's Missionary Society missionary Sunday service, and preached a missionary sermon, giving due prominence to woman's work in missions. The mite-boxes, when opened, both surprised and encouraged us. The future is bright as the promises of God.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. Holt Murray ; V.-Pres., Miss Eliza Smith ; Rec. Sec., Miss Alice Sutton ; Cor. Sec., Miss Priscilla Henderson ; Treas., Mrs. Thos. Dixon. Mesdames John Graham, Samuel Rogers ; Misses Eliza McDonald, Maggie Lyster.

LOCKSLEY.

We can truly thank God for the success of the past year ; through many trials and difficulties we have been gradually gaining ground.

Pres., Mrs. Lowe ; Cor. Sec., Miss E. Lowe. Mesdames W. H. Sparling, D. Robinson, L. Hamilton, J. Blair, H. Wilson, J. Sparling ; Miss A. Sparling.

LACHUTE

Organized 1890.

Pres., Mrs. W. Heavysege ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Craig ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Drysdale ; Rec. Sec., Miss Charlotte Bradford ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Schofield ; Treas., Mrs. C. Kinniburgh. Mesdames J. Barley, H. Giles ; Misses Matthien, Minnie Robinson.

LAKE DORE

Auxiliary is increasing in interest.

Pres., Mrs. Ralph Lett ; V.-Pres., Miss Greer ; Rec. Sec., Miss Warren ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Jos. Warren ; Treas., Mrs. F. McKibbin. Mesdames John Warren, J. Hunt, Greer, Smith, Newell, Price, A. Warren ; Miss S. Hunt.

LUNENBURG

Auxiliary reports a successful year. The interest in missions seems to be steadily increasing.

Pres., Mrs. J. Coulthart ; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. H. Relyea ; Rec. Sec., Miss Maggie McPherson ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. S. Kirkpatrick ; Treas., Mrs. A. R. Irvine. Mesdames M. Gardiner, E. Fetterly, Wm. Eamon, H. Hagerty, T. S. Gillis, John Doran, H. C. Rupert, J. Dixon, A. Gardner, Jno. Gillespie, Chas. Hutchins, Jno. Moke, Robt. Stuart, Ira Fetterly, McK. Morgan, Ezra Wereley, Robb, Matthews ; Misses Aggie Coulthart, Lois Moke, Annie Coulthart, Ella Grant, Mary Ault, Minnie Rupert, Mary Andrews, Ethel Hamilton, Jane Shaver, Altha Cook, Lillie Ault, Lydia Winters. Honorary member—Mr. H. Relyea.

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LANSDOWNE

Organized August, 1892. Already the harvest is promising.

Pres., Mrs. J. Redmond ; V.-Pres., Mrs. D. Cummings ; Rec. Sec., Miss A. Gray ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. Fredenburg ; Treas., Mrs. J. Moxley. Mesdames R. Horton, J. Webster, N. W. Webster, E. Warren, B. Warren, R. Cornett, J. A. Bradley, T. A. Bradley, C. A. Bradley, R. Moxley, Peck, Cole, Mulvaugh, Armstrong ; Misses Alma Bradley, Josie Gray, Maggie Summers, Maggie McFadden, Florence Moore, Sarah Hammil, Agnes Bradley, Ada Taylor.

MERRICKVILLE

Organized February, 1888. We are grateful for an increase in interest and membership.

Pres., Miss J. Pearson ; V.-Pres., Mrs. F. G. Lett ; Rec. Sec., *Mrs. R. C. Percival ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. K. Earl ; Treas., Mrs. McLelland. Mesdames Knapp, W. Scott, Carson, Morier, J. Knapp, Clark, Lalman, Harrison, J. Armstrong, W. Miskelly, Callendar, Atcheson, Drinkwater, P. Bates, J. Earl, J. Wilson, C. Miner, R. Bates, Zero, Guy, H. McGee, Burgess, D. Scott, Kerr ; Misses McGee, Percival, Ada Percival, Jacques, M. Pearson, H. Bell, Nicolason, O. Pearson, Burchill.

MCLEANVILLE

Auxiliary organized May, 1890. Our meetings are interesting and profitable.

Pres., Mrs. A. Toppin ; V.-Pres., Mrs. G. McCarthy ; Rec. Sec., Miss Earl ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. M. Earl ; Treas., Mrs. J. McClean. Mesdames J. Earl, R. Brown, J. Attridge, J. Davidson.

MONTREAL, EAST END.

God has been manifestly present with us during the past year, and by His spirit has filled us with a greater zeal for mission work.

Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Robins ; V.-Pres., Mrs. McCann ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. W. Kneeland ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. N. Morrison ; Treas., Mrs. G. Burrell. Mesdames Wilkinson, Ryle, Lewis, J. Ferns, Dorion, Borland, Lynch, Jones, Grey, Tarleton, Wilson, Skeith, Opzoomer, Luthwaite, McGarry, Terrill, Cole ; Misses Richards, L. B. Robins. Honorary members—Messrs. G. D. Robins, Warren.

MONTREAL, ST. JAMES'.

We are thankful to be able to report that the last year has been the best.

Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Hunter ; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Nichol ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Douglas ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Jaques ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Clarkson ; Treas., Mrs. Mathewson. Mesdames *Torrance (\$10) ; Lady Galt (\$5), John Ross (\$6), Mills (\$5), Vanneck (\$5), *W. E. Ross (\$5), Fairman (\$5), Clarkson (\$4), Hood (\$2), Landon (\$2.50), Seybold, Howell, Webb, Guard, Strachan, Mathewson, *Cowan, Murphy, G. Vipond, J. McBride, Oliver, Coates, Archibald, John McBride, G. Brown, Lawton, Miller, R. Dawson, Venables, Evans, Jaques, Nichol, Lee, C. F. Johnson, Jas. Ferrier, Hammond, Archibald, Marriage, Dangerfield, Dawson, Lamb, R. Patton, Douglas, Vibert, Gatehouse, Pratt ; Misses Campbell (\$5), Hunter, Barber, Bell.

MONTREAL, DOMINION SQUARE.

This Auxiliary has held ten monthly meetings with increased attendance.

Pres., *Mrs. W. I. Shaw ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Green ; 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. G. A. Holland ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Alfred Benn ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. C. Courtice ;

Treas., Mrs. Alexander. Mesdames Tidmarsh, Saddler, Robert Patterson, (Dr.) Shaw (\$2), (Dr.) Armstrong, (Dr.) Green, Porter, Graham, G. A. Holland, R. H. Holland, Birkenshaw, Kimber, Johnston, Parsons, Stanton, Irwin, D. Tees, Lilley, O'Hara, Wishall, *Botterell, *George Lamb, Jones, Barry, Bissett, Nichols, Alex. Clerk, Nicholson, Gillelan, J. R. Alexander, J. K. Ward, Bryson, Whalen, Craig, Tabb, Flint, Gordon, Rowell, Akin, Benn, Alfred Benn, Finley, Featherstone, Higgins, Holland, Locker, Millen, Mundle, McKay, Oughtred, Wesley Palmer, G. W. Clarke, Scriver, Rosevear, Robert Scott, Rose, Smith, Reeve, A. Shaw, McMillen; Misses Green, McEvoy, Nichols, Dugdale.

MONTREAL, DOUGLAS CHURCH.

Gratitude and gladness of heart are ours as we review the work of the past year.

Pres., Mrs. Morton; V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Jordan; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Grose; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. W. Knox; Treas., Mrs. W. Hanson. Mesdames H. J. Shaw, Shorey, Lang, Hogle, E. Hanson, Kimber, Dyer, Sawyer, Jaques, C. Mock, J. Smith, sen., J. Smith, jun., W. Grose, Plow, Leonard, (Rev.) W. Hall, Christmas, Verner, W. D. Smith, Burton, Matthews, Hagar, Beckham, Quiggan, James Smith, Elliott, Regan, Spencer, Fulton, DeGruchy, Winch, Morkill, Clogg, Cheesbrough, Johnston, Hopper, Seybold, Clendinning, Eveleigh, Heaton, Howie, Alexander, James Smith, Parks, Junkin; Misses Latham, Rayburn, Sawtelle, Cook.

MONTREAL, MOUNTAIN STREET.

Our meetings have been full of interest; attendance somewhat better than previous year. We look forward with hope to coming year.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Emsley; V.-Pres., Mrs. Carr; Rec. Sec., Miss Gordon; Cor. Sec., Mrs. L. Robson; Treas., Mrs. Geo. Woodhouse. Mesdames Geo. Sadler, S. J. Carter, P. B. Kirkham, T. Lamb, Higgins, Carden, R. Luttrell, Jos. Ward, Jno. Moren, Wm. Seale, S. McKeown, Tombs, W. Fessenden, Baird, Jackson, Duffie; Misses Warcup, Cross.

MORRISBURG.

We are not discouraged with the outlook of our Society as we have taken a step in advance this year.

Pres., Mrs. Mavety; V.-Pres., Mrs. Wickwire; Rec. Sec., Miss Morris; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. Smith; Treas., *Mrs. Bedford. Mesdames Capell, Scofield, Barr, Chamberlain, Cameron, L. Flagg, Massey, Selleck; Misses Gibson, Bedford, Rose, Deeks, Brown, Weegar.

MOSGROVE.

We are pleased to record unabated interest in our meetings.

Pres., Mrs. R. Halpenny; V.-Pres., Mrs. E. Honeywell; Rec. Sec., Miss A. Sparks; Cor. Sec., Miss G. Watson; Treas., Miss E. Graham. Mesdames A. Shouldice, S. Hare, A. Hare, J. Sparks, D. Bradley; Misses M. Graham, I. Graham, L. Honeywell, M. Honeywell, A. Honeywell, C. Bell, E. Bell, B. Halpenny.

NEWINGTON.

We are sorry to report a decrease this year, but He that is for us is more than those that are against us.

Pres., Mrs. J. Raymond; V.-Pres., Miss M. A. Duvall, Rec. Sec., Miss M. Foster; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. Langdon; Treas., Mrs. S. Foster.

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NORTH GOWER.

We are very glad to be able to report that an interest in missionary work is gradually spreading in our circuit.

Pres., Mrs. Crane; V.-Pres., Mrs. A. G. Wallace; Rec. Sec., Miss Rutledge; Cor. Sec., Mrs. James Magee; Treas., Mrs. R. Harkings. Mesdames John Brownlee, Acton, (Rev.) E. W. Crane, Ferguson, James Murphy, Jen- nator, S. Callendar, E. Callendar, W. Callendar, Bar. Wallace. Misses Brownlee, Wilson.

OTTAWA, DOMINION CHURCH.

Our Auxiliary has been in existence over ten years, but four years ago Ottawa East and Ottawa West separated from us, forming two new Auxiliaries. We are gradually growing strong again.

Pres., *Mrs. Dr. Ryckman; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Saunders; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Ells; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Walker; Rec. Sec., Miss Chubbuck; Cor. Sec., Miss E. Thompson; Treas., Mrs. J. Cowan; Auditor, Mrs. Lesueur. Mesdames Sinclair, Hay, Mattice, Switzer, Parker, Day, Popham, Soper, T. Kenny, Courtney, Kingston, Graves, sen., George Cox, J. Skinner, W. Hill, *J. H. Connor, Wm. Scott, C. S. Scott, Palen, Bishopric, Cole, Taggart, C. Gibson, Caldwell, J. M. Oxley, S. Borbridge, J. M. Proctor, Douglas, W. C. Bowles, E. Seybold, W. S. Odell, P. Whelan, McGuire, Tackaberry, Watt, Donaldson, Ogilvie, J. Fenton, H. H. Brennan, King, P. Lesueur, R. Shaw, J. Haig, J. A. Musgrove, A. Scott, Payne, R. H. Kenny, Holcombe, F. Cook, W. Howe, E. B. Eddy, J. B. Bessey, H. A. Brouse, C. Odell, T. Currier, J. Erratt, J. Brouse, H. Odell, Alice Woodburn, S. Rogers, R. Woodland, T. Birkett, H. Allen, Eagleson, Parlow; Misses C. Ross, Honeywell, Whelan, Dawson, Anderson, Wiley, Hardy.

OTTAWA.

In looking back over the year we are not discouraged. A deepening sense of individual responsibility is quite apparent.

Pres., Mrs. W. A. Lloyd; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Langrell; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Burns; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. T. Pennock; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. P. Bradley; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. McGuire; Treas., Mrs. T. W. Kenny.

OTTAWA WEST.

In reviewing the work of the last year, we are glad to be able to say that there has been a deeper interest taken in our Auxiliary.

Pres., Mrs. Wm. Rochester; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Perkins; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Anderson; Rec. Sec., Miss Young; Cor. Sec., Miss James; Treas., Mrs. James Riddell. Mesdames *Hagar, Jas Rochester, Kenny, Cheney, Bradley, J. Foster, A. Foster, Masson, Morrison, Matthews, McLarity, Still, Pull, Milliner, J. Quail, Shaver, Cole, L. Booth, Young, Bradshaw, Fraser, R. McKinstry, McKinstry, Morgan, White, Daye, Burnham, Doherty, Barnes, John Russell, Dickson, Broadhead, Lewis, J. Cross, Chapman, I. Cooke, E. Rochester, Cowan, McGill, S. Cox, Manchester, Townsend, O'Neil; Misses Foster, Whelan, Kennedy, Marks.

PERTH.

We have had our cloudy days, but we will not forget the sun is always just behind the cloud.

Pres., Mrs. E. A. Lester; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Lillie; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Wilson; Cor. Sec., Miss Minnie Neilson; Treas., Mrs. Charles James. Mesdames *George Kerr, A. McArthur, (Rev.) Henderson, Sinclair, G. Finlay, S. Dowson, J. Dittrick, R. Jamieson, A. B. Rudd, J. McKeracher, Laurie, Willets, John Rudd, W. J. McKeracher; Misses A. Moorhouse, Scott, Wood, Phillips, Woods.

PORTLAND

Auxiliary organized April, 1892. The members of this society believe that the best proof they can give of their love for the Master is to obey His commands.

Pres., Miss Ida B. Austin; V.-Pres., Miss Alice Cavanagh; Rec. Sec., Miss Carrie Sweet; Cor. Sec., Miss Jennie M. Henderson; Treas., Miss Elma Sherwood. Misses Minnie McLean, Addie Harrison, Mabel Gallagher, Ethel Gallagher, Lulu Byington, Stella Scovil, Lizzie Dorway, Mabel Church.

PLAYFAIR.

The interest in missionary work is increasing. Each member tries to do what she can to encourage others in this great work.

Pres., Mrs. H. McDonald; V.-Pres., Miss Kate Kerr; Rec. Sec., Miss Aggie Wallace; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Cameron; Treas., Miss Eva Johnson. Mesdames W. Playfair, Fumerton, Wallace, Mills, Heffron, H. Bain, J. Buffam, R. Buffam, J. Bain, Robinson; Misses Sadie G. Mills, Carrie Playfair.

PRESCOTT

Organized October, 1888. Meetings have been varied and interesting.

Pres., Mrs. Thos. Coates; V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) S. J. Hughes; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Steele; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Brackenbury; Treas., Mrs. John Coates. Mesdames Shaw, Beane, Hillyard, Marsh, Binnington, Hannah, Warner, Fairbairn, James Coates, *F. C. Reynolds (removed); Misses Hurlburt, H. Heck, A. Heck, Elmer, Baynham, McCorkell, Lavis.

POINT FORTUNE

Organized July, 1892.

Pres., Mrs. Wm. Williamson; V.-Pres., Mrs. Thos. Gamble; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss M. Williamson; Treas., Mrs. Wm. McClintock. Mesdames R. Boa, G. Cummings, J. Hodgson, A. Hartley; Misses Annie Lamb, Annie Gibson.

RENFREW.

Our Auxiliary has not been active.

Pres., Mrs. Stevenson; V.-Pres., Mrs. Allenn; Cor. Sec., Miss Lou. Allum; Treas., Miss Maggie Stevenson. Mesdames Guest, Roberts, Timmins, Kearney, Murphy.

SPENCERVILLE.

In reviewing the year we can say that some of our members have been working and praying with but one object in view, that the kingdom of this world may soon become the kingdom of the Lord.

Pres., Mrs. D. P. Lockerbie; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Wm. Pearson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Laurence; Rec. Sec., Mrs. M. Connell; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Fricker; Treas., Mrs. T. J. Bennett. Mesdames *(Dr.) McLean, D. P. Snyder, J. Blanchard, W. J. Bennett, W. A. Bennett, Wm. Peters, Wm. Cummins, Chas. Baker, French; Misses H. Bennett, C. Cook.

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SMITH'S FALLS.

We are glad to report progress. We thank God and take courage.

Pres., Mrs. R. Craig ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Houlston ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Huxtable ; Rec. Sec., Miss Warrick ; Cor. Sec., Miss H. Graham ; Treas., Mrs. J. R. Lavell. Mesdames Sweeney, Church, Venn, Taylor, Wilson, Millikin, Edgers, Wickware, Rook, Bigeley, McManus, Sinmons, Moore, Colborne, McCormick, Bryon, Might, Carscallen, A. Johnston, Bennet, S. A. Seeley, G. Duff ; Misses *H. Graham, M. Anderson, Haight, K. Webb, M. Chalmers, G. Duff, Dulmage, D. Robinson, W. Robinson, McClain.

SHERBROOKE.

Although we cannot report a large increase in membership owing to removals, etc., we can report an increase in interest and a strong determination on the part of our members to induce others to join us this year.

Pres., Mrs. D. G. Loomis ; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. S. Dresser ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. A. Morehouse ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) A. W. Hyndman ; Treas., Mrs. C. Gordon. Mesdames L. W. Dowlin, *(Rev.) W. H. Sparling, A. G. Lawrence, S. A. Stevens, D. W. Armstrong, McCutcheon, C. Davis, G. E. Hyndman, (Dr.) Edgar, J. W. McKee, A. H. Foss.

ST. LAMBERT.

This Auxiliary was organized August 26th, 1891, by Mrs. T. G. Williams, with a membership of twelve. Twelve monthly meetings have been held and two public ones during the year.

Pres., Mrs. Sorley ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Locke ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. McConnel ; Rec. Sec., Miss Walker ; Cor. Sec., Miss R. Edwards ; Treas., Mrs. DeWolf. Mesdames George Thompson, McLeod, Craig, Smiley, W. Rosevear, W. Rosevear, jun., T. G. Williams, Nichol, Jaques, Riddington, Alf. Corner, Mary Bell, James Beatty, Webster, Cooper, Christie, Raphael, Fred. Thompson ; Misses C. Smiley, Grant, C. E. Thompson.

VANKLEEK HILL

Organized May, 1891. Our meetings are interesting and profitable ; the Master is with us, and we realize His presence and power.

Pres., Mrs. J. B. Keough ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Gibson ; Rec. Sec., Miss Keough ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Eagleton ; Treas., Miss Tweed. Mesdames A. G. Cheney, N. M. Durant, C. Carkner, S. Grout, Wm. Pickering, A. Case, D. J. McIntosh, R. B. Dunning, Davidson, H. E. Cheney, F. Arnold, A. Durant, T. Jamieson, N. Cheney, (Rev.) J. N. Tredrea, J. Steele ; Misses Maggie Keough, E. Cross, A. Cross, M. Carkner.

WINCHESTER

Auxiliary is in a prosperous state, spiritually and financially.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) T. C. Brown ; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Parker ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Bow ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. L. Palmer ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. R. Bow ; Treas., *Mrs. H. Mercill. Mesdames Geo. Mulloy, P. McIntosh, N. Boyd, J. L. Hughes, H. Smith, A. Sweet, F. S. Manning, A. Wickwire, N. Howes, Jas. Walker, *J. C. Challies, Peter Hutt, E. Biccum, *H. Mercill, H. Earl, W. Blackman, J. E. Hutt, J. F. Cass, R. Parker, J. McKercher, D. Geddes, I. Fell, M. Bailey, A. Timmins, L. Brown, E. Boyd, D. Melvin, J. E. Corrigan, A. Kendrick, A. Barringar, M. Durant, G. Locke, W. Erratt, T. G. Holmes, McVicar, F. Suffel, E. Scott, Jas. Earl, Jas. Albrant, R. Robinson, I. Hughes, Ida Timmins, T. Erratt, T. Christie, C. Annable, McCullough, C. Beach, H. Hughes ; Miss M. Musgrove. Delegates—Mesdames H. Mercill, F. S. Manning. Honorary members—Revs. Messrs. G. C. Brown, F. S. Manning.

WATERLOO.

Our third missionary year has been the most successful in the history of this Auxiliary.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Graham; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Parent; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Booth; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. Graves; Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. D. Lawrence; Treas., Mrs. S. Jamieson. Mesdames E. N. Shaw, J. C. Nichols, F. Barrington, Newton, D. Clark, A. Lytle, C. Whitcomb, T. Wallace, A. Unwin, A. Goold, L. L. Stewart, O. R. Foss, C. S. Hall, A. Soule, E. Phelps, A. S. Newel, W. Bridge, G. Bowker, W. F. Shores, J. A. Closson, E. Temple, M. Lawrence, A. Hale, C. P. Kilborn, C. A. Nutting, Hetherington; Misses L. Booth, Daisy Lawrence, Lucia Graves, Hetherington.

REPORT FROM MISSION BANDS, EASTERN BRANCH.

ATHENS.

The children of the "Pansy" Band have had a very prosperous year, they worked well. The Myrtle Mission Band of Athens had not been as successful as formerly, but with God's help intend to make the coming year better.

AYLMER.

The "Maple" Mission Band of this Circuit has been in connection with the Sunday School, and this is the first year of work in the Woman's Missionary Society.

AULTSVILLE.

The "Earnest Toilers" have had a successful year. Meetings profitable and attractive. The geography and history of different countries have been studied, with incidents of missionary work.

BROCKVILLE.

The St. Lawrence Band is working faithfully.

GANANOQUE.

The "Barbara Heck" Mission Band organized in 1887, and report a growing interest in the work. The "Olive" Band continues to work.

MONTREAL, ST. JAMES' MISSION CIRCLE

Report the past year to have been both spiritually and financially one of their best years. The death of Miss Clara Dawson was deeply felt.

MONTREAL, DOUGLAS MISSION BAND

Have been encouraged during the past year by an increase of members and of funds. They concentrated their efforts to a certain extent on the French Institute, in providing Christmas trees, a thanksgiving treat, and by supporting a little Indian girl there.

MONTREAL, MOUNTAIN STREET CIRCLE

Feel that they have done a little for the Master's work in heathen lands.

MONTREAL, "WILLING HELPERS"

Of St. James Street have all taken a great interest in the work.

OTTAWA, DOMINION CHURCH.

The Mission Band of this church report a successful year. They formed a Relief Committee who looked after some poor children, also a committee to call upon strangers and those who are confined to the house through illness.

PRESCOTT.

The "Reapers" have held regular and successful meetings during the year.

SMITH'S FALLS.

The "Maple Leaf" Band was organized April, 1891, and is in a flourishing condition.

WINCHESTER.

The Rosevier Band was organized in January, 1892. They hold regular meetings with a good attendance.

LAKEFIELD.

This Band of "Gleaners" consists of boys and girls. They evince great interest in all their work.

MONTREAL, MOUNTAIN STREET MISSION CIRCLE

Held ten meetings during the year.

SPECIAL OBJECTS, EASTERN BRANCH.

MONTREAL, DOMINION SQUARE MISSION BAND—For Chinese Home, \$36.75.

HUNTINGDON—French Institute, \$55.00.

NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

"History repeats itself," and the story of the disappointments and successes, the joys and sorrows of the past year, is very much the same as we have told every year since the organization of our Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society.

Governed, as we are, by the law of limitation, our growth has been, and must henceforth be, necessarily slow. We are glad, however, to report each year an onward march. Since our last report, we have dropped one from our roll of Auxiliaries, and have added six, as follows: Granville Ferry, North Sydney, Newport, Grafton, Cape Negro and Annapolis.

We are also glad to chronicle a growth of interest in Mission Band work. Many of our Band reports are aglow with loving service, patient continuance, and active faith, and we rejoice that so many of our communities realize the importance of encouraging and developing an intelligent interest in missionary work among the young. Our added bands are *Large-Hart, of Burlington; Parbar Westward, of Middleton; Picket Guard, of Farmington; Forward Movement, of Gabarus, C.B.; Sunbeam, of Halifax South; Shelburne Willing Helpers, Canso Light Bearers, and Bridgetown Band. These youthful helpers have, during the past year, contributed to our funds \$1,289.06.

The treasury is the thermometer by which the warmth of our devotion to the missionary cause is generally tested. Early in the year we watched the mercury sinking until our hearts began to sink, too, at the prospect of a decrease in our income. But our workers only needed to know the danger in order to arouse themselves; and with the aggregate of a little more self-denial here, of more earnest prayer there, and of greater effort somewhere else to interest others, we are able to report a slight advance over last year's income.

We have lost largely by removals, and as in other years, many names have been transferred from the earthly to the heavenly roll of honor—thus our decrease in membership is almost equal to the increase.

It has been, indeed, with us a year of overcomings, but yet a year of undoubted blessing, for we remember that it is the overcomers who shall be made pillars in the eternal temple.

Number of Auxiliaries	52	Increase	5
" Mission Bands	37	" 	8
" Annual Members	1119	" 	45
" Life Members	77	" 	9
" Mission Band Members....	932	" 	74
Total number of Members.....	2128		
Total income.....	\$4,014 30	Increase..	\$275 68
Amount remitted to Gen. Treas..	3,610 28	" ..	102 10

*In honor of Mrs. Large and Miss Lizzie Hart.

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1891-92

AUXILIARIES.	Date of Organization.	No. of Annual Members.	No. of Life Members.	No. of Mission Band Members.	No. of Subscribers to Outlook.
Halifax North	Jan., 1882	51	11	93	30
" South	" "	48	41	92	40
Guysboro'	Oct., 1883	17	1	14	8
Windsor	Feb., 1884	28	..	..	..
Musquodoboit	Sept., 1885	16	..	25	1
Horton	" "	25	..	12	8
Amherst	" "	33	1	12	10
Yarmouth—Wesley Church	Oct., "	42	2	37	12
" —Providence Church	" "	26	1	30	16
Truro	May, 1886	45	3	39	27
Oxford	June, "	29	1	..	..
Canning	July, "	16	..	14	..
Berwick	" "	27	2	20	12
Digby	Sept., "	16	..	27	9
Auburn	" "	30	..	43	10
Parrsboro'	Jan., 1887	19	1	..	8
Canso	Feb., "	18	2	25	7
Dartmouth	May, "	37	6	30	13
Hantsport	" "	21	..	22	..
Kingston	Sept., "	17	1	14	11
Wallace	" "	11	..	..	11
Londonderry	" "	12	..	..	12
Port Greville	April, 1888	33	..	40	10
Bermuda	May, "	21	..	..	..
Wilmot	Aug., "	39	..	36	16
Wolfville (no report)	" "	21	..	..	..
Avondale	Oct., 1889	12	1	..	..
Boylston	May, "	30	..	..	..
Liverpool	June, "	14	..	..	..
Port Hawkesbury	July, "	25	..	21	9
Bridgewater	" "	8	..	..	8
Shelburne	" "	8	..	30	9
Barrington	" "	30	..	8	8
Gabarus Harbor	Aug., "	23	..	26	8
Gabarus Cape	" "	14	..	..	..
Pictou	" "	17	..	17	17
Springhill	" "	24	1	..	7
Arcadia	Dec., "	11	..	..	..
Lunenburg	Sept., 1890	25	1	..	..
Bridgetown	Oct., "	18	..	14	8
Lawrencetown	" "	14	..	40	8
Hillsburg	Nov., "	14	..	..	8
Pugwash	" "	9	..	..	1
Burlington	July, 1891	30	..	26	8
Cheverie	" "	6	..	19	10
Sydney'	Aug., "	20	1	..	..
North Sydney	Sept., "	19	..	..	..
Granville Ferry	" "	7
Newport	Oct., "	9
Grafton	Jan., 1892	11	9
Cape Negro	Feb., "	11
Annapolis	April, "	12
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REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1891-92.

AUXILIARIES.	Members' Fees.	Life-members' Fees.	Mission Bands.	Public Meetings and Entertainments.	Mite-boxes and Birthday boxes.	Sunday Schools.	Literature.	Sale of Reports.	Donations and Thank-offerings.	Scattered Helpers' Fund.	Other Sources.	Total Raised.	Total received by Treasurer.
Amherst	\$32 50	.....	\$7 75	\$3 12	\$6 95	\$3 50	\$2 50	\$0 90	\$4 30	..	\$3 05	\$64 57	\$62 28
Annapolis.....	5 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	..	..	4 61	..	..	10 36	10 28
Arcadia.....	7 75	.....	6 57	2 65	1 12	..	0 75	0 50	2 75	..	0 10	22 19	22 00
Auburn.....	29 10	.....	37 02	12 50	4 41	3 00	1 55	0 75	0 72	..	1 30	90 35	89 63
Avondale.....	5 00	\$25 00	.....	.....	.....	0 45	..	0 40	.....	..	3 00	33 85	33 85
Barrington.....	32 13	.....	10 00	8 17	.....	..	1 25	0 45	2 27	..	.....	54 27	54 27
Bermuda.....	21 00	.....	3 00	11 28	27 57	..	1 30	0 50	0 25	..	.....	64 90	64 90
Berwick.....	32 00	25 00	30 75	30 83	4 62	..	1 90	0 70	.....	..	2 00	127 80	127 83
Bridgetown.....	15 65	.....	6 86	9 54	3 38	..	..	0 30	3 30	..	.....	39 03	37 36
Boylston.....	6 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	0 45	0 40	.....	..	0 75	7 85	7 80
Bridgewater.....	8 50	.....	.....	.....	18 57	..	2 70	0 45	1 00	\$1 00	3 58	35 80	35 12
Burlington.....	28 75	.....	16 70	11 60	37 34	..	1 00	1 25	0 55	..	3 24	140 43	95 67
Canning.....	15 50	.....	32 28	4 06	13 32	..	0 40	0 30	6 00	..	..	71 86	71 86
Canso.....	17 00	.....	9 40	15 00	11 00	..	1 60	0 55	9 00	..	7 25	70 80	70 67
Cape Negro.....	7 00	.....	.....	8 48	.....	..	0 30	0 25	.....	..	.....	16 03	15 27
Cheverie.....	6 00	.....	3 56	.....	10 00	..	..	..	..	..	1 00	20 56	20 56
Dartmouth.....	30 25	25 00	22 00	.....	0 30	..	2 00	0 45	7 75	..	.....	87 75	87 75
Digby.....	16 00	.....	6 50	25 00	.....	..	..	1 20	.....	..	2 50	51 20	51 20
Gabarus Cape.....	11 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	0 90	0 30	.....	..	.....	12 95	12 95
Gabarus Harbor.....	23 33	.....	12 85	.....	2 97	..	1 00	0 30	.....	..	.....	40 45	40 10
Grafton.....	11 00	.....	.....	5 55	.....	..	0 45	0 15	2 31	..	.....	19 46	18 40
Granville Ferry.....	4 75	.....	.....	.....	3 73	..	0 25	0 25	.....	..	.....	8 98	8 62
Guysboro'.....	17 00	25 00	4 20	11 39	10 35	..	1 00	0 30	2 00	..	.....	71 24	69 44
Halifax North.....	40 00	.....	230 68	85 00	20 66	..	3 00	1 00	15 00	..	0 45	395 79	395 79

Halifax South.....	105 00	100 00	315 50	.....	48 02	..	5 00	2 50	106 00	2 35	.....	684 37	684 37
Hantsport.....	21 50	.....	13 76	.....	8 00	..	1 00	0 40	15 00	..	.....	59 66	59 61
Horton.....	24 00	.....	5 44	5 00	20 53	..	1 00	0 75	8 70	0 40	0 10	65 92	65 60
Hillsburgh.....	4 00	.....	.....	6 60	5 38	..	..	..	0 45	..	.....	16 43	16 11

Halifax South	105 00	100 00	315 50	...	48 02	..	5 00	2 50	106 00	2 35	....	684 37	684 37
Hantsport	21 50	....	13 76	....	8 00	..	1 00	0 40	15 00	..	....	59 66	59 61
Horton	24 00	....	5 44	5 00	20 53	..	1 00	0 75	8 70	0 40	0 10	65 92	65 60
Hillsburgh	4 00	....	....	6 60	5 38	..	..	..	0 45	..	....	16 43	16 11
Kingston	18 00	....	20 86	21 60	3 20	..	0 85	0 45	2 30	..	....	67 26	67 21
Lawrencetown	13 00	....	25 17	11 31	6 44	1 35	0 50	1 15	0 25	..	5 00	64 17	63 25
Liverpool	15 00	....	....	2 49	6 81	..	0 25	0 20	....	..	....	24 75	24 75
Londonderry	9 00	....	....	3 68	2 28	..	0 20	..	..	..	....	15 16	15 16
Lunenburg	22 00	25 00	....	12 77	11 21	..	1 10	0 70	3 50	..	....	76 28	75 59
Musquodoboit	16 34	....	15 09	2 00	....	..	0 75	0 45	2 50	3 00	....	40 13	40 00
Newport	9 00	....	....	....	0 50	..	0 75	0 50	....	..	10 00	20 75	20 49
North Sydney	12 15	....	....	....	5 03	..	..	0 25	....	..	8 53	25 96	24 08
Oxford	35 00	....	....	....	....	..	1 25	0 45	3 00	..	....	39 70	39 55
Parrsboro'	21 30	....	....	....	....	..	1 10	0 35	1 50	..	....	24 25	24 25
Pictou	17 00	....	50 00	....	5 92	..	1 00	0 30	6 00	..	6 45	86 67	86 67
Port Greville	32 75	....	16 08	....	3 54	..	1 55	1 15	14 07	..	11 30	80 44	80 00
Port Hawkesbury	21 00	....	9 28	1 50	....	..	0 80	0 60	3 00	..	....	36 18	36 16
Providence Church, Yarmouth	30 25	....	50 00	....	22 22	..	2 00	0 40	8 90	..	53 27	167 04	166 21
Pugwash	9 00	....	....	....	3 42	..	..	0 25	....	..	....	12 67	12 67
Shelburne	8 00	....	34 50	....	....	..	0 30	..	1 50	..	....	44 30	44 30
Springhill	25 70	25 00	....	....	17 35	..	2 20	0 90	3 11	..	0 65	74 91	74 26
Spencer's Island .....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	19 00	..	....	19 00	19 00
Sydney	20 00	....	....	....	....	..	0 75	0 60	10 40	..	....	31 75	31 50
Truro	49 25	25 00	101 00	2 25	....	..	2 00	1 10	10 15	..	0 31	191 06	190 00
Wallace	11 00	....	....	5 12	13 11	..	0 60	0 30	3 52	..	....	33 65	33 58
Wesley Church, Yarmouth	41 25	25 00	32 75	9 00	27 50	..	2 30	0 90	12 00	1 05	....	151 75	151 00
Wilmot	41 00	....	159 51	....	5 95	..	4 20	3 00	....	..	....	213 66	213 66
Windsor	25 75	....	....	15 62	6 08	..	1 35	1 70	32 05	..	....	82 55	82 47
Collection at Public Meeting, Halifax .....	....	....	....	22 50	..	..	..	..	....	..	....	22 50	22 50
Collection at Public Meeting, Amherst .....	....	....	....	30 12	....	..	..	..	....	..	....	30 12	30 12
Collection for Literature Fund .....	....	....	....	....	....	..	12 00	..	....	..	....	12 00	12 00
Sale of Missionary Literature .....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	....	..	4 58	4 58	4 58
Total	\$1081 20	\$300 00	\$1289 06	\$395 73	\$398 78	\$8 30	\$69 10	\$31 00	\$328 71	\$7 80	\$128 41	\$4038 09	\$4014 30

NINTH ANNUAL MEETING OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

The ninth annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Branch was held in Amherst, October 5th, 6th and 7th. Fifty-four delegates were in attendance, and also a large number of visitors.

The Amherst ladies thoughtfully arranged a reception for the delegates which afforded an opportunity for social intercourse before the commencement of the business sessions. Addresses, music and refreshments, filled a very pleasant hour.

A marked improvement was noticeable in the reports of Auxiliaries and Mission Bands. With a few exceptions, all were encouraging and business-like. The presence of Miss Cunningham, returned missionary, added very much to the interest of the public meetings, one of which was held in the interests of Mission Band work.

The consecration service was a season of spiritual uplifting. In the spirit of whole-hearted consecration and of unmeasured love, a young life was laid upon the missionary altar—"the altar that sanctifieth the gift."

The election of officers resulted as follows :

<i>President</i> - - -	Mrs. W. F. MacCoy, 89 S. Park St., Halifax.
	{ Mrs. A. S. Tuttle, Berwick.
<i>Vice-Presidents</i> - - -	{ Mrs. J. Gee, Middleton.
	{ Mrs. R. B. Mack, Port Hawkesbury, C.B.
<i>Recording Secretary</i> -	Miss Wiswell, South Farmington.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	Mrs. T. E. Whiston, 74 Brunswick St., Halifax.
<i>Mission Band Secretary</i>	Mrs. Wesley Smith, Fernbank, Halifax.
<i>Treasurer</i> - - -	Miss Mary Ray, 111 Cunard St. Halifax.
<i>Auditor</i> - - -	Miss Louise Ray, 111 Cunard St., Halifax.
<i>Conference Representative</i>	Mrs. C. H. Whitman, Canso.

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REPORTS OF AUXILIARIES.

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

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AMHERST.

Our Auxiliary has been much hindered in its work by the illness of our President and other officers and members. We have lost one member by death and one by removal. We are glad to belong to the "Circle of Prayer," and hope to hold fast and strengthen.

Pres., Mrs. Strothard; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. B. Black; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Chas. Donkin; Rec. Sec., Miss A. Travis; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Davison; Treas., Mrs. R. B. Huestis. Mesdames George Doull, Blois, Chas. Davison, C. R. Casey, W. A. McDonald, Hiram Pugsley, Amos Pugsley, Colter, A. Gourley, W. I. Bell, Frank McDonald, Edward McDonald, George Christie, J. K. Elderkin, Copp, C. S. Chapman, C. A. Black, Fred. Donkin, Beaty, Mills, W. B. Huestis, W. C. Greenfield, J. H. Hewson, J. B. Hickman, Arthur Casey, Crane; Miss Bird.

ANNAPOLIS.

This Auxiliary was organized April 15th, 1892. We started with a membership of twelve. During the coming year we hope to increase.

Pres., Mrs. R. McArthur; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Rice; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Newcomb; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Perkins; Rec. Sec., Mrs. G. B. Harris; Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. M. Potter; Treas., Mrs. B. B. Hardwick.

ARCADIA.

The year has brought its changes, and with it the removal of our esteemed President and organizer. While we feel the loss of our leader, we still have very much to be thankful for.

Pres., Mrs. G. F. Boyd; V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Doane; Rec. Sec., Miss A. J. Dunham; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. Crawley; Treas., Miss Sadie Trefry. Mrs. A. H. Poole; Misses Lottie Trefry, Louisa Hart, Hamilton, Alice Boyd.

AUBURN.

Death has again entered our circle, and taken from us a faithful member—one identified with our Auxiliary from its organization. We have held eleven monthly meetings, but the attendance has been small.

Pres., Mrs. Brown; V.-Pres., Mrs. Graves; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Nichols; Cor. Sec., Miss Harvey; Treas., Miss Musgrave. Mesdames George Eaton, Israel Bishop, George Jacques, Frank McMahon; Elias Graves, Joe. Schofield, Nelson Patterson, James Parker, Wallace Kirkpatrick, Geo. Duncanson, George Bishop, James Patterson, sen., John Orpen, James Patterson, jun., Brennan, Morris, S. J. Patterson; Misses Rebecca Patterson, Emma Sterling, Julia Foster, Eliza Morton, E. Young, Frank Van Buskirk, Maggie Smith, Abbie Robinson.

BARRINGTON.

While not attaining to all that could be desired, we are grateful that our Auxiliary has been sustained. It is encouraging to note the improved attendance at our monthly meetings, although we regret to report a decrease both in membership and finances.

Pres., Mrs. Hale; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. H. Crowell; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Doane; Cor. Sec., Miss E. S. Pinkham; Treas., Miss A. Coffin. Mesdames R. H. Crowell, Philip Crowell, John Ells, Thos. Nickerson, Seeley, Pickford, Chas. Fox, Walter Pinkham, A. H. Doane, A. W. Doane, W. Sargent, R. D. Kendrick, Samuel Watt, D. Sargent, S. C. Doane; Misses May Hale, Birdie Fox, Eliza Doane, Maggie Coffin, Ida Coffin, Eliza Homer, Alice Doane, Mc-Larren, Stella Crowell, May Atwood, Seddie Crowell.

BERMUDA.

Death has removed two from us. We are sorry that our income shows a decrease. Owing to a succession of rainy days, our Band could not hold its September sale. This accounts for the decrease. We have the promise of five new Band members, and two Auxiliary members for the coming year.

Pres., Mrs. R. Ingham; V.-Pres., Mrs. H. White; Rec. Sec., Miss J. White; Cor. Sec., Miss E. Harnett; Treas., Mrs. D. Dickinson. Mesdames J. Harnett, A. Richardson, S. Pike, N. Luther, A. D. Hollis, H. Hollett, O. C. Hollis, A. Oudney, E. Bell, C. Campbell, H. Pitt, E. Dickinson, W. T. James, W. Lane; Misses Vesey, A. White. Mission Band members—Misses Florence Richardson, Edith Bell, Susie Bell, Mary Bell, Fannie Smith, Helen James, Belle Eve, Leila James, Nellie Fowler, Mary Munning, Charlotte Lightbourne, Emma Motyer.

BERWICK.

Our meetings have been held regularly, and have been both interesting and profitable. Although severe sickness has visited some of our homes, our ranks are still unbroken. Gladly will we enter upon another year's duties and responsibilities.

Pres., Mrs. Alcorn; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. England; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Foster; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Spicer; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Tuttle; Treas., Mrs. Forrest. Mesdames Anthony, Borden, Caldwell, Chute, Davidson, Ilsley, Jefferson, Middlemas, Prestwood, Tupper, Ward, Forsyth, Creighton, Hamilton, Fisher, Craig; Misses Beckwith, Tupper, Parker, Fisher. Honorary member—Mr. Oxley, \$6.

BRIDGETOWN.

Pres., Miss Bessie Murdoch; V.-Pres., Miss J. Parker; Rec. Sec., Miss Gussie Connel; Cor. Sec., Miss Mary Dodge; Treas., Miss Ethel Davies. Mesdames John Hicks, Enoch Dodge, Annie Fellows, Rupert Parker, James De Witt, Edmund Bent; Misses Lillian Fowler, Bertha Sanston, Hannah Eagleson, Bessie Elderkin, Homer, Annie Tupper, Bernice Kenny.

BRIDGEWATER.

Although our finances exceed last year's, yet we feel that much more might have been done. We are looking forward to renewed effort in the coming year, and hope to supplement our efforts by the formation of a much needed Mission Band.

Pres., Mrs. C. H. Huestis; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Simonson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. Thompson; Treas., Mrs. Veinot. Mesdames Prestwood, M. Davidson, M. Brownrigg, C. Bent.

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BURLINGTON.

Our Auxiliary was organized by Mrs. (Rev.) Gee in July, 1891. One year has passed since then and we are glad to report progress. In addition to the amount remitted to Branch Treasurer, we have also sent a box to the Crosby Home, valued at \$28.

Pres., Mrs. Ryan; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Harvie; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Jas. Mann; Rec. Sec., Miss Ethel Brooks; Cor. Sec., Miss Sadie Hayward; Treas., Mrs. H. Murphy. Mesdames John Mann, sen., J. Reynolds, H. Burgess, Frank Salter, M. Nix, L. Burgess, H. Hayward, Chas. Hayward, Geo. Harvie, John Salter, Edward Salter, J. L. Card, Job Card, Henry Armstrong, Lucinda Burgess, John Mann, jun., (Dr.) Payzant; Misses May Lynch, A. Harvie, May Ryan, Nellie Liswell, Esther Ripley. Honorary members—Rev. Wm. Ryan, George Harvie.

CANNING.

In sending the last remittance for the year, it cheers us to know that any effort made "in His name" will be accepted, no matter how small it may be.

Pres., Mrs. Hickey; V.-Pres., Mrs. Clarke; Rec. Sec., Miss Eaton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Borden; Treas., Mrs. Sheffield. Mesdames E. E. Lockwood, C. E. Borden; J. Hubley, C. Nethup, C. Burbidge, G. Eaton, H. Kerr, J. Borden, Jackson, Webster.

CANSO.

Our membership roll has lost some names by removal, and added the same number from home and abroad. We believe that the Lord is blessing us by widening our work as the months go by. Our Mission Band has rapidly increased.

Pres., *Mrs. A. Hart; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Borden; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Whitney; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Chittick; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. Whitman; Treas., Miss S. Tate. Mesdames C. B. Dunham, E. Hurst, J. Dort, S. McKenzie, D. Munro, J. W. Young, T. Hadley, J. Fothergill, D. McLaine, H. Tate; Misses Hart, J. Dickoff, Julia Whitman, Cohoon.

CAPE NEGRO.

We regret that we cannot give a more favorable report. Our community is very scattered, hence our small membership, but we are trusting our work will so commend itself that we will have a large increase before the close of another year.

Pres., Mrs. A. Daniel; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Swaine; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss Sutherland; Treas., Mrs. Matheson.

CHEVERIE.

The Cheverie Auxiliary was organized in July, 1891. At first we felt very much discouraged, there were so few of us, and it seemed impossible to hold regular meetings. However, with another year we have started afresh, and hope to do something for the Master.

Pres., Mrs. J. C. Burgess; V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Clarke; Rec. Sec., Mrs. F. N. Burgess; Cor. Sec., Miss Bertha Burgess; Treas., Mrs. J. Macumber. Mrs. T. Tully.

DARTMOUTH.

Increasing members and deepening interest encourage us to believe that the Lord is with us, and that He will continue to bless as we "labor on at His command." We report one additional life-member.

Pres., *Mrs. S. H. Black; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Johnson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. A. M. Beck; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Hutt; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Tuttle; Treas., *Mrs. Woodbury. Mesdames H. Archibald, W. K. Angwin, J. H. Angwin, John Beck, H. Blundell, Colin Campbell, Chas. Crowell, E. Erb, W. Forbes, Chas. Gentles, J. Hunt, Kenty, Langille, J. E. Leadley, Nicholson, (Dr.) Parker, Peverill, D. Prescott, J. Russell, M. Storey, J. Shortt, A. Smallwood, D. Smith, J. Tufts, L. Thomas, G. Turnbull, *V. Troop, Webber, Geo. Young; Misses Hattie Archibald, Sadie Allen, *Fanny Black, *Minnie Black, Sarah Curtis, *Annie Laidlaw, Minnie Troop, Mary Young.

DIGBY.

Our meetings have been interesting and profitable. We are working for the support of a girl in the Crosby Home. We read with interest the letters in the monthly *Leaflet*.

Pres., Mrs. Fisher; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Warrington; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. W. H. Parker; Rec. Sec., Miss Ella Robbins; Cor. Sec., Mrs. England; Treas., Mrs. Letteney. Mesdames Andrew Hegan, Henderson, Helen Warrington, Lavinia Warrington, Armstrong, (Dr.) Jones; Misses Kate Sheall, Maggie Letteney, J. O. Turnbull, Rebecca Stark.

GABARUS CAPE.

Though we are sorry to report a decrease in our finances this year, yet we feel thankful that there is a greater interest taken in our meetings than at any time since our organization. We are hoping for better things in the coming year and trusting that the Lord will prosper us.

Pres., Mrs. Kendal (\$1.10); V.-Pres., Mrs. Harris (\$1); Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss A. Armstrong (\$1); Treas., Mrs. Hardy (\$1). Mesdames Alex. Stacey (35c.), Henry Bagnell (\$1.25), S. Townsend (\$1), W. H. Bagnell (\$1.15), John Ayles (\$1.45), R. Stacey (\$1), C. Thurgood (5c.), Russell Bagnell (25c.); Misses S. Ayles (40c.), K. Muggah (\$1).

GABARUS HARBOUR.

The work is still going on in our little community. We have added several new members. We earnestly hope that the year now so new will be even more successful.

Pres., Mrs. Croft; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. K. Brown; Rec. Sec., Mrs. James Grant; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. H. Grant; Treas., Mrs. James Hardy. Mesdames Freeman Bagnell, Joseph Ormiston, William Grant, Joseph McDonald, Solomon Bagnell, Thomas Bagnell, Mary McDonald, Charles Ormiston, John A. Croft, John Hardy, James Sutherland, Margaret Grant, Isaiah McDonald, Robert Ormiston, R. B. Morrison, John E. Grant, Jacob Bagnell, Isaac Bagnell.

GRAFTON.

Our Auxiliary was organized in January, 1892, by Mrs. A. S. Tuttle, with a membership of eleven. We have held eight monthly, and two public, meetings. Although but a small band of workers, we are glad that we are a part of the great army, and look forward hopefully and trustingly to the coming year.

Pres., Mrs. T. Weldon; V.-Pres., Mrs. Bowles; Rec. Sec., Miss Mills; Cor. Sec., Miss McLaughlin; Treas., Mrs. J. Bent. Mesdames J. Bent, L. Best, G. White, Gay Best, Robert Rockwell, McLaughlin, Loomer; Miss Emma Weldon.

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GRANVILLE FERRY.

Our Auxiliary was organized in 1891, by Mrs. Downing. During the year our meetings have been interesting, although not largely attended. We hope to be able to report a large increase in membership for the coming year.

Pres., Mrs. A. D. Messenger; V.-Pres., Mrs. E. Berry; Rec. Sec., Miss G. Gilliotte; Cor. Sec., Miss J. Landers; Treas., Mrs. Meikle.

GUYSBORO'.

In reporting the work of another year we feel somewhat encouraged. The "faithful few" on whom the work chiefly devolves, we feel assured will have their reward.

Pres., Mrs. Angwin; V.-Pres., Mrs. Des Barres; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Hadley; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Francheville; Treas., Mrs. George E. Jost. Mesdames W. G. Scott, J. H. Buckley, McGregor, *G. E. Buckley, Gordon Peart, Wm. Taylor, Josiah Hull, Whitfield Scott; Misses Maria Hart, Lucretia Hattie, Loas Stacey, Minnie Des Barres.

HALIFAX NORTH.

A public Easter service with thankofferings added nearly \$80 to our funds. We trust there was also an unreckoned gain.

Pres., *Mrs. Huestis; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Bond; 2nd V. Pres., *Mrs. Rogers; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Dawson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Black; Cor. Sec., Mrs. DeBlois; Treas., Miss E. Hills; Auditor, Mrs. Whiston. Mesdames *Whiston, *Schwartz, *Hawkins, *J. Starr, *J. W. Smith, *Buckley, Trayer, Sweet, Dempster, E. G. Smith, McInnis, Halley, Shaw, DeWolf, J. Bell, Bendeler, Bennett, Ray, A. F. Buckley, Conrod, E. Boak, Crowell, A. Hart, A. M. Bell, Blackadar, Richey, R. Ross, Harris, R. Smith, C. Bell, J. Lingard; Misses *Black, *Ray, Knowlan, L. Ray, F. Hills, Dolman, Lillie May Boak, King, Stephens, Bayers, Campbell, Skallish, Boreham.

HALIFAX SOUTH.

Eighteen mite-boxes have been distributed, contents ranging from \$9 down. In summarizing the year's work, we know the hand of our God has been upon us for good.

Pres., *Mrs. MacCoy; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Jost; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Moore; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. T. W. Smith (\$2); Rec. Sec., *Miss Braine; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. Cunningham; Treas., *Miss Hart (\$20.) Mesdames *Mrs. G. H. Starr, *Anderson, *Allison, *F. G. Parker (\$5), *R. P. Woodill, *Duffield, *Jos. Hart, *Longard, *Paisley, *Weir, *Brecken, *W. B. MacCoy, *H. F. S. Paisley, *Langford MacCoy, *Wm. Crowe, *Richardson, *Walker, *Strothard, *F. Cunningham, *R. T. Braine, *Jairus Hart, *J. Dawson, Barss, Shannon (\$9), F. Woodill, Wellner, R. E. Saunders, Campbell, Burbidge, A. H. Buckley, Peart, Shaffers, Swennerton, Cook, Belcher, H. Woodbury (\$6), Levi Hart, Trenaman, S. G. Black (\$5), Hooper, W. G. Brookfield, Fitz. Anderson, Holland, Church, Dunkinson, Jakeman, Coleman, T. Saunders, Dunn, Ritchie, George Hart, Brockley, Sullivan, DeWolfe, M. Huestis, Covey, Jost, sen., I. Smith, (Dr.) Lewis (\$8), (Dr.) Parker (\$20), R. I. Hart (\$5), G. Piers, S. Huestis, Sanford; Misses *Crane (\$6), *G. A. Paisley, L. H. Paisley, C. L. Crane, *Katie Braine, *Bessie Braine, *Annie Braine, *Sadie Hart, *J. Cunningham, *E. Crane, *Lizzie Hart, *Kate Large, *Lena Woodill, Angwin, L. Mitchell (\$2), England, Hood, Lockhart.

HANTSPORT.

Some of our workers have been removed, but their places have been filled by others and the work goes on. The year on the whole has been encouraging, and we are glad to give God glory for the past and to trust implicitly His leadings in the future.

Pres., Mrs. Hockin; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Churchill; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Parker; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss Salter; Treas., Miss Marsters. Mesdames Taylor, Seaton, Fritz, Trenholm, Whitman, Travis, Porter, Toye, E. Coyle; Misses Jessie Parker, Florrie Rathbun, Nita Churchill, Porter, Bachman, Davison, Coyle.

HILLSBURGH.

Our Auxiliary gives promise of a more systematic effort and a deeper interest in the work we have undertaken.

Pres., Mrs. Arthur Dunn; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Brown; Rec. Sec., Miss Nicholl; Cor. Sec., Miss L. Copeland; Treas., Miss A. Marshall. Mesdames N. Hennigar, E. Tupper, Colin Rice, J. D. Vroom, W. G. Clark; Misses F. Vroom, Marshall.

HORTON.

In presenting our report for the year, we regret that it has not been marked by greater prosperity. But we are glad to report an interest, and count it a privilege to be co-workers with our sisters of other Auxiliaries in the great cause of missions.

Pres., Mrs. Bowser; V.-Pres., Mrs. Trenholm; Rec. Sec., Miss Jost; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Avery; Treas., Mrs. Curry. Mesdames Dennison, F. G. Curry, McDougal, Eben Curry, Palmeto, Johnson, Crane, Parsons, Hamilton, Woodman, Tupper, Patterson, White, Lawrence, Limson, Wright; Misses Brown, Crane, Gilmore, M. Jost.

KINGSTON.

We can report a good year. Exclusive of the life-membership fee received last year, our income has increased. We have added one new name, and we have lost two.

Pres., Mrs. J. Taylor; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. High; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Bell; Rec. Sec., Miss G. Foster; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Taylor; Treas., Mrs. J. Walton. Mesdames Heningar Neily, Nelson Smith, John Foster, Aylmer Jacques, Woodbury; Misses Louisa Armstrong, Annie Foster, Sarah Taylor, Josie Taylor, Lalia Welton, E. Neily, Mary Taylor.

LAWRENCETOWN.

During the year which has just closed we have much reason to be thankful for the uniform interest manifested. We hope that God's blessing will attend us in the year upon which we have just entered.

Pres., Mrs. Downing; V.-Pres., Mrs. Rooch; Rec. Sec., Miss F. A. Stevens; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. W. Whitman; Treas., Mrs. Morgan. Mesdames Morse, Daniels, Longley, McLeod, Neily, S. C. Primrose, W. J. Whitman; Misses Willett, Josie Whitman.

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LIVERPOOL.

Amid many discouragements, we are glad to report a patient continuance in the work.

Pres., Mrs. H. A. Wright; V.-Pres., Mrs. Nicolson; Rec. Sec., Miss Ida Smith; Cor. Sec., Miss Nicolson; Treas., Miss Lockhart. Mesdames Clements, Thos. Day, Hilton, Johnston, Enos Millard, Wm. Millard, John Smith, Robert Smith, Daniel Winters.

LONDONDERRY.

Though feeling somewhat discouraged as we review our year's work, we hope that the coming year may be more successful, and that we may all feel a deeper interest in the work.

Pres., Mrs. Tweedie; V.-Pres., Mrs. Reeves; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Nicol; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. H. McDonald; Treas., Mrs. Parsons. Mesdames W. Coulter, W. Everett, J. Johnson, W. Slack, A. Howard, N. McKenzie; Misses Lizzie Cox, S. Myers.

LUNENBURG.

We close another missionary year, and are glad to report an increase in numbers and finances. We have added one life-member. Praying for greater success the coming year, we go on, looking to God who alone can give the increase.

Pres., T. D. DesBrisay; V.-Pres., Mrs. Teasdale; Rec. Sec., Miss Nora Smith; Cor. Sec., Miss Lizzette Smith; Treas., Mrs. Zwicker. Mesdames N. Rafuse, D. Hickman, J. Morash, A. Silver, R. Silver, J. Zink, C. Smith, Dr. Mack, S. Morash, R. Conrad, J. Young, E. Bailley, H. Wilson, Z. Crawford, A. Gardner, P. Bishard, J. Selig, S. A. Chesley; Misses M. Dauphnee, A. Selig, A. Russell.

MUSQUODOBOIT.

We have a goodly list of "Scattered Helpers" who have done much to aid us. Our meetings have been full of interest although our attendance has been small. We are glad to report a financial increase.

Pres., Mrs. Daniel; V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Guild; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Layton; Treas., Mrs. James Annand. Mesdames Letitia Flech, Wm. Bates, L. Harrison, J. H. Taylor, H. H. Taylor, Robt. Lindsay, John Dickie, Esther Logan, Wm. Logan, W. H. Johnson; Misses Selia Annand, Josie Johnson.

NEWPORT.

We have held our monthly meetings regularly on the first Tuesday of each month. Although our numbers are small, some have testified that they have had an increased interest in the missionary cause.

Pres., Mrs. James Sharp; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Northup; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Sterling; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. James Mosher; Rec. Sec., Miss Martha Smith; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Morton Smith; Treas., Mrs. Hattie Johnson. Mrs. Lewis Mosher; Miss Rachel Smith.

OXFORD.

While we return thanks for the few willing workers, we ask ourselves, "What can be done to arouse an enthusiasm among the lukewarm members of our Auxiliary?"

Pres., Mrs. M. M. Thompson; V.-Pres., Mrs. Haigh; Rec. Sec., Mrs. L. Bent; Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. Thompson; Treas., Mrs. G. D. Hewson. Mesdames Wm. Oxley, H. Smith, C. Mills, H. L. Hewson, A. Wood, George Gilroy,

Weldon Wood, Wm. Johnson, Harvey Treen, Sydney Moore, Richard Thompson, Inglis Thompson, Charles Lowther, May Cameron, *J. L. Dawson, Wm. Gray, Wm. Davis; Misses Lydia Thompson, Tillie Oxley, C. E. King, Nettie Smith, Minnie Schurman, Annie Thompson. Honorary members—Messrs. Wm. Davis (\$5), H. L. Hewson.

PARRSBORO'

Although a few of our members have withdrawn, others have come in to take their places, so that our membership has not decreased and our finances have slightly increased.

Pres., Mrs. Evans; V.-Pres., Mrs. Reid; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wolton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Hodgson; Treas., Mrs. Holmes. Mesdames Allen, J. G. Holmes, Howard, B. F. Young, McFadden, Trahey, Copp, McDade, Wotton, Nichols, John Smythe, Albert Smythe, Kirkpatrick, Fullerton, McKinnon.

PICTOU.

We present our third annual report with feelings of gratitude and sorrow—gratitude because of the success we have had, and sorrow for the loss of four of our members by removal, and one by death. We have started a missionary lending library which we hope will be a success.

Pres., Miss A. Fraser; V.-Pres., Mrs. Gunn; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Horne; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Hamilton; Treas., Mrs. H. H. Hamilton. Mesdames J. A. Dawson, Robert Pope, Wm. Pope, J. B. Hamblin, Donaldson, Smith, D. Foote, Wm. Harris, Hills, C. Hamilton, A. Scott; Misses Maude McKenzie, Gillespie.

PORT GREVILLE.

Another missionary year has drawn to a close and we are found an unbroken Auxiliary. The interest in our work is well sustained, and we find our meetings profitable and enjoyable. Our outlook for the future is bright.

Pres., Mrs. C. Smith; V.-Pres., Mrs. Hatfield; Rec. Sec., Miss Alice Smith; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. Fullerton; Treas., Miss Elderkin. Mesdames J. E. Hatfield, M. Parsons, J. E. Pettes, R. Merriam, E. Merriam, Fraser Hatfield, J. W. Hatfield, Alfred Hatfield, J. A. Hatfield, E. Kerr, A. Graham, F. Canning, DeWolfe, I. Morris, G. Bentley, A. A. McLellan, J. Chandley, J. Canning, J. Cole, J. Morris, J. Canning, A. Wilson, G. Bates, Theodore Smith, Ainsley Hatfield, H. H. McCully; Misses Alice Smith, Della Hatfield, Sproul, Braley,

PORT HAWKESBURY.

We are sorry to report a slight decrease in membership and income. Our meetings have been held regularly and we have held one public meeting.

Pres., Mrs. Mack; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Henessey; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Philpot; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Grant, Cor. Sec., Mrs. McPherson; Treas., Mrs. Langley. Mesdames Dan Embree, George Embree, Charles Embree, H. W. Embree, Dan Henesy, George Henesy, D. W. Henesy, Charles McLean, George McLean, John McLean, James Davis, N. O. Murray, A. Prouse, E. Malcolm, N. Martin, W. Dowling, G. Langille, A. McPherson; Miss Williams.

PUGWASH.

We have not much of interest to report, but are hoping for better results next year. We may attempt some work among the children in the coming days. Owing to the absence of our President and other officers, our monthly meetings have not been held regularly.

Pres., Mrs. Cyrus Bent; V.-Pres., Mrs. M. Tuttle; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. C. Black; Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. A. Bent; Treas., Mrs. Giles. Mesdames H. G. Bennett, J. Matheson, Wm. Bennett.

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SHELBURNE.

Although we cannot report an increase in membership, we know our interest in the missionary cause is increasing. We still go on doing our little, hoping for better things.

Pres., Mrs. W. J. McGill ; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Quinlan ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. Deinstadt ; Treas., Mrs. Atwood. Mesdames R. Irwin, J. Crowell, C. Pentz, L. Daniel.

SPRINGHILL.

Our meetings this year have increased in interest, and two more names have been added to our roll. Other members are promised for the coming year. We feel that the Lord has helped us in making this a more successful year than the last.

Pres., Mrs. Gilroy ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Phelan ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Mattinson ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Archibald ; Treas., Mrs. Dick. Mesdames Bennett, *England, O. Schurman, Hall, J. Simpson, Cove, B. Mattinson, Moss, Proctor, Humphrey, C. Schurman, C. Simpson, Furlong, Scott, Tingley, Wylie, Crowe, Archibald, McDowall, Townshend.

SYDNEY.

This Auxiliary was organized August 31st, 1891, with twenty-one members, one being a life-member. Although we cannot report much progress, we are thankful that we are holding our own. The attendance at our last few meetings has been much larger.

Pres., Mrs. Buckley ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Brookman ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. Travis ; Treas., Mrs. Rutherford.

NORTH SYDNEY.

Our Auxiliary was organized with twelve members, September 18th, 1891. Eleven monthly meetings have been held during the year, with an average attendance of ten.

Pres., Mrs. G. F. Johnson ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Bonnel ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Nisbet ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. C. Bertram ; Cor. Sec., Miss Ella Bonnell ; Treas., Miss Lillie Bonnell. Mesdames L. McArthur, W. Hackett, C. H. Whitman, S. H. Crowell, C. E. Allen, J. Nisbet, J. Smith, W. Coleman, W. P. Moffatt, J. Salter ; Misses Sarah Cann, Mary Tibbo, Lizzie Pitcher, Sadie Publicover.

TRURO.

If success is an evidence of the blessing of God, then we, as an Auxiliary, may surely claim the blessing. During the year our membership has increased from thirty-seven to forty-eight, and we are pleased to report one new life-member. Our Easter thankoffering service was of deep interest.

Pres., *Mrs. Ainley ; V.-Pres., Mrs. S. Archibald ; Rec. Sec., Miss McCallum ; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Lewis ; Treas., Mrs. D. Gunn. Mesdames *McMurray, Carey, C. B. Archibald, Doane, Suckling, McDowell, Blackmore, Hills, Bates, Beck, Wm. Fulton, Graham, Peppey, G. O. Fulton, D. C. Slack, Cann, Langille, Fuller, J. W. Johnson, McCully, Stevens, Wade, Cowperthwaite, Gerrish, Reynolds, Thos. Smith, Porter, Murphy, W. A. Smith, A. H. Smith, Bowers, Livingstone, Yorston, Dover, Smith ; Misses *Blackmore, Kilber, Archibald, Davidson, Shaw, Ida Black, M. Longworth. Honorary member—Rev. Wm. Ainley.

WALLACE.

We report an increase in our love to Christ and for His work, both at home and abroad. We have lost members by removal, but this year our income has increased.

Pres., Mrs. Day ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Tuttle ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Morris ; Rec. Sec., Miss Kempton ; Cor. Sec., Miss Tuttle ; Treas., Mrs. Kempton. Mesdames Silas Fulton, E. Edgett, G. Batty, C. Morris, Harrison.

WILMOT.

We gladly report an increase of nine members during the year, and though we have lost two by death and removal, yet we are glad that others are being interested in this great work. To Him we give all the praise as we joyfully press forward into the work of another year.

Pres., Mrs. J. Gee ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Hennigar ; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. Baker ; Treas., Mrs. J. Sponagle. Mesdames Allen, Ward, M. Young, I. Young, W. H. Oakes, J. Howie, J. North, W. Hoofman, Randall, E. Phinney, H. Phinney, Messinger, L. Phinney, E. Holland, A. Foster, S. N. Miller, M. Taylor, B. Banks, Z. Banks, T. Smith, H. Gates, A. Gates, J. Slocumb, J. Gorden, J. Tait, J. Gates, A. Beals, Middlemas, Patterson ; Misses B. Wiswall, C. Randall, M. Watson, Roles, A. Foster.

WINDSOR.

We are glad to report a fairly successful year's work. Our meetings have been regularly held, and we have found them interesting and helpful.

Pres., Mrs. Sargent ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Burgess ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. M. Smith ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. T. B. Smith ; Cor. Sec., Miss Coffin ; Treas., Mrs. Joshua Smith. Mesdames McElheany, W. Dill, McKinnion, L. E. Jost, Coffin, Shand, Pellow, Amos Dill, Patterson, Graham, Allen, W. Richards, R. B. Dakin, Scott, Thos. Curren ; Misses Amelia Smith, Coffin, Mosher, Libbie Smith, Barss, Fraser, C. Murphy, A. Robinson.

YARMOUTH, PROVIDENCE CHURCH.

The Japanese Bible-woman, Mrs. Tabashi, is the object for which we work, and the monthly letters received from Miss Lund, as often as they came were eagerly read and heartily enjoyed.

Pres., Mrs. Hartz ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Powers ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Lewis ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Hopkins ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. McCallum ; Cor. Sec., Miss Gunn ; Treas., Mrs. McConnell. Mesdames N. B. Lewis, T. M. Lewis, C. C. Richards, Amos Crosby, George Lewis, Henry Lewis, B. E. Rogers, Ansel Robbins, Geo. Cann, John Guest, Hopkins, Adams, Thurston, Wm. Powers, A. F. Stoneman, Lois Killam, *W. H. Hartz, J. McConnell, Worthen, B. Ray, John Robbins, Chas. Hibbert, N. McConnell, Alfred Crosby, John Gregg, McNutt, McCallum, James Porter, Hugh Jenkins, Maria Porter, Mary Stoneman, Kimball, Robert Guest ; Misses J. Guest, M. Lovitt, A. Lovitt, Gunn, Jessie Crosby, Susan Lewis, Poole, Mary Gardner.

YARMOUTH, WESLEY CHURCH.

In reviewing the past year we are glad to show an onward march since our last report. Our monthly meetings have been held regularly and have been a means of blessing to all.

Pres., *Mrs. Young ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Langille ; Rec. Sec., Miss Maud Cann ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. S. A. Crowell ; Treas., *Mrs. T. Killam. Mesdames

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SPECIAL OBJECTS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

- Providence Church, Yarmouth—A Japanese Bible-woman.
"Earnest Gleaners," Yarmouth—A girl in Crosby Home, Port Simpson.
"Sunshine" Band, Digby—A girl in Crosby Home.
"What I Can" Band, Pictou—A girl in Crosby Home.
Shelburne "Willing Workers"—For China Mission, \$34.50.

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Canning	Light Bearers	32 28	..	14
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Lawrencetown	Hopeful	24 17	..	40
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* In honor of Miss Knight.

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REPORTS FROM MISSION BANDS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

"REAPERS" MISSION CIRCLE, HALIFAX NORTH.

We have to report several new members, and the average attendance equal to that of former years. Our paper, the *Sheaf*, is increasingly attractive. A special feature of interest this year was a course of lectures by Rev. G. J. Bond, on the Holy Land. By them our funds gained \$96.46. This year "heralds" were appointed to represent the various Mission Stations and report the work done.

"CORALLINE" MISSION CIRCLE, HALIFAX SOUTH.

The "Coralline" Mission Circle has a membership of thirty-one and three life-members this year. The interest during the year has been well sustained. The amount raised shows an increase of \$18.

"SUNBEAM" BAND, HALIFAX SOUTH.

This Band is conducted by two members of the "Coralline." It meets fortnightly and has thirty members. The amount contributed has been principally obtained by means of a children's concert and a bazaar.

"GLEANERS" BAND, HALIFAX NORTH.

On account of enforcing Article III. of "Constitution for Mission Bands, we have to report a decrease of membership. The meetings are purely missionary in character, and the interest is steadily growing. Eighteen meetings have been held. Average attendance twenty.

"SUNSHINE," DIGBY.

We are thankful to report an increase of members, and regular meetings held during the year. Our hope for success seems to lie in the "little ones," who are all alive, but we are discouraged by lack of interest in the older ones.

"HAPPY THOUGHTS," YARMOUTH, WESLEY CHURCH.

The past year has been a successful one for this Band, and we have all been blessed and strengthened. We have to report two life-members and a donation of \$5. One of our members has been called away by death, but our loss is her gain. We pray that the hearts of the children may be so filled with love for the Master that His service may be a delight.

"FIRST METHODIST" BAND, TRURO.

We are grateful for a year of quiet growth and progress. Although we cannot report an increase in membership, financially we have been very successful, and a growing interest has been manifested in all the work and meetings.

"ROYAL WORKERS," BERWICK.

We are glad to report an increase in interest and receipts this year. We have made and sent a quilt to the Chilliwack Home. Have tried the "talent" system with considerable success. The meetings have been regular and well attended.

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"BUDS OF PROMISE," DARTMOUTH.

We have held twelve meetings this year, and one entertainment. We can report an increase of \$5.50 over last year's receipts, and hope to do still better next year.

"CHEERFUL WORKERS," PORT GREVILLE.

We have to report about the same membership as last year. The only outside effort made was a concert which realized \$6. Death has claimed one of our members. The *Quarterly* is a means of help to us.

"WILLING" MISSION CIRCLE, AMHERST.

Ten regular meetings have been held during the year, and one public meeting in April.

"STARS OF KNIGHT," KINGSTON.

Part of the year has been spent in making useful articles for the Homes in British Columbia. Thanking God for past success, we look hopefully forward, trusting for more success in the future.

SHELBURNE "WILLING HELPERS."

Our Band was organized in 1891, a little over a year ago. Membership thirty. We have made a quilt for the Coqualcetza Home, and the interest has been kept up amid discouragements.

"MORNING STAR," MUSQUODOBOIT.

This year has been a prosperous one. We can report increase in both membership and funds. Our meetings have been well attended and full of interest. We have held one public meeting.

"WHAT I CAN," PICTOU.

This Band has done well as to funds, but it is hard to keep up the interest and the attendance is not what we should like. We hope for increased zeal the coming year by the help of the Master and more work.

"OLIVE BRANCH," HALIFAX, ROBIE STREET.

We have a steady increase in funds, but the membership does not increase, because of so many removals. We receive an annual donation of \$5 from the mother of one of our little boys, who, up to his death, was greatly interested in his mite-box. Our ages are largely from four or five to fifteen years.

"WILLING WORKERS," PORT HAWKESBURY.

We regret to report a decrease in membership. Some have gone away, others have "wearied in well-doing." We held one concert and the younger children contributed "talent money."

"WESLEY CENTENNIAL," CHEVERIE.

We begin another year with a better outlook than last. Our trouble is the lack of workers, there being very few girls old enough. We trust God's blessing may follow our feeble efforts, and that we may move steadily forward.

"HAPPY WORKERS" MISSION CIRCLE, WILMOT.

We are four years old, and this year we are ahead of all others, in members, interest and finances. We have made quilts for the Chilliwack Home, and held regular meetings. We are all eager to commence our next year's work and hope for better success at its close.

"ROPE HOLDERS," NICTAUX.

This Band has barely lived through the year, and we are sorry to report a decrease both in membership and funds; still our motto is "go forward." The children are all interested but we have no older persons to help.

"WILLING HELPERS," HANTSPORT.

Owing to various circumstances this Band has decreased in membership, but not, we trust, in interest. The attendance at our monthly meetings is fairly good. One of our most "willing helpers" has been taken from us to join the throng that is before the throne.

"PARBAR WESTWARD," MIDDLETON.

This Band numbers thirty-six, all under thirteen years of age, but full of vigor and interest. They earn their money in a variety of ways. Regular fortnightly meetings have been held and well attended through all kinds of weather. Sabbath evening missionary services are highly appreciated by the people. We have also helped to fill the case for British Columbia with Home Mission work.

"PICKET GUARD," FARMINGTON.

All our members are very small, but they have worked with a will and God has blessed "the day of small things." We sent quilts, mats, etc., to the Chilliwack Home, and enter upon a new year looking to Jesus.

"LIGHT BEARERS," CANSO.

Our Band was organized in September, 1891, with eight members; we have now twenty-four. We find the *Quarterly* with the map of Japan very helpful. We are looking for increase in interest during the coming year.

"LARGE-HART."

This Band was organized in July, 1891, with fifteen members, now increased to twenty-six. We have held twelve regular meetings with average attendance of eleven. We are now making a quilt, and have held a service of song and taken part in an Auxiliary public meeting. We use one mite-box, in which all the members put their offerings.

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LIFE-MEMBERS OF MISSION BANDS, NOVA SCOTIA
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“REAPERS” MISSION CIRCLE.

Mrs. Lillie Ross ; Misses Bessie Bell, Minnie Bell, Ella Calkin, Emily Harris, Lizzie Hills, Alice Knight, Annie Mitchell, Louise Ray, Annie Starr Bertha Starr, Laura Starr, Hattie Teasdale, Mabel Whiston.

“CORALLINE.”

Mrs. Joseph Hart, Miss J. Cunningham.

“GLEANERS.”

Muriel Black, Bessie Kline.

“SUNSHINE.”

Miss Minnie Parker.

“HAPPY THOUGHT.”

Misses Mary Crowell, Maud Killam.

“FIRST METHODIST.”

Miss Ada Lewis.

“SEED SOWERS.”

Miss Alice Hart.

“OLIVE BRANCH

Miss Carrie Cunningham.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH.

SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH, 1891-92.

When presenting the report last year, it seemed that our narrow limits would in the future make perceptible advance impossible to us, yet this year's close reveals the fact that deepened intelligence and, it may be, deepened consecration have brought us such an increase as we then thought could only be gathered from an enlarged field.

That "means of grace," the mite-box, is winning a widening way. The year's revenue from this source is over seven hundred dollars.

The Scattered Helpers, already a blessing, will in time make it possible for us to reach every fishing village and lumber district in our Branch.

Now that we can offer affiliation with our society for a few cents, there is no reason why we should not press every Christian woman into the service. Our reading circle, though in its infancy, is destined to develop interest and strength that nothing but knowledge can develop.

Our Bands with their twelve new life-members deserve special mention. "By their fruits ye shall know them." They have this year been more securely fastened to the work by another living link. Out from the "Torch Bearers" of St. Stephen, loved and missed, Miss Veazey has gone to Japan to show what a Band girl can do for Christ among those other girls.

We have fourteen new Auxiliaries—Upper Kent, Kilburn, Jacksonville, Carsonville, Berwick, Shediac, Hartland, Summerfield, Bideford, Oak Bay, Lornville, Bristol, Williamstown, Wesley Church, Moncton.

There are twelve new Bands—Charlottetown "Coqualeetza," Gagetown "Twinkling Stars," Little York "Dayspring," Lakeville "Look up, Lift up," Berwick "Little Daisy," Marysville "Active Workers," St. John "Centenary King's Messengers," Teteagouche "Forest Home," Upper Keswick "Wayside Workers," Upper Kent "Pilgrim," Kensington and "Earnest Toilers" of Upper Prince Street, Charlottetown.

Number of Auxiliaries	72	Increase	12
" Auxiliary members	1463	" 	197
" Mission Bands	44	" 	9
" Mission Band members	1175	" 	260
" Life-Members	59	" 	12
Total number of members	2697	" 	469
Sent to General Treasurer	\$4596 85	" 	\$757 92

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH, 1891-92.

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Members, Sept., 1892.	Increase.	Number of Life- Members, 1892.	Increase.	Average Atten- dance.	Total Number of Meetings.
Albert	12	..	..	..	6	8
Alberton	18	..	..	..	7	10
Baie Verte	19	1	..	..	10	13
Bathurst	28	..	..	..	8	12
Bayfield	15	3	..	..	8	13
Bedeque	50	1	10	2	18	15
Berwick	25	25	..	..	10	14
Bideford	12	12	..	..	7	9
Bloomfield	11	3	..	..	5	13
Bristol	13	13	..	..	10	5
Campbellton	17	2	..	..	7	13
Caverhill	17	..	..	..	7	14
Centreville	17	3	..	..	7	12
Charlottetown, Prince Street	41	..	11	1	16	13
" Upper Prince Street.	18	1	1	..	..	..
Cherry Valley	15	1	..	..	7	10
Cornwall	28	1	1	..	8	11
Carsonville	14	14	..	..	9	14
Dorchester	11	..	..	..	6	10
Fredericton	39	2	2	..	15	15
Gagetown	28	6	..	..	8	12
Gibson	14	..	..	..	7	13
Hampton	15	1	1	..	6	10
Highfield	16	4	..	..	8	12
Hartland	7	7	..	..	5	5
Harcourt	18	2	..	..	7	13
Jolicure	12	..	..	..	8	10
Jacksonville	17	17	..	..	10	15
Kensington	15	2	..	..	7	12
Keswick	14	2	..	..	5	13
Kent Upper	10	10	..	..	7	13
Kilburn	17	17	..	..	10	11
Lakeville	7	1	..	..	6	10
Lornville	12	12	..	..	7	6
Margate	20	..	1	..	10	13
Moncton Central	31	..	1	..	6	13
" Wesley	18	18	..	..	8	6
Montague	12	2	..	..	8	9
" Lower	9	..	..	..	6	12
Mount Herbert	15	..	1	..	7	13
Murray Harbor	42	1	..	..	14	13
Northampton	16	7	..	..	10	12
Oak Bay (no report)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Passekeag	6	..	..	..	..	..

STATISTICAL REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	No. of Members, Sept., 1892.	Increase.	Number of Life-Members, 1892.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Total Number of Meetings.
Point de Bute	24	1	..	..	12	14
Port Elgin	8	..	..	..	5	8
Pownal	26	..	..	..	7	11
Richmond	20	3	1	1	9	13
Sackville	37	2	4	2	9	12
" Upper	14	4	..	..	9	13
St. John, Centenary	70	..	6	1	20	13
" Exmouth	37	..	1	..	11	13
" Portland	41	..	..	..	10	13
" Queen Square	50	..	1	1	25	16
St. Stephen	58	1	2	..	14	21
Scarletown	26	2	1	..	10	9
Sheffield	14	..	1	..	6	..
Summerside	31	2	..	..	9	15
Shediac	8	8	..	..	5	13
Summerfield (no report) .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tay	10	..	..	..	4	9
Tryon	23	6	5	1	7	13
Union Road	17	..	1	..	5	10
Vernon River	20	1	..	..	7	9
Victoria	26	2	2	2	14	15
Waterville	13	2	..	..	7	13
West Cape	11	..	1	1	7	10
Wiltshire North	11	11	6	11
Williamstown	9	9	4	8
Winsloe	14	8	12
Woodstock	28	1	4	1	16	14
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SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK
AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH.

The seventh annual meeting of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society was held in St. Stephen, September 27th, 28th and 29th, 1892.

Delegates to the number of sixty-two and a number of visitors were in attendance. Mrs. Macmichael, President, was in the chair. Miss Cunningham, returned missionary, was an honored guest and spoke most acceptably on two public occasions. The anniversary meeting of Branch and Mission Bands was successful. A reception tendered by the ladies of the Church was most enjoyable. Greetings from sister societies were pithy and pointed, full of kindly feeling. Responses by the Executive. The Mission Band banner was awarded to "Rill and River" Band, Alberton, which had the largest percentage in increase of membership.

The election of officers resulted as follows :—

<i>President</i>	- - -	Miss Palmer, 29 Queen Square, St. John.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. C. E. Macmichael, 17 Orange St., St. John.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. Richard Johnson, Charlottetown, P.E.I.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. Howard Sprague, St. John, N.B.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. J. D. Chipman, St. Stephen, N.B.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. Farrar Stewart, West Cape, P.E.I.
<i>Treasurer</i>	- - -	Miss H. Stewart, Sackville, N.B.
<i>Mission Band Cor. Sec.</i>	- - -	Mrs. S. Howard, Hampton, N.B.
<i>Auditor</i>	- - -	Mrs. S. E. Reid, Tryon, P.E.I.

District Organizers :—

<i>St. Stephen</i>	- - - -	Mrs. Webber.
<i>Miramichi</i>	- - - -	Mrs. F. A. Wightman.
<i>Sackville</i>	- - - -	Mrs. B. Harper, Mrs. T. Drinstadt.
<i>St. John</i>	- - - -	Mrs. McKeown.
<i>Fredericton</i>	- - - -	Miss Harper, Miss Thorne.
<i>Prince Edward Island</i>	- - - -	Mrs. R. Johnson.

Miss Humphrey, of Moncton, was appointed representative to Conference. Mrs. Richard Johnson was elected delegate to Board of Managers.

An invitation to Moncton to hold the next annual meeting was accepted.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH, 1891-92.

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Albert N.B.	\$8 75	\$0 57	\$0 30	\$1 00	\$3 63	\$14 25	\$8 20	\$6 05
Alberton, P.E.I.	17 75	\$92 50	\$11 43	0 20	\$1 25	123 13	0 82	122 31
Baie Verte, N.B.	19 00	....	20 00	8 05	5 83	0 40	1 00	0 50	....	0 10	54 88	8 00	46 88
Bathurst, N.B.	28 00	....	6 50	42 25	24 29	0 30	1 06	0 70	....	4 32	107 42	0 54	106 88
Bayfield, N.B.	14 50	....	....	3 60	....	....	0 44	....	....	....	18 54	0 16	18 38
Bedeque, P.E.I.	47 00	\$50 00	87 24	21 00	43 54	2 50	2 50	49 15	\$3 00	77 38	383 31	9 34	373 97
Berwick, N.B.	21 45	....	6 39	3 72	7 72	0 25	....	....	....	2 50	42 03	8 38	33 65
Bideford, P.E.I.	9 64	....	....	3 63	3 33	0 73	....	....	....	....	17 33	....	17 33
Bloomfield, N.B.	8 50	....	....	3 60	....	0 10	0 40	....	....	....	12 60	....	12 60
Bristol, N.B.	6 40	....	....	....	....	....	0 40	....	....	....	6 80	0 40	6 40
Campbellton, N.B.	14 00	....	....	10 18	10 40	0 50	0 50	....	2 00	....	37 58	....	37 58
Carsonville, N.B.	17 25	....	....	5 72	....	0 80	0 25	....	1 90	....	25 92	0 83	25 09
Caverhill, N.B.	14 25	....	....	1 05	9 81	0 40	1 00	....	....	9 50	36 01	6 61	29 40
Centreville, N.B.	17 00	....	6 50	12 00	0 85	0 45	0 65	0 50	....	2 85	40 80	0 05	40 75
Charlottetown, Prince St.	43 00	25 00	53 12	13 25	34 74	1 20	2 70	43 00	....	4 14	220 15	0 81	219 34
" Upper Prince St.	14 25	....	11 00	9 63	6 40	0 35	....	3 22	....	1 85	46 70	....	46 70
Cherry Valley, P.E.I.	15 00	....	....	10 55	7 00	0 20	0 30	....	....	....	33 05	....	33 05
Cornwall, P.E.I.	28 00	....	17 25	12 00	25 75	0 70	1 40	14 00	....	20 60	119 70	....	119 70
Dorchester, N.B.	11 00	....	....	2 61	....	0 15	1 05	1 00	....	....	15 81	0 23	15 58
Fredericton, N.B.	39 00	....	50 20	20 29	32 91	1 10	1 50	1 50	....	....	146 50	0 50	146 00
Gagetown, N.B.	17 25	....	3 57	7 75	3 59	0 35	1 00	....	....	....	33 51	1 34	32 17
Gibson, N.B.	13 90	....	....	27 15	11 29	0 25	0 60	1 05	....	....	54 24	6 99	47 25
Hampton, N.B.	15 00	....	....	15 35	42 87	0 30	0 60	0 50	....	....	74 62	2 23	72 39
Harcourt, N.B.	13 75	....	....	7 00	1 81	0 20	0 10	1 00	....	....	23 86	0 50	23 06
Hartland, N.B.	7 00	....	....	0 81	....	....	....	....	....	0 35	8 16	....	8 16
Highfield, P.E.I.	16 00	....	....	6 33	5 82	0 20	0 90	0 50	....	....	29 80	0 47	29 33
Jacksonville, N.B.	18 00	....	34 99	10 50	....	0 10	0 30	....	....	0 05	63 94	0 34	63 60
Jolicure, N.B.	12 00	....	....	6 15	....	0 20	0 60	1 00	....	....	19 95	....	19 95
Kensington, P.E.I.	14 25	....	7 72	11 50	15 86	0 40	0 45	....	....	....	50 18	0 44	49 74
Keswick, N.B.	9 00	....	1 33	3 56	2 28	0 15	0 25	....	....	....	16 57	0 22	16 35
Kilburn, N.B.	12 50	4 00	9 70	0 15	0 25	2 85	2 50	31 95	31 95

Highfield, P.E.I.	16 00			6 38	5 82	0 20	0 90	0 50			29 80	0 47	29 33
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Keswick, N.B.	9 00		1 33	3 56	2 28	0 15	0 25				16 57	0 22	16 35
Kilburn, N.B.	12 50			4 00	9 70	0 15	0 25	2 85		2 50	31 95		31 95
Lakeville, N.B.	7 00		3 86	4 34		0 15	0 25				15 60	0 15	15 45
Lornville, N.S.	5 50									0 08	5 58	0 26	5 32
Margate, P.E.I.	20 00		5 25	20 87	15 27	0 45	0 55	9 63		0 60	72 62	5 73	66 89
Moncton Central	30 75		25 00	6 06		0 50	0 50	0 75		0 35	63 91	3 15	60 76
" Wesley Memorial	5 25			10 42							15 67	5 67	10 00
Montague, P.E.I.	12 00			6 50	4 87	0 30	1 00	7 00	1 50	2 33	35 50		35 50
" Lower	8 00				1 10	0 20	0 80	1 00			11 10		11 10
Mount Herbert, P.E.I.	15 00			5 66	5 86	0 30	1 00	2 50			30 32		30 32
Murray Harbor, P.E.I.	42 00		13 47	26 00	4 69	1 20	1 75	5 00	0 50		94 61	9 50	85 11
Northampton, N.B.	8 00						0 40				8 40		8 40
North Wiltshire, P.E.I.	11 00			3 53	9 06	0 40					23 99		23 99
Oak Bay, N.B.	2 58										2 58		2 58
Passekeag, N.B.	5 25						0 25				5 50		5 50
Point de Bute, N.B.	24 00		55 76	14 69	2 91	0 40	1 00	1 58	1 00		101 34	4 58	96 76
Port Elgin, N.B.	6 90			2 32							9 22	0 20	9 02
Pownal, P.E.I.	26 00				4 17	0 50	1 10	6 00		3 60	41 37	0 75	40 62
Richmond, N.B.	19 00	25 00		29 45	20 04	0 60	1 00				95 09	1 69	93 40
Sackville, N.B.	37 00		29 51	11 67	4 92	1 75	1 75	29 95			116 55	4 58	111 97
" Upper	14 00			4 38	3 49	0 20	0 45				22 52	4 78	17 74
St. John, Centenary	70 00	25 00	133 57	25 36	41 21	0 75	1 87	8 00			305 76	1 00	304 76
" Exmouth Street	37 00		32 03	7 70	8 20	1 20	1 00	0 75			87 88		87 88
" Portland	41 00		41 41	27 10	29 73	1 10	1 65	1 50	3 00	1 90	148 39	2 60	145 79
" Queen Square	49 00	25 00	34 40	11 77	42 62	0 40	1 50	1 00			165 69	0 51	165 18
St. Stephen, N.B.	58 00		82 89	27 51	28 60	2 50	2 50	6 75			208 75	1 89	206 86
Searletown, P.E.I.	26 00		17 00	20 82	9 71	0 35	1 00	4 00		0 89	79 77	6 16	73 61
Shediac, N.B.	12 25			1 00							13 25	0 16	13 09
Sheffield, N.B.	14 00			13 23	6 37	0 25	1 00	11 00		3 87	49 72	1 90	47 82
Summerfield, N.B.	1 20			4 93							6 13	0 05	6 08
Summerside, P.E.I.	30 35		36 31	14 50	21 75	0 65	1 20	10 00	1 00	0 40	116 16	0 58	115 58
Tay, N.B.	10 50			3 60	0 70	0 20	0 30				15 30	0 43	14 87
Tryon, P.E.I.	23 00	25 00		22 00	11 04	0 70	1 00	26 00		15 50	124 24	4 50	119 74

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TREASURER'S REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH—Continued.

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Union, P.E.I.....	\$17 00	\$91 98	\$3 44	\$12 22	\$0 60	\$1 01	\$1 00	\$127 25	\$127 25
Upper Kent, N.B.....	6 40	3 45	2 00	0 32	12 17	\$0 24	11 93
Vernon River, P.E.I.	20 00	....	....	7 00	19 00	0 50	1 00	....	....	....	47 50	7 00	40 50
Victoria, P.E.I.....	22 37	\$50 00	22 42	26 64	23 32	0 45	1 00	2 25	....	....	148 45	6 07	142 38
Waterville, N.B.....	7 55	....	....	6 11	....	0 20	0 30	....	....	....	14 16	1 03	13 13
West Cape, P.E.I.....	12 00	25 00	....	....	....	0 30	0 60	35 00	....	0 10	73 00	....	73 00
Williamstown, N.B.....	4 00	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4 00	....	4 00
Winsloe, P.E.I.....	14 00	....	9 90	4 10	7 86	0 20	1 00	4 80	....	....	41 86	5 80	36 06
Woodstock, N.B.....	24 70	25 00	55 17	47 33	1 45	0 45	1 35	11 05	....	....	166 50	0 50	166 00
York, P.E.I.....	16 00	....	19 64	....	7 27	0 50	0 60	11 45	....	....	55 46	0 95	54 51
Mt. Allison Mission Band	....	....	56 31	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	56 31	....	56 31
Old Ridge " "	....	....	4 00	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4 00	....	4 00
Upham " "	....	....	11 89	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11 89	....	11 89
Returned expenses of delegate to General Board ..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24 25	....	....	24 25	....	24 25
P.E.I. Convention coll. ...	....	....	....	13 92	....	....	....	....	....	....	13 92	....	13 92
Young Ladies' Sewing Circle, Sackville .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25 00	25 00	....	25 00
Miss A. Moore, Petitcodiac	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5 00	....	....	5 00	....	5 00
Children's parlor concert, Sackville .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4 30	4 30	....	4 30
Total	\$1357 94	\$275 00	\$1180 08	\$732 11	\$655 79	\$31 18	\$53 45	\$348 68	\$13 90	\$188 69	\$4836 82	\$140 11	\$4696 71

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REPORTS OF AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER.

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

NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. I. BRANCH.

ALBERT.

Our Auxiliary has passed a very unsuccessful year. Lately we have been sewing for the home at Chilliwhack, B.C., hoping thereby to work up the interest, and, if possible, send them a box before Christmas.

Pres., Mrs. W. B. Thomas ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Joseph Keiver ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. James Atkinson ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. Alder Trueman ; Treas., Mrs. R. C. Atkinson. Mesdames Geo. Stiles, Job Stiles, S. C. Murray, D. N. Baldwin, G. S. Turner ; Misses Hettie Stiles, Maud Thompson.

ALBERTON.

In spite of some hindrances we have much to encourage us this year. Our interest has increased. We are using "Associate Helpers' Cards." When a call came for aid for the Coqualeetza Home, our people responded warmly.

Pres., Mrs. Lawson ; V.-Pres., Miss Lavinia Muttart ; Rec. Sec., Miss E. Wilkinson ; Cor. Sec., Miss Maria Wisener ; Treas., Mrs. M. R. Leard. Mesdames T. Leard, R. Bell, M. Wisener, J. Wilkinson, G. Inman, T. Inman, G. Gard, J. L. Muttart, J. T. Weeks, Margaret Oliver, T. Clark, G. Clark ; Miss Eva Muttart.

BAIE VERTE.

The past year has had a measure of success which cannot be counted by dollars and cents.

Pres., Mrs. C. Fawcett ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Bedford Harper ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Prescott ; Rec. Sec., Miss Anna Wood ; Cor. Sec., Chipman Chappelle ; Treas., Miss Alice Wood. Mesdames H. Carey, Ed. Chappelle, Ed. Brownell, Albert Wells, Aubry Copp, Albert Copp, Joseph C. Harper, James Ivine, A. J. McLeod, Cyrus Goodwin, Stephen Goodwin, T. E. Wood ; Miss Maggie Goodwin.

BATHURST.

More interest in the work is being manifested which gives us hope for the coming year. We have thirty-nine mite-boxes in use, and we take ten *Outlooks*.

Pres., Mrs. Allen ; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Miller ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Kerr ; Cor. Sec., Miss V. Buttimer ; Treas., Miss J. Carter. Mesdames Thos. Smith, J. Miller, jun., J. Miller, sen., J. Eddy, G. Sutherland, Wm. Eddy, Wm. Kent, Jos. Kent, W. R. Payne, Richard Smith, Samuel Payne, Chas. Gosnell, John Getty, McMillan, J. McIntosh, Chas. Smith, H. Smith ; Misses Ida Kerr, Maria Branch, Emma Miller, DesBrisay, Baldwin, Allen.

BAYFIELD.

The amount raised this year is larger than any previous year, also represents more self-denial on the part of our members. We held an Easter service which was largely attended and highly appreciated.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) C. W. Hamilton; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Priestly Allen; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Fred. Crane; Rec. Sec., Miss Josephine Crane; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Frank Harper; Treas., Mrs. Richardson Trenholm. Mesdames A. W. Dobson, Richard Dobson, Harvey Trenholm, Jacob Allen, Will. Farquarson, Kezia Trenholm; Misses Annie Dobson, Della Dobson, Sarah Dobson.

BEDEQUE.

We are thankful to report an increase both in interest and finances. Two life-members have been added through the year, taking the place of two others transferred. All our monthly meetings have been characterized by a spirit of earnestness.

Pres., *Miss Kate Wright; V.-Pres., *Mrs. A. M. Wright; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Davison; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. E. Vickerson; Treas. Mrs. C. Wright. Mesdames *P. Callbeck, *Ann Wright, *J. Schurman, *Wm. Harrison, *Chas. Leard, J. M. Wright, Campbell, M. Black, A. T. Wright, J. N. Wright, Geo. Crosby, Chas. Crosby, J. A. Wright, J. Morris, J. Bowness, F. Davison, W. Newsom, Wm. Cook, A. Craig, Robbins, McCallum, F. Moyse, W. Ramsey, Chas. Wright, A. Hooper, N. Inman, R. McKay, W. Callbeck, S. Louthier, Ellen Vickerson, R. Craig, J. Picketts, A. Gay, Thomas Taylor, Muttart; Misses *Ada Inman, M. Black, E. Wadman, M. Leard, F. Leard, Eva Inman, S. McDonald, Lizzie Craig, A. Howatt, E. Black, L. Black, L. Wright, M. Wright, McKenzie, P. Inman, Irene Bell, M. Vickerson, M. Cook, Bell, Leard, Mary Crosby. Honorary member—*Mr. L. Muttart.

BERWICK.

Our Auxiliary was organized by Miss Palmer in 1891, with a membership of twenty, which has increased to twenty-five. We meet regularly at the homes of our members. Have had two public meetings and one entertainment during the year.

Pres., Mrs. E. J. Fenwick; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Asa Falkins; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Abram Kierstead; Rec. Sec., Miss Manda Kennedy; Cor. Sec., Miss Nellie Smith; Treas., Mrs. Wm. Sharp. Mesdames James McAfee, Geo. Dawson, Robt. Smith, Wm. Johnson, Daniel Northrup, Ivan Wright, H. P. Chapman, Joseph Chapman, David Law, James Fenwick, James Smith; Misses Lelia Sharp, Annie Kennedy, Julia Chapman, Ella Falkins, Bertie Falkins, Letty Falkins, Maud Fenwick, Susie Falkins.

BIDEFORD.

Our Society was organized by Mrs. (Dr.) Johnson in 1891. The members are scattered, and we cannot always meet, but the interest is good, and to ourselves the meetings are a blessing.

Pres., Mrs. S. Cannon; V.-Pres., Mrs. A. D. England; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Williams; Cor. Sec., Minnie Hayes; Treas., Mrs. Woolridge. Mesdames J. Cannon, I. McKinnon, T. Phillips, J. Dystant, Wm. Ellis, A. Phillips, R. W. Clements.

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BLOOMFIELD.

We have had a fairly good attendance at our meetings, and they have been marked by earnest efforts, on the part of those present, to interest others in this great work.

Pres., Mrs. George Nye ; V.-Pres., Mrs. T. D. Stokoe ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. M. Jewett ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. T. Alterton ; Treas., Mrs. A. Strong. Mesdames R. Fleming, M. Fleming, S. Wolhaupter, W. Williamson, S. E. Briggs ; Miss Lyddia Briggs.

BRISTOL.

This Auxiliary was organized by Mrs. Harper in May, 1892. Our meetings have been well attended and all seem to take an interest in the work.

Pres., Mrs. Charles Avard ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Charles Siddall ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Avard ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Woodford Purdy ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Avard, jun. ; Cor. Sec., Miss Josephine Avard ; Treas., Mrs. Fannie Carter. Mesdames Dobson, Adam Copp, James Cadman ; Misses Margie Avard, Martha Avard, Celia Copp.

CAMPBELLTON.

Our Auxiliary is still struggling along, and to the few faithful ones our meetings are interesting and profitable. We have two Scattered Helpers.

Pres., Miss M. W. Doherty ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Parker ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. Keith ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. Connacher ; Treas., Miss Janie Thompson. Mesdames James Sharp, Appleton, McKay, R. Keith, I. McMillan, Elliott, A. K. Thompson, H. Miller ; Misses S. J. Doherty, McKendrick, J. Dickie, McNeil.

CARSONVILLE.

Our Auxiliary has held profitable and interesting meetings. Several members have removed and one has been called home. In August we held a special meeting with some of the members who, on account of the distance, find it inconvenient to meet with us.

Pres., Miss Lizzie E. Gaunce ; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Maggie J. Leiper ; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Lizzie F. Leiper ; Rec. Sec., Miss Lily L. Sharpe ; Cor. Sec., Miss Maggie A. McLeod ; Treas., Miss Nettie S. Parlee. Mesdames John Leiper, Philip Leiper, Isaac Gaunce, Tilley Gaunce, John Scofield, William Northrup, David Sharpe, George Cook, Lewis Frazee, Wm. Armstrong, Peter Grigg, Allen Scofield ; Misses Merilla Wright, Harriet Cook, Susie McMillan.

CAVERHILL.

We feel quite jubilant over the increase in our contributions this year. Our meetings are often small, but the number of our praying-women increases.

Pres., Mrs. R. Glen ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Caverhill, sen. ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Caverhill, jun. ; Rec. Sec., Miss Agnes Glen ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. B. Hallett ; Treas., Mrs. G. Oliver. Mesdames H. Prescott, T. Caverhill, R. Miller, M. Hoyt ; Misses Millie Miller, Estella Clark, Lily Clark, Annie Clark, Mary Caverhill, Annie Caverhill, Jessie Glen.

CENTREVILLE.

At our February meeting we invited the neighboring Auxiliaries to meet with us. A goodly number attended and we spent the afternoon in an interesting and profitable way.

Pres., Mrs. S. Howard ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Getchell ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Robert Reid ; Cor. Sec., Miss Frances Page ; Treas., Mrs. P. G. Smith. Mesdames A. C. Gibson, James Page, George Reid, Geo. McClintock, Scholey, Kermott, Gregory, Grey ; Misses Julia Johnson, Annie Taylor, Alva Grey.

CHARLOTTETOWN.

Our interest in the work as a Society is, we think, steadily on the increase and we are pleased to note a greater and more general knowledge of our Missions among the ladies of our Church.

Pres., *Mrs. R. Johnson; 1st V.-Pres, Mrs. (Dr.) Beer; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. F. S. Moore; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Cooke; Rec. Sec., Mrs. F. Beer; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Beer; Treas., Mrs. L. Poole. Mesdames Brooks, B. Balderston, Lewis, Heard, C. C. Gardiner, Jost, F. Le Page, Drake, Drew, Cooke, Gidley, Newson, Hoskins, Weldon, Waylewood, M. Wright, Philip Large, F. Smallwood, Trenaman, W. Miller, John McLeod, Paton, A. White, Frank Beer, C. J. Patton, Ostrander, Wm. Boyle, Sellers; Misses Doull, M. Doull, McDonald, *Le Page, Jarvis, F. Ellis, B. Ellis, Baker, May Dawson, Annie Beer, M. White, Maria Moore, *A. Johnson, *M. Johnson, *R. Heartz, *Oxenham; Messrs. *Ralph Brecken, *John Beer, *Mills, *G. R. Beer.

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Pres., *Mrs. (Rev.) Hamilton; V.-Pres., Mrs. Thos. Pickard; Rec. Sec., Mrs. L. E. Prowse; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. Cox; Treas., Miss Mary Ashley. Mesdames A. Down, Rattenbury, Peardon, J. Cooke, A. Duchemin, Fairclough, Mallory, Chandler, Duncan, Pearson, A. Ritchie, Howard; Misses Duchemin, Roper.

CHERRY VALLEY.

We thankfully report advancement, both in interest and finances.

Pres., Mrs. Benjamin Mutch; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Jenkins; Rec. Sec., Miss C. Macleod; Cor. Sec., Miss Mary Hayden; Treas., Miss Sarah McRae. Mesdames Robt. Ings, James Irving, John Hayden, Frank Mutch, Geo. Jenkins; Misses C. Docherty, Sarah Docherty, Sarah Irving, Annie Tweedy, Maria Cavanagh.

CORNWALL.

The faithfulness of those who regularly attend the monthly meetings, who seek to make them interesting, and endeavor to obtain new members, leads us to believe that we shall be blessed and made a blessing.

Pres., *Mrs. E. C. Turner; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. John Mayhew; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Henry Hyde; Rec. Sec., Miss Lavinia Howard; Cor. Sec., Miss Hannah Crosby; Treas., Miss Lillie Hyde. Mesdames Zechariah Mayhew, Samuel Hyde, James Howard, sen., James Howard, jun., Golding Howard, Samuel Howard, Michael Boyle, Robert Boyle, James Macmillan, Donald Murchison, Enoch Drake, Samuel Frizzell, John Howard; Misses Margaret Nelson, Fanny Boyle, Eliza Mayhew, Mary J. Stone, Anna Kellow, Mary E. Crosby, Maggie Boyle, Charlotte Howard, Bertie M. Hyde, Lizzie Crosby.

DORCHESTER.

Our Auxiliary has met regularly every month. We have had one missionary social. The meetings have been a blessing to us, and much information in reference to mission work has been obtained.

Pres., Mrs. Baker; V.-Pres., Mrs. Black; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Burk; Cor. Sec., Mrs. M. R. Dobson; Treas., Mrs. Tingley. Mesdames Wm. Dobson, Wm. Weldon, J. R. Taylor; Misses Cassie Scurr, Nellie Harris, Mary Black.

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FREDERICTON.

We report a good attendance at the monthly meetings which our President has endeavored to make interesting, as well as profitable, by previously arranging for the reading of original papers and leaflets bearing upon the topics for the month.

Pres., Mrs. G. A. Cliff; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. R. Weddall; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. F. Thompson; Rec. Sec., *Miss Smithson; Cor. Sec., Miss C. H. Puley; Treas., Miss E. L. Thorne. Mesdames Logan, Schleyer, Burkhardt, G. E. Coulthard, H. T. Bridges, Sampson, G. Hatt, Grant, Currier, D. L. Babbitt, R. Wiley, J. R. Inch, D. Hatt, C. Fisher, R. Davies, W. Lemont, M. Akerley, M. Lemont, McCatherine, Cowperthwaite, Payson, J. Thompson, Porter, B. Coulthard, Sheals, Coburn, W. Fowler, F. Risteen, A. G. Edgecombe, A. W. Edgecombe; Misses Barker, Kilburn, M. E. Smith, McCauseland, Palmer.

GAGETOWN

Auxiliary still progressing; membership increasing; attendance fair. A greater interest is manifested by the members than ever before.

Pres., Mrs. A. S. Corey; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Ida Babbitt; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss M. E. Simpson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. E. McFarlane; Cor. Sec., Miss L. Simpson; Treas., Mrs. Wm. P. Simpson. Mesdames J. Gaunce, Barnett, J. W. Dickie, Forbes, James F. Weston, Wm. Allingham, T. Williams, Gorham; Misses Jennie Simpson, Ida Simpson, Abbie Coy, Susie Brooks, Ella Simpson, Bertie Purvis, Sarah McFarland, Kate Palmer, Amelia Burpee, Nettie Burpee, V. Short, Nellie Reid, Nelson, Beacum.

GIBSON.

Notwithstanding all hindrances, we have been more prosperous than in former years. Our monthly meetings have been regularly held, and very well attended.

Pres., Mrs. Geo Byram; V.-Pres., Mrs L. Davidson; Rec. Sec., Miss Maud Kyle; Cor. Sec., Miss Laura Fradsham; Treas., Miss Julia Howie. Mesdames Jas. Simmons, D. Burpee, H. Fradsham, J. S. Phinney; Misses Bessie Burpee, Bessie Phinney, Laura Johnstone, Tryphie Phinney, Allie Phinney, Nellie Simmons.

HAMPTON.

Pres., Mrs. Philip Palmer; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Tweedy; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Bartlett; Rec. Sec., Miss M. Carrie Hagarty; Cor Sec., Miss Beatrice E. Duke; Treas., Miss E. A. Duke. Mesdames *C. H. Paisley, E. L. Whittaker, Ernest Whittaker, W. J. Flewwelling, S. W. Sprague, G. H. Barnes, J. Prichard; Misses Ada Brown, *Grace A. Paisley.

HARTLAND.

We organized a little Sewing Circle for the children, and their tuition fees go toward buying the necessary articles for the quilt which they are making.

Pres., Mrs. Carr; V.-Pres., Mrs. Beavisto; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Miss E. D. Matheson; Treas., Mrs. Keswick. Mesdames Matheson, Nevers, Henderson.

HIGHFIELD.

We are glad to report progress. We have an increase in membership. One public and eleven monthly meetings have been held.

Pres., Mrs. George Essory; Rec. Sec., Miss Charlotte Howard; Cor. Sec., Miss Esther Johnson; Treas., Miss Louisa Seller. Mesdames Cousins, S. Pierce, R. Good, W. Chowen; Misses Alice Howard, Louisa Howard; Mary Ann Essory, Katie McKinnon, May Stockman, Alice Johnson, Minnie Stockman, Mattie Chowen.

HARCOURT.

The members are more interested in the work than formerly, and we have pleasant and profitable meetings.

Pres., Mrs. F. A. Wightman; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. H. Atkinson; Rec. Sec., Miss A. J. Atkinson; Cor. Sec., Miss Trinda Wathen; Treas., Mrs. I. B. Humphrey. Mesdames John Atkinson, L. J. Wathen, Hetherington, Thos. McWilliams, G. H. Morton, Thos. Ward, E. Warman, David Austin, C. A. Atkinson; Misses Laurinda Hetherington, Annie Hutchinson, Marion Wathen, Susan Atkinson.

JOLICURE.

We very much regret having to report the death of our Vice-President, Mrs. Josiah Pingley. We have some very earnest workers, and our meetings are very well attended.

Pres., Mrs. G. Avar; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Tingley; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. F. Avar; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Oulton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. B. Oulton; Treas., Mrs. B. Bowser. Mesdames R. Oulton, A. Dobson, J. Oulton, J. From, N. Ogden; Miss A. Dobson.

JACKSONVILLE.

The first year of our work has been, I think, a successful one. We have held the meetings regularly, and they have been as a general thing very well attended.

Pres., Mrs. A. Wiley; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Payson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Good; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Comben; Cor. Sec., Miss Mary Comben; Treas., Mrs. Jas. Simonson. Mesdames J. F. Harper, Chas. Plummer, Chas. Wiley Jno. Harper, Herbert Harper; Misses Bessie Harper, Maggie Holmes, Georgie Good, Emma Simonson, Rachel Simonson, Annie Good.

UPPER KENT.

Our members are prompt in attendance at the meetings, and we come away blessed and strengthened.

Pres., Mrs. G. A. Seller; V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Miles; Rec. Sec., Miss M. Tacy; Cor. Sec., Miss M. Penna; Treas., Mrs. A. Hawthorne. Mesdames B. Rideout, G. Hawthorne, Alex. Hawthorne; Misses Fletcher, M. Bovyer.

KENSINGTON.

Although we do not increase in numbers, our funds are larger than ever before.

Pres., Mrs. Arthur Gay; V.-Pres., Mrs. H. Hopgood; Rec. Sec., Miss E. Webster; Cor. Sec., Miss G. Webster; Treas., Mrs. D. Dorrach. Mesdames G. W. Bently, J. Webster, J. Noonan, E. J. Wright, J. Essery, J. West, R. Whitehead, E. Proctor; Misses M. Webster, L. Harrison.

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KESWICK.

We held a successful public meeting in December. We wish to express our thanks to the sisters who sent us so many papers and encouraging letters.

Pres., Mrs. Alex. Colter, jun.; V.-Pres., Mrs. N. Inch; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. S. Burt; Cor. Sec., Miss Carrie E. Burt; Treas., Mrs. Frank Bird. Mesdames Miles White, Alva White, Geo. E. Capen, Alex. Colter, W. E. Johnson, Moses Fowler, Albion Burt; Misses Helen Colter, Janie Colter.

KILBURN.

We have all felt benefited by intercourse with each other, in our monthly meetings, and thank God that the missionary spirit is being aroused.

Pres., Mrs. B. Kilburn; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jas. Stewart; Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. W. Caughey; Cor. Sec., Miss Ida Kilburn; Treas., Mrs. E. L. Dougherty. Mesdames Moses Grant, John Jackson, Ray Dougherty; Misses Jennie Dougherty, Ida M. Kilburn.

LAKEVILLE.

Our Society has one more member this year than last, seven being the number at present. We are hoping and praying that our number may be increased.

Pres., Mrs. A. H. Hume; V.-Pres., Miss I. F. Lindsay; Rec. Sec., Miss A. P. Comben; Cor. Sec. and Treas., Mrs. G. R. Smith. Mesdames I. S. Carvell, (Dr.) R. McCrea, A. B. Carvell.

YORK.

Pres., Mrs. Wm. Large; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Deacon; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Holman; Rec. Sec., Miss Fliza A. Vessey; Cor. Sec., Miss Emily Ayers; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Spargo. Mesdames Amos West, J. Crockett, Geo. Crockett, A. Brown, E. Duck, H. Lewis; Misses Passmore, E. Large, Maud Vessey, Rebecca Brown.

LORNVILLE.

Our Auxiliary was organized by Mrs. B. Harper last April. We hold regular monthly meetings, and are increasing in membership.

Pres., Mrs. George Brundige; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Willie Embree; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Jennie Oxley; Rec. Sec., Miss Martha Brundige; Cor. Sec., Miss Bessie Goodwin; Treas., Mrs. Stephen Oxley. Mesdames Joseph Goodwin, W. W. McLaughlin, George R. Copp; Misses Carrie Goodwin, Hattie Baxter, Annie Baxter.

MARGATE.

Our funds are in advance of last year, notwithstanding some drawbacks. We are pleased to say that our Woman's Society is a grand institution in our church, especially among the young people.

Pres., Mrs. Thos. Hicks; V.-Pres., Mrs. Geo. Johnson; Rec. Sec., Miss Julia Tuplin; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Frank Glydon; Treas., Miss Hattie Tuplin. Mesdames Samuel Woodside, Mary Tuplin, Andrew Woodside, Thos. Pickering, H. R. Baker, Thos. Tuplin, John Woodside, Geo. Glover, W. R. Dennis; Misses Mina Tuplin, Chanty Underhill, Bertha Tuplin, Amanda Dennis, Lida Mayhew, Annie Sharpe.

MONCTON, CENTRAL.

Although as an Auxiliary we stand numerically and financially lower than last year, yet we rejoice because our loss has been a gain to the cause. Once more we in Moncton possess two Auxiliaries instead of one, and those who went out from us have drawn to themselves talented members who previously stood aloof from the work.

Pres., Mrs. Mitchell ; V.-Pres., Mrs., Palmer ; Rec. Sec., Miss Humphrey ; Cor. Sec., Miss Ryan ; Treas., Mrs. Robinson. Mesdames Atkinson, Fred. Atkinson, Bartlett, Boyd, Brown G. O. Forbes, Faulkner, J. Humphrey, L. Humphrey, Hunter, Irving, Jarvis, Kay, Lew, Lockhart, MacEwan, McClatchy, Moor, Mitchell, Macpherson, O'Neill, Pittman, W. C. Robinson, A. L. Robinson ; Misses Henningar, Humphrey, Lockhart.

MONCTON, WESLEY CHURCH (MEMORIAL).

Our society has only been organized one quarter. Our monthly meetings have been fairly well attended. Our public meetings have been well attended and collections good.

Pres., Mrs. H. Atkinson ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. S. Rayworth ; Cor. Sec., Miss Mary E. Fawcett ; Treas., Mrs. Gorbell. Mesdames D. Stephenson, H. Williams, T. Lands, A. Mitchell, N. Rand, F. Curran, Fleetwood, H. Brown, Walker ; Misses L. Fawcett, Ella Kinread, Maude Dienstag.

MONTAGUE.

Our monthly meetings have been fairly well attended, and we have held one public meeting.

Pres., Mrs. R. W. Sprague ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Alex. Alley ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Mellish ; Rec. Sec., Miss Bessie Moore ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. D. A. Martin ; Treas., Mrs. R. Opin. Mesdames H. Nelson, S. McDonald, Campbell, Smith, Bulpitt, Cyrus Moore.

LOWER MONTAGUE.

We still hold regular monthly meetings, and although our numbers are very small, yet we trust God will bless what we are doing for Him.

Pres., Mrs. D. Stewart ; V.-Pres., Miss Sickles ; Rec. Sec., Miss Mabel Poole ; Cor. Sec., Miss Tillie Poole ; Treas., Miss Arabella Robertson. Mesdames B. Aitken, Richardson, Reynolds, J. Young.

MOUNT HERBERT.

Our Auxiliary has suffered sad reverses since the incoming of the year, but those who are left are still holding the fort, and looking forward hopefully for better things through the blessing of God.

Pres., Mrs. A. Mutch ; V.-Pres., Mrs. H. Farquharson ; Rec. Sec., Miss E. J. Boyyer ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Oliver Mason ; Treas., Mrs. David Mutch. Mesdames W. Ferguson, R. Jones, R. Boyyer, H. Mutch, G. Mason, J. C. Sprague, S. D. Anderson, F. Smallwood ; Misses A. Farquharson, E. Boyyer.

MURRAY HARBOR SOUTH.

Since organization we have increased steadily. The regular monthly meetings have been fairly well attended. One very successful public meeting, and one social.

Pres., Mrs. Silas James ; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. R. Prowse ; Rec. Sec., Miss Laura Roberts ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. H. Prowse ; Treas., Mrs. John T. Hugh. Mesdames C. T. Brehant, Geo. Brehant, J. H. Brooks, D. Machon, J. Roberts, S. Prowse, A. P. Prowse, S. Machon, I. Giddings, Chas. Le Lacheur, B. Le Lacheur, W. Beck, Vere Penny, Thomas Beck, Albert Clements, W. Machon, W. Harris, John Hanley, Benjamin Herring, W. Howe, F. Reynolds, M. Ferguson, M. Sencabaugh, John Nichole, C. Machon, Thomas Davey, John Hawkins, Jas. Le Lacheur, Vere White ; Misses Mary McKenzie, Belinda Brooks, Katie A. Hugh, Maggie Sencabaugh, Eva Brehant, Charlotte Hawkins, Maggie J. Le Lacheur, Lavinia Bears.

PASSEKEAG.

We are still in existence. Have six members. Amount of money raised, \$5.50.

Pres., Mrs. Dunlop; V.-Pres., Mrs. Crockett; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wetmore; Cor. Sec., Miss A. J. Matthews; Treas., Miss Pamela Dunlop.

POINT DE BUTE.

Our Auxiliary has met regularly each month and we have had a better attendance and greater interest. Our increase of funds is largely owing to our energetic Band. We had two public meetings.

Pres., Mrs. A. Snowdon; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. L. Carter; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. B. Trueman; Rec. Sec., Mrs. R. Carter; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. F. McCready; Treas., Mrs. D. Fullerton. Mesdames A. C. Carter, E. Wells, Pickles, Dixon, R. Carter, L. Carter, B. Trueman, McCready, H. Trueman, Fullerton, Finley, Snowdon, Colpits, J. Trueman, Amos Trueman, McQueen, Emery, W. Erving, Cyrus Black; Misses Eliza Dixon, Nellie Carter, A. R. Trueman, Ida Trenholm.

POWNALE.

We held eleven monthly meetings; have one Scattered Helper. We have three mite-boxes and expect to have more next year, so as to have a mite-box opening. Sometimes all take part in sentence prayers.

Pres., Mrs. Sarah Jones; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. George Drake; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Samuel Noy; Rec. Sec., Mrs. S. F. Drake; Cor. Sec., Miss E. A. Drake; Treas., Mrs. Daniel Wood. Mesdames G. W. Fisher, Howard Gay, James Sentiner, James Carver, James Robertson, John Wood, John Stewart, Samuel Lane, James McRae, Wm. Carver, Nicholas Jenkins, Mary Wood, N. Ballum; Misses Joyce Lane, Lizzie McRae, Mary McRae, M. J. McLeod, Katie Docherty, Elsie Haggart, Maria Cavanagh.

PORT ELGIN.

We do not feel very greatly encouraged with our work for the year past, but are fully determined to labor on in the Master's strength, and trust to Him for success, knowing that He has promised to give strength to the weak.

Pres., Mrs. Bowden Atkinson; V.-Pres., Mrs. Amos Ward; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wm. McLeod; Treas., Mrs. W. W. Wells. Mesdames A. Richardson, M. Shipley, T. Smith; Miss Jessie Jones.

RICHMOND.

We have had a prosperous year. Our monthly meetings are profitable, and the interest in the work deepens.

Pres., Miss Mary Flemming; V.-Pres., Mrs. C. W. Dickenson; Rec. Sec., Miss A. Maud Harron; Cor. Sec., Miss B. May Harron; Treas., Miss Eva J. Kezer. Mesdames J. K. Flemming, Alex. Carson, J. H. Craig, A. Kirkpatrick, J. Carson, A. Harron, W. V. Benn, A. H. Kirkpatrick, W. Kirkpatrick, J. W. Benn, J. Sanderson, W. H. Kirkpatrick, Robert Kirkpatrick, *S. Howard; Misses Effie Kirkpatrick, A. Harron.

SACKVILLE.

We have held two united meetings with Upper Sackville, and found them of much benefit. We joined the Reading Circle, but were unable to do as much as desired.

Pres., Mrs. Humphrey; 1st V.-Pres., *Mrs. Brecken; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Harrison; Rec. Sec., Miss Annie Trueman; Cor. Sec., Miss Hattie Stewart; Treas., *Mrs. J. Wood. Mesdames Borden, Wm. Ogden, F. W. Harrison, F. Trueman, Geo. Bowser, Chas. Scott, Amos Ogden, Pickard Trueman, J. W. Doull, C. Stewart, Wm. Harrison, John Harris, Edward Trueman, Archibald, M. Cole, H. Powell, J. L. Black, Edward Ogden, Fred. Dixon, R. A. Trueman, Albert Bulmer, W. W. Andrews, McCord, Hunton, T. Pickard, C. Pickard, C. W. Harrison, *David Allison. *Fairley, Cogswell; Misses Pickard, Stewart, Shenton, Vroom, Alcorn, Annie Bowser.

UPPER SACKVILLE.

We have held twelve meetings during the year.

Pres., Mrs. J. Wheaton; V.-Pres., Mrs. Chappell Fawcett; Rec. Sec., Miss Emma George; Cor. Sec., Miss Nettie Fawcett; Treas., Miss Agnes Dicks. Mesdames John Fawcett, George Fawcett, Guilford Dicks, Neil McLaughlin, W. Fawcett; Misses Jennie Fawcett, Agnes Fawcett, Cliffie Dobson, Annie Teakles.

ST. JOHN, CENTENARY.

We are glad to report an increase in our funds. In March, Mrs. Barratt, widow of Rev. G. M. Barratt, was presented by the Society with a certificate of life-membership, in recognition of long and faithful service in the Church.

Pres., Mrs. C. E. McMichael; V.-Pres., Mrs. Sprague; Rec. Sec., Miss S. E. Smith; Treas., Miss H. A. Prichard. Mesdames A. H. Eaton, A. C. A. Salter, J. Daniel, T. D. Henderson, Hiram White, Dixon Trueman, Ennis, H. Holland, J. March, Wm. Hayward, Joseph Clark, W. G. Smith, Albert Hay, *Barratt, Narraway, Watson Allan, Perkins, McCallum, Henry Thorne, sen., E. B. McLaughlin, Geo. Jenkins, Law, John Hea, Geo. McKay, J. E. Whittaker, F. S. Whittaker, J. Mitchell, I. C. Bowman, E. T. C. Knowles, Pitfield, Morton Smith, W. A. Lockhart, D. J. Brown, Kenny, Sancton, John Sealy, Fred. Blizard, Geo. Henderson, H. J. Thorne, jun., *D. J. McLaughlin, *Henry Austin, *C. A. Palmer, C. S. Harding, John Lawrence, Stephen King, George King; Misses *S. Eaton, Emma Whittaker, Annie Ennis, Mary Smith, Barratt, Weldon, Fannie Henderson, Lila White, Narraway, Bartlett, Ella White, Gardner, Elliott, Annie Hea, Yerxa, Emma Sullivan, Herrington, F. Horton, Annie Godsoe, McCordock, Jane Lockhart, Pope, Kate Turner, Alice Turner, McKillop, *Palmer.

ST. JOHN, EXMOUTH STREET.

We have had a trying year, but hope for better things next year. Death has taken one of our most earnest members.

Pres., *Mrs. B. R. Lawrence; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Magee; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. G. M. Campbell; Rec. Sec., Miss Lizzie Thomas; Cor. Sec., Miss Maggie J. Cochran; Treas., Mrs. J. Hopkins. Mesdames McKeown, Lindsay, Kingston, S. Kain, W. G. Salmon, H. P. Sandall, T. Prince, G. Foster, Vail, Hannah, Racine, W. Magee, Moore, Albin, G. Calhoun, Joseph Likely, Amos, H. Cruickshank, Youngclaus, J. K. Hamm, A. Myles, W. Watson, W. Paterson, Welsford; Misses A. Myles, S. Cochran, L. Collins, Berrie, E. Paterson, M. Clarke, J. Dawson, Likely.

ST. JOHN, PORTLAND.

We gratefully acknowledge the kindness of our church choir in giving us the proceeds of a concert. In connection with our loan library, we have formed a reading circle, which has been very helpful to our work in every way. Among the work done was the distribution of "Scattered Helpers" cards.

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ST. JOHN, QUEEN SQUARE.

In almost every meeting we have had letters read from Miss Robertson, our missionary in Japan. We had monthly prayer-meetings during the winter which were well attended and proved a source of income.

Pres., Mrs. J. Shenton ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Thos. Bullock ; Rec. Sec., Miss Hanson ; Cor. Sec., Miss Jennie Shenton ; Treas., Mrs. Spenser. Mesdames Stoerger, Lauckner, Woodburn, Rutledge, Mitchell, B. Potts, Sheffield, Hargreaves, Thompson, Quinton, Belyea, C. Robertson, Thomas, Vanwart, E. M. Robertson, McLean, Butcher, Stewart, J. W. Smith, Whetzel, J. Bullock, McAlpine, Wm. Porter, J. Porter, Warwick, Gilmour, Lowe, Allen, Holder ; Misses *B. Thompson, C. L. Barlow, Trueman, Rankine, Gunn, Woodburn, Pratt, Barlow. Haggarty, McAlpine, Bell, Wilson, Ada Thompson, A. Trueman, F. Thomas, Cleaveland.

SEARLETOWN.

We are sorry to report the death of two members this year. As an Auxiliary, may we be a holy consecrated people.

Pres., Mrs. D. T. Lowther ; V.-Pres., Mrs. A. S. Wright ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. A. Wright ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. L. Trueman ; Treas., Mrs. A. Black. Mesdames S. H. Trueman, S. R. Black, D. S. Wright, Lewis Wright, J. R. Wright, J. S. Atkinson, Lewis Leard, Prince Leard, *Geo. Muttart, David Lowther, Chris. Lowther, George Wright, W. Lowther, T. Myers, J. Webster, I. Lowther. Misses F. Trueman, Nina Lowther, Bell Leard, Annie Leard, E. Huestis, Kate Burns.

SHEDIAC.

Owing to absence of our Secretary, we are unable to send report.

Pres., Mrs. Bliss Smith ; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. C. Tait ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. H. Lodge ; Treas., Miss Winnie Harper. Mrs. Deacon ; Misses Mary Moore, P. C. Bourgeois, Stewart.

SHEFFIELD.

Last winter we held three "At Homes" at the houses of our members, by which we added something to our funds. Our members are the same as last year.

Pres., Mrs. C. B. Barker ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. C. W. Barker ; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Edith Venning ; Rec. Sec., Miss M. E. Harrison ; Cor. Sec., C. L. Barker ; Treas., Mrs. Thomas Taylor. Mesdames Isaac Howie, M. C. Harrison, W. E. Taylor, William Harrison ; Misses L. M. Taylor, Minnie Taylor, Daisy Beatty, Jessie Howie, Annie Cambridge.

ST. STEPHEN.

We feel that the increase in funds this year is not due to special effort, but to a deeper missionary spirit among our people. The mite-boxes show a larger recognition of mercies received.

Pres., Mrs. H. E. Hill; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Penna; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Deinstadt; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. J. D. Chipman; Treas., Miss Hardy. Mesdames D. F. Maxwell, A. Murchie, Z. Chipman, S. Webber, A. L. Teed, T. C. Stevenson, Wm. Robinson, Carson, Cochrane, T. M. Boyd, G. S. Wall, Hardy, Nicholson, Mabee, Holt, Beek, T. Murray, Price, Acheson, Fraser, J. Smith, Hartford, E. G. Vroom, Black, J. A. Boyd, T. R. Mitchell. McFarlane, J. Murchie, McClusky, W. Grimmer, G. Clarke, S. Robinson, A. Friend, Bridges, Jas. Wilson, F. Ross, Ira Wood, E. Payson; Misses K. Grant, B. Taylor, A. Veazey, Thomson, Markee, Milberry, M. Cochrane, J. Hill, C. Chipman, *Jennie Stevenson, M. Stevenson, McKenzie, J. Lynn, Elsie McKinney, Noden, Hutchison, Colter.

SUMMERSIDE.

Although there is a lack of interest in the work, we are glad to report an increase of funds.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Maggs; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Costain; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. McKay; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Thos. Frizzel; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Elisha Wright; Treas., Miss Helen Massey. Mesdames Secord, Flood, K. E. Sobey, A. P. Mills, S. Silliphant, C. B. McNeil, J. Goss, F. W. Strong, Whoper, S. Allen, Crew, Wilson, Whittaker, L. Morris, Dyindstadt, D. A. Sharp, J. Lake, G. Gardiner; Misses Jessie Strong, Monkley, McNeil, Dobson, Baby Schurman, Louisa Huestis, Ida Baker, Carrie Dobson.

TAY.

Tay Auxiliary has held eight regular meetings during the year, and one public.

Pres., Mrs. Wm. McBean; V.-Pres., Mrs. Urquhart; Rec. Sec, Mrs. Wm. Munroe; Cor. Sec., Miss Louisa M. Young; Treas., Miss Eva McBean. Mesdames Munroe, sen., Solomon Young, W. S. Young, G. E. McNabb, T. L. Williams.

TRYON.

We have great cause for thankfulness by reason of increased spirituality, membership and funds.

Pres., Miss Annie Alexander; V.-Pres., Mrs. L. T. Lea; Rec. Sec., Miss Lizzie Leard; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. S. E. Reid; Treas., Miss Lizzie Dawson. Mesdames *Wm. Lea, sen., *A. R. Lewis, *A. D. Callbeck, J. K. King, Alder Callbeck, Robert Leard, Angus McDonald, George Ives, John Howatt, Joseph Callbeck, Ben. Profit, Donald Bell, Job Inman, John B. Wood, Geo. A. Howatt, Herbert Lord; Misses Libbie Clarke, Mary Cameron, Ida Ives, Annie Leard, Dora Lord, Blanche Lord, *Mary Howatt.

UNION ROAD.

The interest has somewhat increased, and we look forward to better things in the future.

Pres., *Mrs. James Essery; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jackson; Rec. Sec., Miss Harrison; Treas., Mrs. T. Ayers, Mesdames C. Bryenton, W. Mellett, M. Essery, Clements, Yeo, G. Bryenton, W. Gill, Geo. Jackson; Misses M. J. Yeo, Lizzie Mellett, Hoolman, Ayers, Emma Essery. Honorary member—Mr. James Essery.

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VERNON RIVER.

We are glad to report a successful year financially.

Pres., Mrs. Jas. Weatherbie ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Thomas Furness ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. W. Dutcher ; Cor. Sec., Miss Bessie Weatherbie ; Treas., Miss Minnie Van Iderstine. Mesdames Rueben Masters, John F. Hayden, Thomas Tweedy, James Hayden, Charles Hayden, David Irving, James L. Hayden, Henry Huntl George Vickerson, George Gay, John Van Iderstine, Andrew Van Iderstine ; Misses Lasina McKenzie, Pensay Tweedy, Ada Musich.

VICTORIA.

The end of our third year finds us with interest steadily increasing. At our last meeting we were encouraged by receiving two life-membership fees. Two successful public meetings and a public mite-box opening have been held.

Pres., Mrs. T. H. Smith ; V.-Pres., Mrs. E. Boswell ; Rec. Sec., Miss Bertie Lea ; Cor. Sec., *Miss Bertie E. Wigginton ; Treas., Miss Gracie Brien. Mesdames *N. R. Wright, John Bentley, James Wright, Henry Wadman, Nelson Sturdy, George Clarke, E. Holbrook, G. Smith, C. Louther, Cameron, Roblee, T. Snow, James Inman, M. Smith, Wesley Calbec, O. B. Wadman ; Misses Ella Wright, Winnie Lea, Jessie Clarke, Edith Stright, Sophia Leard, Bessie Holmes, Clemmie Johnstone, Emma Wigginton (\$2).

WATERVILLE.

Never has a month gone by without one Auxiliary meeting, and we feel the time spent there is beneficial to all who attend.

Pres., Mrs. John Plummer ; V.-Pres., Mrs. M. Gardiner ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. E. A. Plummer ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. Fred. Jewett ; Treas., Miss Mary Simonson. Mesdames J. T. Fletcher, A. Kay, C. L. Tilly, Wm. Esty, H. Kearney, Byron Kimball, C. A. Simonson. Honorary member—Rev. B. Howard.

WEST CAPE.

We expect to begin the year with new members, and some enlisted as "Scattered Helpers." We feel that God has blessed our efforts for His cause to our own souls.

Pres., Mrs. A. Murray ; V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Bell ; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. J. F. Stewart ; Treas., Miss A. Metherall. Mesdames E. Crossman, L. Crossman, S. Lidstone, W. McDowell, Jos. Brooks, J. Durdon, Jas. Elder ; Miss Minnie Murray.

NORTH WILTSHIRE.

Pres., Mrs. T. Godfrey ; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Edwards ; Rec. Sec., Miss B. Clark ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. F. Younker ; Treas., Mrs. J. Balderston. Mesdames G. D. Balderston, W. Bowman, C. Godfrey ; Misses A. Easter, A. Godfrey, J. Henderson.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Although few in number, we are determined to go on and hope for better things. Our meetings are held regularly each month, with sometimes only two present, but at our last meeting we added three new members, which greatly encouraged us.

Pres., Mrs. Jos. Emery ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jas. Anderson ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. John McEgan ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Laura Reidout ; Treas., Miss Maggie McEgan. Mesdames Mrs. S. Caughey, T. Emery, Johnston Emery, Charles Pryor, Lindow Graves.

WINSLOE.

Pres., Mrs. C. Bryanton ; V.-Pres., H. J. Kirby ; Rec. Sec., I. Essery ; Cor. Sec., Miss Lilla Bryanton ; Treas., Mrs. C. Bryanton. Mesdames G. Peardon, L. Holman, R. Locke, L. Saunders, John Holmans, George Diamond, Hector McSwain ; Misses S. Holman, Annie Bryanton. Honorary member—Rev. M. J. Kirby.

WOODSTOCK.

While we report progress, we recognize the fact that much is due to the untiring zeal and devotion of our worthy President. Glad to report the addition of one life-member, also increase in finances. Our Mission Band is doing a noble work.

Pres., Mrs. James T. Smith ; V.-Pres., Mrs. John Fisher ; Rec. Sec., Miss Ella Smith ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. B. Jones ; Mrs. B. B. Manger. Mesdames J. T. Allan, Jas. Watts, Wm. Trewin, W. L. Alterton, Joseph Parle, (Dr.) Sprague, W. J. Nicholson, G. H. Connell, John Fisher, John Wallace, Wm. F. Smith, Jas. Carr, Jas. Astle ; D. J. Holder, W. H. Courtland, Wm. Balmain, Evans, C. L. Smith, R. S. Crisp, H. Paxton Baird, Wm. Beveridge, W. T. Drysdale, (Dr.) Colter ; Misses Ella Smith, Ida Connell, Louise Allan, Mary Smith, MacKain, Pitt, Heals, Jewett.

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Mem- bers, 1892.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount sent to Auxiliary Treas- urer during the year.
Titusville, "Pearl" .....	..	..	11	....
Alberton, "Rill and River"	40	22	9	\$92 50
Bloomfield .....	..	..	..	....
Bebeque, "Perseverance"	30	..	2	68 50
Baie Verte, "Glad Tidings"	21	..	4	20 00
Bathurst, "Busy Gleaners"	26	8	..	6 50
Centreville	26	9	..	6 50
Cornwall, "Onward"	20	1	..	17 25
Charlottetown, "Wesley"	54	13	..	50 00
*Charlottetown, "Coqualeetza"	10	10	..	3 12
*Charlottetown, U. P. S., "Earnest Toilers"	33	33	..	11 00
East Royalty, "Royal Workers"	11	..	7	73 44
Fredericton, "X L"	28	..	9	50 20
*Gagetown, "Twinkling Stars"	16	16	..	3 57
Jacksonville, "Friendly Workers"	25	1	..	34 99
*Kensington	22	22	..	7 72
*Little York, "Dayspring"	30	30	..	19 64
*Lakeville, "Look Up, Lift Up"	19	19	..	3 86
Margate, "Sunbeam"	21	3	..	5 25
Murray Harbor, "Dawning Light"	36	..	..	13 47
Moncton, "Do What we Can"	21	..	18	25 00
*Millstream, "Little Daisy"	17	17	..	6 39
*Marysville, "Active Workers"	32	32	..	....
New Bandon, "Allen and Sutherland"	25	..	..	....
Old Ridge, "Buds of Promise"	14	4	..	4 00
Point de Bute, "Cartmell"	29	8	..	55 76
Portland, "Jessie Chipman"	23	..	25	41 41
Sackville, "Ready Helpers"	46	3	..	29 51
Sackville, "Mount Allison"	40	7	..	56 31
Searletown, "Anchor of Hope"	21	..	4	17 00
St. Stephen, "Torch Bearers"	84	40	..	82 89
St. John (Centenary), "Hiriawa"	53	..	28	94 92
*St. John (Centenary), "King's Messengers"	17	17	..	38 65
St. John, Exmouth Street, "Star"	20	..	16	32 03
St. John, Queen Square, "Excelsior"	30	8	..	34 40
Summerside, "Happy Workers"	36	..	4	36 31
South Bedeque, "Earnest Workers"	17	5	..	6 00
*Teteagouche, "Forest Home"	31	31	..	....
Union Road, "Union"	18	..	..	18 54
Upham Station, "Mayflower"	12	..	..	11 89
*Upper Keswick, "Wayside Workers"	15	15	..	1 33
*Upper Kent, "Pilgrim"	13	13	..	....

* New Bands.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND—Continued.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount sent to Auxiliary Treasurer during the year.
Victoria, "Busy Bees"	21	7	..	22 42
Winsloe, "Sky-Lark"	13	..	5	9 90
Woodstock, "Ella Dobson"	45	..	..	55 17
Wilmot, "Harrison" ..	14	1	..	12 74
Tryon, "Cheerful Workers" .....	..	..	21	....
Total	1175	395	163	\$1180 08

Baie Verte has \$5.83 included in Auxiliary receipts.
 Bathurst " 18.54 " " "
 Centreville " 2.50 " " "
 Teteagouche " 5.00 not forwarded.
 Sussex reported too late for insertion this year.

REPORTS FROM NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MISSION BANDS.

ALBERTON, P.E.I., "RILL AND RIVER."

We are very much encouraged as we review the year's work. Our membership has been more than doubled, being now forty. Ten of these are life-members which came to us by the bequest of Mr. Jas. Dignan, a friend to missions. A sale of plants was held. We have also increased our funds by mite-boxes, birthday box and Christmas offerings.

BEDEQUE, P.E.I., "PERSEVERANCE."

In looking back over the year which has just closed, we feel there is much to be thankful for. Besides increased interest in the work, the funds are much in advance of last year. We find that little hands can do something for the Master, and we know He will value our work, however small, according to the effort we have put forth.

BAIE VERTE, N.B., "GLAD TIDINGS."

Membership, twenty-one. We have held sixteen meetings with an average attendance of eleven. Two entertainments.

BATHURST, N.B., "BUSY GLEANERS."

We are glad to be able to report an increase in membership. We regret we cannot say the same of the work done or amount raised by us for missions. Attendance larger than usual and considerable interest taken in the work. We look forward hopefully to another year.

CENTREVILLE, N.B.

We have held eleven meetings, in which much interest has been shown.

CORNWALL, P.E.I., "ONWARD."

In reviewing our work for the past year, we have many things to encourage us. One life-member, and our mite-boxes have been fairly successful. The Lord has been with us, and we love to work for Him.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., "WESLEY."

Our aim is rather to create an interest in the work than to gather a large amount of money. We trust the little mite which has been raised will help to convert some of the "Japs," the "Heathen Chinese," and "Lo! the poor Indian."

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., "COQUALEETZA"

Organized in March, 1892, with membership of five; now, twenty-seven have their names enrolled, but all have not paid their dues. Four meetings held which were very interesting. This Band is composed of girls and boys, and hope to do good work in the future.

CHARLOTTETOWN, U.P.S., "EARNEST WORKERS"

Organized in December, 1891. The average attendance is not as large as we could wish, but our prayer is that God will bless us in our work.

CENTENARY, ST. JOHN, N.B., "HIRIWA."

We would offer thanks for the success that has attended our efforts, not financially alone, but, we feel, especially the older members, that we have been spiritually blessed, that the peace invoked for another has become our own."

CENTENARY, ST. JOHN, N.B., "KING'S MESSENGERS"

Reports a membership of seventeen. Amount raised, \$38,65.

EAST ROYALTY, P.E.I., "ROYAL WORKERS."

The faithful few of this Band hope to carry on the work, so to arouse those now uninterested. We found the talent system of interest to many members. We ask your prayers on our behalf.

EXMOUTH STREET, ST. JOHN, N.B., "STAR."

During the year, from various causes, our membership has decreased. Notwithstanding this fact, the meetings have grown in interest. In September, of last year, we formed a Sewing Circle, and during the winter months have made up a number of articles, and disposed of them at a private sale.

FREDERICTON, N.B., "X.L."

Meetings held every two weeks. We are sorry to report a decrease in membership, owing to the removal of families.

GAGETOWN "TWINKLING STARS"

Organized in February, 1892, with membership of four; since increased to sixteen. The children seem very much interested, and have just finished piecing a quilt for the Coqualeetza Home. Meetings held every two weeks. With God's help, we are looking forward to a prosperous year.

JACKSONVILLE, N.B., "FRIENDLY WORKERS"

Reports a membership of twenty-five. The year just closed has been a successful one. We have had several public meetings, and have made two quilts, one for the Crosby Home and one for Victoria Home.

KENSINGTON

Organized in July. Monthly meetings are held, which are much enjoyed by the members. We wonder we got along without a Band for so long. It is a benefit every way.

LITTLE YORK "DAYSRING"

Organized in December, 1891. We have missionary readings, which keep the members interested. Twelve copies *Palm Branch* taken. We hope the mission cause will prosper with God's help.

MARGATE, P.E.I., "SUNBEAM."

The "Sunbeam" Band is doing well. Our young people are much interested in the meetings, and do all they can to make the Band a success.

MURRAY HARBOR, P.E.I., "DAWNING LIGHT."

The Band meets once a month. We hope, in the coming year, to increase both in number and interest.

MONCTON, N.B., "DO WHAT WE CAN."

Our Band has not done as well as we expected or as we ought to have done.

MILLSTREAM "LITTLE DAISY"

Organized November, 1891. We are looking forward to greater success during the coming year.

OLD RIDGE, P.E.I., "BUDS OF PROMISE."

We now begin our third year, and think we see the dawning of a deeper interest. May the Master bless our feeble efforts, and help us to work with the true missionary spirit.

POINT DE BUTE, P.E.I., "CARTMELL"

Reports an increase of eight members. Meetings have been held regularly.

PORTLAND, "JESSIE CHIPMAN."

This Band has seventy-three members. The funds raised are in excess of last year, being \$41.41.

QUEEN SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N.B., "EXCELSIOR."

We have been much cheered by hearing from our late President, Miss Robertson (now in Japan). We hope "Excelsior" will not only be our name, but be shown in our work during the coming year.

SACKVILLE, N.B., "READY HELPERS."

Regular monthly meetings have been held during the year ; and one social at which we had the opening of the Christmas offering. The meetings have been entirely of a missionary nature, except some work done by the younger members of the Band.

SACKVILLE, N.B., "MOUNT ALLISON."

Interesting monthly meetings have been held.

SEARLETOWN, P.E.I., "ANCHOR OF HOPE."

We feel this has been a prosperous year. The members have shown a great deal of interest and perseverance, and have raised funds by talent money and donations.

ST. STEPHEN, N.B., "TORCH BEARERS"

During the year attendance at meetings was unusually good during the winter months. The juniors of our Band meet on Sunday after Sunday School, and seem much interested. The first of the year a crusade week was instituted for gathering new members, and was most satisfactory.

SUMMERSIDE, P.E.I., "HAPPY WORKERS."

We are thankful to our Father that the interest is still kept up. We subscribe to the *Little Missionary*, *Palm Branch* and *Quarterly*, and feel encouraged in the work during the year we are just entering upon.

SOUTH BEDEQUE "EARNEST WORKERS"

Have had times of discouragement through lack of interest, but are hoping for better things in the coming year.

TETEAGOUCHE, "FOREST HOME."

This Band was organized in April by Mrs. Allen. The interest in Missions is steadily increasing in our Band, and we earnestly desire that this coming year may be one of complete consecration to this work our Father would have us do.

UNION ROAD, P.E.I., "UNION."

Meetings are held with fair attendance. One public meeting held at which the mite-boxes were opened. We hope and pray that during the year we may do more and better work for the Master.

UPPER KESWICK, "WAYSIDE WORKERS."

Organized June 2nd. We have held four meetings, and all seem interested in the work. One member added since starting. Four little girls volunteered to take mite-boxes for the coming year.

UPHAM STATION, N.B., "MAYFLOWER."

In December a Knitting Circle was formed, which was continued with spirit until April. During that time fourteen pairs of socks, one pair of gents' driving gloves, and one pair ladies' slippers were knit. The Circle meets once a week.

VICTORIA, P.E.I., "BUSY BEES."

We are glad to report a successful year. Take thirteen copies of *Quarterly* and ten mite-boxes in use. A fancy sale was held in the summer, which, with an autograph quilt, added to the funds. We intend sending the quilt to one of the missionaries.

LIFE-MEMBERS OF MISSION BANDS.

WINSLOE, P.E.I., "SKYLARK."

In many ways the Band has been more successful than last year. We very much regret the loss of our President, Mrs. W. J. Kirby, by removal.

WOODSTOCK, N.B., "ELLA DOBSON."

Through the unceasing efforts of our President, Mrs. Dobson (now of Bermuda), the interest of our Band has largely increased. Three public entertainments held, viz., an At Home, Easter service, and fancy sale.

LAKEVILLE, "LOOK UP, LIFT UP."

This Band was organized in February by Mrs. Howard. The children show a growing interest in the work. We have pieced a quilt which, with a blanket donated, we intend sending to the Coqualeetza Home.

WILMOT, P.E.I., "HARRISON"

Reports a membership of fourteen; increase of one during the year.

NEW BANDON, "ALLEN AND SUTHERLAND."

No report.

LIFE-MEMBERS OF MISSION BANDS, NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH.

ALBERTON, "RILL AND RIVER."

Edmund Dignan, Sarah M. Dignan, S. Alice Dignan, Dora E. Dignan, Edward Dignan, Bertie Bryan, Laura Bryan, Emma Gard, Susan Gard, Joshua McDonald.

CORNWALL, "ONWARD."

Mrs. Clara G. Turner.

CHARLOTTETOWN, "WESLEY."

Miss Annie Johnson, Mrs. Annie McNutt.

ST. JOHN, CENTENARY, "HIRIAWA."

Mrs. Paul.

EAST ROYALTY, "ROYAL WORKERS."

Mrs. Jas. Essery.

SACKVILLE, "READY HELPERS."

Miss Hattie Stewart.

SPECIAL DONATIONS OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH.

For Coqualeetza Home—From Bedeque	\$20 00
" Cornwall	20 60
" Sackville	18 95
" Tryon	10 00
" K. Brecken's parlor concert	4 30
For China, from Bedeque	50 00
" supported girl in Japan, from Mt. Allison Band	50 00
" Crosby Girls' Home, from bazaar held by nine Sackville girls	25 00
" work in Japan, from Mrs. Nichol, in mem. of Mrs. J. Clawson	2 00

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BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH.

FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH, 1891-92.

As we come together to-day in this, the first annual meeting, as a Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society, our hearts go out in gratitude to our heavenly Father for what He has permitted His humble agents to perform during the year. While there have been discouragements, still we are not discouraged, and believe that we can confidently assert, although our progress has been slow, that we are lengthening our lines and strengthening our stakes. Auxiliaries from which reports have been received show great vitality, and, in most instances, a decidedly progressive tendency. To many of our member the work is new, and the difficulties of inexperience confronts them, but loyalty to the Master's service, untiring zeal, and hearts heavily burdened for the salvation of perishing ones, will readily overcome whatever stands in the way, and will be ready to surmount difficulties, be they ever so great.

During the year two new Auxiliaries have been formed, the first in connection with the Princess Street Church, at Vancouver, almost immediately after the formation of this Branch, and although small in membership, is great in work. The second, organized recently by our Miss Cartmell, at Nanaimo; this Auxiliary, although but little over four months organized, shows signs of healthy activity. Though the field is new, the workers are earnest in their efforts, and with increased experience, and an ever-growing zeal in the Master's service, it will be the aim of our united membership to bring in all the women of our churches, so that, with a mighty force at work, no one can say, "No man careth for my soul." I cannot close this report without mentioning one to whom so much of the present condition of this Society in our province is due, namely, Miss Cartmell. To her entire devotion to the work, her thorough consecration to God's service, and persistent efforts in spreading the cause of Christian missions, we may attribute largely, under God's blessing, the position we to-day occupy. May our heavenly Father still be with and bless her, throwing round and about her His protecting care wherever it may please Him to call her to labor, is the earnest, heartfelt prayer of each and every member of this Branch.

MEMORIALS.

(1) That, whereas the Auxiliaries in this province are more widely scattered than those of the eastern provinces, and as many of our members attend the annual Conference, we respectfully petition the Central Board to allow this Branch to change the date of its annual meeting so as to correspond with that of the British Columbia Conference.

(2) Whereas, the people of Bella-Bella and Upper Skeena are pleading for more light for their children, and are willing to give the land for a Home at Kitzequecla, in Upper Skeena, as well as assist in the building, we respectfully memorialize the Board to take into consideration the establishment of Homes at both these points.

(3) Your Committee on Memorials suggest that in order to save time and expense, orders for reports, literature, etc., and money for the same, be sent direct to Miss Ogden, Chairman of Literature Committee, instead of through the Cor. Sec. as was ordered last year.

(4) Whereas, all missionaries to the Indians find great difficulty in doing the best possible for the families of those under their care, owing to their irregular habits, while we fully recognize the difficulties surrounding the undertaking, still would strongly recommend that our Committee on Indian Affairs (Mesdames D. Burns, D. G. Sutherland, Cunningham) take this matter into consideration, adopting such plans as may seem best calculated to secure the aid in view, viz., the more regular attendance of the children at our schools.

(5) That we memorialize the British Columbia Conference for one Sunday in the year to be known as Woman's Conference Missionary Sunday.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
BRANCH, 1891-92.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members, 1891.	Number of Members, 1892.	Increase.	Decrease.	Life-Membership, 1891.	Life-Membership, 1892.	Total, 1892.	Public Meetings.	Monthly Meetings.	Average Attendance.	Total No. of Meetings.
Victoria, Pandora Avenue	47	50	3	..	2	3	51	2	11	14	13
" Gorge Road .. . . . . .	..	20	..	..	..	..	20	..	8	6	8
Vancouver, Princess Street	27	30	3	..	1	1	31	..	12	8	12
New Westminster	17	26	7	..	..	..	26	3	6	10	9
Vancouver, Homer Street	27	29	2	..	1	3	31	..	12	8	12
North Arm	14	7	..	7	..	..	7	..	11	5	11
Maple Bay (no report)	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Port Simpson	19	25	6	..	..	2	27	..	7	8	7
Kamloops	14	18	4	..	..	..	10	..	6	5	6
Nanaimo .. . . . . .	..	8	8	..	..	..	8	1	4	6	5
	179	227	33	7	4	9	219	6	77	70	83

TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH, 1891-92.

AUXILIARIES.	Annual Members' Fees.	Life-Members' Fees.	Mission Bands.	Public Meetings.	Entertainments.	Mite-Boxes.	Sale of Reports.	Donations.	Sale of Literature.	Other Sources.	Total Amount Raised by Auxiliaries.	Expenses.	Total sent Branch Treasurer.
Victoria, Pandora Street.....	\$47 00	\$25 00	.....	.....	\$67 20	\$39 45	\$2 20	\$3 85	\$4 15	.....	\$118 85	\$13 60	\$175 25
" Gorge Road.....	13 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 25	0 50	6 85	.....	\$0 45	25 85	2 00	23 85
Vancouver, Homer Street.....	26 50	.....	.....	\$3 05	.....	.....	1 30	.....	.....	2 30	33 15	1 45	31 70
" Princess Street.....	16 25	25 00	.....	35 80	.....	20 00	1 00	20 00	.....	1 05	119 00	4 85	114 25
New Westminster.....	14 50	.....	.....	16 00	.....	.....	0 50	.....	.....	.....	31 00	.....	31 00
Chilliwack.....	6 50	.....	.....	6 00	.....	.....	0 45	.....	.....	.....	13 00	1 00	12 00
North Arm.....	7 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 00	.....	7 00
Maple Bay (no report).....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 25
Nanaimo (no report).....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 50
Kamloops (no report).....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 65
Port Simpson.....	27 50	.....	.....	.....	*58 00	.....	.....	3 25	.....	2 25	91 00	2 00	89 00
Gorge Road, for Leaflets and Reports.....													2 00
Homer Street, for Reports.....													1 30
New Westminster, for Leaflets.....													1 00
Princess Street, for Reports.....													0 90
From Interest.....													0 31
North Arm, for Reports and Leaflets.....													1 50
Total.....												\$558 96	

*Sale of Work.

REPORTS FROM AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER.

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

BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH.

HOMER STREET, VANCOUVER.

Three quarterly missionary prayer-meetings were held; at one, \$4.05 was collected and used in purchasing materials for quilts for Port Simpson Home. These and some other donations of bedding were sent. At another, \$3.05 was collected and used for expenses connected with the work. Efforts are being made to bring the Indians adjacent to Vancouver under Christianizing influence, by holding meetings among them, etc.

Pres., Mrs. Maitland; V.-Pres., Mrs. Wintemute; Rec. Sec., Miss Dunn; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. McCraney; Treas., Miss Mary Wintemute. Mesdames T. B. Godfrey, Mole, Martinson, Reid, Morrison, McTaggart, Latimer, Boake, Robinson, Woodside, Harris, LePage, Nicholls, Shannon, (Dr.) Wilson, Jarratt, Breeze, Trythall, Major, Morris; Miss Annie Wintemute. Honorary member—Mr. Mole.

CHILLIWHACK.

Although we have to report a decrease in finances and average attendance, yet we hope for a better state of affairs in the near future. We were favored with Miss Wintemute and Prof. Odium to address us at our public meeting on the camp-ground last June. We all felt a deeper interest in the work they have been doing in Japan, after hearing them talk upon it.

Pres., Miss M. L. Clarke; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. C. M. Tate; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Dunnville; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Stevenson; Rec. Sec., Miss Laura Elderkin; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Pachley; Treas., Miss Lillie Knight. Mesdames C. Chadsey, G. Chadsey, C. Street, James Tate, S. Knight; Miss F. Somers.

PRINCESS STREET, VANCOUVER.

This Auxiliary was organized by Miss Cartmell on the 29th of July, 1891, with a membership of eight. We have now twelve members, one being a life-member. We have held regular monthly meetings, one public meeting and one prayer meeting, at both of which there seemed a deep interest in the work. It is the day of small things with us, but we are looking forward next year to be able to report an increasing interest in the work.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Betts; V.-Pres., Mrs. B. H. Wilson; Rec. Sec., Miss Buttimer; Cor. Sec., Mrs. B. H. Wilson; Treas., Mrs. John Newcombe. Mesdames Lund, J. DeWolf, A. Godfrey, Clending, Ridley, Whipple, Glen; *Miss Bowes.

NANAIMO.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) W. W. Baer; V.-Pres., Mrs. James Lister; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Paul Williamson; Cor. Sec., Miss Annie Lake; Treas., Mrs. G. E. T. Powers. Mesdames Arthur Wilson, Planta; Miss Mebins.

GORGE ROAD, VICTORIA.

This Auxiliary has, like most young societies, had many things to contend against since its organization. We are glad, however, to report an increase of members, and also an increased interest in missionary work.

It is with deep sorrow we report the death of our beloved President, Mrs. A. J. McLellan, and realize that our work has sustained a great loss. Although for some months our beloved sister was prevented from taking an active part in the missionary work, she never lost her interest in the cause, and was only reconciled to inactivity because she felt the Master's hand restrained her from working. We earnestly pray, that as an Auxiliary, we may each follow as closely in the Master's footsteps as our late President, and use as she did, every opportunity to win souls for the Master.

Pres., Mrs. A. J. McLellan (deceased); V.-Pres., Mrs. M. Humber; Rec. Sec., Mrs. G. F. Grant; Cor. Sec., Mrs. H. G. Hall; Treas., Mrs. J. Calvert. Mesdames J. Walsh, J. H. White, E. White, Carlyon, Chapman, E. J. Grey, Edwards, W. H. Bone, McConnell, Rookledge; Misses McNair, Calvert, Humber. Honorary members—Rev. J. H. White, John Calvert.

RICHMOND.

Though small, we hope to continue to maintain an existence, and that we may ere long see our numbers increased.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. A. Wood; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Carscallen; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. W. Sexsmith; Treas., Mrs. W. Carscallen. Mesdames C. J. Sweet, D. McDonald. Honorary members—Rev. J. A. Wood, J. W. Sexsmith.

PORT SIMPSON.

We are thankful to report continued interest in the mission cause and an increase in members and money. The Lord has blessed our own souls in the work, and has blessed the work of our hands.

Pres., *Mrs. Z. Crosby; V.-Pres., Mrs. D. Jennings; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Bolton; Cor. Sec., *Miss Hart; Treas., Mrs. (Dr.) Bolton. Mesdames Duda-ward, Russ, Abbott, Hopkins, Miller, Stone, Peirce; Misses Jessie Crosby, Grace Crosby, Lawrence, Beavis, Gertie Crosby, Zianter, Caldwell, Spence (half year), Ross. Honorary members—Messrs. Crosby, Dr. Bolton, Jennings, Beeker, Lazier, Miller, Spencer, Peirce.

LADY HOK.

Pres., Mrs. T. D. Pearson; V.-Pres., Mrs. E. Robson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. A. Cunningham; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. E. Rand; Treas., Mrs. A. Peers. Mesdames C. J. Robson, Jas. Cunningham, Thos. Cunningham, Major, Well-wood, Cooper, Welch, Fred. Robson, C. D. Grant, W. A. Calbick, Brown, Maybee, Burpee, Hird, Keith, Wells, Cornish, S. J. Thompson, T. R. Pear-son; Miss Wicks. Honorary member—Rev. S. J. Thompson.

PANDORA AVENUE.

We are glad to be able to report an increase in our membership, which shows an interest in this great cause for the Master. We are looking forward hopefully to the future that God will bless our efforts. Our meetings are exceedingly interesting. We pray God's blessing to rest upon us as an Auxiliary.

Pres., Mrs. G. Burkholder; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Burgess; 2nd V.-Pres., *Mrs. Watson; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Spencer; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. J. Wier; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Pendray; Treas., Miss Leake. Mesdames J. E. Gardner, *McMillan, Lane, Jewell, Powell, Carey, Elliott, *R. Elford, Dempster, Luney-Moore, F. O. Siddall, Bullon, H. L. Wright, Durham, Theo. Elford, Hooper, Lorey, Ralph, Goodachre, (Dr.) E. Hall, Sargison, Archibald, Jenkins, Thos. Earle, L. Rae, Luker, J. W. Williams, C. Spencer, Butler, G. Moore, Thompson, A. C. McDonald, McKeil, R. Stevenes, Drury, Adams; Misses Clark, Lazenby, Farring, Cartmell, N. Goodwin. Honorary member—J. E. Gardner.

SEPARATE AUXILIARIES.

ST. JOHN'S EAST, NEWFOUNDLAND.

In presenting this, our eighth annual report, we cannot but feel that the past year has indeed been a checkered one. The never-to-be-forgotten fire of July last has scattered our members; some have left their native land, perhaps never to return. Yet, although the way seems dark, we believe that "Our Father's hand prepares the cup, and what He wills is best," and we trust that others will come forward to take their places, and that we will soon be in working order again. We are very hopeful for the coming year, and pray that the Lord of the harvest may give His approval to our feeble efforts, and although reporting a small decrease in our membership, He may say of each one, "She hath done what she could."

Pres., Mrs. Cowperthwaite; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Giles; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Sparks; Rec. Sec., *Mrs. Peters; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Greaves; Treas., *Mrs. Burns. Mesdames Fox, Nichols, Milley, English, Turner, Dawe, Benson, Strong, Wheler, Bemester, Storey, Jones, Chaplin, Cleson, Duffill, Hudson, Codner, Tuck, Keay, March, Trem, Taylor, Hopkins, Avery, Snelgrove, Bradley, Burchell, Lamb, Scott, Simmons, S. Woods, Saint Hill, Campbell, Leard; Misses Bridgman, Dawe, Mannal, March.

ST. JOHN'S WEST, NEWFOUNDLAND.

The close of another year finds us still at work with thankful hearts. Though so large a portion of our city was destroyed, our beautiful church still stands. Our meetings have been regularly held, and fairly well attended. We are glad to report an increased membership and income.

Pres., *Mrs. J. Steer; V.-Pres., Mrs. Ayre; Rec. Sec., Miss Cole; Cor. Sec., Mrs. A. T. Steer; Treas., Mrs. John Angel. Mesdames Rogerson, Dove-Morton, Wilkinson, W. Whiteway, E. Whiteway, J. Taylor, R. Miller, Morris, Swanson, Cox, Geo. Nicholl, J. B. Ayre, R. C. Ayre, Withycombe, Samways Mews, Soper, McIntyre, Pike, James Angel, G. S. Milligan, G. S. Milligan jun., Whitten, Green, Robt. Pike, P. Taylor, Stidstone, Butler, R. White C. Campbell, Burt, McNeilly, C. R. Steer, Rowe, Pitman; Misses Smith Roberts, Milloy.

"CENTENARY" MISSION BAND.

This Band numbers thirty-two members, and has an average attendance of eighteen. It has raised \$76.30 during the year. The monthly meetings have been regularly held. The Band has given one entertainment, and held one flower sale during the year. They are interested in their work, and are looking forward to doing better work in the near future.

Pres., Miss Morton; Sec., Miss Annie Dove; Treas., Miss Stidstone. Misses Florence Ayre, Emma Ayre, Bertha Bell, Elfrida Biggs, Minnie Burt, Victoria Burt, Blanche Cave, Laura Campbell, Lilian Dove, Laura King, Bertha Lay, Bella Lay, Gussie Morton, E. Harris Morton, Mary Nicholl, Edith Percy, Minnie Percy, Mary Steer, Jessie Shaw, Sophia Shaw, Muriel Samways, Gertrude Tuff, Mary Wilkinson, Florence Whiteway, Bertha Withycombe, Lilian Mulley, Jessie Bussey, Bertha King.

BONAVISTA, NEWFOUNDLAND.

We are pleased to report a fairly successful year. Our membership has increased from nine to twenty-three. During the year we have held two socials and eight regular meetings, with an average attendance of sixteen. These meetings were made interesting by readings, recitations, and music. We hope, by united effort and increased interest in the work, to have a better report next year. Amount sent to Branch Treasurer for half-year, \$14.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) J. Nurse; 1st V.-Pres., Miss Amelia House; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss Maggie Templeman; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Dr. Forbes; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Jabez Saint; Treas., Mrs. George Templeman. Mesdames J. Roper, F. Miles, I. Ford, T. F. Harris, A. Harris, M. A. Abbott, J. Abbott, W. Oldford, W. Reader, J. Reader, J. Thompson, E. Fisher; Misses F. Wells, J. Brown, M. House, R. Powell, T. Saint.

WINNIPEG, GRACE CHURCH.

In sending our report for the year, it is with mingled feelings of thanksgiving and regret—thanksgiving, that an increased interest has been noticed amongst the members, and the Society has been able to send a larger amount of money to the General Treasurer than ever before; regret, that we are not able to report a larger membership. We earnestly hope and pray for great gain in this respect during the coming year. Our Society has been greatly bereaved the past year by the loss of one of our most valued members, our efficient Treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Roberts, who was called to her heavenly home early in the year. She was also Organizer for the North-West, and had done much to enlarge the work during last year. There have also been removed by death two of our active members, Mrs. A. F. Banfield, who was largely instrumental in organizing the Mission Band, and Mrs. J. B. Ferguson, who was at one time an officer of the Society.

The Mission Band, called "Doers of the Word," are an earnest band of young people, who have handed forty dollars to the Treasurer of our Auxiliary. Grace Church Sabbath School have also sent through this Auxiliary, fifty dollars for the support of Grace Endo in Japan. Last June the Manitoba and North-West Conference, in session here, was memorialized with regard to having a Branch established in the North-West, and their hearty co-operation and assistance in this matter was promised.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) G. R. Turk; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. B. Somerset; 2nd V.-Pres., Miss J. G. Moore; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Riley; Rec. Sec., *Mrs. W. H. Culver; Cor. Sec., *Mrs. A. W. Austin; Treas., Mrs. H. H. Chown. Mesdames (Rev.) J. Allen, McGregor, Cope, Parsons, Banning, Price, *G. H. Young, *R. J. Whitla, *D. K. Elliot, *J. D. Roberts, *R. H. Bryce, J. Robinson, McNamara, Ashdown, Taafe, Wyatt, Sturgeon, G. Parr, Crowson, Dingman, Greenfield, Housser, Emmons, G. Elliott, McBride, Donohue, Baskerville, Cole, W. H. Allen, Langford, Bull, Munson; Misses Pearson, Benson.

WINNIPEG, ZION CHURCH.

During the past year, although our numbers have not been greatly increased, yet we trust work has been done that may be the means of inciting others with a desire to help spread the glad tidings among others less favored than we. We have at present thirty-one members, four having been added to the roll during the year, but we have suffered loss in the removal of three of our most active members, two of whom, Mrs. Chisholm and Mrs. Ashley, have gone to the United States, and our President, Mrs. (Rev.) Crews, to Toronto. In the year we have raised \$104.20 which has been sent to the Branch Treasurer. We have twenty-one subscribers to the *Outlook* and have distributed thirty leaflets monthly.

Pres., Mrs. Godley; V.-Pres., Mrs. Fraser; Rec. Sec., Miss Neilson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Palk; Treas., Mrs. Ronald.

BRANDON.

Number of annual members, forty-two; amount of fees collected, \$42; collections from public entertainment, \$12.50.

Mesdames Woodsworth, Reesor, Philp, White, Bawden, Bolting, Brooks, Cooper, Jackson, Huston, Van Tassel, Johnstone, McVicar, Burchill, Sproule, Leech, Kelly, Trotter, Peterson, Moore, Merner, Adams, Pickett, Lee, Sifton, Howie, Paisley, Borland, Watson, Hornibrook, Allen, Bell, Caldwell; Misses Huston, Preston, Bawden, Gibson, Waite, Hall, Mary Woodsworth, Edith Woodsworth, Casie Lee.

TREASURER'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WINNIPEG ZION CHURCH.

INCOME.

Subscriptions	\$23 25
Prayer-meetings	17 00
Sale of reports	1 00
Sale of leaflets	1 00
Mite-boxes	31 30
Girls' Mission Band	22 30
Donations	12 90
Lecture	7 85
	\$116 60

EXPENDITURE.

Remitted to General Treasurer	\$104 20
Expenses of remitting	0 50
General expenses	7 25
Balance on hand	4 65
	\$116 60

EMMA W. RONALD, *Treasurer.*

CONSTITUTION
 OF THE
 WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
 OF
 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*, 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

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Managers. 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 Meeting. The Treasurer shall receive all contributions to the Society, 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, five 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.

ART. VI.—BRANCHES.

SECTION 1.—Branches may be organized according to Conferences. This plan, however, may be changed by an affirmative vote of three fourths 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 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. The 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 Report.* 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.

SEC. 4.—The Executive Committee shall meet at the call of the President and Secretary as often as may be necessary, to transact any business that may arise between the annual sessions of the Board.

SEC. 5.—No Branch shall project new work, or undertake the support of new missionaries, except by the direction or with the approval of the Board of Managers.

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.

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.

Decrease.

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.

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

4. When Delegates to the General Board are elected at the Branch Annual Meetings they shall meet at once, and select three of their number, who shall be members of the Nominating Committee. These three shall decide to which committee said Branch delegates shall belong, and shall report the same to the Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Managers not later than three days previous to the meeting of the Board.

5. 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.

6. It shall be the duty of the Editress 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.

7. 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.

8. 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.

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

10. 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.

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

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Secretary of the General Board not later than the 1st of September each year.

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 five 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.

Whereas, believing the earlier publishing of our report will be more helpful to our work, therefore be it *Resolved*,—That the committee be instructed to engage the Book Room to publish our report in the month of November of each year ; and that all matter for the report, except the minutes of the Board meeting, shall be handed to the committee not later than the last day of the Board meeting.

Resolved,—That the names of, and amounts given by contributors to special purposes, be printed in a separate column or columns of the Annual Report.

Resolved,—That the General Board make appropriations for all their 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.

Resolved,—That each Auxiliary inform the Corresponding Secretary of the Branch of the number of monthly letters required by it for the year.

Resolved,—That the salaries of those ladies who return to the work in Japan after the first full term of five years, be increased to seven hundred dollars for each of the first five years of the second term, and eight hundred dollars for each succeeding year.

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 two-thirds 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.

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 meeting 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. Report of Treasurer in writing.
5. Report of Corresponding Secretary.
6. Reports from members of what they have done for the good of the Society during the past month.
7. Unfinished Business and Enrolment of New Members.
8. Miscellaneous Business.
9. 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.

3. Any one 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 FOR 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, and we regard some experience in teaching and a knowledge of medicine and nursing as 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 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:—

1st. I, ———, 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 manifest 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. Have you ever been married? If so, is your husband living?
12. Will you answer by testimonials to each of these questions?

INSTRUCTIONS TO MISSIONARIES.

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.

We recommend that, when practicable, such arrangements shall be 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.

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. DR. PARKER**, Barrie, Ont.

Items for the "**Christian Guardian**" to **MISS MCGUFFIN**, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto.

Items for the "**Wesleyan**" to **MRS. WHISTON**, 74 Brunswick Street, Halifax, N.S.

FORM OF A BEQUEST
TO THE
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
OF
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.