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## REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

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### INDIAN WORK.

#### COQUALEETZA INSTITUTE.

The appropriation for the Coqualeetza Institute having been referred to the Executive, and a satisfactory statement of the building, furnishing and maintenance account having been received from Dr. Sutherland, the sum of \$3,294.00 was paid—that, together with \$2,000.00 previously paid, being one-half of the balance of building, furnishing and maintenance to June 30th, 1895.

A proposition for the General Society to take charge of the Institute, and the Woman's Missionary Society to pay a *per capita* grant according to the number of girls in the Institute, received the approval of both Executives.

The time for Miss Clarke's furlough having come, the Woman's Missionary Society was requested to secure another matron for the Institute. Miss Alton was appointed to succeed Miss Clarke.

#### CROSBY HOME.

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A Visiting and Advisory Committee having been found of much benefit in the French and Coqualeetza Institutes, a similar committee was appointed for the Crosby Home, to be composed of Rev. and Mrs. Crosby, Rev. and Mrs. Jennings, and one to be appointed by those named, whose duties were defined as follows: The Visiting and Advisory Committee shall meet at frequent intervals to consider recommendations from the matron, examine and pass or reject accounts, and in general advise on all matters connected with the management and repairs of the Home. They, with the matron, will be expected to use their best endeavors to secure pupils from the adjacent tribes. They shall see that the accounts and registers are kept properly in detail; that a full annual statement is made out, audited and forwarded to the Corresponding Secretary not later than September 20th, showing income and expenditure up to September 5th in each year, accompanied by an inventory and valuation of all property connected with the Home, whether inside or out of the buildings. They shall appoint from time to time two visitors (neither of whom shall be officers or employees) who shall visit the Home at least once a month and report to each succeeding meeting of the committee.

Mrs. Burns was requested to draft rules and regulations for the management of the Home.

The school work not being satisfactory, Miss Caldwell, teacher, was, according to the provision of the Board, withdrawn, and Miss Paul, of Newburgh, who had spent some time at the Deaconess Training Home, was appointed to the position.

A grant of \$200.00 was given to assist in the maintenance of the Indian children under the care of Rev. and Mrs. Raley at Kitamaat.

#### CHINESE RESCUE HOME.

Arrangements made by Miss Wickett for visiting Vancouver and New Westminster regularly received the approval of the committee.

In reply to a communication from Mrs. Morrow, the following resolution was passed :

"That the request of Mrs. Morrow to be released from the the matronship of the Rescue Home be granted; and that we express our appreciation of her work in the Home during three years of service there, and our regret that her health requires her to withdraw. We trust her life may long be spared to labor for the Master."

Miss S. Bowes, of Victoria (formerly of Milton, Ont.), was appointed to succeed Mrs. Morrow until the Board meeting.

#### CHINA.

A quantity of drugs being required by Dr. Gifford Kilborn, estimates for the same were received from New York and Toronto dealers. The order was filled in Toronto at a cost of \$261.99.

An Easter thank-offering was again asked for, to be used for medical work in China.

Dr. Hart was requested to advise with our missionaries in regard to the purchase of land and the erection of buildings.

#### JAPAN.

The report of the Joint Committee *re* Japan was forwarded by the General Secretary, accompanied by a letter stating that the General Executive had accepted the report of this committee, and requested us to do the same. The report was as follows :

"The Joint Committee of the Executives of the two societies having considered carefully the relation of various agents of the societies in Japan, as shown by the correspondence, beg leave to report.

"1. That, in our opinion, in order to restore harmony, it is absolutely necessary that several changes be made in the personnel of both missions; we therefore recommend to the Executive of the Woman's Missionary Society the withdrawal of Mrs. Large from the Japan work not later than the end of the school year.

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"2. The Rev. Dr. Eby having tendered his resignation as missionary to Japan, we recommend the Executive of the General Society to accept said resignation, to take effect forthwith.

"3. We are further of opinion that it is not expedient that the Rev. F. A. Cassidy should return to Japan, and we recommend to the Executive of the General Board that he be retained permanently in this country."

The report of the Joint Committee was accepted. And to provide for Mrs. Large after her withdrawal from Japan, and that her health might be fully restored, a year's furlough on full salary was voted her. Miss Robertson was appointed Secretary-Treasurer to succeed Mrs. Large.

Subsequently communications from Japanese teachers in the school, from Bible-women, from missionaries, and one signed by seventy-six Japanese ladies, were received, all testifying to Mrs. Large's great usefulness in Japan and regretting her removal.

In May, the following was addressed to the General Executive :

"Whereas the finding of the Joint Committee *re* Japan affairs has been carried out; and whereas there is still much unrest concerning said decisions; and whereas in the interests of peace throughout our beloved church we feel that nothing should be left undone to secure harmony and righteousness, we are persuaded that it might be expedient to have a thorough investigation receiving the testimonies of all the missionaries now in Canada, to see if some reconciliation cannot be effected and valuable workers saved to the cause. We solicit your judgment on the above and your direction as to the course to be pursued if action is deemed advisable."

To this the General Executive replied :

"Your note of the 16th inst., in regard to an investigation concerning our mission and missionaries in Japan, is duly received. In reply, we beg to say that it seems to us unadvisable and inexpedient to take, for the present at all events, any steps in that direction. We all regret the unfortunate disturbance in our work in that field of great promise, but have after all to congratulate ourselves that, serious as matters have been, there have been no complaints concerning the doctrine and teaching of the agents of our society in that country, and not a breath of suspicion as to their moral and religious character. Further, their administration on the whole has been of such a spirit and nature as to meet the general approval of the Home Boards. Whatever difficulties have arisen seem to have been mainly of a personal or semi-official kind. Of these difficulties we have, to the largest possible extent, informed ourselves by official correspondence and otherwise as we have been best able, and we have further taken, and are still taking, such action as in the premises have by our Board and Committee been considered wise and necessary, and we are hopeful that these measures, under the good providence of

God, may restore harmony and mutual confidence and bring peace and prosperity to our cherished mission in Japan and, we trust, among the brethren and sisters in the Church at home.

"For us now to go into an investigation of these personal and semi-official differences, it appears to us would only increase the disaster and embroil larger circles of our people in unpleasant feelings and unprofitable disputes. Our Executive Committee is unready and unwilling, on its own responsibility, to re-open this matter and shall refer it to the General Board of Missions for such consideration and action as to that body may seem wise and desirable.

"You will see, therefore, that it is our mind to continue in the use of the means we have already employed, and put our trust in God and His Church that we will be directed to such agencies and supplied with such resources as will urge on our missionary enterprise there and elsewhere with greater vigor and greater success, to the glory of the adorable Christ."

Early in the year Miss Nellie Hart requested to be released from home work that she might perfect herself in the Holt system of teaching vocal music. In view of the benefit this would be to our school the request was granted. Subsequently Miss Hart tendered her resignation, and the following resolution was passed:

"That we do not accept Miss Hart's resignation in view of the need of her services in the work, especially in that department for which, by permission of the Executive, she has been preparing herself during the past few months of her furlough, and also that other candidates would have qualified themselves to take up this department if Miss Hart had not been preparing for this special work. In view of these facts and her known love for the work, we trust she will continue as one of our agents in Japan."

Later, resignations were received from Misses Nellie Hart, Lizzie Hart, Blackmore and Hargrave, but no action has yet been taken on them.

In order to have a substantial and satisfactory building in Shizuoka an additional grant was made of \$1,000.

It was with regret the committee learned that Miss Alexander's health required her to return home in March.

The question as to the appearance before the Executive of Mrs. Large and the other returned missionaries from Japan, the former was approved, but not the latter, because of the expense.

#### MISSIONARY CANDIDATES.

Miss Jennie H. Brown, of Sault Ste. Marie, recommended by the Toronto Conference Branch, was accepted for work in China, but owing to present ill-health she was placed on the list of reserved candidates.

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Miss Laura Wigle, of Essex Centre, recommended by London Conference Branch, was accepted and appointed to Japan.

Dr. Louise Hart, recommended by Nova Scotia Branch, was accepted for medical work in China.

Miss Lizzie Osler, of Madoc, on recommendation of Bay of Quinte Branch, was conditionally accepted.

Miss Sarah E. Alton recommended, by the Hamilton Conference Branch, was appointed to succeed Miss Clarke as matron at Chilliwhack.

The Executive recommends to the Board of Managers that in the rule requiring a missionary candidate to attend the Training Home—"a" be substituted for "the"—also that a clause be added as follows: "In exceptional cases the Executive shall have power to suspend this rule."

It was resolved that returned missionaries shall be required to present a medical health certificate satisfactory to their respective Branch officers before being permitted to return to their fields of labor.

Dr. U. Ogden, 18 Carlton Street, Toronto, kindly consented to act as medical referee, to whom candidates' health certificates shall be sent for final decision.

Word having been received of the proposed formation of a Manitoba and North-West Territories Branch, it was resolved "That the Executive has heard with pleasure that the Auxiliaries in Manitoba and North-West Territories are preparing to form themselves into a Branch. We trust they may find great encouragement and blessing in this work, and that the formation of many new Auxiliaries may result."

The Literature and Publication Committee reported that the increase of work in Room 20 made it necessary, early in the year, to provide a paid assistant for Miss Ogden. An arrangement had been made with Dr. Briggs by which Miss Matthews should give half time to Room 20, at a cost of \$2.50 per week. This was approved by the committee, and an additional grant of \$125.00 was given.

An invitation to send representatives to the National Council of Women was, in view of the action of the Board, necessarily declined.

A committee, appointed to wait on Mr. Courtice, editor of the *Guardian*, to ask that a full column may be at the disposal of the Woman's Missionary Society each week, was assured that such would be given when possible.

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The Fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was held in Carlton Street Church, Toronto, commencing on Tuesday afternoon, October 15th, 1895, and continuing in session the three following days.

There were present:

Mrs. James Gooderham, President, Toronto.  
Mrs. A. Carman, Vice-President, Belleville.  
Mrs. J. B. Willmott, Recording Secretary, Toronto.  
Mrs. E. S. Strachan, Corresponding Secretary, Hamilton.  
Mrs. T. Thompson, Treasurer, Toronto.  
Mrs. Gordon Wright, London, Editor of Department in the *Outlook*.  
Miss Ogden, Toronto, Sec.-Treas. of Lit. and Pub. Com.

LONDON CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Mrs. A. Burns, President, St. Thomas; Mrs. A. Cunningham, Corresponding Secretary, London; Mesdames G. N. Dickson, F. Daly, McMechan, Bond, Fowler, London.

HAMILTON CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Mrs. T. W. Jackson, President, Fergus; Mrs. W. G. Smith, Corresponding Secretary, Guelph; Mesdames G. Mitchell, Milton; W. Phelps, Mohawk; Gayfer, Hamilton; R. T. Williams, Galt; Hardy, Hamilton.

TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Mrs. Wm. Briggs, Corresponding Secretary, Toronto; Mesdames Bascom, George Kerr, J. A. Williams, McKay, Locke, Toronto.

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MONTREAL CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Mrs. W. E. Ross, President, Montréal; Mrs. T. G. Williams, Corresponding Secretary, Sherbrooke; Mesdames Bigelow, Cornwall; McRossie, Kingston; Sparkes, Kingston; W. L. Scott, Ottawa; Hughes, Prescott.

NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Mrs. S. E. Whiston, President, Halifax; Mrs. Wesley Smith, Corresponding Secretary, Halifax; Mesdames A. Tuttle, Berwick; S. Crowell, Yarmouth.

N. B. AND P. E. I. CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Miss F. E. Palmer, President, St. John; Miss H. M. Stewart, Corresponding Secretary, Sackville; Mrs. Strong, Summerside, P. E. I.

BRITISH COLUMBIA CONFERENCE BRANCH.—Miss Clarke, Chilliwack.

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

The following returned missionaries were introduced, and accorded the usual privileges of the convention: Mrs. Large, Misses Blackmore, E. Hart, Hargrave, N. G. Hart, and Morgan, all from Japan, and Miss Clarke, from Chilliwack, B.C.

The report of the Executive Committee of meetings held during the year was read by the Recording Secretary and adopted.

The Corresponding Secretary's report was read and adopted.

The Treasurer's report, showing the receipts to be \$40,379.36, an increase over last year of \$571.03, was adopted.

The President delivered an informal but earnest address, which was listened to with deep attention.

Reports from the Branches were read by their respective Corresponding Secretaries, with the exception of that from the British Columbia Branch, which was given by Mrs. Strachan, who also read the reports from the separate Auxiliaries.

Greetings from sister societies were presented by Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Rutherford, representing the Presbyterian and Baptist Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies, and the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

When Japan affairs came up for discussion the report of the "Joint Committee" was read, and a vote of confidence passed in that committee and in the Executive.

All correspondence *re* Japan which had been received since the last meeting of the Board of Managers was called for and read; also all the documents which had been before the Board of the General Society at its recent meeting in Montreal bearing upon the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in Japan.

Mrs. Large then appeared before the Board and gave a brief account of the condition of our work in that country, and the causes which had led to friction with the agents of the General Society. Questions were asked by the delegates, and many misunderstandings cleared up.

The following resolution was then moved by Mrs. Ross, President of the Montreal Branch, seconded by Mrs. Phelps, of the Hamilton Conference Branch, and heartily carried :

"Whereas Mrs. Large has been recalled from Japan on account of the want of harmony existing between the Council of the General Board and the Council of the Woman's Missionary Society, and whereas a thorough investigation into the causes of the want of harmony has been made by the General Board, both as regards their own workers and those of the Woman's Missionary Society — seven of our workers having been present to testify in reference to the various causes of friction which, from their testimony, as well as that of the Rev. Dr. Cochran, the Rev. F. A. Cassidy and others, and from official records, proved comparatively small and insignificant, in no way reflecting upon either the character of our workers or their work, although, as regards estrangements between individual missionaries acknowledgment has already been made that the wisest course has not always been pursued ; therefore, resolved : That this Board again expresses its confidence in Mrs. Large and our Mission Council in Japan and its policy, and empowers the Executive to reappoint Mrs. Large to Japan, when, in the judgment of the Executive, the way to successful work is open."

The resignations of four missionaries, which had been received by the Executive Committee during the year, and on which no action had been taken, were read by Mrs. Strachan, the Corresponding Secretary, and the young ladies referred to were invited to address the Board. The resignations of Miss Hargrave and Miss Blackmore were withdrawn, and the time of their return to Japan was left to the Executive Committee. This applies also to Miss E. Hart, when her health is sufficiently restored. Miss N. G. Hart, for personal reasons, could not withdraw her resignation at present, so it was accepted on the understanding that if her way opens to return to Japan she will apply to the Executive.

Reports from the different mission fields were read and adopted.

The report of the Literature and Publication Committee was presented by Mrs. Bascom, and the Financial Statement by Miss Ogden. A motion was carried expressing high appreciation of Miss Ogden's indefatigable labors and excellent management of Room 20.

The proposal to discontinue the suggested programmes not having been entertained by the Branches, the following resolution was passed :

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and wise planning of our Literature Committee, especially in the arrangement of the 'suggested programmes,' and heartily recommend that these programmes be continued."

Mrs. Wright, Editor of the Woman's Missionary Society Department of the *Outlook*, read her report and received the thanks of the Board for her very efficient work during the year. A similar expression was sent to Miss Smith, Editor of the *Palm Branch*.

Mrs. Wright was given authority to condense reports for the *Outlook* to the required length.

Mrs. Burns gave a verbal report for the Committee on Indian Affairs, which was adopted. The committee had communicated to the British Columbia Branch the necessary steps to take in order to secure the establishment of new Homes for Indian children, stating that the location should be approved by the Conference authorities in order that application might be made by the Woman's Missionary Society to the Government for grants. The committee recommended that the rule be enforced which requires forms to be used for the yearly reports of Homes supported by the Society.

The committee in charge of Japanese Industrial Work reported \$251.70 received from sale of embroidery; paid to General Treasurer, \$249.20.

The Candidate Committee made the following recommendations, which were adopted:

That Dr. Louise Hart be sent to China as soon as practicable after she has passed the required examination.

That the appointment of Miss Bowes to the Chinese Rescue Home be confirmed; also the appointment of Miss Wigle to Japan.

That Miss Churchill be accepted for appointment when her studies are completed.

That Miss Morse be accepted and left in the hands of the Executive.

That Miss Hawkins be accepted and placed on the reserve list.

That Miss Osler make fresh application when ready for work.

The committee appointed to confer with the Executive of the Young People's Association reported that it had not been convened.

Notices of motion from last year were considered.

That a Superannuation Fund be established for missionaries. Not carried.

That By-Law No. 10 be changed to allow only one delegate to be sent from each Auxiliary to the Branch meeting. Not carried.

That Article V. of the Constitution be changed to read: "Delegates from each Branch in the proportion of one to every six hundred members." As a change of Constitution (Art. IX.) at present requires "a two-thirds vote of each Branch delegation," decision on this matter was deferred until Article IX. should be interpreted or amended.

That where there are two Mission Bands neither with a large

enough membership to be entitled to send a delegate to the Branch meeting, they be allowed to unitedly send one delegate. Carried.

The following memorials were presented :

That any Mission Band numbering forty members or over, or contributing \$25.00 to the Woman's Missionary Society, be entitled to send a delegate to the Branch meeting. Carried.

That the names of Mission Band Presidents and Corresponding Secretaries be printed in the Annual Report. Carried.

That in place of the annual report cards for Mission Bands, the schedules formerly used be again adopted. It was decided that either schedules or cards might be used.

That our public meetings be guarded against anything which might tend to foster a love for the dramatic, and that we use our influence against the introduction of any methods of raising money on which we cannot conscientiously ask God's blessing. Carried.

That the Literature Committee be instructed to prepare a programme leaflet for the year. Not carried.

That a programme for the Easter service be prepared. It was decided that the Literature Committee prepare an Easter programme in sheet form.

That the names of Auxiliary members be omitted from the Annual Report, and the price reduced to five cents. Not carried.

That the General Missionary Society be requested to grant a limited space of its annual report to the W.M.S. Carried.

That \$300.00 be granted towards beginning work at Bella-Bella. This was not decided and will be considered by the Executive Committee.

The resolution of last year was reiterated asking the British Columbia Branch to procure from the Conference authorities their written approval of the opening of new Indian Homes at certain places, so that the committee may petition the Dominion Government for an appropriation.

That a grant be made to the Rev. Mr. Raley's Home for Indian children at Kitamaat. Carried.

That a department of Systematic and Proportionate Giving be established by the Board. This was discussed and a resolution passed approving of the principle but leaving each Branch to work it out in its own way.

That the Board take into its favorable consideration the advisability of adopting Miss Annie Whitfield's work in Africa.

Miss Whitfield was called upon to address the Board, and gave a sketch of the work and its requirements. She is herself a member of the W.M.S., and has hosts of friends in its ranks. Through these she has, since 1892, received \$1,300.00, with which she has redeemed and partly supported ten little girls. The government of Liberia will grant a free site and pay the salary of a teacher if the W.M.S.

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will build and conduct a school there. Miss Whitfield has plans for a building which would cost \$2,000.00, and has \$300.00 towards furnishing it.

The following resolutions were unanimously carried :

That this Board approves of taking up the work in Africa as presented by Miss Whitfield, subject to the approval of the General Board of Missions.

That in the event of a favorable answer by the Executive of the General Society, the sum of \$2,000.00 be appropriated from bequest account for the erection of a building at Day's Hope, in Monrovia, Liberia.

That the members of the Executive Committee residing in Toronto, together with Miss Whitfield, be a deputation to lay the matter before the Executive Committee of the General Society.

The following resolutions were passed :

That the recommendation in the report of the Executive *re* a Methodist Training Home be adopted. Carried.

That the books of the General Treasurer close on October 9th.

That By-law No. 10 (page 136) be amended by adding, "This rule to apply to Auxiliaries, Mission Bands and Circles when possible.

That Art. VI. of Mission Board Constitution be enlarged. (See Art. VI.)

That delegates to the Board next year buy ordinary return tickets.

That greetings be sent to the W. C. T. U. convention, per Mrs. Whiston.

That subscriptions to *Palm Branch* be sent direct to St. John, N.B., instead of through Room 20. Carried. (See back cover.)

That the Executive appoint an Advisory Committee in Victoria for the Rescue Home.

That this Board petition the British Columbia Government *re* slavery of Chinese girls.

That \$300.00 be appropriated towards a nurse's salary in a proposed hospital in Chilliwack when necessary.

That we join the Women's Foreign Mission Societies of the United States in observing November 15th as a day of special prayer for missionaries in China and other disturbed countries.

That the arrangement of the work in China be left to the Executive, the Board expressing a preference for separate hospitals.

That the Executive pay the expenses necessary for the return of missionaries during the year.

That Miss N. G. Hart's furlough salary be paid to date of Board meeting.

That Misses Blackmore, E. Hart and Hargrave be continued on furlough salary until their return to Japan.

That half the expenses of our missionaries, incurred in attending

the Board meeting of the General Society in Montreal, be paid by our Society; also the travelling expenses of our President and Corresponding Secretary.

That the Executive appoint a Committee to revise "Instructions to Missionaries" in Annual Report.

That a letter be sent to the Mission Council in Japan, in reply to a communication received.

A petition has been presented to the Attorney-General of British Columbia, signed by the members of the British Columbia Conference, asking that measures be taken to protect Indian women. This action was approved by the Board.

The following notices of motion were given :

That Art. IX. of Constitution be changed to read "two-thirds vote of the members present."

That any Epworth League numbering forty members or over, or contributing \$25.00 to the W. M. S., be entitled to send a delegate to the Branch meeting.

That where a Circle and Band, auxiliary to the same Auxiliary, have not sufficient membership or funds to entitle them to send a delegate to the Branch meeting, they be allowed to unite and send one, if by so doing they have forty members or \$25.00.

That the financial year close in May or June.

That Branch Treasurers be *ex-officio* members of the Board of Managers.

The election of officers resulted as follows :

<i>President</i>	- - -	Mrs. James Gooderham, Toronto.
<i>Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. A. Carman, Belleville.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. George Kerr, Toronto.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. E. S. Strachan, Hamilton.
<i>Treasurer</i>	- - -	Mrs. T. Thompson, Toronto.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Willmott (who had asked to be relieved of the duties of Recording Secretary) for her years of efficient service.

Miss M. Wilkes was appointed Auditor.

Editors of W. M. S. departments :—*Outlook*, Mrs. Gordon Wright, London; *Guardian*, Miss Firstbrook, Toronto; *Wesleyan*, Mrs. Whiston, Halifax; Editor of *Palm Branch*, Miss Smith, St. John, N.B.; Correspondent for *Onward*, Mrs. McMechan, London.

The following committees were appointed :

Annual Report—Mesdames Strachan, Willmott, Briggs, Thompson and Kerr.

Supply—Mesdames Briggs, U. Ogden, J. A. Williams and J. J. Maclaren.

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

Japan Embroidery—Mrs. U. Ogden, 18 Carlton Street; Mrs. J. J. Maclaren, 88 Wellesley Street, and Mrs. Kerr, 42 Charles Street, Toronto.

Coqualeetza Institute—Mesdames Gooderham, Burns, Briggs, Willmott, Strachan.

Invitations were received to hold the next meeting in Brampton, and Halifax. The former was accepted.

Treasurers in the Mission fields were appointed as follows:

Japan—Miss Robertson, until time of her furlough, her successor to be named by the Executive.

Port Simpson—Mrs. Redner.

Chinese Home—Miss Bowes.

French Work—Mrs. John Torrance.

China—Miss Brackbill.

The Courtesy Committee submitted letters of greeting to our missionaries and to Mr. and Mrs. Tong Chu Tom; a resolution of regret at the absence of our esteemed Treasurer; resolutions of thanks to the pastor, trustees, organist and choir; to the hosts and hostesses, to the press and to the kind ladies of the church for the well-arranged reception on Tuesday evening and for the trouble which they had taken in many ways to make this Board meeting a very pleasant one, the flowers which beautified the room being especially appreciated. This was adopted by a standing vote.

At the public meeting on Tuesday evening the chair was occupied by Rev. S. D. Chown, pastor of the church, and addresses were given by Misses Blackmore and Hargrave of Japan and Miss Clarke of Chilliwack, B.C. Mrs. Briggs read the report of the Supply Committee, Mrs. Strachan gave an abstract of the Corresponding Secretary's report and appropriate music was furnished by the choir of the church.

The following are the appropriations:

xviii MINUTES OF THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING.

JAPAN.

GENERAL.

Travelling, books, furnishings, postage, etc. . . . . \$275 00

TOKYO.

School—  
 Salaries of missionaries, teachers and interpreter . . . . \$1,575 00  
 Support of students . . . . . 1,000 00  
 Wood, light and incidentals . . . . . 315 00  
 Japanese teachers and servants . . . . . 1,100 00  
 Repairs, insurance, taxes, etc. . . . . 600 00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4,590 00

Evangelistic—  
 Salaries of missionary and interpreter . . . . . \$650 00  
 Rent, Bible-women and charity school teachers. . . . . 475 00  
 Jinrikisha, literature and incidentals. . . . . 160 00  
 Orphanage—  
 Running expenses . . . . . 100 00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 1,385 00

SHIZUOKA.

School—  
 Salaries of missionary, teachers and servants . . . . . \$1,100 00  
 Rent, repairs and furnishings . . . . . 400 00  
 Support of students . . . . . 300 00  
 Fuel light, and incidentals . . . . . 76 00  
 Miss Robertson's furlough expenses . . . . . 250 00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 2,126 00

Evangelistic—  
 Salaries of missionary and interpreter . . . . . \$640 00  
 Bible-women's salaries . . . . . 120 00  
 Travelling, literature, and incidentals . . . . . 115 00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 875 00

KOFU.

School—  
 Salaries of missionary and interpreter . . . . . \$650 00  
 Support of students . . . . . 225 00  
 Light, fuel, repairs and incidentals . . . . . 200 00  
 Teachers and servants . . . . . 500 00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 1,575 00

Evangelistic—  
 Salaries of missionary and interpreter . . . . . \$675 00  
 Bible-women's salaries . . . . . 100 00  
 Jinrikisha, literature and incidentals. . . . . 110 00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 885 00

KANAZAWA.

Salaries of missionaries, teacher and interpreter . . . . . \$1,325 00  
 Bible-woman . . . . . 60 00  
 Rent, repairs, fuel and incidentals . . . . . 285 00  
 Teachers of charity schools . . . . . 125 00  
 Running expenses of industrial classes . . . . . 200 00  
 Support of Orphanage . . . . . 300 00  
 Purchase of Daijime school building . . . . . 50 00  
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	Salaries—Misses Brackbill, Ford and Dr. Louise Hart . . . .	\$1,500 00
	Travelling expenses back to Chentu and of Dr. L. Hart ..	825 00
\$275 00	Furnishings, school and evangelistic expenses .....	610 00
	Medical supplies, rent and incidentals .....	1,065 00
	Land and building (last year's appropriation unused) .....	3,500 00
		<u>          </u> \$7,500 00

RESCUE HOME, VICTORIA, B.C.

	Salaries .....	\$800 00
4,590 00	Support of home—rescue and incidental expenses .....	700 00
		<u>          </u> \$1,500 00

CROSBY HOME, PORT SIMPSON, B.C.

	Salaries .....	\$1,150 00
	Support of Home .....	1,300 00
		<u>          </u> \$2,450 00
1,385 00	Salaries, Misses Spence and Lawrence .....	600 00

COQUALEETZA INSTITUTE, CHILLIWHACK, B.C.

	W. M. S. share of running expenses .....	\$2,738 00
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	Mr. Raley's Home .....	\$200 00
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FRENCH WORK.

	East End School, Montreal .....	\$350 00
	West " " " .....	450 00
	Salary of Bible-woman .....	240 00
	Evangelistic supplies .....	55 00
	Grant to St. Faustin .....	75 00
	" St. Theodore .....	50 00
		<u>          </u> \$1,220 00

	Methodist Orphanage, Newfoundland .....	\$500 00
	Literature and Publication Committee .....	\$625 00

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### REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY FOR THE YEAR 1894-95.

The fields covered with their golden harvests and the trees weighted with their luscious fruits, remind one of the sure promises of our God, "While the earth remaineth, seed-time and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night, shall not cease;" and of the one no less sure, "As the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower and bread to the eater; so shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it."

In these annual gatherings we try to gather up the visible results of the year; but as in the natural world we never can tabulate the work accomplished through the vigor of mind and body that have been nourished by the fruits of the earth, so in the spiritual realm there is an infinity of good accomplished beyond what is cognizant to us; and so our hearts are uplifted above our consciously feeble efforts to advance the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ, and we rejoice that He has said to His faithful people, "For ye shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace: the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. Instead of the thorn, shall come up the fir tree, and instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree; and it shall be to the Lord for a name, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off."

In spite of apparent frosts here and there chilling the tender grain and throwing a shadow of fear and regret over the reaper, we know that the Lord of the harvest still watches and cares for His own.

#### JAPAN.

In connection with the Japan field there has been much anxiety owing to unfortunate complications which it is hoped may soon be satisfactorily settled, and our valuable missionaries saved to the work.

Quiet, steady growth has been manifest, especially in the Christian character, liberality, and usefulness of the pupils in our schools. Fifteen of those who have been there trained are now in our employ, loyally carrying out the principles with which they have been instilled.

One hundred and forty-two have been enrolled in our three schools in Azabu, Tokyo, Shizuoka and Kofu.

There were ten graduated last Christmas in the full course of English and Japanese, and seven in the Japanese.

The daily Bible lesson is a strong feature in our work. Attended by all the pupils and some of the native teachers, it cannot but result in well-informed, intelligent Christians, able to divide the Word among others.

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Twenty-seven pupils and six teachers have classes in Sunday-schools, and for this there is special preparation in Normal classes.

One in each school has been baptized, while several others have professed faith in the Lord Jesus, but owing to the objection of parents have not yet entered the Church.

It is pleasing to note the appreciation of our school in Azabu by the Japanese ministers, ten of whose daughters are found among its pupils.

In the Charity School, conducted by the King's Daughters, there are fifty-three enrolled, with an average attendance of forty-one. Those farthest advanced can now read the Bible, are familiar with the first half of the life of Christ, know the four simple rules of arithmetic, can write letters and sew. What a contrast to their former neglected street life!

Our two Orphanages in Tokyo and Kanazawa contain twenty-nine children, making as happy homes as can be found. The changed appearance and conduct of the children are most marked. They are not only instructed, but trained in industries according to their ability. In Kanazawa five of the elder children professed Christianity, and four were baptized.

The industrial schools in this city have continued their beneficent work in not only giving employment, but by this means providing for the spiritual instruction of these toilers, enabling them to keep the Sabbath, and affording some opportunity for the growth of mind and soul.

Under the distinctively evangelistic department there have been over 7,600 visits made, many hearing the Gospel for the first time, and meetings have been held not only in the cities but in many adjacent towns. Sunday-schools have been maintained and several new ones opened.

At least twelve have been led to baptism largely through the efforts of our Bible-women and faithful evangelistic workers. Patient study and preparation, first in English, then in Japanese, or in simple form, to be given through an interpreter, fatigue in journeying, perhaps through storm and over rough roads, to be greeted by half a dozen, or even two or three; visits of inquiry for the absent, words of encouragement or stimulus, cheerful forbearance, "patient continuance in well-doing," firm trust in God to make fruitful the seed sown, all have their part in the life of an evangelistic worker.

#### CHENTU, SZ-CHUEN, CHINA.

The experience of this mission during the year has been most trying, and let us hope it will never be repeated. After patiently studying the language and waiting for the means and opportunity, a small school was opened by Miss Brackbill early in April. A good native teacher had been secured, and there seemed every prospect of success and of ultimately having a boarding-school. Without warning, however, and while the people continued apparently in a friendly

attitude, a riot burst forth in fury, evidently incited by those in authority, which did not close until all the mission property in the city was destroyed, and the missionaries, after a few days' concealment by the officials, were sent down the river, amid much peril and untold discomforts and sufferings, to Shanghai. Miss Ford, a trained nurse, had but just reached Chentu, when thus rudely obliged to return, having lost everything.

The medical work had not yet been actually commenced in Chentu, Mrs. Kilborn having spent the year with her husband in Kiating, where, however, she had been gaining a knowledge of the language and had assisted in the dispensary.

For a time these workers are called aside, but with hearts full of zeal and devotion to the Master they are diligently preparing themselves to take up the work as soon as He opens the door.

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

The Home for Chinese girls in Victoria, B.C., has continued its Christlike work. The numbers have diminished through the marriage of several of the girls, so that at present there are but seven inmates—six Chinese, and one Japanese, who had taken refuge in this retreat and here learned of the Saviour of the world, and was baptized into His Church.

It is with regret that the Home is obliged to part with its kind and efficient superintendent, Mrs. Morrow, who for three years has been so faithful, but she is being succeeded by one well-known and esteemed, Miss Bowes, who, it is hoped, will be made, with her associate, Miss Wickett, a great blessing to all the Chinese community.

#### INDIAN WORK.

##### CROSBY GIRLS' HOME, PORT SIMPSON, B.C.

The number of pupils reported here is twenty-two, but there is good prospect of more being admitted shortly. In May, Miss Paul assumed the duties of teacher, bringing fresh life to that department.

During the year it was thought well to form a Visiting and Advisory Committee of ministers and friends in the neighborhood, and it is hoped that this will result in giving the parents greater confidence, in an increase of numbers, and also in the encouragement and help of the workers.

A nurse and assistant are maintained in the hospital under Dr. Bolton's superintendence.

##### COQUALEETZA INDIAN INSTITUTE, CHILLIWHACK, B.C.

A fine work is being carried on here under the joint support of the Missionary Society and the Woman's Missionary Society. Satisfactory progress has been made in studies and in industrial pursuits, but the hearts of teachers have been specially cheered by several conversions.

One of the staff, Miss Clarke, after five years of successful labor, is now at home on furlough.

The number in the French school is 100. The number of boys is 100. It is hoped that it may be

In these times of interest on the part of the public, good results. with an average of 100. The number of conversions, two or three, are maintained.

In the West, there are forty-five. During the year, the kindergartens were faithfully taught, and more than formerly.

The Bible is read 100 times per month. The two schools are doing better work than

#### METHODIST

During the year, this institution was furnished by the church, and was highly appreciated.

We have 100 fields. The Lord has committed the work to us, and we have rendered a good account. His cause has advanced, and followed by the power of the Holy Spirit.

The various standing committees and often self-sustaining funds in order to support the Sunday School. Our own highly educated and in the favor of the Lord. What are we doing for the honor! and for the glory of God.

## FRENCH WORK.

## FRENCH INSTITUTE, MONTREAL.

The number of girls supported by the Woman's Missionary Society in the French Institute has, during the past year, exceeded the number of boys. In their hearts good seed has been sown. Let us hope that it may be made abundantly fruitful.

## DAY SCHOOLS.

In these there has been an encouraging increase of numbers and interest on the part of the parents. Faithful work has met with good results. In the East End school fifty-seven were registered, with an average attendance of twenty-seven of different religious persuasions, two being Jews. A mothers' meeting and prayer-meeting are maintained.

In the West End 120 were enrolled, the average attendance being forty-five. During the year the building has been improved. A kindergarten class is carried on, and the Bible and catechism are faithfully taught. An encouraging sign is that pupils remain longer than formerly.

The Bible Woman, Miss Anderson, has made about one hundred visits per month.

The two schools in the country receiving grants have done even better work than formerly, though meeting some opposition.

## METHODIST ORPHANAGE, ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

During the very trying commercial experience of the past year this institution would have been greatly embarrassed but for the aid furnished by the grant from the Woman's Missionary Society, which was highly appreciated by those immediately in charge.

We have much reason for gratitude while thus reviewing our fields. The Lord has been gracious; with thanksgiving and trust we commit the work of the year to Him, that mistakes and failures may be rendered as little harmful as possible, that the least effort to advance His cause in any direction may receive His approval and be followed by the Holy Spirit's influence, who alone can give life and power.

The various Secretaries of the Branches, as well as those of our standing committees, will need to tell the home aspects, the faithful and often self-denying efforts made here to awaken interest and raise funds in order to get a just idea of the work of the Woman's Missionary Society. Face to face with those who know not Christ, or, in our own highly favored land, we are "workers together with Him," and in the favor of His infinite love and sacrifice for us we exclaim, What are we that Thou shouldst count us worthy of this great honor! and pray for the anointing that will fit us for such a responsibility.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, 1894-95.

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## REPORT OF GENERAL TREASURER OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Oct. 10th, 1894.	RECEIPTS.	
To Balance in Bank of Toronto	-	\$34,836 95
Oct. 8th, 1895.		
To Hamilton Conference Branch	-	5,026 99
London	-	5,022 69
Toronto	-	5,250 00
Bay of Quinte	-	4,865 00
Montreal	-	4,990 63
Nova Scotia	-	3,659 71
N. B. & P. E. I.	-	4,966 14
British Columbia	-	425 20
Auxiliaries--Newfoundland, St. John's West, \$293.94; Gower Street (late St. John's East), \$108.05; Bonavista, \$18.00. Winnipeg--Grace Church, \$151.65; Zion, \$101.40. Portage la Prairie, \$13.60; Brandon, \$26.00; Calgary, \$41.54; Medi- cine Hat, \$19.50; Beulah, \$63.66; Minnedosa, \$26.00; McDonald, \$13.00; West Prospect, \$2.30.	-	878 64
Total	-	878 64
Government grants for 1894-95 for Port Simpson	-	1,356 83
Sale of work from Kanazawa Industrial School	-	495 25
Quebec Methodist Church Mission Band, for support of girl for 1894-5 in Crosby Home	-	100 00
Epworth League, Lindsay, for Crosby Home	-	30 00
Cochrane Street School, St. John's, Nfld., for Japan girl	-	50 00
Late Western Branch (balance received Oct. 29, '94)	-	103 00
Collection (Board meeting)	-	12 75
Bequests--		
From Miss Scouten	-	\$50 00
" Miss Heales, St. John, N.B.	-	2,000 00
" Mrs Colbeck, Clinton, for French work	-	25 00
" Susan Barrack, Welland County, less legal expenses	-	284 13
" Interest	-	21 80
	-	<u>2,480 93</u>

Oct. 8th, 1895.	DISBURSEMENTS.	
By Japan--Drafts to Secretary-Treasurer	-	\$14,000 00
" " for Teachers' friends	-	1,805 68
" " " Salaries on furlough	-	1,650 00
" " " Outfits	-	103 00
" Duty on goods and Methodist Book Room	-	36 56
	-	<u>\$17,595 24</u>
French work	-	5,084 00
Newfoundland Orphanage	-	500 00
Port Simpson, hospital nurse	-	\$500 00
Crosby Home, Port Simpson	-	2,314 40
	-	<u>2,814 40</u>
Chilliwack, maintenance and building	-	5,421 51
Chinese Home, Victoria	-	1,583 85
China	-	4,021 39
Expenses--Delegates to Annual Meeting, including four missionaries present by request of Board	-	\$815 26
" Sexton	-	5 00
" Postage for President	-	7 00
" " Corresponding Secy.	-	21 38
" " Editress of Outlook	-	3 16
" Delegates to Executive meet- ings	-	136 05
" Balance of Gerty's fees	-	69 00
" Book Room, programmes	-	4 25
" Freight	-	5 95
" Material for neostyle	-	3 80
" Type-writing for Special Com- mittee	-	19 62
" Board at Deaconess' Home	-	12 18
" Free literature, etc.	-	2 42
" Treasurer--Draft, \$33.25; post- age, \$6.00; stationery, \$1.75	-	41 00
" Literature per Miss Ogden	-	687 95
	-	<u>1,834 02</u>

Donations--		
From J. G. Lucas, Newfoundland	-	\$10 00
" A lover of missions, for hospital work, China	-	20 00
" G. Robinson, for girl in Crosby Home	-	50 00
" Epworth League, Erin	-	2 00
	-	<u>82 00</u>
Interest, Bank of Toronto	-	683 60
	-	<u>\$75,216 31</u>

McDougall Orphanage, furnishings, per Dr. Suther- land	-	367 50
Kitamaat, for care of Indian children	-	200 00
Balance in Bank of Toronto	-	\$33,008 87
" " " Bequest Ac't	-	2,785 53
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Audited and found correct.

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per F. G. M.

HESTER C. THOMPSON,  
Treasurer.

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By Balance in Bank	-	\$35,794 40

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From Miss Scoulen	\$50 00
" Miss Heales, St. John, N.B.	2,000 00
" Mrs Colbeck, Clinton, for French work	25 00
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" Interest	21 80
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Easter Thank Offerings and Donations for Chertu Hospital, included in above accounts:

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From Hamilton Conference Branch	\$628 29
" Toronto	692 98
" Montreal	689 63
" Bay of Quinte	344 58
" N. B. & P. E. I.	506 21
" Nova Scotia	311 91
" London	177 79
" British Columbia	60 40
" Grace Church, Winnipeg	30 00
" Zion Church, " "Prairie Gleaners" Mission Band	9 00
" Calgary Auxiliary	13 85
" Beulah	42 00
" Minnedosa	5 75
" West End Auxiliary, Newfoundland	25 00

Sums received too late for audit. These will appear in report for 1895-6.

Kanazawa industrial work	\$34 75
Brandon Auxiliary	15 00
Montreal Conference Branch, additional	94 00
Bay of Quinte	216 60
Hamilton	61 00

Total - - - - - \$421 35

DONATIONS.	
St. John's West, Nfld., Centenary Mission Band, for support of pupil	\$50 00
Prince St. Aux., Charlottetown, P.E.I., for Japan work	8 84
" " " " Hospital at Port Simpson	1 99
Grace Church, Winnipeg, for support of Grace Endo	50 00
West Prospect Auxiliary, for Japan	2 30
Brownsville Auxiliary, for support of Bible Woman	33 00
Albert College Mission Band, for support of Girl in Chinese Home	50 00
"Wayside Gleaners" Mission Band, Lindsay, for support of Indian girl in Crosby Home	25 02
Quebec Methodist Church Mission Band, for support of girl in Crosby Home for 1894-95	100 00

Oct., 1895.	
Amount raised this year, including Government grant	\$40,379 36
" " last year	39,808 33
Increase	<u>\$571 03</u>

In donations received through the Mission Rooms last year, the following should have been specially mentioned: For Crosby Home — Mrs. Drummond, \$10.00; In memory of Hazel Huntly Pearen, \$5.00; Miss Drummond, \$10.00.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-TREASURER.

ROOM 20 IN ACCOUNT WITH THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

DR.

To Balance, cash on hand October 1st, 1894 .....	\$8 32
" Cash for Leaflets and W. M. S. books .....	416 69
" " Calendar .....	212 21
" " Other sources .....	45 29

\$682 51

CR.

By Cash for Leaflets and W. M. S. books .....	\$281 77
" " Calendar .....	161 55
" " Postage .....	92 54
" " Duty, office supplies and sundries .....	52 69
" " Miscellaneous items .....	77 25
" Balance, cash on hand .....	16 71

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MONTHLY LETTER.

DR.

To Balance, cash on hand October 1st, 1894 .....	\$7 54
" Cash, subscriptions received .....	548 08

\$555 62

CR.

By Printing and mailing .....	\$547 68
" Sundries .....	6 55
" Balance, cash on hand .....	1 39

\$555 62

PALM BRANCH.

DR.

To Balance from last year .....	\$15 23
" Subscriptions .....	223 82
" Interest .....	0 55

\$239 60

" Deficit .....	45 82
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\$285 42

CR.

By Printing and mailing .....	\$283 02
" Drafts and postage .....	2 40

\$285 42

AMERICAN PERIODICALS.

DR.

To Balance, cash on hand October 1st, 1894 .....	\$8 43
" Cash, subscriptions received .....	191 05

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By Cash, subscriptions forwarded .....	\$168 27
" " Postage, etc.....	1 98
" " Map of Japan for Annual Report .....	17 35
" " Balance on hand.....	11 88
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	\$199 48

FREE LITERATURE AND ANNUAL GRANTS FROM BOARD OF MANAGERS.

DR.

To <i>Palm Branch</i> deficit last year .....	\$62 95
" Cash, subscriptions for Annual Report.....	279 89
" " Grant.....	625 00
" " Organizer's outfits .....	16 15
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	\$983 98

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By Cash, <i>Palm Branch</i> deficit last year .....	\$62 95
" " Rent.....	87 50
" " Assistance at Room 20 .....	67 50
" " Annual Report .....	471 34
" " 2,000 mite-boxes, printing Leaflets, printing blank forms ..	171 35
" " Street car fare (Secretary-Treasurer).....	20 86
" " Sundries ..	0 91
" " <i>Palm Branch</i> deficit this year .....	45 82
" Balance in bank .....	55 76
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A. L. OGDEN, *Sec.-Treas.*

AMOUNT RAISED SINCE ORGANIZATION.

1881-82 - - - - -	\$2,916 78
1882-83 - - - - -	4,281 19
1883-84 - - - - -	6,421 15
1884-85 - - - - -	7,452 92
1885-86 - - - - -	11,639 91
1886-87 - - - - -	14,197 57
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1890-91 - - - - -	31,698 96
1891-92 - - - - -	35,789 90
1892-93 - - - - -	37,974 16
1893-94 - - - - -	39,808 33
1894 95 - - - - -	40,379 36

Total .....\$299,497 65

MISSIONARIES OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Entered upon the work.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	Former Residence.
JAPAN.			
Dec. 27, 1882....	Miss Martha J. Cartmell....	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo.	Hamilton, Ont.
Feb. 26, 1885....	*Mrs. Eliza Spencer Large ..	" " " " " " " " " "	Paris, Ont.
Sept. 15, 1887....	Miss Janie Cunningham ..	Jo Gakko, Shizuoka.....	Halifax, N.S.
Jan. 23, 1888....	* " Kate Morgan .....	" " " " " " " " " "	Brantford, Ont.
May 16, 1888....	" E. A. Preston .....	" Kofu .....	Mt. Pleasant, Ont.
Sept. 15, 1888....	" Jessie K. Munro .....	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo.	Peterboro', Ont.
May 30, 1889....	* " Isabella M. Hargrave ..	Kanazawa .....	Winnipeg, Man.
Aug. 27, 1889....	* " Lizzie Hart .....	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo.	Arcadia, N.S.
" " " " " " " " " "	* " Isabella Blackmore ..	Jo Gakko, Kofu .....	Truro, N.S.
" " " " " " " " " "	* " Nellie G. Hart, ..	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo.	Pictou, Ont.
Aug. 12, 1891....	" Minnie A. Robertson ..	Jo Gakko, Shizuoka.....	St. John, N.B.
Sept. 13, 1892....	" M. Abbie Veazey .....	Kanazawa .....	St. Stephen, N.B.
Sept. 13, 1892....	" Alexander .....	Jo Gakko, Kofu .....	Streetsville, Ont.
Sept. 11, 1893....	" E. Crombie .....	Kanazawa .....	Juvenile, N.B.
Aug. 20, 1894....	" Alice E. Belton .....	14 Torii Zaka, Azabu, Tokyo.	Clayton, Ont.
" " " " " " " " " "	" Marion K. Lambly....	" " " " " " " " " "	Bloomfield, Ont.
INDIAN WORK.			
Dec. 17, 1891....	Miss Ellen Beavis .....	Port Simpson, B.C.....	Hastings, Ont.
May 1, 1892....	" Spence .....	Hospital, British Columbia.	Kingston, Ont.
Jan. 4, 1890....	* " Lavinia Clarke .....	Chilliwack, B.C.....	Pownal, P.E.I.
Aug., 1893....	" Maggie Smith .....	" " " " " " " " " "	Maitland, N.S.
June 24, 1895....	" Sarah E. Alton .....	" " " " " " " " " "	Oakville, Ont.
March 30, 1893....	Mrs. J. Redner .....	Port Simpson, B.C.....	Hastings, Ont.
May 22, 1895....	Hannah M. Paul .....	" " " " " " " " " "	Newburgh, Ont.
FRENCH.			
	Miss Masten .....	French Institute, Montreal.	
	" Maggie Jackson .....	West End School, " "	
	" Mathieu .....	East " " " " " "	
	" Anderson .....	Bible-woman, " "	
CHINESE HOME.			
Sept. 1, 1895....	Miss S. Bowes .....	100 Cormorant St, Victoria, [B.C.]	Milton, Ont.
	" Florence G. Wickett ..	" " " " " " " " " "	Toronto, Ont.
CHINA.			
Feb. 28, 1893....	Mrs. R. Gifford Kilborn, M.D.	Chentu, Sz-Chuen, China...	Owen Sound, Ont.
" " " " " " " " " "	Miss S. Brackbill .....	" " " " " " " " " "	Ridgeway, Ont.
Jan. 26, 1895....	" Jennie M. Ford.....	" " " " " " " " " "	Dresden, Ont.

\* Home on furlough.

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

- JAPAN.—Miss Wintemute, now Mrs. H. H. Coates; Miss Shoultz, Miss Cushing.
- PORT SIMPSON, B.C.—Miss Knight, now Mrs. Walker; Miss Sadie Hart, now Mrs. (Rev.) Spencer; Miss Caldwell.
- CHILLIWACK, B.C.—Miss Elderkin, now Mrs. Midgley; Miss Somers.
- VICTORIA, B.C.—Miss Lake, Mrs. Morrow.
- FRENCH WORK.—Madame Moirin.

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## REPORT OF THE SUPPLY COMMITTEE.

The past year has been a busy one in this department of our W.M.S. Many pressing needs have been supplied, and many hearts made glad by the distribution of the clothing, bedding, toys, books, etc.—the contents of the numerous boxes, bales and parcels that have been sent to different missions.

Many letters have been received expressing heart-felt appreciation and sincerest thanks for these practical evidences of kindly Christ-like interest in the poor and distressed.

While our minds and hearts have been full of sympathy for those who needed our help, no less have our hands been filled with benefits, by some never to be forgotten.

Sometimes there comes an offering from little children who can hardly do more than paste pictures in a scrapbook; there come some prettily dressed dolls; again comes a fancifully-made quilt, from a young girl, who, through illness, is most of the time confined to her room; another comes from an aged lady, who in her declining years slowly stitches a quilt to send away to make one of our missionaries more comfortable; from another invalid, this time an elderly lady, comes a parcel of useful gifts to be sent to other sick ones who are lacking the care and love which surround her. And so the work goes on, loving tributes from all ages and all classes, "in His name."

Now let us hear from those who receive our gifts. From a poor woman there comes a letter: "Please thank those little S.S. scholars who sent those flannel skirts; little girls who had none are now wearing them. Surely Jesus put it into their hearts to send them."

One of our missionaries in the backwoods goes on his round of pastoral visits carrying some of our gifts with him. In one place he visited a family in utter destitution. A disastrous fire had swept away their home, leaving the family of seven persons with only the garments they had escaped in. Their crops and grain were all destroyed, yet in the midst of it all the father says, "The Lord giveth, and the Lord taketh away." The preacher writes: "Had you seen the expression of deep gratitude upon their faces at the reception of those garments, every one of you good ladies would have been doubly paid for your great kindness."

Another family is visited where there are five young children; destitution prevails here also, for in spite of hard work, money is very hard to obtain. The young preacher has slept in this house when his bed was formed of three boards and his covering the buffalo robes from his cutter. The eyes of the man and his wife fairly glistened with pleasure when they received some articles of clothing and bedding. Recently, in some special services, this man and his wife with one of their daughters were converted, and are to-day praising God for spiritual blessings and temporal gifts.

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 Kingston, Ont.

Downal, P.E.I.  
 Aitland, N.S.

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Shoultz, Miss

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Again, a family where there are nine children attract our attention. The children are all too young to work ; the father has the will but not the strength to do the work which is offered to him. The wife and mother is almost distracted in her endeavors to provide food and clothing for so many, and but for her trust in God she would give up in despair. One cold morning last winter our young preacher entered their dilapidated home and found the little barefooted children trying to keep warm by jumping about on the floor which glistened with the early morning frost. As he laid the bundle of warm clothing down, the eyes of husband and wife were full of tears as they expressed their gratitude with half-choked sobs and inarticulate words.

A poor woman wrote her thanks for gifts of clothing for herself and family. Living in a new part of the country, they have very hard work to make a living and are quite unable to purchase clothing. She had not had a new dress for five years, and her children were often unable to go to church or Sunday-school for want of decent covering. Gifts from our Supply Committee enable them to go.

From the Indian Reserve we receive letters equally satisfactory. Our presents enable many of the Indians to have a joyful time on Christmas day as well as bring comfort and warmth to their homes and persons.

The missionaries say that we can have no idea what an educating and refining influence a picture, a card, or a quilt can have in such homes. One old Indian woman last winter who received a quilt was so delighted with it that she declared "it was much too pretty to sleep under, she would just keep it to look at."

Now let us go to the North-West. One of our missionaries, with his wife, went from Ontario to an unorganized mission in the far west. They found a half finished church, no parsonage and no furniture. Worst of all, their books, of which they were very proud, and everything else they possessed, were destroyed by fire at the station. They were almost discouraged, when in a short time came letters of sympathy and offers of help. Cases of books, clothing and bedding were sent, and soon the book shelves they had put up in faith were more than full, but best of all the loving sympathy so wonderfully drawn out has made them consecrate themselves more fully to the work of the Master.

Other families among our missionaries have been aided quite as materially as the one just mentioned, but enough has been said to assure you that our aim is to supply the needs of our missions all over the country as far as we can.

In Nova Scotia a branch of this committee has been formed to supply needy Home Missions in that province instead of sending so far as to the North-West or British Columbia.

Over 150 Auxiliaries and Mission Bands have contributed in one way or another to this department of our work, and over \$2,000.00 worth of goods sent away.

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case valued at

\$37.50.



The Indian Department at Ottawa has refunded to Auxiliaries the sum of \$87.64 which had been paid on freight to Indian missions in the North-West.

We are looking forward to another busy year, hoping to bring much comfort and happiness to many homes.

The following places received gifts of clothing and bedding :

**MCDUGALL ORPHANAGE**—Received \$10.00 from W. H. Doel, Esq.; cases of goods from Consecon ; from Goderich, valued at \$31.00 ; from Cobden, valued at \$36.00 ; and Durham, valued at \$54.00.

**CHILLIWHACK**—Cases from Gorrie, Harlem, Castleton, Old Windham Mission Band, Simcoe, Port Dover, Highgate ; quilts from Exeter, Ravenscliff Mission Band, "The Golden Reapers" Mission Band (Grace Church, St. Thomas), Stirling, Richmond Hill, "Glad Tidings" Mission Band (Belleville), Willowdale, Port Hope, Newtonville, Milton, Euclid Avenue, Bowmanville, worth \$8.00 ; Glen Orchard Mission Band, Elgin Point, Moira, four quilts worth \$10.00 ; Hilton, case valued at \$50.00 ; bale from Albert Mission Band, pillows and towels, worth \$8.00 ; from Oakville, Freulton and Millgrove, pillows, etc., valued at \$14.50 ; scrapbooks from Bathurst Street Sunday-school children.

**CAPE CROKER**—Cases and bales from Bayham, valued at \$30.00 ; Essex, Varna, Woodham, Brucefield, and parcel from Kippen.

**WALFORD**—From Dunkerron, Iroquois, valued at \$85.00 ; and Dungannon.

**POWASSAN**—From Berlin, Fallbrook, valued at \$35.00 ; "Starlight" Mission Band, Cobden, valued at \$57.00.

**MOOSE JAW**—From Glencoe, valued at \$72.00 ; and a case from Trinity Church.

**ORANGE RIDGE, MAN.**—Case from Omemee, valued at \$60.00 ; from "Excelsior" Mission Band of Cambridge Street Church, Lindsay, Brimston's Corners, valued at \$60.00 ; Greenway Band of "Willing Workers," quilts and clothing.

**LAKE TALON**—From Milverton, and King Street Church, Toronto.

**SOUTHWOLD**—From Bowmanville, valued at \$20.00.

**SUDBURY**—From Bowmanville, valued at \$20.00 ; Seaforth, Chesterville, Wesley Church, valued at \$75.00.

**TROUT CREEK**—Cases from Penville, the Young Ladies' Mission Band of Wesley Church, valued at \$70.00 ; Carlton Street Sunday-school, and Elm Street Mission Band, Christmas gifts.

**MOOSE WOODS RESERVE**—From Askin Street Auxiliary, London, case valued at \$45.00 ; case from McCaul Street Church, worth \$37.50.

THE ONEIDA RESERVE—From Wilsonville Mission Band, case valued at \$18.50 ; Rockwood and Newburgh.

CHRISTIAN ISLAND—Quilts, clothing, etc., from Selby, valued at \$25.00 ; Tottenham, Bayside and Bath, valued at \$20.00 ; Vroomanton, valued at \$28.00 ; Markham, Unionville and Locust Hill Auxiliaries, a case valued at \$50.00.

SAUGEEN—Christmas gifts from Stratford and Seaforth, also from "Cheerful Givers" Mission Band, Uxbridge.

ST. FAUSTIN—From Lunenburg, Stoney Creek and Moira, valued at \$31.00.

WINNIPEG, for shipment to Indian Reserves in North-West—Cases and bales from Hespeler, Wicklow, Aurora, for Mr. Gaudin, valued at \$105.00 ; Chatsworth, Gananoque, valued at \$60.00 ; South Woodslee, \$50.00 worth ; Millgrove, valued at \$45.00.

OXFORD HOUSE—Barrel valued at \$57.00, from Newmarket.

BERENS RIVER—Case from Goderich, valued at \$31.00.

STURGEON FALLS—From Centre Church, Rednersville, valued at \$45.00 ; Hillier and Charlotte Street, Peterboro'.

THESSALON—From Yonge Street Auxiliary.

GIBSON RESERVE—From Gravenhurst.

NAUGHTON—Colborne, and Richmond Hill valued at \$50.00.

MUNCEY—From "Willing Hands," Murray, Walkerton Mission Band, quilt and scrapbooks ; Port Hope, quilts from Nile, Littlewood, value \$50.00 ; Newcastle, value \$28.00.

RAMA MISSION—From Trenton, \$20.00 worth ; Little Britain, Green Bush, Cannington, \$20.40 worth.

ST. CLAIR—Case from Woodham.

YEARLEYS, MUSKOKA—Quilts and clothing from Oakwood, Orono, and Simcoe.

HIAWATHA—Barrel from Wellington.

ARDEN, MAN.—Mark Street, Peterboro' ; Mission Circle of Simcoe Street, Oshawa, valued at \$40.00.

WALPOLE ISLAND—Christmas gifts from Toronto Junction.

MATTAWA—Case from Cannington.

LACOMBE—Bale from Kingsville, valued at \$28.00 ; quilts from Stouffville and Campbellford, also from Toronto, valued at \$150.00.

NEEPAWA—From Thorndale, valued at \$30.00 ; Parkdale Mission Circle, Rockton, Bolton, valued at \$26.00 ; Eastwood and Omemee.

PORT SIMPSON—Two small boxes from Norwich, valued at \$50.00.

TO HOSPITAL AT PORT SIMPSON—Parcel of linen from Brant Avenue Mission Circle, Brantford ; also linen from a few friends of the W.M.S. in Montreal ; Frankville, case valued at \$30.00.

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REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA SUPPLY COMMITTEE. XXXV

WHITE WHALE LAKE—Two bales of quilts and clothing from Mount Forest, Yarmouth and Talbotville, valued at \$57.00.

BRANDON—Case valued at \$30.00 from Paisley.

COMMANDA—Parcels from Bracebridge and Uxbridge; cases from Allandale, Napanee, valued at \$25.00, and Princeton; from Mr. Lingleback, \$3.00.

ALGOMA MILLS—Case from Princeton; bale from Vanessa, valued at \$26.00.

SADDLE LAKE—Case valued at \$45.00; from Newton Robinson, and Centralia, worth \$47.00.

KITAMAAT—Case from Wilfrid, valued at \$24.00; barrel from Lakefield; small bales from Bowmanville, Scarboro', Enniskillen, Athens, Vankleek Hill.

GEORGINA ISLAND—Quilts from Uxbridge and East Toronto Sunday-school class.

REGINA—Case from Bolton.

ROSALIE M. BRIGGS, Sec.

REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA SUPPLY COMMITTEE.

At the suggestion of our President, Mrs. Whiston, who with her usual foresight and intense interest in all phases of our beloved work, and with the approval of Mrs. Briggs, a local Supply Committee for Nova Scotia was formed *pro tem.* in Halifax in April last. Regular and systematic work could not be done until permission was granted by the Branch Meeting to take up this work, so we gleaned where we could and distributed to those who had need, with the following results:

Auxiliaries contributed value as follows:

Granville Ferry, cash and clothing .....	\$26 00
Truro " " .....	18 00
Halifax South " " .....	27 00
Dartmouth " " .....	10 00
Kingston clothing .....	8 25
Halifax North cash and clothing .....	3 50
" West clothing .....	17 50
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Clothing to amount of .....	\$15 00
Cash .....	2 50

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Clothing and groceries to amount of \$78.00 sent to Newfoundland and gratefully acknowledged by Rev. A. D. Morton. Messrs. F. D. Corbett & Co., of Halifax, kindly forwarded all packages free of freight.

Several parcels were also sent to ministers in different parts of our own province.

The report of this committee was so well received at the Branch Meeting, and formed into a permanent part of our work, that we go forward with added zeal, hoping to do more and better work next year.

#### REPORT OF LITERATURE AND PUBLICATION COMMITTEE.

Although since last annual meeting Room 20 has changed its location in Wesley Buildings, it is Room 20 still, and there the Literature Committee has held thirty-one meetings this year.

The publication of the Calendar was the first business attended to. Although considerable profit was realized, less than 1,000 were sold. It was therefore thought advisable to dispense with a Calendar for 1896.

The Committee is pleased to report an increase of 450 subscriptions to the *Monthly Letter*, closing the year with a circulation of 12,050. Suggested programmes for Auxiliaries have been continued and have become a valuable part of the *Monthly Letter*.

"Origin and Work" has been revised by Mrs. Parker and will be issued at an early date.

New leaflets have been added to Our Work series. No. VI., on "French Canadian Manners and Customs," by Rev. T. Z. Lefebvre; No. II., "Our Chinese Rescue Home," by Miss Wickett; No. III., "Our Work in Japan," by Mr. Beal, formerly of that country; and No. VII., "Trials and Triumphs of Early Methodism in the North-West," by Rev. J. Semmens.

"Not for the Heathen Merely, but for Christ" has been issued from our own printing office, by permission.

Dr. Dowkontt, the author of "Murdered Millions," consented to a Canadian edition of his valuable pamphlet.

Revision of the list of Leaflets has been under consideration, and in the near future many new and valuable ones will be added.

Manuscripts for loan, suitable for Auxiliaries and Mission Bands, may be found at Room 20; there is also the nucleus of a circulating library, to which the committee will be pleased to receive contributions.

Business at Room 20 has so increased under Miss Ogden's careful management that last February it was found necessary to provide a

paid assistant, Miss Matthews was entered, and continues to increase the number of letters entered, filed, and as orders filled for patient when delayed.

Members of our department have entered, filed, and as orders filled for patient when delayed. Thirty-one meetings accomplished by the management of the subscription list of Papers to American periodicals out all "back orders" each is expected to be a department.

When a manuscript before the committee member to take It is then brought closer reading. Estimates follow, the able little leaflet

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paid assistant, Miss Ogden's services being wholly gratuitous. Miss Matthews was engaged to give half of her time, but if the work continues to increase, more of her time will be required.

Members of our W.M.S. all over the Dominion have no idea of the number of letters received at Room 20, which must be read, entered, filed, and replied to, involving much book-keeping, as well as orders filled for leaflets and mite-boxes, or they would be more patient when delay occurs in the reception of their orders.

Thirty-one meetings do not represent the full amount of work accomplished by the committee, as several members have undertaken the management of special departments. For instance: The subscription list of *Palm Branch* was handed to one member, subscriptions to American periodicals are forwarded by another, still another sends out all "back orders" and leaflets for suggested programmes, and each is expected to attend to the correspondence incident to her own department.

When a manuscript suitable for publication is procured, it is read before the committee, when it is frequently found necessary for a member to take it home and condense it to the required limits. It is then brought before the committee and again subjected to a still closer reading. Interviews with the printer and obtaining of estimates follow, then the inevitable proof-reading and finally a creditable little leaflet is added to the list.

There is a gratifying increase in subscriptions to the *Palm Branch*; 2,150 copies are distributed monthly. It is a most excellent paper and ought to be self-supporting. The general verdict from subscribers is, "We could not do without it."

A. M. BASCOM,  
*Sec. Lit. Com.*

#### PUBLICATIONS ISSUED.

Our Work, No. V. - - - - -	600 copies.
Circulars re Calendar - - - - -	550 "
Mrs. Pickett's Mite-box - - - - -	3,000 "
Calendar for 1895 - - - - -	1,000 "
Methods of Work, for M. B., 2nd edition - - - - -	2,000 "
Rules of Order - - - - -	1,000 "
An Appeal to Methodist Women - - - - -	5,000 "
Our Work, No. VI. - - - - -	1,500 "
Thomas Henry - - - - -	5,000 "
Constitution for Auxiliary - - - - -	1,000 "
Not for the Heathen Merely, but for Christ - - - - -	1,000 "
Murdered Millions - - - - -	500 "
Mite-boxes - - - - -	2,000 "

MAP OF JAPAN.  

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The Literature Committee has pleasure in calling attention to this very excellent map of Japan, on which our Mission Stations appear in red letters. The map was procured from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and shows, as will be observed, the Company's Steamship route, also in red. This gives additional interest as indicating the line by which our missionaries travel so comfortably to and from Japan and China. We learn from them that the uniform courtesy and kindness of the Company's officials contribute much to the comfort and pleasure of their journeys.

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REPORT OF THE  
JAPAN COUNCIL OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

FOR THE YEAR 1894-5.

The eighth annual meeting of the Japan Council of the Woman's Missionary Society was held in Karuizawa, July 17th, 18th and 19th. The following members were present : Misses Robertson, Cartmell, Cunningham, Munro, Preston, Veazey, Crombie, Lambley and Belton. The devotional exercises were led by Miss Robertson.

Miss Belton continues to fill the office of Recording Secretary for the present year.

The reports from the Branches were received as follows :

TOKYO.

*(Missionaries: Misses Munro, Belton and Lambly.)*

*School.*—The total number of pupils registered during the year is seventy-eight. At Christmas nine graduated—six from the full course and three from the Japanese course. Two who had not completed the course were sent out into the field. We have a present attendance of sixty-three.

There are eighty-seven names on our Sunday-School roll, with an average attendance of seventy-two, while the regular attendance at the daily Bible lesson is seventy-one. We are pleased to note this attendance at our Sunday-School classes, several who are not pupils, and whose attendance is in no way compulsory, attending regularly. We have at present thirty supported girls. Only eight of these are supported in full.

This year fifteen young women, who have been trained in our school, have been paid workers of the Woman's Missionary Society, besides a number who in their own homes give very efficient aid. One student was baptized during the year. Twelve of our students teach in Sunday-School, six in the church in Azabu, and six in homes in the Azabu District. In these homes there is an attendance of 156.

The servants attend their Wednesday Bible-class regularly, showing great interest and asking many thoughtful questions.

It is very gratifying to us to be intrusted with the care of the children of so many of our Church members, and the sisters and daughters of so many of our ministers. Of the latter there are ten in our school.



At the close of the school year we graduated four girls in Japanese and one in English. Of the four Japanese graduates two withdrew from the school, one returned to go on with her English, and one remained in the school to take up matron's duties and help in the teaching. The one who completed her English course is now teacher and interpreter for one of the Canadian teachers.

It is with much satisfaction that we see our girls coming up to stand by us in the work. After years of patient labor and careful discipline they come forth equipped as workers, to take up under our direction work among their own people, giving out to them the truths they have received from us, carrying on the work in a direction we who come from a country entirely different in thought and custom cannot do so well.

*Evangelistic.*—In January women's meetings were opened at Mizuki and Fukoroi, and in April one was started in a little village near Shizuoka, so that we have work now in thirteen places.

We have three Bible-women; Mikoda san, the former matron of the Kofu school, having been taken on as a worker in January; 1,399 visits have been paid by the Bible-women, 165 meetings have been held and forty houses visited for the first time. There have been eight baptisms, partly the result of the work of the Bible-women, and there are now several candidates for baptism.

Meetings for women and children have also been held regularly at five towns outside of Shizuoka by two of our Japanese helpers, graduates of the Azabu school, and one of our own graduates. The average attendance at most of the meetings has been slightly in advance of last year, and at three places the increasing interest in Bible study has been marked.

On account of the irregularities of the trains during the last three months, the children's meeting at Shimada has not been held. The average attendance at this meeting from September till March was 158; the average attendance at the Yokouchi children's meeting was thirty; at Kakegawa, eight. Average attendance at the three Sunday-Schools under the superintendence of workers from the girl's school is 144.

In addition to the weekly workers' meeting held at our pastor's house, which we continue to attend, a monthly meeting of the women workers has been held at the school since January.

#### KOFU.

(*Misses Cartmell and Preston.*)

*School.*—During the year eleven pupils have entered, but with ten withdrawals, chiefly through sickness, death, or removal to other places, we have gained in numbers but one, giving us enrolled thirty-eight pupils.

The *personnel* of the school staff has almost entirely changed through the year, increased general efficiency in the teaching being the result. A number of books have been added to our Japanese library; our facilities for teaching chemistry have been improved, and we have begun to realize something from the work of the supported girls in embroidery.

Since the opening of the school, six years ago, eighty-one pupils have been enrolled. Our former students now number over forty, nearly all of whom are living in the province, and some of them married and settled here. Steps have been taken towards the formation of an alumni association.

One of our oldest teachers in years and length of connection with the school died in May. While on his death-bed, he was led to Christ through the earnest effort of our Japanese pastor, and before he died he was baptized.

A large number of the girls who have been longest in the school are anxious for baptism, but the parents withhold their permission. One, however, was baptized in June. Three of the teachers and ten of the students assist in Sunday-School work. The weekly prayer-meeting is well attended and the girls are growing stronger and more robust in Christian character. They contribute to church, Sunday-School and Japan mission funds, while continued interest is taken in the King's Daughters Society.

*Evangelistic.*—One hundred and seventy-eight meetings have been held in thirteen different places, our average attendance for the year being nine. Two of these meetings have been held in Kofu, the one in the church being well attended. The interest in the meetings generally has grown. Faithful and earnest seed-sowing has been done by our workers; while the sheaves gathered into the granary have not been many the outlook for the future is hopeful. The various important political events that have occurred during the year tell in favor of Christianity, and there is manifestly an inclination towards it.

We report four baptisms with three requests for baptism; 1,377 visits have been made and a number of new homes entered. Quite frequently children's meetings have been held, and have been well attended.

We have six Sunday-Schools in operation, and we hope to open up more as our workers increase. Our average has been 186, the total attendance for the year being 6,727. Every week a normal class is held for the preparation of the next Sabbath's lesson. This class numbers thirteen members besides the leader. Our personal servant and our Bible-woman have charge of one school.

Altogether this has been a pleasant, happy year in the work; through all the changes God has guided and provided a way, and we would utter the "memory of His great goodness."

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## KANAZAWA.

(*Misses Veazey and Crombie.*)

In reviewing the work of the year preparatory to submitting an outline for the annual report, we note a considerable broadening in several of the departments of our Kanazawa work. We find it difficult, therefore, to give briefly an adequate idea of the work done here, it being so much more scattered than that in connection with the regular girls' schools of our other stations.

Our two industrial schools, each having its night school, Sunday-School, Bible and singing lessons, and meetings for women and children, in addition to the regular industrial classes, are situated in separate districts, two miles or more apart—our own dwelling-house, which constitutes a social centre, situated about centrally between these two schools, is in a third district, with the orphanage a few minutes' walk from us; while a woman's meeting, held at the Nagamachi church, opens up a fourth district to visiting, in quite another direction.

The regular visiting for Bible instruction has been done in great part by the three Bible-women, who have made during the year upwards of seven hundred visits, at the 102 homes now open to us; twenty of these homes have been entered this year for the first time. The attendance at our two regular woman's meetings has been larger than ever before, there being now about thirty-five women connected with the two meetings, twelve of these having joined since the new year, and the average has been eight and nine respectively, as contrasted with seven for each last year.

The Daijime School has decreased somewhat in attendance. Owing to the irregularity of the match-box work during the months of the war, the older children were obliged to seek work elsewhere, so we have had an average of only eight at the school and ten at the night school; but the Sunday-School and woman's meetings have had a large attendance, there being fifty-two enrolled at the Sunday-School, with an average attendance of thirty-three, while at the Wednesday-evening meeting the average has been eleven women and twenty-three children.

At the Kawakami School we have had in most respects a very satisfactory year. The completion in November of the additional two rooms to our buildings, together with other needed improvements and repairs, was a great comfort to us, giving us a building well suited to all needs of the work for some time to come. The number of girls in the embroidery class remains at about twenty, several of the older girls having left during the year, some to be married, others leaving the city. The girls have been very faithful in attendance at Sunday-School and church, and many of them show an

intelligent interest in their Bible study. The teacher and one of the girls have become Christians. The former left us in April to be married, and could not gain the consent of her friends to be baptized—the latter, who has been for several months living with us as house-maid, was baptized in April, and her mother has become a regular attendant at our meetings. The new teacher for the embroidery class is proving very satisfactory and already gives evidence of a decided interest in Christianity. We trust that she, too, may be led to Christ as the former one was. The mother's meeting which we have held monthly since the completion of the addition to the building, has had an attendance beyond our hopes even, there being usually from fifteen to twenty-five mothers present, besides the twenty girls and a few of the women of the neighborhood, giving us an audience of from forty to sixty, and it has done much to strengthen the growing friendly feeling toward the school and toward Christianity in general. The envelope work gives employment to ten or twelve boys and young men, one of whom at least is earnestly inquiring into the truths of Christianity.

Our orphanage now numbers sixteen inmates, twelve girls and four boys, who constitute, we believe, one of the happiest households to be found in Japan. The strong "family" feeling which has developed among them is very marked, and we are highly favored in having a Christian matron, who seems able to "mother" them all. The eldest girl, now sixteen years of age, asked for baptism this spring, so that now the five older children are all professed Christians, and the influence over the little ones is that of a Christian household. Two other children were received during the year, but we were obliged to send one away after a month's trial and the other one we found we could not legally receive, as she had been previously sold; so, much to our regret as well as her own, we were obliged to let her go. We are glad to report four baptisms from among the women this year, and three others at least have signified their acceptance of Christianity and we trust they may in time openly profess it.

We have realized more and more as our work broadens here the importance of that part of it which, while it does not appear in reports, is nevertheless the test by which our work must stand or fall, namely, the patient, continued "line upon line" instruction in Christian truths, given to those who have already professed themselves to be Christians, till they become rooted and grounded in their faith, that they may "know whom they have believed," and be able to give a reason for the hope that is in them.

The present tendency toward "liberal thought" and the so called "New Theology" has proved a more real and present danger in our midst this year than the great war with China, about which so much anxiety was at first felt. It has seemed at times that Satan, indeed, "desired to have us" that he might "sift us as wheat." God grant

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The report of the Stationing Committee is as follows :

## TOKYO.

Miss Munro, Principal of school, and Cor. Sec. of Branch; Misses Belton and Lambley, work to be appointed by the Branch.

## SHIZUOKA.

Miss Robertson, Principal of school, and Cor. Sec. of Branch; Miss Cunningham, charge of evangelistic work, and to teach in the school.

## KOFU.

Miss Preston, Principal of school, charge of evangelistic work, and Cor. Sec. of Branch; Miss Cartmell, work to be assigned by the Branch.

## KANAZAWA.

Miss Veazey, Cor. Sec. of Branch; Miss Crombie, work to be divided by the Branch.

*Recommended*,—That if Miss Wigle come she remain in Tokyo for a time, till it be found out where she will be most needed.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE JAPAN COUNCIL.

		RECEIPTS.	
Sept. 1st, 1894.		Yen. Sen.	
To Cash on hand	- - - - -	1,301	674
" by drafts	- - - - -	24,813	70
" " interest	- - - - -	34	282
" returned by Misses Belton and Lambly	- - - - -	4	00
" from King's Daughters, for China	- - - - -	9	20
" " Bloor St. Church Young Ladies' Assoc'n	- - - - -	92	38
" for Orphanage—Peterboro' George St. Church Infant Class	- - - - -	9	30
" from Sundries	- - - - -	15	89
			<u>Yen. Sen.</u>
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		EXPENDITURE.	
By Cash to Tokyo (of this Orphanage expense is 211.00)	- - - - -	7,179	67
" Shizuoka	- - - - -	8,443	43
" Kofu	- - - - -	3,123	46
" Kanazawa	- - - - -	4,270	55
" Registration and passports	- - - - -	54	00
" Secretary-Treasurer's salary	- - - - -	573	73
" Dr. Baelz, Miss A.'s consultation	- - - - -	10	00
" Travelling and jinrikisha, to ann. meet. inc.	- - - - -	152	06
" Postage and stationery	- - - - -	39	54
" Furnishings	- - - - -	166	13
" Mrs. Large's travelling allowance (\$400.00)	- - - - -	825	00
" Miss Alexander's return expenses	- - - - -	571	25
" Sundries	- - - - -	33	27
" on hand	- - - - -	838	336
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THE JAPAN WORK.

STATEMENT OF DRAFTS SOLD.

September 8th.....	\$3,000 00	.. at 54 $\frac{1}{2}$ ,	.. 5,504 58
November .....	3,000 00	.. at 50 $\frac{1}{4}$ ,	.. 5,970 14
January 25th.....	2,500 00	.. at 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ ,	.. 5,154 69
March 4th .....	3,000 00	.. at 48 $\frac{3}{4}$ ,	.. 6,153 84
" 15th .....	1,000 00	.. at 49 $\frac{1}{4}$ ,	.. 2,030 45
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Being account in full to September, 1895.

ELIZA S. LARGE,

Cor. Sec.-Treas. of the Japan Council.

AZABU, TOKYO, March 19th.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

To the general report sent in by Mrs. Large the sum of yen 1,886.80 is to be added, that amount having been since received by the Shizuoka Branch as an addition to the building fund for Shizuoka School.

TOKYO BRANCH.

RECEIPTS.

School—		Yen. Sen.
To Cash on hand	- - - - -	7 36
" from Treasurer	- - - - -	5,001 17
" " Private sources	- - - - -	81 49
" " Books sold	- - - - -	52 25
" " Medicines	- - - - -	18 04
" " Tuition fees	- - - - -	325 85
" " Music fees	- - - - -	109 10
" " Boarding fees	- - - - -	933 20
" " Industrial work	- - - - -	16 76
" " Rebate on insurance	- - - - -	16 80
" " Sundries	- - - - -	25 33
		<u>Yen. Sen.</u> <u>6,587 35</u>

EXPENDITURE.

By Cash for Board of students	- - - - -	1,861 60
" Fuel and light	- - - - -	222 79
" Teachers and matron	- - - - -	1,204 62
" Servants for school	- - - - -	117 59
" Missionaries' salaries	- - - - -	1,674 37
" Study of language	- - - - -	55 00
" Earthquake repairs	- - - - -	571 22
" General repairs	- - - - -	98 46
" Support of students (less board)	- - - - -	248 09
" Industrial work	- - - - -	8 06
" Taxes	- - - - -	44 93
" Insurance	- - - - -	112 00
" Books	- - - - -	73 48
" Medicine	- - - - -	23 86
" Postage and stationery	- - - - -	9 95
" Christian literature	- - - - -	31 71
" Tuning of pianos	- - - - -	5 50
" Sundries	- - - - -	33 76
" on hand	- - - - -	190 36
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To	Cash on hand	- - - - -	23 44
"	from Treasurer	- - - - -	877 44
"	to salaries of missionaries	- - - - -	883 37
"	for sundries	- - - - -	4 43
			<u>Yen. Sen.</u>
			<u>1,788 68</u>

		EXPENDITURE.	Yen. Sen.
By	Bible-women's salaries	- - - - -	589 00
"	" house rent	- - - - -	26 65
	Shitaya Charity School	- - - - -	13 59
	Running expenses of three Sunday-Schools	- - - - -	21 17
	Summer evangelistic work	- - - - -	9 81
	Bible-women's jinrikisha fares	- - - - -	24 81
	Wages of two jinrikisha men	- - - - -	89 89
	Jinrikisha fares	- - - - -	15 35
	Miss Cartmell's interpreter	- - - - -	20 00
	Literature	- - - - -	45 60
	Christmas expenses	- - - - -	29 78
	Salaries of two missionaries	- - - - -	883 37
	Cash on hand	- - - - -	19 66
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<i>Orphanage—</i>		RECEIPTS.	Yen. Sen.
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"	from Treasurer	- - - - -	210 00
"	" King's Daughters	- - - - -	12 00
"	" Friends of children	- - - - -	79 55
"	" Work of pupils	- - - - -	6 54
"	" a Japanese friend	- - - - -	1 00
"	" Sundries	- - - - -	0 73
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By	Rent	- - - - -	38 40
	Matron's salary	- - - - -	24 00
	Food, fuel, etc.	- - - - -	176 27
	Clothing	- - - - -	14 04
	Furniture	- - - - -	1 12
	Medicine	- - - - -	4 47
	Sundries	- - - - -	2 43
	Cash on hand	- - - - -	84 13
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SHIZUOKA BRANCH.

		RECEIPTS.	Yen. Sen.
To	Cash on hand	- - - - -	48 51
"	from Treasurer	- - - - -	8,443 43
"	Entrance and tuition fees	- - - - -	113 00
"	" Boarding fees	- - - - -	267 60
"	" Music fees	- - - - -	12 00
"	" Sale of books	- - - - -	2 80
"	" Special sources	- - - - -	23 97
"	" Interest on money	- - - - -	39 27
"	" Special grant to Shizuoka building	- - - - -	1,886 80
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## THE JAPAN WORK.

<i>School—</i>	EXPENDITURE.	Yen. Sen.
By Salary of missionary	- - - - -	911 56
Rent of building	- - - - -	240 00
Students' board (including sup. stu.)	- - - - -	513 67
Supported students' extras	- - - - -	23 75
Teachers' and servants' salaries	- - - - -	771 14
Light and fuel	- - - - -	88 12
Repairs	- - - - -	18 83
Incidentals	- - - - -	64 70
Printing and advertising	- - - - -	9 53
Postage and stationery	- - - - -	6 03
Literature	- - - - -	20 10
Books	- - - - -	22 68
Building fund	- - - - -	5,154 69
<i>Evangelistic—</i>		
By Salary of missionary	- - - - -	746 96
Literature	- - - - -	30 12
Bible-women's salaries	- - - - -	114 90
Travelling and incidentals	- - - - -	122 60
Teacher and interpreter	- - - - -	52 50
Balance on hand	- - - - -	38 70
		Yen. Sen. <u>8,950 58</u>

## KOFU BRANCH.

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To Cash on hand	- - - - -	15 22
" from Treasurer	- - - - -	3,123 46
" " Interest on money	- - - - -	4 21
" " Boarding fees	- - - - -	897 69
" " Entrance and tuition fees	- - - - -	195 45
" " Sale of books	- - - - -	10 45
" " Sundries	- - - - -	5 63
		<u>4,252 11</u>

<i>School—</i>	EXPENDITURE.	
By Salary of missionary	- - - - -	725 53
Teachers and servants	- - - - -	802 48
Light and fuel	- - - - -	146 46
Postage and stationery	- - - - -	6 89
Printing and advertising	- - - - -	8 47
Literature	- - - - -	35 74
Boarding students' expenses	- - - - -	866 92
Books	- - - - -	15 94
Repairs and incidentals	- - - - -	97 49
Support of students	- - - - -	261 70
<i>Evangelistic—</i>		
By Salary of missionary	- - - - -	885 53
Teacher and interpreter	- - - - -	65 96
Bible women's salaries	- - - - -	149 19
Jinrikisha and postage	- - - - -	62 64
Papers and tracts	- - - - -	34 66
Incidentals	- - - - -	12 63
Balance on hand	- - - - -	73 88
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## KANAZAWA BRANCH.

		RECEIPTS.	Yen. Sen.
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" from bank interest	- - - - -		9 61
" " Treasurer	- - - - -		4,270 55
" " Industrial work	- - - - -		202 70*
" " Work of orphans	- - - - -		2 22
" " Rev. T. Iizuka	- - - - -		3 00
" " Friends	- - - - -	For	5 00
" " Shizuoka King's Daughters	- - - - -	Orphanage	12 00
" " Kanazawa " " }	- - - - -		27 92
			<u>4,759 40</u>

		EXPENDITURE.	Yen. Sen.
By Salaries of missionaries	- - - - -		1869 61
Interpreter and teacher	- - - - -		140 65
Bible-women (two)	- - - - -		192 96
Jinrikisha and postage	- - - - -		34 02
Bibles, papers and tracts	- - - - -		34 91
Dwelling-house rent	- - - - -		216 00
Teachers of Kawakami school	- - - - -		150 50
Fuel, light, etc., of Kawakami school	- - - - -		19 95
Addition to Kawakami building	- - - - -		362 42
Teacher and rent of Daijime school	- - - - -		72 40
Fuel, light, etc., " "	- - - - -		19 50
Support of Orphanage	- - - - -		363 26
Industrial work	- - - - -		884 20
Incidentals	- - - - -		7 24
Balance on hand	- - - - -		391 78
			<u>4,759 40</u>

\*Industrial work to the amount of yen 750.00 has been sent to Canada.

The question of the ladies stationed at Kofu teaching in the boys' school there, an hour a week each, was brought up. After a long discussion, during which much was said both in favor of and against the ladies continuing to teach in that school, it was moved by Misses Cunningham and Munro:

"That our ladies in Kofu be allowed to teach in the boys' school only on condition that the Bible be placed on the calendar as a text-book and taught daily, and that the school be reported to the Government as a Christian school if this has not been already done; that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Japanese directors or founders, accompanied by a letter setting forth our reasons for this resolution."

The Committee on Courtesies, composed of Misses Preston and Crombie, reported as follows:

1. The Mission Council of the Woman's Missionary Society in Japan send greetings to the members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Canada. "Now our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God, even our Father, which hath loved us, and

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hath given us everlasting consolation and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and stablish you in every good word and work."—2 Thess. ii. 16, 17.

2. The Mission Council of the Woman's Missionary Society in Japan send greetings to Mrs. Large:

"We, the members of the Japan Council of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Canada, of which you for so many years have been our esteemed and much-loved friend and counsellor, extend to you our warmest greetings. We also wish to express our deep sorrow at your absence from our annual meeting, where you have so often helped and strengthened us by your wise counsel and clear judgment. Our hearts go out to you in loving sympathy in your enforced absence from the work which you hold so dear and to which you have been such a benediction. May the God of all grace comfort your heart, and not only yours, but ours, for we feel that by your removal we have sustained an almost irreparable loss, unless you are soon returned to us and to the work which so much needs you—for this we earnestly hope and pray.

"Every day we see more and more the fruits of your persistent and faithful training in the developed character and strong Christian principles of those who have gone out from under your care as Christian workers, all of whom are cherishing the hope that you will soon return to continue that which you have so well begun.

"In the meantime we can but wait and trust, knowing that the Lord is mindful of His own. 'The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms.'"

Greetings were sent also to Misses Hargrave, Blackmore, N. G. Hart, C. E. Hart and Alexander, now in Canada; and to our fellow-workers in China.

It was decided that the members of the Council living in Shizuoka should be included in the Executive Committee for the ensuing year.

The Building Committee for the coming year is as follows: Misses Robertson, Cunningham and Munro.

After a prayer and testimony meeting led by Miss Belton, the eighth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society Council in Japan came to a close.

MINNIE A. ROBERTSON, *Cor. Sec., pro tem.*

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## WEST CHINA.

SHANGHAI, CHINA, *July 20th*, 1895.

This report for the West China Mission will be a little late in reaching you, but there has been a good reason for it, as you know long ere this.

All our mission books, as well as those of other societies, were lost at the time of the riot; and this has delayed my writing before, as it was necessary to communicate with the bank.

Regarding the work done during the year, it was necessary the fore part of the year be spent in study, which was faithfully done, and I was in hopes funds would be forthcoming for the opening of work early in the fall; but as nothing reached me until the latter part of January the opening of regular school work was delayed until after the Chinese New Year, when furniture was purchased, a teacher engaged and a little school of girls gathered together. Having rented the place on which we were, room was now available, and it was my intention, as soon as the heat of the summer was over, to begin taking in girls as the nucleus of a boarding school. As opportunity occurred—on Sunday after service, during my walks and at other times—I have endeavored to do some evangelistic work, and trust that some seed may have been dropped which may spring up in the future. The woman who has been with me since my arrival in Chen-tu was among the number who gave their names as enquirers to Mr. Hartwell.

As Mrs. Kilborn has been in Kia-ting the last year, having arrived in Chen-tu only three days before the riot, I can say very little regarding her work, though I know she was in the habit of assisting her husband on dispensary days; but no doubt she has written you regarding this department of the work.

We were very pleased to welcome Miss Ford, our new worker, but sorry that she has met with such an unpleasant reception from the Chinese. However, we are none of us discouraged, but look forward to returning to our field of labor, and, though it has hindered the work for the time being, and we can not now understand why it was permitted, still we know it is one of the "All things which work together for good to them who love God," and we have great cause for thankfulness that all lives were preserved through the varied discomforts and dangers of that trying time.

I see no reason why new workers should not be sent out this fall, as we have a Chen-tu teacher here, and therefore they would be able

to study to advantage. Besides, were several of us going up the river together, it would lessen the expense of the trip. The need of all workers is great, and we will gladly welcome all you are able to send, but particularly do we want to give prominence to evangelistic work.

Just now, when all books—as well as everything else—have been destroyed, would it not be a good time to send out a box of books for a library, to be left in the home—the property of the Woman's Missionary Society? We need books of reference, such as Encyclopædia of English Language, Encyclopædia of Missions, Bible Commentary, Atlas, Bible Dictionary, etc., which are very heavy for missionaries to bring up, and then, if they are the property of individuals, they will not be a fixture in the home. The cost of sending out insured boxes is very little, if sent by England.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF WEST CHINA MISSION.

## RECEIPTS.

To cash on hand .....	\$122 87	
" from Treasurer .....	\$3,000 00	
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## EXPENDITURE.

By Mrs. Kilborn's salary to June 30, 1895 .....	\$113 00	
" Miss Ford's " " " .....	209 40	
" Miss Brackbill's " " " .....	535 00	
Balance of year, ending June 30, 1894, \$60.00.		
Salary to " 1895, \$475.00.		
" Organ .....	45 00	
" Chinese teacher .....	42 85	
" Rent .....	63 84	
" School furniture and teacher .....	15 00	
" Lost silver (at riot) .....	92 30	
" Deposit on place .....	163 07	
" Travelling expenses to Shanghai .....	90 77	
" Balance on hand .....	1,752 64	
		<u>\$3,122 87</u>

Miss Ford's expenses to Chen-tu from Shanghai .....	\$155 25	
Applied on salary .....	144 75	
		<u>\$300 00</u>
Covered by cheque given her .....	\$300 00	

S. BRACKBILL, *Sec.-Treas.*

## REPORT

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## THE FRENCH WORK.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRENCH WORK.

In presenting a brief statement of the work done in our French Mission Schools during the past year, we are pleased to state that there is reason for encouragement, not merely because of an increase in the number of pupils in attendance, but from the fact that a more decided interest has been manifested by some of the parents, as well as a keen appreciation on their part of the benefits received by their children.

Two schools in the country which receive assistance from our Society, though not reporting progress numerically, are looking forward to better things in the future. The one at St. Theodore was open for seven months during the year. The teacher, Madame Senecal, reports that while the attendance was small better work has been done, and notwithstanding great opposition in certain quarters, there is an increasing desire on the part of others to receive religious instruction and better education.

At St. Faustin the number of pupils in attendance was thirteen, who have been under the careful instruction of Madame Shibeault.

Acting under advice of the minister in charge of the Mission, and the chairman of the district, Rev. Dr. Hunter, your Committee has decided to remove the school to St. Jovite, which is a more central point, as well as being a place of greater importance at present, and in all probability will be the leading town in the future in that section of country.

In the east-end of our own city the work presents a more encouraging aspect than for some time past. Miss Matthieu still continues in charge of the school, and has proved herself to be eminently qualified for the position. Possessed with an intense desire for the salvation of those of her own nationality, hopeful, persevering and enthusiastic to a great degree, she has sown the seed of truth, and has had the privilege in some cases of seeing it germinate and bring forth fruit. A change has been observed in the dispositions of some of the scholars, cheerful obedience and kindly feeling being gradually developed, as well as a deepening interest in the daily Scripture lesson.

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our Bible and hymn book, and was frequently found writing an exercise during the Scripture lesson. After some time he accepted a Testament, read verses alternately with the school, and is now one of our brightest boys, always ready to give satisfactory answers in sacred history, and has committed to memory 129 Scripture verses.

During the session fifty-seven pupils were registered, with an average attendance of about twenty-seven. Of this number there were seven English, two Jews, and forty-eight French—twenty-one being Romanists.

Our Bible-woman, Madame Morin, having left the city, your Committee decided to ask Miss Matthieu to devote her time after school hours, and on Saturday to visiting the homes of scholars and other families to whom she might gain access.

A mother's sewing-meeting has been held occasionally, which created an interest; also a woman's prayer-meeting, which met immediately before the Wednesday evening service, and proved to be a preparation for it.

The largest of our mission schools, which is under the able management of Miss Jackson, is in the west end of the city, and we are pleased to say reports a larger attendance of scholars during 1894-95 than at any former time. One hundred and twenty pupils entered during the year, the following nationalities being represented:—Jews, Swedes, French and English. The average attendance was fifty-five, an increase of five over the previous year.

During the Christmas holidays several improvements were made in the school building, which were much needed and proved to be very advantageous.

The kindergarten which was opened last year is still taught by Miss Anderson, our Bible-woman, and has been a source of pleasure and profit to the younger children. Besides the usual kindergarten work, oral instruction from the Bible and catechism is given daily.

Miss Anderson devotes her afternoons to visiting, making an average of one hundred visits per month. Tracts, testaments and other literature have been distributed and practical help given. The majority of the pupils come from the homes of the working-classes, and the past winter having been an exceedingly trying one, help has been greatly needed, and, when given, has been much appreciated. One encouraging feature is, that during the past two years scholars remain in the school for a longer period than formerly, with more satisfactory results.

It is not within our province to estimate the amount of good accomplished. How many lives have been brightened, how many burdens made a little lighter by the helpful, sympathizing, encouraging words and smiles of our workers, how many young hearts have received an impetus in the right direction and have been inspired with an ambition to *be* better and to *do* better, we know not. This

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September, 1895

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L. H. MORTON, *Convener.*  
FRANCIS KNOX, *Secretary.*

September, 1895.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF FRENCH WORK.

Nov. 3-5, 1894—	DR.	
To Cash from General Treasurer .....		\$2,507 00
" School Fees .....		2 93
Dec. 31, 1894—		
To Interest from Savings Bank .....		13 19
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To Cash from General Treasurer .....		2,577 00
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By Balance due Treasurer .....		\$67 41
Sept. 30, 1895—		
By Cost of East End School .....		\$347 46
" Cost of West End School .....		445 23
" Repairs West End School .....		69 17
" Cost of West End Bible-Woman .....		240 00
" Poor, East End .....		25 00
" Poor, West End .....		30 00
" Missionary Society Interest .....		600 00
" Grant to St. Faustin .....		50 00
" Grant to St. Theodore .....		50 00
" Expenses of French Institute .....		3,020 00
		<u>\$4,876 86</u>
" Balance on hand .....		155 85
		<u>\$5,100 12</u>
To Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1895 .....		\$155 85

Montreal, October 1st, 1895.

M. W. TORRANCE, *Treasurer.*

FRENCH METHODIST INSTITUTE.

Last autumn 109 applications for admission to the Institute reached us. From this number eighty-six were selected as the most worthy of admission. These were not all received at once, eighty-two being the greatest number we can accommodate, but as vacancies occurred from time to time through pupils proving unsatisfactory, or through illness, other applicants were allowed to take their places. Of the eighty-six received, thirty-nine were male and forty-seven female, fifty three French-Canadians, twenty-five English, six Indians, and two Italians. Twenty-two came from Roman Catholic homes. The session proved the most pleasant and successful we have spent in the

Institute, nearly all the pupils being earnest in their work, and anxious to do their best in their "travail manuel" as well as in their studies.

A marked improvement was noticed among the boys, owing to the influence of Madame Dalpé, who had them under her special charge, and spared neither time nor strength in promoting their mental and moral welfare.

Lessons in dressmaking were continued in the girls' department, and by special request of the Committee on Domestic Management, cooking lessons were given, and one girl required to assist in the preparation of each meal. This was, of course, in addition to their regular work in the Domestic Department, which includes the setting of tables, dish-washing, sweeping, scrubbing, ironing, etc.

Honorary teachers and lecturers supplied us with instruction in drawing, calisthenics and hygiene. The Douglas Mission Band again provided us with a treat at Thanksgiving, and also supplied our Christmas trees with beautiful and useful gifts. To many other friends we are indebted for kindly interest and help, which greatly aided in making the past session so happy and successful.

Unfailing interest in the prayer-meetings and Sunday-school was maintained from the beginning until the end of the session, and in many cases we saw with deep thankfulness that the seed sown was already bringing forth fruit.

The inestimable loss which we sustained in the removal of our late beloved Principal came as an overwhelming blow, but a few days after our happy closing. We cannot yet trust ourselves to think of all it means to the Institute, but the hallowed memories which cluster around the first six years of its existence will live forever in the hearts of all who had the privilege of coming within the sphere of our late Principal's influence. We feel that his prayers, which ascended day and night for the success of our work, will yet be answered, and a light shine forth from the Institute so consecrated that shall reach the farthest limit of our darkened Province.

It was with feelings of deepest thankfulness that all connected with the Institute learned of the consent of Mrs. Hall to undertake the arduous duties of Lady Principal. Trusting not in our own strength, we are looking hopefully to the future, knowing that God is able to supply all our needs according to His riches in Christ Jesus.

ISABEL G. MASTEN.

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## INDIAN WORK.

REPORT FROM CROSBY GIRLS' HOME, PORT  
SIMPSON, 1895.

In reviewing our work for the past year we have much cause for thankfulness, having been especially blessed with health—very little sickness considering our numbers. Still, we had to let two of the girls go home to their parents—the one was seriously affected with scrofula, the other with lung trouble. The latter spent most of the summer in the hospital, but Dr. Bolton thinks she will never fully recover. We regret this very much, for Minnie was a bright, cheerful child, and so kind to all about her; but how often in our afflictions we are led to think our choicest and best gifts are taken from us. We are very loath to give back to God His own. In the spring Miss Beavis took a few weeks holidays, which she needed very much; she has seemed much better since her return. The children are learning to sew and knit very nicely under her care.

The 22nd of May, Miss Paul came to the Home and began teaching, the 27th she seems well pleased with the work here, and is doing her best in teaching the children. Already we can see a great change for the better, and we hope it will continue through the coming year.

In July we took all the girls camping on an island, where we remained ten days; we thought this would be a nice change for the girls, as they are so used to migrating from place to place, and as this was their holidays, they thoroughly enjoyed the outing, and came home looking much better than before they went. The open sea breeze did us all good, still it was not much of a rest for the teachers, as ears and eyes must always be on the alert as well as hands to keep things as they should be, but the children were very good, indeed.

About the 1st of August I began to feel the need of a change, so thought best to leave the work for a few weeks. The 7th of August I left the Home, and in company with Misses Spence and Tranter, took a trip south on steamer *Danube*, visited all the canneries along the coast, also many of our missionaries and families. As it was the season for shipping salmon, we had the privilege of spending one hour, sometimes two or three, at each cannery. And never did I so fully realize what a blessing our homes are as when going around among the people at these places. While in Victoria and Vancouver I met many friends. In Victoria my home was with Mrs. Morrow and Miss Wickett, who did all they could to make my visit

pleasant and profitable, here I also met Miss Bowes, who had recently visited the Coqualeetza Home, and could give me much information about the management of the work. I was so glad to meet Miss Bowes, as well as many other of our co-workers.

I regret very much not being able to visit the institution myself, but could not see my way clear. While I was absent our Home was visited by Sir Mackenzie Bowell and party. They examined every part of our work, and expressed themselves as well pleased, and even surprised, at the progress made among the Indians. During the last two weeks we have taken in four new girls, and others are asking admission. We have every prospect of having our numbers considerably increased this fall. We ask your prayers that we may be given the needed grace and wisdom to train them aright. Our time is fully occupied even now, but if more are admitted we will do our best for them, and what little spare time we can get will be given to the people in some way. In a very short time all will be returning from their work, then our work will be considerably increased.

Fanny Gosnel, who left the Home last summer, is now doing house-work for Mrs. Bolton, and is giving good satisfaction. I am so glad Fanny is doing well since leaving the Home, and she seems so thankful for having had the privilege of learning to work. Her father also often expresses his gratitude for what has been done for his family. There is very much to encourage us in the work, even though clouds do arise at times.

Perhaps some of our many friends would like to know just how we spend the Sabbath here. At six o'clock a.m., the bell rings for morning prayer-meeting in church, to which all of the larger girls go, also one of the teachers; seven, Bible lesson and prayers; half-past seven, breakfast. Before leaving dining-room Sunday-school lesson is reviewed, after which the necessary sweeping and dusting, chamber work and cooking for dinner is done; ten o'clock, Bible class in mission-room, to which all boys and girls from the Homes go, class taught by Miss Paul; eleven, public service in Church, which every child attends unless sickness prevents; half-past two, Sunday-school in public school-house, the village children attend this also. Mr. Richards, of Boys' Home, is our Superintendent. Misses Paul, Beavis and myself teach, also some of our girls; from four to five the larger girls stay in church for practice, with one of the teachers with them. The smaller children are brought home and entertained with books, papers, Bible stories, singing, as the case may be, while the other teacher generally spends this hour visiting among the sick in the village; half-past five, tea; half-past six, public services again, to which only the large girls go, the younger ones having a prayer and testimony meeting in the Home. Thus ends our Sabbath day. No time for idling here.

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Hannah Edgar . . .  
Alice Wells . . .  
Sarah Bryant . . .  
Olive Dilly . . .  
Hannah Harris . . .  
Dollie Robinson . . .  
Lizzie Bradley . . .  
Maggie Paterson . . .  
Fannie Gosnell . . .  
Martha Bradley . . .  
Selina Sampson . . .  
Matilda McKay . . .  
Katie Price . . .  
Elizabeth Hinksm . . .  
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Maude Barrett . . .  
Charlotte Kelly . . .  
Flora Jones . . .  
Lillian Jones . . .  
Alice Brown . . .

## CROSBY GIRLS' HOME, PORT SIMPSON.

*Financial Report, Year Ending September 30th, 1895.*

## RECEIPTS.

By Balance on hand.....	\$354 47
Received from Treasurer .....	2823 10
Dry goods sold .....	28 50
Boots sold .....	11 50
Work done by girls .....	6 50
Received from Mission Band.....	5 00
	\$3229 07

## EXPENDITURE.

Salaries .....	\$1125 00
Miss Caldwell, travelling expenses .....	100 00
School supplies .....	28 78
Provisions, clothing and sundries .....	895 24
Fuel, light, freight .....	406 75
Repairs and incidentals .....	78 83
	\$2634 60
Balance on hand .....	594 47
	\$3229 07

## REPORT OF CROSBY HOME, PORT SIMPSON.

NAMES OF CHILDREN.	AGE.	WHEN ADMITTED.	LEFT.
Martha Harris .....	13	..... 1885	
Ellen Tenas .....	13	..... 1888	
Katie Tenas .....	10	..... 1891	
Minnie Offutt .....	14	..... 1888	May, 1895.
Hannah Edgar .....	14	..... 1888	
Alice Wells .....	9	..... 1890	
Sarah Bryant .....	9	..... 1890	
Olive Dilly .....	18	..... 1888	March. Married.
Hannah Harris .....	10	..... 1890	
Dollie Robinson .....	9	..... 1886	
Lizzie Bradley .....	16	February 1892	
Maggie Paterson .....	13	March 1892	
Fannie Gosnell .....	16	July 1892	May, 1895.
Martha Bradley .....	12	August 1892	
Selina Sampson .....	10	" 1892	January, 1895.
Matilda McKay .....	19	" 1885	
Katie Price .....	8	..... 1893	
Elizabeth Hinksman .....	7	July 1890	
Lizzie Green .....	16	June 1893	
Mary Davis .....	18	January 1893	
Lucy Ryan .....	16	November 1893	Dec. Married.
Esther Wesley .....	16	" 1893	December.
Jane Poole .....	9	January 1893	
Maude Barrett .....	8	" 1893	
Charlotte Kelly .....	11	.....	
Flora Jones .....	10	August 1895	
Lillian Jones .....	12	" 1895	
Alice Brown .....	15	June 1895	

**COQUALEETZA INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE,  
CHILLIWACK, B.C.**

This Institute is now under the control of the General Missionary Society, and a *per capita* grant is given by the W. M. S., according to the number of girls in the Home. The usual annual report has not been furnished, but from the Mission Rooms we learn that the outlook is very encouraging. One who visited the Institute writes :

“In the daily routine of the Institute and everything there is a strong smack of *home*. That is the secret of its power ; and power it is when it is seen what a change has been wrought in these Indian children since coming under the influence of the Institute. Many, very many, both boys and girls, have been graciously converted to God, and their voices may be heard in class-meeting, in testimony and prayer and song, rejoicing in the goodness of God. To hear them sing is a means of grace.”

“Among the converts are several Japanese, some of whom receive instruction in English at an evening class in the Institute.”

“There is an equally gratifying record to make on the industrial side. In fact, the whole institution is, as it ought to be, a boon and a blessing to British Columbia—the fruit of the toils and prayers alike of teachers and missionaries, past and present. Peculiar seasons of stress and trial there are at times, as anyone will readily comprehend who knows anything of native Indian character impregnated, as it necessarily is, with heathenism. But what then ? That is just the work of the institution, to take that and change that by the two-fold agency of God and man—man humbly, strongly co-operating with that Holy Spirit, without whose aid his efforts would be in vain.”—

ED. COM.

**CHINESE HOME, VICTORIA, B.C.**

I send my last report with regrets that it is the last. The work has grown into my heart, and my Chinese friends make me feel just now that it is very hard to leave them. I leave the Home not only well supplied with all necessaries and the girls well clothed, but a good store of sheeting, towelling and material for clothes for future use.

We had another double marriage a couple of weeks ago—Daisy and Jessie. Jessie has got a very good husband in good circumstances. She is young, but the opportunity was a good one, and she was becoming very restless.

Sarah is still here, and I fear will cause anxiety. Any effort made to get her off in some useful capacity to China has failed so

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CHINESE

Yuen Kee .....  
Ah Kui .....  
Wong Ah Hor .....  
Sun Hang .....  
Ah Quai .....  
Yuet Lin .....  
Mitsi Kassawan .....

FINANCIAL

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Donation .....  
Balance from last

Rescue expenses .  
Repairing organ .  
Fuel and coal oil .  
Matron's salary  
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Clothing .....  
Furnishing .....  
School .....  
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Estimated value

far. I have been writing about her going to Dr. Kerr's Mission School at Canton, but do not know how that will succeed.

The number of girls is now reduced to seven, and Martha will probably be married before Christmas.

Miss Bowes has been here some days, and I think the girls are taking to her nicely. May God's richest blessings rest on them all is my earnest prayer.

CHINESE.	ENGLISH.	AGE.
Yuen Kee .....	Edith .....	15
Ah Kui .....	Emma .....	12
Wong Ah Hor .....	Martha .....	18
Sun Hang .....	Sarah .....	32
Ah Quai .....	Laura .....	17
Yuet Lin .....	Nellie .....	7
Mitsi Kassawan .....	(Japanese) .....	23

FINANCIAL REPORT OF CHINESE HOME,

*From September 30th, 1894, to August 31st, 1895.*

RECEIPTS.

From General Treasurer .....	\$1,649 00
Donation .....	2 00
Balance from last year .....	22 19
	\$1,673 19

EXPENDITURE.

Rescue expenses .....	\$45 00
Repairing organ .....	15 00
Fuel and coal oil .....	90 95
Matron's salary .....	400 00
Miss Wickett, salary .....	400 00
Clothing .....	104 10
Furnishing .....	27 15
School .....	4 95
Scavenger and water rates .....	30 00
Sundries .....	106 95
Provisions .....	212 97
Insurance on furniture .....	10 00
Balance, given Miss Bowes .....	226 22
	\$1,673 19

Estimated value of furniture and other contents in the Home, about \$1,200.00.

MARY E. MORROW.

## REPORTS FROM BRANCHES.

### LONDON CONFERENCE BRANCH.

#### CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT, 1894-95.

We are thankful for the blessing that has rested on our work during this our first year. While we cannot report great things done, our outlook for the future is bright. We have been fearful lest our funds should fall behind because of the hard times and the fact that the ruthless fire has so severely visited us—four of our churches having been consumed. While new ones have arisen from their ashes, the Auxiliaries have not relinquished their work, but have pushed it forward vigorously, and while they have fallen back some others have advanced.

We would like to see more of our Church members enlisted in our work, and more of those who have joined always in their places at the monthly meetings, except when it is impossible for them to be present. We are sure that increased interest, with a corresponding increase of funds, would be the result, while the united prayers of these earnest workers would bring down rich blessing on our missionaries and mission fields.

We report 83 Auxiliaries, 1,887 annual members, 77 life members; total membership, 1,964. Mission Bands, 22; Mission Band members, 818; total raised by Bands, \$1,086.18. Total received by Branch Treasurer from all sources, \$5,169.89; sent General Treasurer, \$5,028.09.

Auxiliaries have been organized at Clandeboye and Nursery, Devizes Centenary, Ridgetown, Sparta, and Yarmouth Centre. Alvinston, Thedford, and Wesley (Birr Ct.) have organized lately, ready for work next year.

E. CUNNINGHAM.

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Brucefield .....  
Baker's .....  
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Carlingford .....  
Corinth .....  
Cooper's .....  
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Essex .....  
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Gorrie .....  
Granton .....  
Glencoe .....  
Grovesend .....  
Holmesville .....  
Highgate .....  
Hensall .....  
Kirkton .....  
Kincardine .....  
Kingsville .....  
Kippen .....  
London—Queen's  
“ —Dundas  
“ —Welling  
“ —South  
“ —West



STATISTICAL REPORT OF LONDON CONFERENCE  
BRANCH, 1894-95.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Annual Members, 1894-95.	Number of Life Members.	Total Membership.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Aylmer .....	27	2	29	10	\$56 70
Arva .....	17	..	17	8	22 10
Auburn .....	12	..	12	7	19 75
Brussels .....	22	..	22	12	43 30
Brucefield .....	11	..	11	8	21 00
Baker's .....	10	..	10	5	44 88
Bethel .....	13	..	13	7	36 55
Blenheim .....	14	..	14	9	28 35
Brownsville .....	23	..	23	12	7 25
Clinton—Rattenbury Street.....	48	3	51	16	103 00
“ —Ontario Street .....	..	..	..	..	11 50
Chatham .....	52	1	53	..	158 41
Charing Cross .....	21	1	22	9	79 32
Carlingford .....	17	..	17	6	27 43
Corinth .....	20	..	20	12	25 01
Cooper's.....	13	..	13	6	16 62
Centralia .....	20	..	20	9	21 02
Clandeboye and Nursery .....	17	..	17	9	19 99
Dungannon .....	..	..	..	..	34 30
Delaware Township .....	16	..	16	12	30 00
Devizes Centenary .....	9	..	9	7	4 50
Exeter .....	37	4	41	11	144 24
Essex .....	17	..	17	7	96 20
Fullarton .....	11	..	11	6	2 26
Fingal .....	20	..	20	13	33 35
Forest .....	10	..	10	5	7 50
Goderich .....	24	1	25	9	100 00
Gorrie .....	20	2	22	10	23 47
Granton .....	32	..	32	15	50 00
Glencoe .....	9	..	9	..	13 16
Grovesend .....	15	..	15	6	20 95
Holmesville .....	26	1	27	11	36 50
Highgate .....	23	..	23	9	59 00
Hensall .....	17	..	17	9	26 82
Kirkton .....	44	..	44	14	104 16
Kincardine .....	25	1	26	11	43 64
Kingsville .....	21	..	21	8	26 60
Kippen .....	7	..	7	5	18 75
London—Queen's Avenue.....	98	18	116	34	650 69
“ —Dundas Centre .....	80	12	92	25	527 02
“ —Wellington Street.....	41	2	43	11	134 07
“ —South .....	51	2	53	22	145 34
“ —West .....	43	2	45	23	115 97

STATISTICAL REPORT OF LONDON CONFERENCE  
BRANCH, 1894-95—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Annual Members, 1894-95.	Number of Life Mem- bers.	Total Membership.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
London—Centennial .....	31	..	31	6	\$38 45
Littlewood .....	32	..	32	21	130 54
Listowel .....	30	..	30	15	143 55
Lambeth .....	18	..	18	11	51 00
Lucan .....	14	1	15	7	14 30
Mitchell .....	36	4	40	17	149 03
Milverton .....	30	..	30	10	39 00
Muncey .....	7	..	7	4	32 40
Melbourne .....	19	..	19	8	32 00
Nile .....	5	..	5	6	15 00
Newbury .....	9	..	9	5	9 25
Petrollea .....	24	1	25	11	38 96
Port Stanley .....	13	..	13	..	17 00
Ridgetown .....	33	1	34	14	37 00
Rochester .....	8	..	8	8	14 84
Strathroy .....	28	1	29	8	48 80
Siloam .....	19	..	19	8	30 00
Seaforth .....	17	1	18	8	24 87
Sarnia .....	43	..	43	12	71 39
Salem .....	14	..	14	7	42 95
Staffordville .....	35	..	35	18	20 00
Sparta .....	16	..	16	5	14 14
St. Thomas—First .....	53	9	62	17	196 04
“ —Central .....	21	2	23	10	44 98
“ —Grace Church .....	18	..	18	9	46 05
St. Mary's .....	40	6	46	17	101 52
The Grove .....	13	..	13	6	25 78
Town Line, Talbotville .....	12	..	12	7	27 02
Teeswater .....	26	..	26	11	52 41
Thorndale .....	13	..	13	..	25 00
Union .....	13	..	13	12	37 00
Varna .....	8	..	8	4	21 55
Wingham .....	34	..	34	13	75 00
Watford .....	21	..	21	9	25 85
Westminster .....	30	..	30	10	102 00
Wesley .....	14	..	14	4	3 00
Windsor .....	..	..	..	..	42 18
Whitechurch .....	25	..	25	10	43 00
Woodslee South .....	13	..	13	8	25 20
Yarmouth Centre .....	19	1	20	12	23 75
Total .....	1887	77	1964	..	\$5169 89

TREASURER'S REPORT  
BRANCH FOR T

From Auxiliaries and Bands—  
First quarter's receipts ..  
Second " " ..  
Third " " ..  
Fourth " " ..

Paid for postal cards ..  
Printing same ..  
Mrs. Cunningham's bill ..  
Cash book ..  
Treasurer's book, Toronto ..  
Postage stamps ..  
Miss Ogden's bill, Toronto ..  
Mrs. Cunningham's bill ..  
" " " ..

Remitted Mrs. Thompson—  
First quarter ..  
Second " ..  
Third " ..  
Fourth " ..  
E. E. Williams ..  
Cash on hand ..

Audited and found correct  
M. A. McKEOU

FIRST ANNUAL MEET

HELD IN CENTRAL METHO

The first session opened  
and an attendance of eighty-c  
the outlying districts.

After devotions and rou  
conducted by Mrs. Chown, of  
to their reward, the fragranc

The afternoon session clo  
Revs. Hannon and C. T. Scot

TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE LONDON CONFERENCE  
BRANCH FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPT., 1895.

RECEIPTS.

From Auxiliaries and Bands--		
First quarter's receipts .....	\$614 35	
Second " " .....	755 58	
Third " " .....	783 38	
Fourth " " .....	3,016 58	
		<u>\$5,169 89</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for postal cards .....	\$4 00	
Printing same .....	1 00	
Mrs. Cunningham's bill .....	5 10	
Cash book .....	0 75	
Treasurer's book, Toronto .....	5 50	
Postage stamps .....	1 15	
Miss Ogden's bill, Toronto .....	4 96	
Mrs. Cunningham's bill .....	1 60	
" " " .....	2 74	
		<u>\$28 80</u>
Remitted Mrs. Thompson--		
First quarter .....	598 00	
Second " .....	755 14	
Third " .....	776 11	
Fourth " .....	2,917 84	
E. E. Williams .....	21 00	
Cash on hand .....	75 00	
		<u>\$5,143 09</u>
Audited and found correct.		<u>\$5,169 89</u>
M. A. McKEOUGH, Auditor.		

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LONDON CONFERENCE  
BRANCH.

HELD IN CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH, ST. THOMAS, OCT. 1, 2, 3, 1895.

The first session opened at 2.30 p.m., Mrs. Burns, President, in the chair, and an attendance of eighty-eight delegates and a large number of visitors from the outlying districts.

After devotions and routine, a tender and solemn memorial service was conducted by Mrs. Chown, of Wyoming. Seventeen members have been called to their reward, the fragrance of whose life and work still lingers with us.

The afternoon session closed with the administration of the Sacrament by Revs. Hannon and C. T. Scott, of St. Thomas, and A. Cunningham, of London.

The evening meeting was in the hands of the ladies, the President giving her annual address, and several addresses of welcome and greetings being received and suitably acknowledged.

Mrs. Edwards, of the St. Clair Reserve, delighted the audience with her graphic recital of work among the Indians. The interest aroused will not soon be forgotten.

Wednesday morning's session was occupied with committee work. The memorials will appear in the proceedings of the General Board.

The notices of motion which had appeared in the *Guardian* and *Outlook* were all adopted except those relating to the change of basis of representation to Branch and Board meetings, and also the Superannuation Fund, which were rejected.

The following were ordered as By-Laws:—

1. That District Organizers be *ex-officio* members of the Branch meeting, and have all the privileges of delegates, and expenses paid by the Branch Treasurer.

2. That any General Board officer of the Woman's Missionary Society, resident in the Branch, be a member of the Branch meeting with all the privileges of the convention and expenses paid by the Branch Treasurer.

3. That the Conference Organizer's expenses be paid by the Branch.

The Conference Organizer, Mrs. Bond, Seaforth, reported as follows: London Conference consists of 158 stations and circuits, and twenty-five missions. On eighty-six of these we have one or more auxiliaries, leaving ninety-seven unorganized. Seven districts held conventions during the year, and eight new auxiliaries organized.

Wednesday evening was spent at Alma College, when a short but interesting programme of music and recitations was given by the students, which was thoroughly enjoyed by the delegates. Refreshments were served in the classrooms at the close.

We were pleased to have with us during the sessions Miss Wigle, our missionary designate to Japan, also Mrs. Wright, our Editor. Both these ladies briefly addressed the convention.

An invitation to hold the next Annual Meeting in Dundas Centre Church, London, was accepted.

The following are the results of the elections:

#### OFFICERS.

<i>President</i> - - - - -	Mrs. Dr. Burns, St. Thomas.
<i>1st Vice-President</i> - - - - -	Mrs. Dr. Fowler, London.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i> - - - - -	Mrs. Dickson, London.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i> - - - - -	Mrs. A. Wood, St. Thomas.
<i>Recording Secretary</i> - - - - -	Mrs. J. H. McMechan, London.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i> - - - - -	Mrs. A. Cunningham, London.
<i>Treasurer</i> - - - - -	Mrs. T. W. Crothers, St. Thomas.
<i>Mission Band Corresponding Secretary</i> -	Mrs. F. W. Daly, London.
<i>Conference Organizer</i> - - - - -	Mrs. Bond, Seaforth.
<i>Representative to Annual Conference</i> -	Mrs. McMechan, London.

<i>London</i> - - - - -	
<i>St. Thomas</i> - - - - -	
<i>Aylmer</i> - - - - -	
<i>Chatham</i> - - - - -	
<i>Windsor</i> - - - - -	
<i>Ridgetown</i> - - - - -	
<i>Exeter</i> - - - - -	
<i>St. Mary's</i> - - - - -	
<i>Stratford</i> - - - - -	
<i>Goderich</i> - - - - -	
<i>Kincardine</i> - - - - -	
<i>Wingham</i> - - - - -	
<i>Listowel</i> - - - - -	
<i>Strathroy</i> - - - - -	
<i>Sarnia</i> - - - - -	

Mission Band evening was House was packed, many being choir of children on the platform numbers. The tableau of their ground was most pleasing.

It was particularly gratifying Methodist Church, St. Thomas banner, their percentage of increase.

The usual votes of thanks assisted in the pleasure and success of Principal Austin and P. Dr. Hannon closed with the

#### REPORT OF MISSION BANDS

The sad parting at the West in the memory of many.

At that time the mere thought of old friends and those associated strengthen the bond of love that the wisdom of the change each worker to put forth her best and refill, as rapidly as possible.

It is only now, when cold fingers Bands of the London Conference loss. Of the fifty-eight Mission Bands transferred to the care of the Hamilton Conference Branch, and Conference Branch. These six other Bands: Aylmer, Goderich, St. Thomas—Central, and Stratford Mission Bands reporting members

## DISTRICT ORGANIZERS.

<i>London</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. McMechan.
<i>St. Thomas</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. John Risdon.
<i>Aylmer</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Treleaven.
<i>Chatham</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. McIntyre.
<i>Windsor</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Gundy.
<i>Ridgetown</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Scatcherd, Newbury.
<i>Exeter</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. John Paisley, Ilderton.
<i>St. Mary's</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Rice.
<i>Stratford</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Flagg, Mitchell.
<i>Goderich</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Leech.
<i>Kincardine-</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Cuyler, Whitechurch.
<i>Wingham</i>	- - - - -	Left with Conference Organizer.
<i>Listowel</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Hampton.
<i>Strathroy</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Chown, Wyoming.
<i>Sarnia</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Edwards.

Mission Band evening was full of enthusiasm and interest. The Opera House was packed, many being turned away. Professor Ayers had a trained choir of children on the platform who sang with precision and effect several numbers. The tableau of their bright young faces massed against the background was most pleasing.

It was particularly gratifying to learn that "The Gleaners" of First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, were the successful competitors for the prize banner, their percentage of increase being sixty-nine.

The usual votes of thanks were tendered to all kind friends who had assisted in the pleasure and success of the convention, special mention being made of Principal Austin and Professor Ayers.

Dr. Hannon closed with the benediction.

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 REPORT OF MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

The sad parting at the Western Branch Annual Meeting of 1894 is fresh in the memory of many.

At that time the mere thought of separation—which involved the division of old friends and those associated together for years in the work—seemed to strengthen the bond of love that united the officers and delegates. A realization of the wisdom of the change, however, lessened the sadness and aroused each worker to put forth her best effort to advance the interest of her Branch and refill, as rapidly as possible, the depleted ranks.

It is only now, when cold figures and plain facts face us, that the Mission Bands of the London Conference Branch are in a position to estimate their loss. Of the fifty-eight Mission Bands reported for last year, forty-two were transferred to the care of the Mission Band Corresponding Secretary of the Hamilton Conference Branch, while sixteen only remained with the London Conference Branch. These sixteen have, during the year, been joined by six other Bands: Aylmer, Goderich (juvenile), London—Colborne Street, Listowel, St. Thomas—Central, and Strathroy (juvenile), making a total of twenty-two Mission Bands reporting membership and income for the past year. In addi-

tion to these, Varney has reported as organized ready for work this year. It is with much pleasure we add to this report the name of the Band successful in winning the prize banner, "The Gleaners," of the St. Thomas First Methodist Church.

Total number of Mission Bands .....	22
" " " Band members .....	818
Amount paid to Auxiliary Treasurers.....	\$1086 18

B. DICKSON DALY, Cor. Sec.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Members Sept. 15th, 1895.	Total Sum from Mem- bers' Fees.	Amount paid to Aux- iliary Treasurers during Year.
*Aylmer .....	75	\$18 75	\$18 75
Clinton, Rattenbury Street.....	..	....	5 20
Chatham (Donation).....	..	....	50 00
Essex .....	50	12 50	76 95
*Goderich (Juvenile).....	35	8 75	40 00
London, Queen's Avenue.....	111	44 75	233 94
" Dundas Centre .....	119	29 75	225 00
" South .....	30	17 25	60 15
" Wellington Street .....	44	11 00	53 26
" West .....	41	10 25	27 80
* " Colborne Street.....	33	8 25	31 00
*Listowel.....	41	10 25	10 25
Muncey .....	6	1 50	8 40
Mitchell (Epworth League Donation) .....	..	....	58 05
†St. Thomas First, "Gleaners" .....	56	18 75	67 76
" Grace Church .....	40	10 00	21 35
* " Central .....	29	7 25	10 65
St. Mary's (Juvenile) .....	17	4 25	22 81
Sarnia .....	20	5 00	14 64
*Strathroy (Juvenile) .....	10	2 50	16 99
The Grove .....	23	5 75	12 78
Teeswater .....	38	9 50	20 45
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>\$236 00</b>	<b>\$1086 18</b>

\*New Band.

†The Banner Band.

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Pres., \*Mrs. (I  
\*Mrs. Boyd ; 3rd V  
Rec. Sec., Mrs. F.  
Mesdames \*J. Chap  
\*(Rev.) Chapman,  
Porte, jun., Holme  
A. Fitzgerald, S. A  
(Rev.) Smith, L. G  
Rodgers, (Rev.) Cre  
sen., Trebilcock, C  
W. Saunby, Hodgki  
son, C. A. Kingsto  
wood, Lackie, Coc  
Adams, Howell, Gu  
Watson, Benson, St  
Morden, Cassidy, P  
Swan, Brown, Bar  
\*Boyd, Rogers, Eva

Pres., \*Mrs. D  
Cunningham ; 3rd  
Cor. Sec., \*Mrs. J.  
J. Fitzgerald, Kern  
Ashplant, J. Bowm  
Phillips, J. H. Dic  
Gunn, \*F. W. Dal  
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Pres., Mrs. Kinder; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Armstrong; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Wilson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. H. Brittain; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. J. Richardson; Treas., Miss Baskerville. Mesdames Mann, Raymond, F. L. Harrison, Carruthers, Harker, Heard, Shepherd, Evay, Ivason, Thomson, \*C. E. German, Millar, Robiison, Orchard, McIntyre, Buttery, Holden, Parker; Misses Harker, Clara German, Little Clara German, Osborne, Hanley, Orchard.

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Pres., Mrs. Thos. McKittrick; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Fletcher; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Smythe; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Slack; Cor. Sec., Mrs. L. L. Adams; Treas., Mrs. Barbara VanAlstyne. Mesdames Denham, McCann, Atkinson, Chamberlain, Proctor, McClory, Huffinan, Killey, Dibb, Glenn, Husband, Dundas, Barrett, Gaskill, Barbour, Boyce, McDonald, \*J. Saunders (deceased). Honorary member—Master Charles McCann.

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H. Smart; Treas.  
Roblin, H. Kettle,  
Andrew Wigle, J.  
Miss Hulda Wigle

Pres., Mrs. W.  
L. Banks; 3rd V.-  
Sec., Mrs. F. W.  
Simons, E. Walker

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H. C. Roes; Cor.  
Mesdames Wm. S.  
Wm. Bennett, P. I.

Pres., Mrs. H.  
Rec. Sec., Miss D.  
Mesdames Scane, C.  
McNaughton, Win.  
W. Snell, C. Mitch.  
Massey, Jacques,  
W. E. McKeough  
Platt, McRae, Rod

Pres., Mrs. T.  
Face; Rec. Sec.,  
Shelden. Mesdam.  
Cumberland, Roes,

Pres., Mrs. (R.  
Mrs. Lydia Sheple  
L. Jenner, S. Jenr.  
P. Jenner, S. F.  
Crackel, Andrew B.  
Clara Boyes.

## KINGSVILLE.

Pres., Mrs. E. W. Bowslaugh; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. D. C. McDonald; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. J. Wigle; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. E. Brown; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. H. Smart; Treas., Mrs. S. Forster. Mesdames Solomon Wigle, C. Greiner, Roblin, H. Kettle, (Rev.) McDonagh, Hubert Wigle, Alex. Brown, D. Conklin, Andrew Wigle, James, C. R. Scratch, A. Adams, (Dr.) Jenner, Henry Scratch; Miss Hulda Wigle.

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Pres., Mrs. Hadley; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Snook; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Taylor; Rec. Sec., Miss Dolsen; Cor. Sec., Miss Richards; Treas., Mrs. McKeough. Mesdames Scane, Gardiner, Ball, Cowan, Hamil, Marquand, Barfoot, Craddock, McNaughton, Wing, Doherty, Crow, White, A. J. Wilson, J. R. Snell, Shaw, W. Snell, C. Mitchell, J. Mitchell, Fleming, Grandy, Williams, J. R. Reid, Massey, Jacques, Wanless, Piggott, A. Dolsen, W. Hadley, G. McKeough, W. E. McKeough, Atwell; Misses Birdie Stevenson, Margaret McIntyre, Platt, McRae, Roddick.

## BLENHEIM.

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Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) Jos. Philp; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) C. Burdett; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Story; Rec. Sec., Miss Maggie Baker; Cor. Sec., Mrs. W. E. Bottoms; Treas., Miss M. E. Shaw. Mesdames W. W. Milton, B. Thompson, D. Kenzie, J. S. Gibbs, R. Badgley, T. W. Brown, A. Sinclair, H. Wilkinson, J. Porter, J. Manning, J. N. Kenny, W. E. Smith, L. J. Hummil, L. D. Parney, H. M. Green, W. A. Gosnell, S. Jefferies, R. Porterfield, G. Hunter, W. Rowe, (Rev.) J. Baird, Yates; Misses E. Martin, Maggie Cattle, Ruth Cattle, Nellie Philp, Lily Farnsworth, Annie Gowie, Polly Reycraft.

## GLENCOE.

Pres., Mrs. Weekes; V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) C. W. Brown; Rec. Sec., Miss L. Bartlett; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Walker; Treas., Miss L. Riggs. Mesdames J. Tremeer, Searle, Essery; Miss Parish.

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Pres., Mrs. James Tape; 1st V. Pres., Mrs. C. Crichton; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. M. Stone; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. Veale; Cor. Sec., Mrs. John Garrett; Treas., Miss Mattie Stone. Mesdames W. Smale, D. McMackin, C. McLaren, T. Atkinson, S. Latimer, A. Williams, H. Moorehouse, T. H. Tape, Ernest Gosnell, H. Smith, J. Ashton, E. Beattie, I. G. Bogart; Misses Sarah Gosnell, Mary McLaren, Allie Stone, Minnie Stone.

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Pres., Mrs. Jane W. Scatcherd; Rec. Sec., Miss Bertha Vail; Cor. Sec. and Treas., Miss Abbie Miller. Mesdames Marcus, Rush, Callendar, Lindsay, Hetherington; Miss Mary Wigelsworth.

## ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

## ST. THOMAS, FIRST.

Pres., Mrs. Thornton; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Crocker; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Risdon; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Crothers; Cor. Sec., \*Miss Alma Scott; Treas., Mrs. Wegg. Mesdames Graham, (Dr.) Hannon, W. B. Jennings, Orr, Bond, McKay, Hunsberger, Kennedy, Keiffer, Baird, Teskey, J. Risdon, T. Stacey, W. Atkin, Marlatt, Sharpe, G. Williams, Johnston, Watt, King, Suffel, Blake, J. Griffin, E. Miller, Geo. Rowley, Farley, Palmer, Burns, Shaw, F. Griffin, Brotherhood, Plewes, Hill, Whitmore, W. W. Shepherd, McIntyre, May, McBrayne, Metcalfe, Paulin, Wilkinson, Old, \*A. Wood, \*Dunham, \*Morgan, \*George Scott, \*Coates, Pavey; Misses Sutherland, Wyatt, Norsworthy, McLean, \*Morgan, \*E. Morgan, \*Pauline Harrison.

## ST. THOMAS, CENTRAL.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) C. T. Scott; Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. Meadows; Cor. Sec., Miss Sisk; Treas., Mrs. Flynn. Mesdames \*J. E. Hunter, Meadows, Thomas, Smith, Bolt, Sisk, Davis, Grey, Price, Austin, Barnard, Downs, Little, Miner, Millard, Small, Vandelinder, Warner, Scott, Whitman; Miss Delacey.

## ST. THOMAS.

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Pres., Mrs. A. Branton; Miss Tillie Richards; Cor. Sec., Richards, jun.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) T. M. Mrs. Phæbe Miskokomon; Cor. Sec., Henry, S. Fisher, Fowler; M...

Pres., Mrs. F. Shepard Mrs. Oliver; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Bake, Cromwell, A. C. Brown, Nicholas.

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Pres., Miss Ruth Bigham; Cor. Sec., Bertha Bigham; Cor. Sec., Mesdames Sutton, Bigham, \*Miss Moore.

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## UNION.

Pres., Miss Ruth Bigham; V.-Pres., Mrs. Mathison; Rec. Sec., Miss Bertha Bigham; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. Marrioll; Treas., Mrs. Jas. McKenzie. Mesdames Sutton, Bigham, Kirkland, Old, A. Phillpott, \*Freeman, \*Pigler; \*Miss Moore.

## AYLMER DISTRICT.

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Pres., \*Mrs. Treleaven; V.-Pres., Mrs. Evered; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Jennson; Cor. Sec., \*Mrs. Finch; Treas., Mrs. Cann. Mesdames Wickett, Warwick, Walsh, Gooding, Caldwell, McDonald, Bothwell, Buchanan, D. H. Price, Hare, Hill, Fulkeson, Martall, Bingham, Conn, Teeple, Burdick, Lane, Pepper, Morton, Jenkins, Curtis, Hood; Miss Gracie Treleaven.

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Pres., Mrs. J. Elliott; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) McAllister; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. H. Helmka; Rec. Sec., Miss Clara Smith; Cor. Sec., Miss Charlotte Elliott; Treas., Mrs. J. Corbett. Mesdames L. Wood, B. Hopkins, E. York, J. D. Freeman, C. Downing, E. Carter, G. Lish, J. Larkworthy, F. Woodry, Phelps, Prentice, Elliott, K. Freeman, H. Wood, Fletcher, Kirkpatrick; Misses C. Smith, S. Livingstone, A. Livingstone.

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Pres., Mrs. J. Amoss; V.-Pres., Mrs. Nesbitt; Rec. Sec., Mrs. K. Firby; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Evans; Treas., Mrs. W. Firby. Mesdames Hardwick, Moss, Connor, Turbul, Bartley, Best, Brown, T. Brown, Compton, J. Wintermute, G. Chute, Procunior, Peacock; Misses Procunior, Hazel Evans.

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Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) T. R. McNair; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Kerby; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Ira Hilborn; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Orlando Gillett; Cor. Sec., Miss Sadie A. Whiting; Treas., Mrs. H. B. Smith. Mesdames Van Wicklin, T. Roberts, C. Pettit, Jno. Smith, Jno. Alexander, A. Murray, C. Rundle, Jas. Burton, Wm. Reid; Miss B. Rundle.

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Pres., Mrs. Mary Blewett; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. D. McIntyre; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. I. Balkwell; 3rd V. Pres., Miss Mary Small; 4th V.-Pres., Miss E. Knight; Rec. Sec., Miss Lily Ross; Cor. Sec., \*Miss Edith Parlee; Treas., Mrs. Allan Taylor. Mesdames F. Ross, E. Smith, M. Penhale, D. Knight, B. Marlatt; Misses I. Heydon, Mitta Small, Stanfield, S. Penhale, Balkwell, B. McIntyre, A. Cook, F. Evely.

## HAMILTON

## CORRESPONDENCE

In presenting this our first year and the year may be regarded as feeling the loving presence of our old Western Branch many of our old associations were sundered by the same warfare, we have a year just closed was one of great interest. Be with You Till We Meet at the gathering of the W.M.S. when scattered would stand in numbers fourteen Districts, within its boundary, but as many of our expect much support from the organized Districts held meetings.

We report 95 Auxiliary members, 2,157; 38 Missions total, including Bands, of \$5,180 received by Treasurer, \$5,180 meetings held, 97; monthly

Auxiliaries have been organized at Fort Erie, Hanover, Cheslerburg (Norwich Ave.). Bright

Mission Bands have been organized at South, Hamilton First Church of Hamilton, presented the banner, which was awarded to

## HAMILTON CONFERENCE BRANCH.

### CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT.

In presenting this our first report, we have great cause for thanksgiving, and the year may be regarded as one of success and encouragement, and we feel the loving presence of our Father has been with us. By the division of the old Western Branch many familiar faces were missing at our meeting and old associations were sundered, but remembering that we are still engaged in the same warfare, we have a tie that can never be dissolved. Our meeting just closed was one of great spiritual benefit, and as our parting hymn, "God Be with You Till We Meet Again," was sung every one present felt this gathering of the W.M.S. workers had been a coming together of power that when scattered would stand for energetic, consecrated work. Our Branch numbers fourteen Districts, only one of which is without an Auxiliary within its boundary, but as many of its Circuits are themselves missions, we cannot expect much support from this District. With the exception of one, all our organized Districts held meetings during the year.

We report 95 Auxiliaries, 2,018 annual members, 139 life-members—total membership, 2,157; 38 Mission Bands with a membership of 1,113, making a total, including Bands, of 3,292. Amount raised by Bands, \$947.42. Total received by Treasurer, \$5,185.35. Sent General Treasurer, \$5,026.99. Public meetings held, 97; monthly meetings, 752; average attendance, 806.

Auxiliaries have been organized at Drayton, Stirton, International Bridge, Fort Erie, Hanover, Chesley, Hamilton (Barton St.), East Plains, Woodstock (Norwich Ave.). Bright has been reorganized for work this year.

Mission Bands have been organized at Caledonia, Carlisle, Niagara Falls South, Hamilton First Church, Varney and Walsh. Mrs. (Senator) Sanford, of Hamilton, presented the Branch with a very handsome Mission Band Banner, which was awarded to St. Paul's Church Mission Circle, of St. Catharines.

W. E. G. SMITH.

**STATISTICAL REPORT OF HAMILTON CONFERENCE  
BRANCH.**

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Annual Members, 1894-95.	Number of Life Mem- bers, 1894-95.	Total Membership, 1894-95.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to the Branch Treasurer, 1894-95.
<b>Hamilton District—</b>					
Bartonville .....	10	..	10	7	\$26 00
Caledonia .....	21	1	22	11	34 30
Dundas .....	40	10	50	11	166 32
Hamilton—Centenary .....	36	34	70	20	319 81
" —Wesley Church .....	54	13	67	19	286 29
" —First Church .....	50	2	52	23	125 06
" —Gore Street .....	20	1	21	14	20 00
" —Zion Tabernacle .....	18	..	18	8	53 51
" —Hannah Street .....	14	..	14	..	47 62
" —Barton Street .....	13	..	13	9	33 23
Stoney Creek .....	39	1	40	11	86 48
<b>Guelph District—</b>					
Acton .....	15	3	18	9	101 71
Belfountain .....	9	..	9	7	9 00
Elora .....	20	..	20	10	34 00
Fergus .....	15	..	15	9	46 57
Guelph—Norfolk Street .....	27	3	30	14	104 14
" —Dublin .....	24	1	25	13	75 59
Rockwood .....	14	2	16	9	22 29
<b>St. Catharines District—</b>					
Beamsville .....	10	..	10	..	11 49
Grimsby .....	15	2	17	11	31 00
Merritton .....	3	..	3	..	3 00
Niagara Falls .....	21	1	22	7	49 47
Niagara Falls South .....	27	1	28	12	117 93
Tintern .....	26	..	26	10	28 00
Thorold .....	7	2	9	8	38 71
St. Catharines—St. Paul's .....	41	9	50	12	122 59
" —Welland Avenue ..	15	2	17	10	34 90
<b>Brantford District—</b>					
Brantford—Brant Avenue .....	49	6	55	30	196 14
" —Wellington Street .....	50	5	55	13	94 41
" —Colborne Street .....	43	..	43	9	79 16
" —Sydenham Street .....	16	..	16	10	44 79
Jerseyville .....	17	5	22	10	74 88
Mount Pleasant .....	20	2	22	7	40 00
Paris .....	40	2	42	16	120 59
St. George .....	12	1	13	6	19 00
West Flamboro' .....	20	1	21	11	84 51

**Woodstock District—**

Bright .....
Burgessville .....
Eastwood .....
Ingersoll—King .....
" —Charl .....
Princeton .....
Woodstock—Cen .....
Currie's Crossing .....
Woodstock—No .....
Auxiliary .....

**Galt District—**

Berlin .....
Galt .....

**Simcoe District—**

Cayuga .....
Jarvis .....
Old Windham .....
Port Dover .....
Simcoe .....
Waterford .....
Woodhouse .....
Iynville .....

**Milton District—**

Burlington .....
Carlisle and Kil .....
Freelton .....
East Plains .....
Milton .....
Millgrove .....
Oakville .....
Waterdown .....
Wesley .....

STATISTICAL REPORT OF HAMILTON CONFERENCE

BRANCH—Continued.

Amount sent to the  
Branch Treasurer,  
1894-95.

AUXILIARIES.

\$26 00  
34 30  
166 32  
319 81  
286 29  
125 06  
20 00  
53 51  
47 62  
33 23  
86 48  
  
101 71  
9 00  
34 00  
46 57  
104 14  
75 59  
22 29  
  
11 49  
31 00  
3 00  
49 47  
117 93  
28 00  
38 71  
122 59  
34 90  
  
196 14  
94 41  
79 16  
44 79  
74 88  
40 00  
120 59  
19 00  
84 51

	Number of Annual Members, 1894-95.	Number of Life Mem- bers, 1894-95.	Total Membership, 1894-95.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to the Branch Treasurer, 1894-95.
<b>Woodstock District—</b>					
Bright .....	11	..	11	7	\$18 00
Burgessville .....	9	..	9	5	17 00
Eastwood .....	6	..	6	..	6 00
Ingersoll—King Street .....	43	4	47	18	55 51
" —Charles Street .....	19	..	19	10	20 37
Princeton .....	8	..	8	..	35 73
Woodstock—Central Church .....	70	3	73	20	154 47
Currie's Crossing .....	14	..	14	..	19 30
Woodstock—Norwich Avenue (new Auxiliary) .....	..	..	..	..	.....
<b>Galt District—</b>					
Berlin .....	18	1	19	8	25 25
Galt .....	32	..	32	20	97 86
<b>Simcoe District—</b>					
Cayuga .....	17	..	17	..	17 00
Jarvis .....	52	1	53	14	104 03
Old Windham .....	20	..	20	10	41 00
Port Dover .....	25	1	26	11	55 30
Simcoe .....	31	1	32	7	69 00
Waterford .....	18	..	18	5	29 30
Woodhouse .....	8	..	8	5	20 48
Lynville .....	9	..	9	5	11 00
<b>Milton District—</b>					
Burlington .....	38	..	38	8	63 21
Carlisle and Kilbride .....	16	1	17	5	55 25
Freelton .....	12	..	12	..	18 54
East Plains .....	5	..	5	..	5 50
Milton .....	34	3	37	15	56 74
Millgrove .....	51	1	52	20	96 50
Oakville .....	30	3	33	13	97 00
Waterdown .....	32	1	33	28	72 11
Wesley .....	16	..	16	..	20 20

STATISTICAL REPORT OF HAMILTON CONFERENCE BRANCH—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Annual Members, 1894-95.	Number of Life Members, 1894-95.	Total Membership, 1894-95.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to the Branch Treasurer, 1894-95.
<b>Welland District—</b>					
Caistorville .....	23	..	23	11	\$47 00
Cauboro' .....	9	..	9	..	10 35
Dunnville .....	25	..	25	..	27 50
Moots' Appointment .....	19	1	20	8	42 23
International Bridge .....	6	..	6	5	6 00
Welland .....	14	..	14	..	21 85
Fort Erie (new Auxiliary) .....	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Norwich District—</b>					
Burford .....	22	1	23	10	31 15
Dereham Centre .....	19	..	19	10	37 67
Delhi .....	8	..	8	5	13 35
Little Lake .....	20	..	20	8	47 57
Norwich .....	23	..	23	9	46 21
Northfield Centre .....	12	1	13	7	20 50
Oterville .....	17	1	18	4	44 76
Oakland .....	32	3	35	8	81 00
Tilsonburg .....	24	..	24	12	101 25
Teeterville .....	42	1	43	16	74 00
<b>Palmerston District—</b>					
Alma .....	7	..	7	..	9 46
Harriston .....	26	1	27	11	49 65
Palmerston .....	22	2	24	12	65 00
Drayton (new Auxiliary) .....	..	..	..	..	..
Stirton " " .....	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Mount Forest District—</b>					
Arthur .....	14	..	14	..	17 01
Durham .....	21	..	21	9	21 00
Grand Valley .....	11	..	11	6	15 00
Mount Forest .....	29	1	30	10	74 00
<b>Walkerton District—</b>					
Hanover .....	12	1	13	10	14 00
Paisley .....	13	..	13	..	15 75
Walkerton .....	33	1	34	15	66 50
Chesley (new Auxiliary) .....	..	..	..	..	..
Wolverton .....	..	..	..	..	2 13
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>2157</b>	<b>806</b>	<b>\$5122 51</b>

Total number of Auxiliaries, 95. Warton District is without an Auxiliary.

Hamilton  
Guelph  
St. Catharines  
Bramford  
Woodstock  
Galt  
Simcoe  
Milton  
Welland  
Norwich  
Palmerston  
Mount Forest  
Walkerton

TREASURER'S REPORT

Total from Auxiliaries  
Interest .....

Total received

To General Treasurer

Exchange on cheques  
Printing—program  
Ribbon for badges  
Literature, Room  
Organizer's expenses  
President's expenses  
Vice-President's  
Corresponding Secretary  
Treasurer .....

Balance on hand

W. F. COBER, Treasurer

Received after books  
West Flamborough  
Durham Auxiliary

Sent to General

Annual membership  
Life " " " " " "  
Mission Bands  
Public meetings  
Mite-boxes  
Easter thank-offerings  
Donations  
Other sources

REFERENCE

Amount sent to the Branch Treasurer, 1894-95.

\$47 00  
10 35  
27 50  
42 23  
6 00  
21 85

31 15  
37 67  
13 35  
47 57  
46 21  
20 50  
44 76  
81 00  
101 25  
74 00

9 46  
49 65  
65 00

17 01  
21 00  
15 00  
74 00  
14 00  
15 75  
66 50

2 13

\$5122 51

n Auxiliary.

DISTRICT ORGANIZERS.

<i>Hamilton</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Wm. Crawford, Hamilton.
<i>Guelph</i>	-	-	-	-	Miss Barker, Guelph.
<i>St. Catharines</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Lewis, Niagara Falls Centre.
<i>Brantford</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Phelps, Mohawk.
<i>Woodstock</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Fletcher, Woodstock.
<i>Galt</i>	-	-	-	-	No organizer yet appointed.
<i>Simcoe</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Kitchen, Niagara Falls South.
<i>Milton</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Deacon, Milton.
<i>Welland</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Kitchen, Niagara Falls South.
<i>Norwich</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. W. Phelps, Mohawk.
<i>Palmerston</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Hamilton, Palmerston.
<i>Mount Forest</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Callaway.
<i>Walkerton</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Charlton, Hanover.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF HAMILTON CONFERENCE BRANCH FOR YEAR ENDING SEPT., 1895.

RECEIPTS.

Total from Auxiliaries and Bands	.....	\$5,122 51
Interest	.....	1 84

Total receipts ..... \$5,124 35

EXPENDITURE.

To General Treasurer—First quarter	.....	\$674 00
"    "    Second    "	.....	830 31
"    "    Third    "	.....	1,372 65
"    "    Fourth    "	.....	2,150 00
Exchange on cheques, etc.	.....	2 15
Printing—programmes, badges, and circulars	.....	10 85
Ribbon for badges	.....	4 95
Literature, Room 20	.....	5 49
Organizer's expenses	.....	9 88
President's expenses to Executive	.....	1 70
Vice-President's " " " "	.....	1 25
Corresponding Secretary	.....	12 05
"    "    Mission Bands	.....	5 00
Treasurer	.....	5 85

Balance on hand, Oct. 1st, 1895..... \$5,086 16  
38 19

W. F. COBER, Auditor. \$5,124 35

Received after books were closed—		
West Flamboro' Auxiliary	.....	\$40 00
Durham Auxiliary	.....	21 00

Sent to General Treasurer ..... \$61 00

SOURCES OF INCOME.

Annual members' fees	.....	\$1,996 63
Life " " "	.....	325 00
Mission Bands	.....	947 42
Public meetings	.....	334 45
Mite-boxes	.....	351 41
Easter thank-offering	.....	654 58
Donations	.....	349 15
Other sources	.....	163 87

SPECIAL DONATIONS

(Included in Report of Auxiliaries.)

Dundas, for Crosby Home .....	\$31 00
Galt, for Dr. Bolton's work .....	50 00
Paris, for support of Bible-woman .....	50 00
Stoney Creek, for support of Bible-woman .....	50 00
Tilsonburg, for support of girl in Tokyo School.....	50 00

EMMA E. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

GALT, Oct. 1st, 1895.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HAMILTON BRANCH.

The first annual meeting assembled in St. Paul Street Church, St. Catharines, October 1st, at 2.30 p.m., Mrs. T. W. Jackson, Fergus, President, in the chair. Mrs. Phelps, Mount Pleasant, led the opening devotions. Seventy delegates were present. Mrs. Scarff, Guelph; Mrs. Crawford, and Mrs. G. N. Jackson, Hamilton, were appointed a Nominating Committee.

Mrs. Fairfield welcomed the delegates to the Garden City, and Mrs. Hardy, Hamilton, gracefully replied. Greetings were presented from the sister churches, from the W.C.T.U., also a telegram from the London Branch, with Scripture references: Joshua, i, 9; Matthew, xxviii, 20.

Thirteen members having died during the year, Miss Barker, Guelph, conducted a service "in loving remembrance."

The Conference Organizer's report told of successful work, every District but one holding District Conventions.

Mrs. Van Benscotin, Newark, N.Y., led a very inspiring pentecostal hour, and also talked at the public meeting in the evening on "Our Work and What It Represents." A very interesting and forceful address was also given by the President.

On Wednesday afternoon Miss Whitfield gave an account of her work in Africa, its needs and how to meet them. Dundas Auxiliary presented a memorial, recommending this work to the careful consideration of our W.M.S. Mrs. Nicolas, of British Columbia, told of her experiences among the Indians.

"Practical Talk," by Mrs. Gayfer, Hamilton, was requested to be printed in pamphlet form.

Four young ladies from this Branch have applied for the work, two have already been appointed.

On Thursday evening Rev. D. W. Snyder occupied the chair. The Branch Mission Band Secretary, Mrs. G. N. Jackson, Hamilton, reported six new Bands and also gave a "Plea for Mission Bands," the key note being "Mission Bands are our nursery, and it's a poor mother that neglects her own nursery."

Miss McAllister, from Africa, followed with a vigorous call for consecrated silver.

The prize banner, presented to the Branch by Mrs. (Senator) Sanford, Hamilton, was awarded to St. Paul Street Band, St. Catharines.

It was recommended: That names of life-members of Circles and Bands be printed in the Annual Report of the Branch. That an earnest endeavor be made to increase the circulation of the *Palm Branch* among our Circles and Bands. That each District appoint its organizer at the District Meeting; that a committee be appointed to draft a constitution for Districts. That the Annual Report be used in connection with the watch tower or monthly pro-

gramme; that the missionary maps The election

President  
1st Vice-President  
2nd Vice-President  
3rd Vice-President  
Corresponding Secretary  
Recording Secretary  
Treasurer  
Mission Band  
Conference Organizers  
Representatives

The next annual District Organizational meetings.

REPORT OF I

In presenting minds, that is, the would fain say, li The past year has line we have heard have also heard th and take courage

We have reported donia, Carlisle, E South Circle. Fe year.

Total number Annual Bands Life members Amount paid

In addition to Coqualeetza Home Woodhouse sent b We submit th fresh zeal and gre

LIFE-MEM

Hamilton, Centennial  
Jas. Allen, W  
Misses Cartm  
(Mrs. Waldon  
St. Catharines, St.



gramme ; that the letter leaflets be retained in their present form ; and that missionary maps of our foreign fields be placed in Auxiliaries.

The election of officers resulted as follows :

<i>President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Jackson, Fergus.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Phelps, Mt. Pleasant.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Hardy, Hamilton.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Sharp, Brantford.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. W. G. Smith, Guelph.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Gayfer, Hamilton.
<i>Treasurer</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Williams, Galt.
<i>Mission Band Cor.-Secretary</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. G. N. Jackson, Hamilton.
<i>Conference Organizer</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Scarff, Hamilton.
<i>Representative to Annual Conference</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. Mitchell, Milton.

The next annual meeting will be held in Hamilton.

District Organizers to remain unchanged until their respective District meetings.

### REPORT OF MISSION BAND CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

In presenting our first annual report, one truth forces itself upon our minds, that is, that there remaineth yet much land to be possessed ; but we would fain say, like Caleb of old, "We are well able to go up and possess it." The past year has not been free from discouragements, and from all along the line we have heard the cry, "Pray for us ;" but accompanying the prayer we have also heard the shout of victory from many quarters. So we thank God and take courage for another year's work.

We have reported this year 38 Bands, six of which are new, namely, Caledonia, Carlisle, Hamilton (First Meth.), Varney, Walsh, and Niagara Falls South Circle. Fergus and Georgetown have reported ready for work this year.

Total number of Bands.....	38
Annual Band members.....	1113
Life members.....	22
Amount paid to Auxiliary Treasurer.....	\$947 42

In addition to this, Old Windham Band reports sending box of goods to Coqualeetza Home ; Port Dover sent box valued at \$20 to Supply Committee ; Woodhouse sent box of clothing valued at \$22 to Muncey.

We submit this report with the hope that the coming year may bring us fresh zeal and greater prosperity.

LUCY JACKSON.

### LIFE-MEMBERS OF MISSION CIRCLES AND BANDS.

*Hamilton, Centenary*—Mesdames Chas. Hardy, Wm. Watkins, T. H. Pratt, Jas. Allen, W. E. Sanford, Strachan, J. S. Ross, Hunt, W. E. Prescott ; Misses Cartmell, Slocombe, King, Meta Watkins, E. Lazier, L. Hardy (Mrs. Waldon), Skinner, Crawford.

*St. Catharines, St. Paul St.*—Misses Aggie Hume, M. H. Connor.

MISSION BAND STATISTICAL REPORT, 1894-95.

MISSION BANDS.	Number of Annual Members, Sept. 15th, 1895.	Life Members.	Total Amount from Members' Fees.	Amount sent to Auxiliary Treasurer during year.
Brantford, Brant Avenue .....	26	..	\$6 25	\$40 71
" Wellington Street .....	40	..	10 00	17 00
*Caledonia .....	22	..	5 50	6 57
*Carlisle .....	40	1	10 00	12 00
Dundas .....	22	..	5 50	34 25
Dereham Centre .....	26	..	6 50	6 68
Guelph, Norfolk Street .....	21	..	5 25	28 37
Galt .....	55	..	13 75	26 11
Grimsby .....	23	1	5 85	10 00
Hamilton, Centenary .....	88	17	37 00	116 01
" Wesley .....	55	..	13 75	93 00
" First (Circle) .....	47	..	11 75	79 11
* " " (Band) .....	19	..	4 75	15 00
" Simcoe Street .....	Donation	..	..	10 00
Hespeler .....	24	..	6 00	20 00
Jarvis .....	41	..	10 25	14 52
Mooite's Appointment .....	13	..	3 25	5 81
Mount Pleasant .....	Donation	..	..	5 45
Mount Zion .....	48	..	12 00	17 08
Mount Vernon .....	8	..	2 00	3 20
Norwich .....	29	..	7 25	7 25
*Niagara Falls South (Circle) .....	15	..	13 82	29 35
" " " (Band) .....	17	..	3 81	3 81
Oakland .....	20	1	5 00	16 45
Old Windham .....	40	..	10 00	17 73
Port Dover .....	71	..	17 75	30 30
Palmerston .....	18	..	4 50	12 53
†St. Catharines, St. Paul Street .....	48	2	22 50	40 64
Simcoe .....	26	..	6 50	25 85
Tilsonburg .....	24	..	6 00	57 86
Verschoyle .....	11	..	2 75	7 68
*Varney .....	14	..	3 50	3 50
Walkerton .....	15	..	3 75	16 00
Waterford .....	10	..	2 50	2 90
Woodhouse .....	18	..	4 50	11 48
Woodstock .....	25	..	6 25	62 00
Wilsonville .....	52	..	13 00	20 84
*Walsh .....	16	..	4 07	6 00
Zion Hill .....	26	..	6 50	14 38

Number of Mission Bands .....	38
" " Band members .....	1113
" Life-members .....	22
Amount sent to Auxiliary Treasurers .....	\$947 42

\* New Band. † Banner Band.

ME  
PAY  
HAM  
Pres., \*Mrs  
James Moore ;  
Mesdames Crist  
Moore, Howell,  
E. Coleman.  
Pres., Mrs.  
Miss Clara Fair  
Moore. Mesdar  
Agnes Gibbon, M  
No names s  
Pres., \*Mrs  
S. Schell ; C.r.  
W. J. Thompsc  
Tufford, Park,  
Horning, McNis  
Honiter, Jas. M  
Luvet, E. Thor  
Stunabaugh, Fe  
Misses Dymond,  
Pres., Mrs.  
shall ; Cor. Sec  
\*H. Johnson,  
Wilkinson, Wey  
Strickland, Jen  
Cox, West, Hea  
R. Hall ; Misses  
Pres., Mrs.  
Verity ; Cor. Se  
dames John Mar  
E. A. Brown, L  
Warner, Mason  
Johnson, Bault  
Mann, Hazlehur  
Warne, Wilson.

Members' Fees.	Amount sent to Auxiliary Treasurer during year.
6 25	\$40 71
0 00	17 00
5 50	6 57
0 00	12 00
5 50	34 25
6 50	6 68
5 25	28 37
3 75	26 11
5 85	10 00
7 00	116 01
3 75	93 00
1 75	79 11
4 75	15 00
	10 00
6 00	20 00
2 25	14 52
3 25	5 81
	5 45
2 00	17 08
2 00	3 20
7 25	7 25
3 82	29 35
3 81	3 81
5 00	16 45
0 00	17 73
7 75	30 30
4 50	12 53
2 50	40 64
6 50	25 85
6 00	57 86
2 75	7 68
3 50	3 50
3 75	16 00
2 50	2 90
4 50	11 48
6 25	62 00
3 00	20 84
4 07	6 00
6 50	14 38

## MEMBERS OF AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER.

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

### HAMILTON CONFERENCE BRANCH.

#### ACTON.

Pres., \*Mrs. Thomas Easton ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Bryers ; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. James Moore ; Cor. Sec., \*Mrs. H. P. Moore ; Treas., Mrs. A. Stevenson. Mesdames Cristy, James Brown, John Coleman, A. H. Brown, Thurston, T. C. Moore, Howell, McLain, James Mathews ; Misses L. Williams, C. E. Moore, E. Coleman.

#### ALMA.

Pres., Mrs. Wm. Fairweather ; V.-Pres., Miss Mary A. Day ; Rec. Sec., Miss Clara Fairweather ; Cor. Sec., Miss Eva Norris ; Treas., Miss Emma Moore. Mesdames (Rev.) Philps, John Fairweather ; Misses Etta Fairweather, Agnes Gibbon, Mary Lyons.

#### ARTHUR.

No names sent.

#### BRANTFORD, BRANT AVENUE.

Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) Rutledge ; V.-Pres., Mrs. White ; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. R. S. Schell ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. S. Rose ; Treas., Mrs. Noble. Mesdames Agnew, W. J. Thompson, S. H. Jones, \*Snider, Wolfe, D. Thompson, Fullerton, Tufford, Park, J. T. Thompson, Barche, Goodson, W. Millar, E. Plewes, Horning, McNish, W. T. Smith, Lowery, D. Wilson, Vaughan, Kerr, Preston, Honiter, Jas. Millar, Wickens, Muirhead, F. Wade, Mudge, Page, Hartley, Luvet, E. Thompson, Richardson, Howell, Garvin, McGregor, Middlemiss, Stunabaugh, Fenton, S. Plews, Bromster, \*Hurden, \*Stede, (Judge) Jones ; Misses Dymond, Schofield.

#### BRANTFORD, WELLINGTON STREET.

Pres., Mrs. J. S. Rose ; V.-Pres., Miss Shannon ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Wrenshall ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wallace ; Treas., \*Mrs. Sharp. Mesdames \*Bobier, \*H. Johnson, \*Almas, Bonham, \*Russ, Ryerson, Finlayson, Houghton, Wilkinson, Weyms, J. Tutt, Vanstone, Winksel, Carey, Marigold, Wheland, Strickland, Jennings, Whitlock, Corson, Holt, Church, Ball, A. Cook, Wade, Cox, West, Heath, McDonald, Brophey, Horsman, Ashbrooke, Smith, G. Hall, R. Hall ; Misses Forde, Sutton, Glasco, Shannon, Kent, Clench.

#### BRANTFORD, COLBORNE STREET.

Pres., Mrs. Rutledge ; V.-Pres., Mrs. DeCoverly ; Rec. Sec., Miss Edith Verity ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. J. E. Baker ; Treas., Mrs. P. A. Van Seikle. Mesdames John Mann, Grace, McGary, Harley, Van Fleet, Prouse, I. Hutchinson, E. A. Brown, Lowrey, Hoskins, K. Verity, Lundy, J. Pearce, Shields, Roberts, Warner, Mason, McCart, Vanderlip, Parkinson, Riddols, Griffin, Linscott, Johnson, Baulton ; Misses L. Phair, Ada Knowles, M. Verity, Grace, Sadie Mann, Hazlehurst, McGary, Alice Verity, Lowes, M. Phair, Gladys Baker, Warne, Wilson.

## BRANTFORD, SYDENHAM STREET.

Pres., Mrs. Eascott; V.-Pres., Mrs. Isaac; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Scruton; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Strachan; Treas., Miss E. Isaac. Mesdames Fernley, Dungey, Tunstell, Gidney, McWill, Hauffman, Hazlewood; Misses N. Alderson, B. Strachan.

## BURLINGTON.

Pres., \*Mrs. Emory; V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Lindley; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Crosby; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Madden; Treas., Mrs. Rowsome. Mesdames \*Histon, \*Hart, Peck, Bohlander, Finnemore, Dalton, James Allen, E. Freeman, Wood Freeman, Smith Freeman, Elliott, Dent, Cleaver, E. Cleaver, E. Hopkins, John Allen, David Philman, T. Foster, T. Collins, E. Burns, G. Allen, T. Ghent, Norman, W. Fisher, Balton, Springer, Williamson; Misses Tuck, D. Zimmerman, Andrews, Garbutt.

## BEAMSVILLE.

Sent no names.

## BARTONVILLE.

Pres., Mrs. Archer; V.-Pres., Mrs. Mott; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. A. Crosthwaite; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Frank Hills; Treas., W. S. Burkholder. Mesdames Temple, Fred. Freburn, Geo. Awrey, L. B. Crosthwaite, D. H. Crosthwaite.

## BELMOUNTAIN.

Pres., Mrs. Ramsay; V.-Pres., Mrs. Byam; Rec. Sec., Mrs. C. Brock; Cor. Sec., Miss L. Glendening; Treas., Mrs. A. Byam. Mesdames M. Brock, C. Byam, Dyre, J. Blair, Jones.

## BERLIN.

Pres., Mrs. J. Scott; V.-Pres., Mrs. Clement; Rec. Sec., Miss S. Eby; Cor. Sec., Miss Ada Cairnes; Treas., Mrs. Hunt. Mesdames Westran, P. E. W. Moyer, Groff, Sheppard, Godbold, Howd, German, Skidmore, Strickland, G. Whiting, Shotwell; Misses Peterson, Bingeman.

## BURGESSVILLE.

Pres., Mrs. Pollard; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jacob; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Griffin; Cor. Sec., Miss Edna Burgess; Treas., Mrs. Hilliker. Mesdames Griswold, Manson, Burgess, R. S. Burgess.

## BURFORD.

Pres., Mrs. Ledger; V.-Pres., Mrs. Dutchan; Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Johnson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Johnson; Treas., Mrs. Phipps. Mesdames Lester, \*Cookman, Cameron, Phipps, sen., Metcalf, Wm. Harley, Arch. Harley, Hurlbert; Misses Rounds, Ledger, Emma Ledger, K. Cameron, Carten, Emily Lester, Willits, Fowler, Thomas, Poole.

## BRIGHT.

Pres., Miss W. N. Vollick; V.-Pres., Miss R. Currah; Rec. Sec., Miss E. Wilson; Cor. Sec., Miss W. B. Wilson; Treas., Miss R. Johnson.

## CARLISLE AND KILBRIDE.

Pres., Mrs. Mooney; Vice.-Pres., \*Mrs. Thompson; Rec. Sec., Miss Carey; Cor. Sec., Miss Grace Campbell; Treas., Mrs. Green. Mesdames D. A. Van Fleet, W. Foster, John Foster, James Shields, Vivian, Draken, Eaton, G. Galloway, G. Harboshe, Jas. Livingston; Misses Bollea, Husband.

## CAISTORVILLE.

Pres., Mrs. A. Spears; V.-Pres., Mrs. Haney; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Brown; Cor. Sec., Miss M. C. Haney; Treas., Mrs. Cook. Mesdames Adams, Murphy, Dennis, Johnson, Laidlaw, Gilbert, Lymburner, Waite, Etherington, Shields, Bradshaw; Misses Ella Spears, Maud Brown, Jessie Brown, Jennie Hoover, Lizzie Absalom, Jonna Laidlaw, Nearie Cook.

## CALEDONIA.

Pres., Mrs. Burch; Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. Bingle; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Laird; Cor. Sec., Miss Jeffery; Treas., Miss Terryberry. Mesdames (Rev.) \*Jackson, Burns, Geo. Hewson, Berry, Burrows, Jeffery, Street, Ramsey, W. Tilton, G. Young, C. Richards, Benfield; Misses Droper, Young, Brown, Ryckman.

## CURRIE'S CROSSING.

Pres., Mrs. E. Gracey; V.-Pres., Mrs. Thos. Boyd; Rec. Sec., Miss Aggie Rice; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Alfred Rice; Treas., Mrs. Matthew Cole. Mesdames E. J. Gibson, W. Scott, W. D. Smith, W. Weary, Henry Rice, B. Thornton; Misses Rinch, Lottie Rinch, Lillie Start.

## CANBORO.

Sent no names.

## CAYUGA.

Sent no names.

## DURHAM.

Pres., Mrs. Parker; V.-Pres., Mrs. Wolfe; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Sparling; Cor. Sec., Miss Orchard; Treas., Mrs. Bean. Mesdames Moffat, Whelan, Reombough, Lauder, Leavens, Woodland, Livingstone, Fernean, Horn, Wright; Misses Calbertson, Simin, Banks, Pomeroy, Aljoe.

## DUNDAS.

Pres., \*Mrs. G. R. Davidson; V.-Pres., \*Mrs. W. H. Keagy; Rec. Sec., Miss L. Aikman; Cor. Sec., Miss F. Aikman; Treas., Mrs. J. Bowman. Mesdames Ham, W. E. Lyons, E. Freeborn, J. Fisher, W. R. Horning, Aikman, W. H. Knowls, Cowper, B. Hilts, Sharpler, J. B. Grafton, Burrows, J. Horning, J. J. Grafton, Wakefield, \*G. M. Meacham, \*W. A. Davidson, \*J. J. Crowe, \*J. Hilts, Howard, Moore, Talbot; Misses \*Burrows, L. Ham, A. Keagy, M. Keagy, L. Aikman, Fisher, A. Fisher, Hattie Fisher, M. King, M. Forest, B. Forest, L. Smith, M. Nash, \*E. E. Grafton, N. Grafton, R. Wakefield, Horning, Jessie Bowman, \*Wakefield, Moulton, Annie Chegwin, \*Mary Rood, \*Fannie Smith.

## DEREHAM CENTRE.

Pres., Mrs. T. Parsons; V.-Pres., Mrs. W. Butler; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Deacon; Cor. Sec., Miss E. Bigham; Treas., Miss M. Bell. Mesdames Jos. Wilkinson, Thos. Butler, Partlo, R. Nancekivell, Adamson, Jeffery, Huntly, Prouse, Phillips, James Wilkinson; Misses A. Butler, J. Bigham, R. Bigham.

## DUNNVILLE.

Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) Wesley Casson; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jos. Eming; Rec. Sec., Miss Belle Sime; Cor. Sec., Mrs. John A. Cooke; Treas., Mrs. James Griffin. Mesdames Wm. Michener, Simon Moyer, S. Swayze, (Dr.) Pringle, Wm. Braund, W. W. Montague, Eliza Walkley, R. A. Harrison, N. Moot, Campbell.

## DELHI.

Sent no names.

## MEMBERS OF AUXILIARIES.

## ELORA.

Pres., Mrs. Blatchford ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Boys ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Broley ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. F. Godfrey ; Treas., Mrs. Stickney. Mesdames (Rev.) Stevenson, Farrow, Faskin, Beam, Mark Waind, W. G. Waind, Cockroft, Beaumont ; Misses S. Godfrey, Carder, Fear, Patmore.

## EASTWOOD.

Pres., Miss Ripp ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Jordan ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Lampman ; Cor. Sec., Miss Ada Lazenby ; Treas., Miss Lampman.

## EAST PLAINS.

Sent no names.

## FREELTON.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Holden ; V.-Pres. and Cor. Sec, Mrs. R. H. Cowan ; Rec. Sec., Miss Hoffman ; Treas., Mrs. G. G. Johnson. Mesdames T. Johnson, P. Page, Binkley, B. Wyse, G. Wyse, Sutton, Wingrove ; Miss J. McCuen.

## FERGUS.

Pres., \*Mrs. T. W. Jackson, Pres. of Hamilton Conf. Branch ; V.-Pres., Mrs. G. Beatty ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Groves ; Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. Small ; Treas., Mrs. E. E. Read. Mesdames McNamara, \*Swann, Harrison, Campbell, Hyatt, M. Beatty, Peck, Dix, Sherwood.

## GUELPH, NORFOLK STREET.

Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Henderson ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Tovell ; Rec. Sec., Miss J. M. Smith ; Cor. Sec., \*Mrs., W. G. Smith ; Treas., Miss H. L. Maddock. Mesdames Scroggie, Scarff, Johnson, Foster, Ryan, Hudson, R. Crowe, Wordsworth, \*Jas. Mills, Moore, Wideman, Schofield, Jackson, Flewelling, Stevenson, Littlechilds, \*Maddock, Marriott, John Mills, Ansley, DeCarteret ; Misses R. M. Smith, Pearl Ryan.

## GUELPH, DUBLIN STREET.

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## GALT.

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The added experience of the year has increased our confidence that the Lord is blessing our work. Though many of our members have suffered through the financial depression of the last few years, yet we are in no way discouraged, for the work of the Woman's Missionary Society is so dear to the members that they spare no effort to keep up their subscriptions. The record of sacrifice and labor by not a few of our members will never fully be made known.

Though the Whitby District, with five Auxiliaries, is lost to us, the addition of the Owen Sound and Uxbridge Districts has added fifteen Auxiliaries to our list; in addition to these there have been six new ones organized, viz., at King, St. Albans, Laurel, Penetang, Meaford, and Lloydtown.

Number of Auxiliaries .....	73	Increase	15
Annual Members .....	1793	"	119
Life-Members .....	180	"	18
Number of Mission Bands and Circles .....	41	"	7
" Members .....	984	"	102
Amount raised by Auxiliaries ..		\$5,208	31
" " Mission Bands .....		850	00
Received from all sources .....		5,499	64
Remitted to General Treasurer .....		5,250	00

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

The second annual meeting of the Toronto Conference Branch was held in Broadway Tabernacle, Toronto, October 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

There was a large attendance, eighty-three of those present being delegates.

The President, Mrs. J. B. Willmott, occupied the chair, and was assisted in the opening devotional exercises by Mrs. G. P. McKay, Mrs. Blackstock and Mrs. Langford.

Mrs. Woolsey, of St. Paul's Auxiliary, took charge of the "In Memoriam" service, and Mrs. Williams, the Honorary President, led an impressive consecration service.

A Bible-reading was given by Miss Macdonald, and the first session concluded with the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, administered by Rev. J. C. Speer, the pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Dr. German.

One of the most interesting features of the meeting was a "Conference on Methods of Work in Monthly and Public Meetings," conducted by Mrs.

McKay. Several short and able papers were presented on the various exercises of Auxiliary and Mission Band meetings, each subject being followed by animated discussion.

It was unanimously decided to establish a department of "Proportionate Giving," and Mrs. Garrett, of Parkdale, was appointed superintendent.

An invitation was accepted from the Collingwood Auxiliary to hold the next annual meeting in that place.

At the public meeting on Tuesday evening, Dr. Stevenson, of China, gave an interesting address on the work there, and inspired the large audience with some of his own enthusiasm. Persecution only seems to have increased his ardor, death itself having no terror for him if met in the endeavor to bring the Chinese to the Saviour.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. Bascom presided over an enthusiastic Mission Band rally.

The following by-laws were adopted :

1. That District Organizers be under the direction of the Branch Corresponding Secretary.
2. That District Organizers and officers send in a statement of their expenses before September 15th of each year.
3. That District Organizers be *ex-officio* members of the Branch meeting and have all the privileges of delegates, and that their expenses be paid by the Branch meeting.
4. That District Organizers be allowed five minutes each to report at the Branch meeting.
5. That in every place where practicable a district convention be held each year.
6. That all the privileges of the District Convention be open to every Auxiliary member on the district.
7. That a collection be taken at the District Convention which shall be applied to the *necessary* expenses of the organizers. Any deficit to be met by Branch.
8. That the District Organizer be nominated by ballot, without debate, at the District Convention; in the absence of such convention, that the nominations be made by the Branch Corresponding Secretary, as formerly.

#### BY-LAWS OF PRECEDING YEAR.

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

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

That reports of Auxiliaries be given by the District Organizers.

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

## OFFICERS.

The officers for the year are as follows :

<i>Honorary President</i>	-	-	Mrs. J. A. Williams, 29 Linden St., Toronto.
<i>President</i>	-	-	Mrs. J. B. Willmott, 50 Boad St., Toronto.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	-	-	Mrs. G. P. McKay, Alliston.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	-	-	Mrs. A. Langford, Orangeville.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	-	-	Mrs. D. G. Sutherland, 560 Church St., Toronto.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	-	-	Mrs. Geo. Kerr, 42 Charles St., Toronto.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	-	-	Mrs. Wm. Briggs, 21 Grenville St., Toronto.
<i>Treasurer</i>	-	-	Mrs. W. W. Ogden, 184 Spadina Ave., Toronto.
<i>Auditor</i>	-	-	Miss M. Wilkes, 84 Gloucester St., Toronto.
<i>Mission Band Cor. Sec.</i>	-	-	Mrs. Jos. Bascom, 189 Dunn Ave., Parkdale.

The following ladies were appointed District Organizers :

<i>Toronto East District</i>	-	Mrs. N. A. Powell, 167 College St., Toronto.
<i>Toronto Central</i>	"	- Mrs. J. C. Locke, 84 Summerhill Ave., Toronto.
<i>Toronto West</i>	"	- Mrs. W. Hamilton, 183 Close Ave., Parkdale.
<i>Brampton</i>	"	- Mrs. Cheyne, Brampton.
<i>Bradford</i>	"	- Mrs. G. P. McKay, Alliston.
<i>Barrie</i>	"	- Mrs. R. Gibson, Barrie.
<i>Collingwood</i>	"	- Mrs. Towler, Collingwood.
<i>Bracebridge</i>	"	- Mrs. Bray, Huntsville.
<i>Orangeville</i>	"	- Mrs. Alex. Langford, Orangeville.
<i>Uxbridge</i>	"	- Mrs. H. A. Crosby, Uxbridge.
<i>Owen Sound</i>	"	- Mrs. Boland, Owen Sound.



COMBINED REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY  
AND TREASURER.

AUXILIARIES.		Number of Members, 1895.	Increase.	Life Members, 1895.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
<b>Toronto East District—</b>							
Metropolitan	71	..	18	..	28	\$673 92	
Berkeley Street	36	..	14	..	16	166 40	
Sherbourne Street	68	8	18	4	43	295 97	
Carlton Street	50	..	20	..	20	262 22	
Central	51	..	13	2	15	103 75	
Parliament Street	36	..	..	..	18	66 29	
King Street	10	..	1	..	6	10 84	
Scarboro	9	..	..	..	..	19 00	
<b>Toronto Central District—</b>							
Elm Street	42	1	8	..	15	166 70	
Queen Street	71	..	9	..	36	323 26	
Broadway Tabernacle	93	..	9	..	41	203 98	
New Richmond	30	..	1	..	15	120 21	
St. Paul's	31	6	1	..	13	54 68	
Yonge Street	53	..	12	..	18	86 42	
Eglinton	24	4	4	1	8	113 70	
Willowdale and Newtonbrook	16	1	2	..	10	41 80	
Richmond Hill	21	9	..	..	10	46 65	
Maple	21	..	..	..	11	54 86	
<b>Toronto West District—</b>							
Trinity	50	20	2	..	20	66 00	
Euclid Avenue	40	..	1	..	14	56 58	
Wesley	41	3	3	..	23	123 53	
Parkdale	95	3	5	..	34	158 76	
Bathurst Street	17	..	4	..	10	22 60	
Mimico	11	..	..	..	6	39 46	
Toronto Junction	24	3	6	1	12	52 74	
St. Alban's	12	12	1	1	20	23 65	
<b>Brampton District—</b>							
Brampton—St. Paul's	28	..	1	..	15	100 20	
" —Grace	50	..	5	..	22	201 32	
Streetsville	22	..	2	..	8	61 30	
Bolton	16	..	..	..	6	24 20	
Inglewood	13	..	..	..	..	15 79	

**COMBINED REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY  
AND TREASURER—Continued.**

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members, 1895.	Increase.	Life Members, 1895.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
<b>Bradford District—</b>						
Newmarket .....	29	..	..	..	11	\$80 23
Alliston .....	14	2	..	..	9	15 70
Beeton .....	10	..	..	..	..	12 75
Tottenham .....	18	..	..	..	..	42 00
Schomberg .....	16	..	3	..	12	18 79
Aurora .....	43	..	1	..	..	73 33
Thompsonville .....	18	2	..	..	8	41 41
Newton Robinson .....	14	..	..	..	8	25 00
King .....	11	11	..	..	10	11 00
Lloydton (organized Sept. 15, 95)	..	..	..	..	..	....
<b>Orangeville District—</b>						
Orangeville .....	22	5	..	..	12	55 00
Palgrave .....	12	..	..	..	7	8 25
Laurel (just organized) .....	..	..	..	..	..	....
<b>Barrie District—</b>						
Barrie .....	40	..	2	..	12	136 29
Orillia .....	33	..	..	..	7	90 14
Allandale .....	..	..	..	..	..	3 68
Penetang ..	18	..	..	..	..	13 16
<b>Collingwood District—</b>						
Collingwood .....	45	..	2	1	12	85 93
Thornbury .....	16	..	2	..	8	22 30
Creemore .....	9	..	..	..	5	17 00
Meaford .....	12	12	..	..	..	25 00
Bethesda .....	5	..	..	..	3	10 72
<b>Bracebridge District—</b>						
Bracebridge .....	15	..	..	..	10	14 70
Gravenhurst .....	13	..	1	..	8	40 42
Huntsville .....	15	..	..	..	7	23 11

SECRETARY

COMBINED REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY  
AND TREASURER—Continued.

Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
11	\$80 23
9	15 70
..	12 75
..	42 00
12	18 79
..	73 33
8	41 41
8	25 00
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12	55 00
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12	136 29
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..	3 68
..	13 16
12	85 93
8	22 30
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3	10 72
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AUXILIARIES.		Number of Members, 1895.	Increase.	Life Members, 1895.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
<b>Uxbridge District—</b>							
	Uxbridge .....	30	6	1	..	15	\$90 71
	Markham .....	17	..	..	..	10	37 84
	Stouffville .....	19	..	5	..	12	62 81
	Unionville .....	10	..	..	..	6	30 81
	Mount Albert .....	11	..	..	..	8	21 00
	Vroomanton .....	12	..	..	..	7	11 50
	Goodwood .....	22	..	..	..	12	38 77
	Zephyr .....	8	..	..	..	..	8 50
	Sandford .....	10	1	1	1	7	14 98
	Locust Hill .....	13	..	..	..	10	18 31
<b>Owen Sound District—</b>							
	Owen Sound .....	21	..	2	..	11	37 74
	Markdale .....	16	..	..	..	..	27 00
	Flesherton .....	16	..	..	..	10	24 65
	Chatsworth .....	12	..	..	..	5	....
	Holland Centre .....	9	..	..	..	..	11 00
	Sault St. Marie (organized Sept. 95)	..	..	..	..	..	....
	Cloudslee (Bruce Mines) (organized Sep. 95) .....	..	..	..	..	..	....
	To Balance on hand Sept. 28th, 1894	..	..	..	..	..	....
	Sums received too late for audit last year .....	..	..	..	..	..	33 37
	<b>Total from Auxiliaries and Bands ..</b>	..	..	..	..	..	<b>147 00</b>
	<b>Total from Auxiliaries and Bands ..</b>	..	..	..	..	..	<b>\$5058 31</b>

## RECEIPTS.

Total from Auxiliaries and Bands .....	\$5058 31
To Balance on hand Sept. 28th, 1894 .....	33 37
" Sums received too late for audit last year .....	147 00

## FROM OTHER SOURCES.

Mission Bands remitted direct to Branch Treasurer .....	\$139 06	
Epworth Leagues " " " " .....	78 00	
Sabbath Schools " " " " .....	20 75	
Special Donations .....	11 00	
Collection at Branch Meeting .....	8 45	
Bank Interest .....	3 70	
		<u>260 96</u>
Total Income (gross) .....		<u>\$5199 64</u>

## EXPENDITURE.

Organizer's Expenses—Fare to Branch Meeting and Organizing .....	\$45 69	
Branch Meeting Expenses .....	20 20	
Mission Band Cor. Secretary's Expenses .....	5 35	
Life-Membership Certificate .....	0 25	
Organizer's Outfits .....	6 83	
Postage and Post Cards for Treasurer .....	6 80	
Branch Expenses .....	17 87	
		<u>102 99</u>
Net Income .....		<u>\$5396 65</u>

Remitted to General Treasurer, 1st Quarter .....	\$1000 00	
" " " 2nd " .....	975 00	
" " " 3rd " .....	1575 00	
" " " 4th " .....	1700 00	
Balance on hand Sept. 25th, 1895 .....	146 65	
		<u>\$5396 65</u>

Audited and found correct as per vouchers.

MARCELLA WILKES, Auditor.

## SPECIAL DONATIONS.

Orillia Auxiliary, for support of native Bible woman in Japan .....	\$50 00
Mrs. Morris, Wesley church, Toronto, for Chentu Hospital .....	10 00
Mrs. Drummond, Mimico, for Crosby Girls' Home .....	10 00
Miss Eva E. Drummond, for Crosby Girls' Home .....	10 00
In memory of Hazel Huntly Pearen, for Crosby Girls' Home .....	5 00

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Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Blackstock, Berkeley Street Auxiliary, for school in China (2nd instalment).....	\$50 00
Epworth League, Sherbourne Street, for supporting Sam and Amy in Coqualeetza Home.....	100 00
Mrs. H. A. Crosby, Uxbridge, for Chentu Hospital.....	5 00
" " " " Japan.....	5 00
Retta Gifford M. B., Owen Sound, for Chentu Hospital.....	1 00
Dr. Mary M. Brander, Priceville, for Chentu Hospital.....	10 00
Metropolitan Auxiliary, Toronto.....	125 00
" " " " "cent-a-day fund".....	151 03
Epworth League, Euclid Avenue, Toronto.....	18 12
" " Queen Street, ".....	30 00
" " of C. E., Woodgreen, Toronto.....	50 00
Girls' Junior League, " ".....	20 25
Epworth League, Priceville.....	7 75
" " Locust Hill.....	1 00
" " (Junior), Collingwood.....	5 00
Miss Turner, per Miss McGuffin.....	10 00
Sunday School, Macville.....	9 00
" " Caesar's Church, Mono Road.....	10 00
" " Newton Robinson Infant Class.....	1 75

ELIZABETH P. OGDEN,

*Treasurer.*

ROSALIE M. BRIGGS,

*Cor. Sec.*

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## TORONTO CONFERENCE MISSION BANDS.

- AURORA "Sunshine Workers."—Pres., Miss L. Dunbrook ; Sec., Master R. Rowley.
- AURORA "Juvenile."—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_
- BARRIE "Gleaners."—Pres., Miss Jennie King ; Sec., Miss L. J. Booth.
- BARRIE "Binders."—Pres., Miss Lena Rankin ; Sec., Miss Lizzie Nash.
- BRAMPTON "Grace Church."—Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Lanceley ; Sec., Miss May Peaker.
- BRAMPTON "St. Paul's."—Pres., Miss Alexander ; Sec., Miss Maggie Agar.
- BRAMPTON (St. Paul's) "Circle."—Pres., Mrs. L. Stork ; Sec., Miss Ada Hamilton.
- DAVISVILLE.—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- EGLINGTON.—Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) German ; Sec., Miss Ada E. Jackes.
- FLESHERTON.—Pres., Mrs. W. H. Thurston ; Sec., Miss Eva Irwin.
- GRAVENHURST.—Pres., Mrs. Groves ; Sec., Miss Alfie Armstrong.
- GLEN ORCHARD.—Pres., Miss Annie McKay ; Sec., Miss Maggie White.
- HIGHLAND CREEK.—Pres., Miss L. Knowles ; Sec., Miss Minnie Brumwell.
- HUNTSVILLE "The Willing Hands."—Pres., Mrs. Bray ; Sec., Miss Fannie A. Bray.
- HUNTSVILLE "Mount Zion."—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- MAPLE.—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- MARKDALE.—Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Edwards ; Sec., Miss Amelia McFarland.
- MIMICO.—Pres., Miss Parker ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- NEWMARKET.—Pres., Miss Maud Wallace ; Sec., Miss Mamie Millard.
- NEWMARKET "Buds of Promise."—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- OWEN SOUND "Retta Gifford."—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- OWEN SOUND "Americana."—Pres., Mrs. C. Wickware ; Sec., Miss Ethel McIntyre.
- PENVILLE.—Pres., Miss M. Creyke ; Sec., Miss J. Creyke.
- STOUFFVILLE.—Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Young ; Sec., Master Eddie Saunders.
- TORONTO "Carlton Street."—Pres., Miss Annie L. Ogden ; Sec., Miss Carrie Will.
- TORONTO "Elm Street."—Pres., Mrs. (Dr.) Powell ; Sec., Miss J. Aikenhead.
- TORONTO "New Richmond."—Pres., Mrs. Lightfoot ; Sec., Miss Fannie Somers, 42 Widmer Street.
- TORONTO "Parkdale."—Pres., Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Garrett ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- TORONTO "Star Band, Parkdale."—Pres., Mrs. L. M. Cather ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- UNIONVILLE "Buds of Hope."—Pres., Miss Berta Neville ; Sec., Miss Ethel Eckhardt.
- UNIONVILLE "Pearl Seekers."—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- UXBRIDGE "Steinhauer."—Pres., Miss Barr ; Sec., Miss Olive Manning.
- UXBRIDGE "Cheerful Givers."—Pres., Mrs. H. A. Crosby ; Sec., Miss Frankie Manning.
- WEST TORONTO JUNCTION.—Pres., Miss Emily B. Jackson ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- WEST TORONTO JUNCTION "Circle."—Pres., \_\_\_\_\_ ; Sec., \_\_\_\_\_.
- WESTON.—Pres., Mrs. E. J. Irwin ; Sec., Mrs. Nason.
- WOODFORD.—Pres., Miss Lillie Williams ; Sec., Miss A. A. Rogers.

## MISSION CIRCLES AND BANDS.

General Conference very kindly restored to us Owen Sound and Uxbridge Districts, by which we have gained nine Circles and Bands.

Eleven new Bands have been added to our list—Aurora Circle, Davisville, Flesherton, Glen Orchard, Mimico, two at Toronto Junction, Unionville a second, Miss Shoults' Band, Weston and Woodford. Six have to be reported as "disbanded"—Burk's Falls, Orillia, Port Perry, Schomberg, St. Alban's (Toronto), and Tottenham. Two have become Epworth League Societies, but are still engaged in missionary work.

The total is 41 Bands, with a membership of 986, an increase of 102 since last year.

Boxes of clothing, etc., have been prepared and sent to Port Simpson, Chilliwhack, Indians on Walpole Island and Saugeen Mission. Toys and scrapbooks and clothing have been sent to the North-West and to Brandon.

Very interesting meetings have been held during the year, and spiritual and intellectual gain realized as well as financial.

On the second evening of Branch meeting, a very interesting Mission Band rally was held in Broadway Church. An address was given by Miss Churchill, an accepted candidate for mission work in our Society. The Question Drawer was taken charge of by Miss McGuffin, and Mrs. Bascom furnished a Parliamentary Drill, which was much enjoyed.

We are thankful for a year of progress in our work.

A. M. BASCOM, *M.B. Sec.*

## MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

*Barrie*—(1892) Mrs. C. Harrison—1.

*Brampton, Grace Church*—"Sunbeams"—(1892) Misses Eloise Chapman, Edith Brown, Bertram Eaton; (1893) Mrs. Eaton, Miss C. Neelands, H. Baskerville, R. Broddy Duggan; (1894) Charlie Duggan—8.

*Brampton, St. Paul's Church*—"Light Bearers"—(1892) Misses Sutcliffe, McConnell (Mrs. Calbie), Alexander, Maud Alexander, Ronald Starr, Charlie Starr; (1893) Misses Bell, E. Calvin, Masters Edgar Alexander, Stanley Alexander; (1894) Misses Marshall, Helen B. Smith—12.

*Eglinton*—(1894) Mr. H. H. Duke; (1895) Mrs. (Rev.) German, Mr. Horn—3.

*Toronto, Metropolitan*—(1892) Mesdames J. B. Willmott, W. E. Willmott, Misses M. Wilkes, McGuffin, Drummond, Harrington, F. Segsworth, E. Segsworth, Hooker, A. L. Hooker, Allie Magura, Sutherland (New York), M. L. Sutherland (New York), Bertha M. Shoults, Dr. D. W. Stevenson (China), Dr. W. E. Willmott, S. R. Hanna, P. A. Onderkirk; (1893) Misses Hatton, Aggie Hatton, E. Faragher, A. Ward; (1894) Miss Massey—23.

*Toronto, Parkdale*—Master Edwin Scott—1.

*Uxbridge*—Mrs. Jos. Bascom—1.

Total, 49.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS,  
TORONTO CONFERENCE BRANCH.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Members, 1895.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount s. nt to Branch Treas.
*Aurora—re-organized . . . . .	Circle . . . . .	25	25	..	} \$22 45
" . . . . .	Busy Bees . . . . .	20	..	28	
Barrie . . . . .	Gleaners . . . . .	40	..	10	} 60 98
" . . . . .	Binders . . . . .	6	..	4	
Brampton—Grace Church . . . . .	Sunbeams . . . . .	42	..	12	74 00
" —St. Paul's . . . . .	Light Bearers . . . . .	41	..	7	55 46
" " . . . . .	Circle . . . . .	19	..	..	4 75
*Davisville . . . . .	.. . . .	15	15	..	..
Eglinton . . . . .	.. . . .	37	..	7	18 00
*Flesherton . . . . .	Busy Bees . . . . .	17	17	..	..
Glen Orchard . . . . .	" Port Sandfield " . . . . .	16	16	..	13 75
Gravenhurst . . . . .	Willing Workers . . . . .	60	..	..	24 35
Huntsville . . . . .	Mount Zion . . . . .	14	..	..	3 90
" . . . . .	Willing Hands . . . . .	16	5	..	10 57
Highland Creek . . . . .	Centennial . . . . .	40	12	..	54 65
Maple . . . . .	.. . . .	20	..	20	17 50
†Markdale . . . . .	.. . . .	28	28	..	7 00
*Mimico . . . . .	.. . . .	12	12	..	3 00
Newmarket . . . . .	Circle . . . . .	10	..	15	} 28 00
" . . . . .	Buds of Promise . . . . .	18	..	..	
†Owen Sound . . . . .	Retta Gifford . . . . .	13	13	..	3 25
† " " . . . . .	Americana . . . . .	7	7	..	1 75
Penville . . . . .	Willing Workers . . . . .	32	..	1	..
†Stouffville . . . . .	Light Bearers . . . . .	25	25	..	10 42
Toronto—Carlton Street . . . . .	Daughters of Comfort . . . . .	14	..	1	17 10
" " " . . . . .	Changed to Epw. League . . . . .	..	..	40	..
" —Elm Street . . . . .	.. . . .	15	..	7	45 60
" —Euclid Avenue . . . . .	Changed to Epw. League . . . . .	..	..	40	..
* " —Junction . . . . .	Golden Rule . . . . .	16	16	..	4 03
* " " . . . . .	Circle . . . . .	20	20	..	5 71
" —Metropolitan . . . . .	.. . . .	80	..	5	230 50
" —New Richmond . . . . .	.. . . .	30	15	..	16 26
" —Parkdale . . . . .	Sunbeams (Circle) . . . . .	27	..	1	10 00
" " . . . . .	Star Band . . . . .	60	43	..	20 00
" —Queen Street . . . . .	.. . . .	..	..	..	6 60
" —St. Paul's . . . . .	.. . . .	10	..	10	2 74
" —Wesley Church . . . . .	.. . . .	35	21	..	15 00
* " —Scattered Workers . . . . .	Miss Shoults' Band . . . . .	†5	†5	..	..
†Unionville . . . . .	Buds of Hope . . . . .	23	23	..	9 81
* " . . . . .	Pearl Se kers . . . . .	6	6	..	1 60
†Uxbridge . . . . .	Steinhauer . . . . .	29	29	..	33 93
† " . . . . .	Cheerful Givers . . . . .	16	16	..	4 00
*Weston . . . . .	.. . . .	14	14	..	4 50
*Woodford . . . . .	.. . . .	13	13	..	8 84
		986	394	292	\$827 31

\* New Band.

† Ceded by Conference.

‡ Included in League.



ANDS,

Decrease.	Amount sent to Branch Treas.
28	\$22 45
10	
4	60 98
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7	74 00
..	55 46
..	4 75
..	..
7	18 00
..	..
..	13 75
..	24 35
..	3 99
..	10 57
..	54 65
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## BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

### SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

Although our returns for this year show a comparatively small increase, we are not surprised or discouraged, but instead find occasion only for gratitude that our work has been so loyally sustained. The waves of financial depression have swept so far inland that even our favored Bay of Quinte Branch has suffered; and in the rural portions of some of our districts one dollar represents as much self-denial this year as three or four did a few years ago.

In the change of Conference boundaries we exchanged Uxbridge for Whitby District, and lost six Auxiliaries in the transaction, thus reducing our working force to ninety-seven.

Twenty new Auxiliaries have been organized during the year, but on account of the losses above mentioned we claim a net increase of only ten. During the year 107 Auxiliaries have remitted to the Branch Treasurer, and ten organized late in the year are just beginning their regular work. Our total membership is 2,715, increase 235. Our total receipts from all sources for the year are \$5,174.51; remitted to General Treasurer, \$5,081.60; increase for the year, \$261.72.

The 8th of January was observed by a few of our Auxiliaries as "Crusade Day," when 119 new members were obtained.

Twenty-five Auxiliaries have contributed clothing and bedding for distribution through the Supply Committee.

District conventions have been held pretty generally throughout the Branch, and the Woman's Missionary Society has been improved as far as practicable.

One of our accepted candidates, Miss Paul, of Newburgh, went from our Branch to Port Simpson early in the summer, to enter upon her work as missionary teacher.

The new Auxiliaries are: Enniskillen, Zion, Foxboro' North, Cannifton, Carrying Place, Bethesda, Havelock, Westwood, South Dummer, Carman, Cashel, Shiloh, Grafton, Union, Dalrymple, Lodge Room, Bancroft, Coe Hill, Mount Carmel, Trenton (Grace Church), and Ivanhoe re-organized. We enter upon the work of this year with 117 Auxiliaries.

Number of Auxiliaries.....	117	Increase .....	10
"    Annual Members....	2,639	"    .....	227
"    Life-Members .....	76	"    .....	8
Total Membership.....	2,715	"    .....	235
Total income from all sources .....			\$5,174 51
Remitted to General Treasurer.....			5,081 60
"    "    "    last year.....			4,819 88
Increase .....			\$261 72

### ANNUAL MEETING, BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

The second annual meeting of the Bay of Quinte Branch was held in Simcoe Street Church, Oshawa, October 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 1895. Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, President, occupied the chair.

One hundred and five delegates attended the meeting. One pleasing feature of the Convention was that a much larger number of the delegates took part in the different questions that were brought before the meeting than at any

previous Branch meeting. The solemn memorial service, led by Mrs. (Rev.) A. R. Campbell, will be long remembered by all who were present. Twenty dear departed sisters were lovingly remembered. They have passed into rest.

"We a little longer wait  
But how little none can know."

It was decided that we have our Branch Crusade Day in Thanksgiving week.

An earnest appeal was again made from editress of *Palm Branch*, asking Organizers to assist in procuring subscriptions to this interesting little paper.

In accordance with wish of Convention the Executive met at close of Branch and passed the following resolutions defining duties of Organizers:

1st. Each Organizer should correspond with the Corresponding Secretary of each Auxiliary at the beginning of the year, and as often during the year as is necessary.

2nd. That it is the duty of District Organizers to make every effort to secure the holding of district conventions.

3rd. That Organizers' reports at Branch meetings consist of special work on districts, leaving out statistics, except the total amount raised with increase or decrease.

The Workers' Conference was a most interesting feature of the programme. Interesting discussions took place on the topics, "Hints to Organizers," "Hints to Presidents," "Hints to Vice-Presidents," "Hints to Secretaries," "Hints to Treasurers," "Hints to Mission Band Workers," "How to Increase the Attendance at Monthly Meetings," "Our Relation to Children in the Sunday School," "Potent Forces in Christianizing the World."

A resolution providing for a department of systematic giving in connection with the Auxiliaries of the Branch was adopted. In all respects our annual meeting was one of surpassing interest, a fitting close to a successful year.

An invitation to hold the next meeting at Lindsay was accepted.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

<i>President</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, Belleville.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Tweed.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. L. Massey, Wallbridge.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) A. R. Campbell, Hastings.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. James Kendry, Peterboro'.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. G. D. Platt, Picton.
<i>Treasurer</i>	- - -	Mrs. Anna Copeland, Newcastle.
<i>Mission Band Cor. Sec.</i>	- - -	Miss M. G. Hawley, Bath.

Organizers:

<i>Belleville</i>	- - -	Mrs. L. Massey, Wallbridge.
<i>Brighton</i>	- - -	Mrs. R. B. Walt, Colborne.
<i>Bowmanville</i>	- - -	Miss Tourgee, Orono.
<i>Cannington</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) R. Hassard, Manilla.
<i>Cobourg</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) M. E. Wilson, Baltimore.
<i>Campbellford</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) A. R. Campbell, Hastings.
<i>Lindsay</i>	- - -	Mrs. Weldon, Lindsay.
<i>Napanee</i>	- - -	Mrs. Stephen Gibson, Napanee.
<i>Madoc</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Wilson, Tweed.
<i>Tamworth</i>	- - -	Mrs. A. W. Grange, Napanee.
<i>Whitby</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Rev.) Geo. Brown, Claremont.
<i>Picton</i>	- - -	Mrs. G. D. Platt, Picton.
<i>Peterboro'</i>	- - -	Mrs. J. C. Sherin, Lakefield.

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH,  
1894-95.

AUXILIARIES.	Annual Members.	Life Members.	Total Membership.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treas., 1894-95.
Ameliasburgh	25	..	25	..	10	\$27 75
Anderson	10	..	10	..	6	12 83
Atherly	..	..	..	..	..	1 50
Belleville, Bridge Street	154	7	161	..	35	507 50
"    Holloway Street	41	1	42	..	..	82 87
"    Tabernacle	41	5	46	..	13	124 71
Baillieboro'	20	..	20	..	9	20 00
Bath	19	..	19	..	10	29 77
Baltimore	13	..	13	..	6	24 25
Bayside	25	..	25	..	12	46 22
Bethany (Hay Bay)	23	..	23	..	..	45 15
Bowmanville	32	1	33	..	10	59 75
Bethel	10	..	10	..	8	15 00
Brighton	26	1	27	8	10	27 25
Bloomfield	34	1	35	..	11	93 53
Bethesda	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bridgenorth	..	..	..	..	..	35 25
Bobcaygeon	20	1	21	15	11	32 83
Bancroft	13	..	13	13	7	13 00
Campbellford	20	1	21	..	10	44 25
Cannington	22	..	22	..	10	22 54
Carmel	17	1	18	..	7	18 00
Cashel	10	..	10	10	7	10 00
Castleton	24	1	25	..	10	40 00
Chatterton	21	1	22	3	8	50 63
Cherry Valley	36	..	36	36	13	49 00
Claremont	17	1	18	17	..	28 00
Cobourg—King Street	22	1	23	..	8	53 22
"    —Division Street	23	..	23	..	12	68 10
Colborne	34	..	34	..	..	33 43
Coe Hill	..	..	..	..	..	..
Carrying Place	..	..	..	..	..	..
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Courtice	25	2	27	..	..	25 00
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Carman	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deseronto	39	..	39	8	8	50 74
Demorestville	14	..	14	14	10	14 00
Dartford	14	..	14	..	9	25 00
Dalrymple	11	..	11	11	..	11 50
Eden	10	..	10	3	8	30 00
Enniskillen	8	..	8	8	..	8 51
Foxboro'	21	..	21	..	10	29 79
"    —North	22	1	23	23	15	49 00

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 1894-95—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Annual Members.	Life Members.	Total Membership.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treas., 1894-95.
Frankford.....	29	..	29	..	12	\$40 00
Grafton.....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Havelock.....	9	..	9	9	7	9 05
Hampton.....	16	2	18	..	12	19 25
Hilton.....	22	..	22	12	8	24 00
Hillier.....	6	..	6	..	..	12 00
Hawley.....	18	..	18	..	12	25 00
Hastings.....	24	1	25	..	12	57 60
Ivanhoe.....	26	..	26	20	12	42 00
Lakefield.....	26	2	28	1	10	66 74
Lindsay.....	49	1	50	12	14	91 50
Little Britain.....	23	..	23	..	9	34 44
Lonsdale and Empey Hill.....	14	..	14	..	12	44 70
Marmora.....	16	..	16	..	7	18 50
Madoc.....	24	5	29	2	9	85 46
Manilla.....	13	1	14	..	9	25 57
Millbrook.....	13	2	15	2	6	32 00
Moir.....	..	..	..	..	..	24 98
Mt. Pleasant.....	13	1	14	..	8	13 25
Mountain View.....	16	..	16	16	10	42 00
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Napanee East.....	87	6	93	..	23	192 87
“ West.....	57	1	58	10	18	86 98
Newburgh.....	11	..	11	..	6	24 75
Newcastle.....	24	..	24	2	6	46 67
Newtonville.....	13	..	13	1	8	14 88
Norham.....	16	..	16	..	8	20 11
Norwood.....	25	..	25	2	7	36 34
Oshawa—Simcoe Street.....	46	1	47	..	11	162 16
“ —Metcalf Street.....	24	..	24	..	14	41 47
Oakwood.....	21	..	21	..	10	38 80
Odessa.....	25	..	25	5	10	30 50
Omeme.....	22	..	22	11	11	33 55
Orono and Kirby.....	44	1	45	2	16	92 14
Peterboro'—George Street.....	62	6	68	..	20	127 18
“ —Charlotte Street.....	18	1	19	..	8	32 05
“ —Mark Street.....	15	..	15	..	9	22 00
Port Hope.....	73	1	74	3	21	158 02
Pickering.....	..	..	..	..	..	3 50
Port Perry.....	28	1	29	..	16	55 41
Picton—First Church.....	81	4	85	1	13	217 67
“ —Main Street.....	25	..	25	..	7	25 00
Plainfield.....	29	..	29	..	15	29 00
Pontypool.....	8	..	8	..	6	8 00

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AUXILIARIES.

	Annual Members.	Life Members.	Total Membership.	Increase.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treas., 1894-95.
Rosehall .....	19	..	19	6	8	\$20 75
Rednerville (Centre Church) .....	19	..	19	..	8	23 42
Salem .....	30	1	31	..	9	38 00
Selby .....	34	..	34	4	19	65 00
Shannonville .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sidney .....	47	1	48	2	7	65 50
Smithfield .....	26	1	27	..	9	53 23
Shiloh .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Bay .....	38	..	38	22	17	53 23
Spring Brook .....	16	..	16	5	8	24 25
Stirling .....	23	..	23	..	22	26 05
South Dummer .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trenton .....	22	..	22	3	12	31 50
—Grace Church .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tweed .....	31	1	32	9	12	50 50
—Lodge Room .....	14	..	14	14	..	14 00
Thomasburgh .....	30	3	33	..	9	51 61
Union .....	13	..	13	13	9	13 00
Warsaw .....	15	..	15	3	9	21 00
Warkworth .....	31	1	32	6	8	44 00
Wellington .....	31	..	31	5	13	49 31
Wesley .....	15	..	15	15	12	23 53
Whitby .....	19	1	20	..	6	50 79
Wicklow .....	17	1	18	3	7	31 89
Wilfrid .....	15	..	15	3	9	37 46
Wooler .....	30	..	30	16	12	59 43
Westwood .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yarker .....	10	..	10	..	..	..
Zion .....	6	..	6	6	6	10 25
Zephyr (last year) .....	14	..	14	..	..	6 00
	..	..	..	..	..	14 44
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2639</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>2715</b>	<b>235</b>		<b>4,962 78</b>

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## SPECIAL DONATIONS, BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

## RECEIPTS.

From Auxiliaries .....	\$4962 78
From Bands and Circles not reported through above Auxiliaries	183 25
E. L. of C. E., Grace Church, Trenton .....	6 00
Interest .....	2 00
Balance from last year .....	9 94
Collections at annual meeting .....	10 54
	<u>\$5174 51</u>

## EXPENDITURE.

Remitted to General Treasurer—	
First quarter .....	\$850 00
Second " .....	875 00
Third " .....	1140 00
Fourth " .....	2000 00
Oct. 5th .....	216 60
	<u>\$5081 60</u>
President's expenses .....	4 00
Corresponding Secretary's expenses .....	15 41
Mission Band Corresponding Secretary's expenses .....	3 40
Treasurer's book and pledge cards .....	9 50
Treasurer's expenses .....	2 35
Organizer's " .....	14 26
Cash remitted to Miss Ogden for literature .....	2 47
Branch meeting expenses .....	4 50
Expenses of delegates to Branch meeting .....	37 02
	<u>92 91</u>
	<u>\$5174 51</u>

Increase for the year, \$261.72.

This is to certify that I have examined the Treasurer's account, with the vouchers, and find it correct.

R. MOMENT, Auditor.

*Received too late to be included in the above:*

From Dalrymple .....	\$16 54
" Shannonville .....	15 00
	<u>\$31 54</u>

ANNA COPELAND,  
Treasurer.

H. L. PLATT,  
Corresponding Secretary.

## SPECIAL DONATIONS IN BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

Lindsay "Wayside Gleaners," Queen Street Church, for support of Indian girl in Crosby Home .....	\$26 82
Lindsay "Excelsior" Mission Band, for support of a Chinese girl in British Columbia .....	50 00
Albert College, for maintenance of Little Laura in Chinese Rescue Home, British Columbia .....	50 00
Springbrook Auxiliary, for hospital work in China .....	10 00
Picton, extra cent a day .....	101 00
Belleville, " " .....	260 50



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

The loss of Bands by change of Conference boundary and discouragement reduced both Bands and membership, so that we began the year with a working force of 38 Bands and a membership of 522. Of these, Bowmanville, Cannington, Moira, Oakwood, Stirling, and Warkworth made noreport. New Bands have been organized at Baltimore, Bayside, Castleton, Hastings, Lindsay (Queen Street), Smithfield, Tweed. Result of year's work, 41 Bands with a membership of 661.

A glance at this summary of our work impresses one with the need of greater maternal care and vigilance on the part of Auxiliaries to make the Band work permanent and successful to the extent it ought to be.

The Secretary desires to commend the good work done by the Bands under difficulties peculiar to the times. Some of them have done nobly, and all enter upon the new year hopefully looking forward to an onward movement.

M. G. HANLEY, Cor. Sec.

MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

- Belleville, Jubilee.*—(1892) Mesdames W. W. Chown, Charles M. Reid, Miss Jennie Higginbotham ; (1893) Misses Lillie Craig, Clara Craig, B. Lazier.  
*Belleville, University.*—(1892) Mrs. (Dr.) Carman, Miss Allo Carman.  
*Lakefield.*—(1893) John Hull, Esq.  
*Lindsay, Queen Street.*—(1895) Misses I. Gilpen, Hazel Mitchel.  
*Newburgh.*—(1893) Mesdames H. L. Wilson, Nelson McKim.  
*Newcastle.*—(1892) Miss M. Thom.  
*Napanee.*—(1894) Mrs. W. W. Miller.  
*Orono.*—(1893) Miss Elizabeth L. Brown.  
*Oshawa, Simcoe Street.*—(1893) Miss H. M. Dingle ; (1894) Miss Mary E. Lake.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS,  
BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH, 1894-95.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Members, 1895.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount sent to Treasurer.
Bath .....	Gleaners .....	12	4	..	\$4 00
Belleville .....	Albert College .....	55	..	..	50 00
" .....	Jubilee .....	64	..	2	..
" Holloway Street .....	Glad Tidings .....	15	..	9	3 87
" Tabernacle .....	..	41	17	..	21 24
" University Ch. ....	..	20	5	..	27 91
Bowmanville .....	..	..	..	..	..
*Baltimore .....	Pansy .....	8	..	..	3 20
Bayside .....	Bayside Workers .....	32	..	..	9 33
Cannington .....	Cheerful Little Workers .....	..	..	..	..
*Claremont .....	..	28	..	..	7 30
*Castleton .....	Careful Gleaners .....	8	..	..	2 00
Foxboro .....	Gleaners for the Master .....	26	..	13	9 75
*Hampton .....	Hampton Sunbeams .....	..	..	..	2 87
Hastings .....	Friendly League .....	16	..	..	8 76
Keene .....	Faster Otonabee .....	9	..	..	2 25
Lakefield .....	Sunshine .....	16	1	..	18 39
Lindsay .....	Excelsior .....	14	..	2	58 50
" Juvenile .....	Cheerful Workers .....	..	..	..	14 60
* " Queen Street .....	Wayside Gleaners .....	..	..	..	26 82
Moira .....	..	..	..	..	..
Newcastle .....	..	21	..	19	11 57
Norham .....	..	..	..	..	3 96
Newburgh .....	Daughters of Zion .....	16	..	2	17 00
Napanee .....	Mission Circle .....	16	..	..	8 19
" Juvenile .....	Gleaners and Reapers .....	42	13	..	39 01
Orono and Kirby .....	..	20	..	2	11 66
Oshawa .....	Demill College .....	..	..	..	3 50
" Medcalf Street .....	Hopewell .....	16	..	..	10 25
" Simcoe Street .....	..	41	..	..	56 69
Oakwood .....	Do What You Can .....	..	..	..	..
Peterboro', George Street .....	Light Bearers .....	..	..	..	2 27
" Mark Street .....	Inasmuch .....	..	..	..	2 29
Picton .....	Wayside Workers .....	16	..	..	8 25
" .....	Kilborn .....	..	..	..	..
" .....	The Nellie Hart .....	14	..	..	14 05
Port Hope .....	..	27	5	..	15 00
Stirling .....	Lily Band .....	8	..	..	2 95
Sidney Crossing .....	..	40	..	..	18 40
Springbrook .....	..	14	..	..	4 70
*Smithfield .....	Wayside Scatterers .....	..	..	..	8 19
*Tweed .....	Sunbeam .....	33	..	..	8 25
Warkworth (inactive) .....	..	..	..	..	..
		670	25	39	\$520 47

\* New Band.

Hon. P.  
Lake; 2nd  
Mrs. Perkin  
James \*Ell  
Meek, J. B.  
Furnival, A.  
steel, J. Co  
yea, W. D.  
Wallace, Fr  
Bonter, Sar  
Eakins, Ma  
C. Reid, Kr  
S. Morden,  
J. Caldwell,  
Dingle, N.  
(Dr.) Walke  
J. Vermilye  
H. Knight,  
Owen, R. M  
Demill, N. T  
W. E. Foste  
P. Lazier, F  
Chown, J.  
Booth, W.  
Bonar, McM  
Nelson, Stor

Pres., M  
Mrs. H. Bar  
Treas., Mrs.  
J. Faulkner,  
Turner. Ho  
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# MEMBERS OF AUXILIARIES.

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

## BAY OF QUINTE BRANCH.

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### REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

The year has been one of anxiety and perplexity, trying our faith and driving us to our only Refuge, where we committed our ways unto Him and according to His promise He has directed our paths. We have had an intermingling of dark clouds and bright sunshine. The news from China saddened our hearts, yet we were filled with thankfulness that the lives of our missionaries were so mercifully preserved. Some of our number have been called to pass through deep waters of sorrow through bereavement, yet the Comforter has not failed them in their hour of trial. Many this year have recognized the call of God to be workers with Him in bringing in His kingdom, consequently their lives have become brighter and better. Two District Conventions have been held, one in Magog, Stanstead District, the other in Morrisburg, Matilda District. Sixteen Auxiliaries have been added to the Conference, giving evidence of an increased interest in this woman's work for woman. Two of these Auxiliaries, Gaspé and Haldimand, are in the remote north-eastern part of the Conference. The new Auxiliaries are: Ulverton, Marbleton, Bishop's Crossing, Capleton, Sawyerville, Minton, Gaspé, Haldimand, Rivière du Loup, Quebec District; Compton, Mansonville, Stanstead District; St. Henri, Montreal District; Rockburn, Huntingdon District; South Mountain, Elms, Matilda District; Clayton, Perth District.

Number Annual Members 1894 .....	1,861	
" " " 1895 .....	1,935	Increase..... 74
" Life-members 1894.....	83	
" " 1895.....	83	
Total Membership 1895.....	2,018	
" " 1894.....	1,944	Increase..... 74
Number of Auxiliaries 1894.....	77	
" " 1895.....	94	" ..... 17
" of Mission Band Members.....	842	" ..... 58
" of Mission Bands.....	39	" ..... 7
Amount sent to General Treasurer....	\$5,134 63	

### ANNUAL MEETING.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Montreal Conference Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society was held at Iroquois, October 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The President, Mrs. W. E. Ross, of Montreal, occupied the chair. After devotional exercises and roll-call, a tender and solemn service was conducted by the President in memory of those who had heard the summons, "Come up higher," during the year. Reports from Auxiliaries and Bands showed an encouraging increase in interest. Lake Dore delegate reported every lady member of the church an auxiliary member, but one. Several excellent papers were presented. One on "Holiness in Relation to Mission Work," prepared by the invalid mother of our President, and read by

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her, touched all hearts. "Reports, and How to Make Them," was prepared by Miss Mills and read by Miss Service. "A Message to Young People," written by Mrs. Phillips, was read by Mrs. Sawyer.

A large and attentive audience gathered at both the public meetings. At the first one the Convention was welcomed by the Rev. Mr. Leth, pastor. Greetings from the Presbyterian Women's Foreign Missionary Society were presented by Miss McAlister.

Mrs. Thompson replied appropriately and acceptably. Mrs. Dr. Williams' appeal commended our work to every heart. Miss Tennant, by request, recited "Aunt Mehitable's Visit to the Board Meeting." The audience listened with wrapt attention to Mrs. Sawyer's address on "The Possibilities of Christian Girlhood."

The choir rendered valuable assistance at both meetings. The Branch had the very great pleasure of being introduced to Mrs. Gooderham, who addressed the second public meeting.

The President, in her Annual Address, referred to the onward march in mission work, and appealed to the Christian women to arouse themselves, as the cry still comes from the darkness of heathen lands, "Come over and help us." A cordial vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Ross at the close of her excellent address.

The testimony meeting, led by Mrs. McRossie, was one of great helpfulness. With deepest regret the Branch received the resignation of Mrs. McRossie, the Treasurer, and unanimously passed a resolution conveying to her their heartfelt gratitude for, and deep appreciation of, her long years of faithful, efficient service in, and untiring devotion to, the work of her office.

An invitation to Smith's Falls was accepted for next year, and the thanks of the Branch were tendered to all our friends who had aided in making our Convention such an unqualified success.

The election of officers resulted as follows;

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<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - -	Mrs. (Dr.) Atkinson, Gananoque.
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<i>Mission Band Cor. Sec.</i>	- - -	Miss E. Bailey, Iroquois.

District Organizers :

<i>Montreal</i>	- - -	Mrs. W. E. Ross.
<i>Brockville</i>	- - -	Mrs. White.
<i>Kingston</i>	- - -	Mrs. McRossie.
<i>Matilda</i>	- - -	Mrs. Bigelow.
<i>Perth</i>	- - -	Mrs. Wilson.
<i>Pembroke</i>	- - -	Mrs. Dunlop.
<i>Ottawa</i>	- - -	Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Mavety.
<i>Huntingdon</i>	- - -	Mrs. McNaughton, Mrs. Dalglish.
<i>Quebec</i>	- - -	Mrs. Williams.
<i>Stanstead</i>	- - -	Mrs. Pitcher.
<i>Waterloo</i>	- - -	Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Lawrence.

Delegates to the Board—Mesdames Bigelow, McRossie, Sawyer, Sparks, Scott.

Alternates—Mesdames Hughes and Timberlake.

MINNIE TENNANT, *Sec. pro tem.*

Athens . . .  
 Aultsville . . .  
 Almonte . . .  
 Addison . . .  
 Avonmore . . .  
 Brockville, . . .  
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 Bishop's Cr . . .  
 Cornwall . . .  
 Cowansville . . .  
 Coaticook . . .  
 Cobden . . .  
 Calumet . . .  
 Compton . . .  
 Clayton . . .  
 Chesterville . . .  
 Capelton . . .  
 Delta . . . . .  
 Drummond' . . .  
 Easton's Co . . .  
 Elma . . . . .  
 Frankville . . .  
 Franklin Ce . . .  
 Forfar . . . . .  
 Gananoque . . .  
 Greenwood . . .  
 Granby . . . . .  
 Gallingertow . . .  
 Gaspé Basin . . .  
 Huntingdon . . .  
 Harlem and . . .  
 Haldimand . . .  
 Iroquois . . . . .  
 Jasper . . . . .  
 Kingston, Sy . . .  
 " . . . . .  
 Qu . . . . .  
 Kemptville . . .  
 Knowlton . . .  
 Kars . . . . .  
 Lunenburg . . .  
 Lansdowne . . .  
 Lennoxville . . .  
 Lachute . . . . .  
 Locksley . . . . .

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MONTREAL CONFERENCE  
BRANCH, 1894-95.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members, Sept. 15, 1895.		Number of Life Mem- bers, Sept. 15, 1895.		Average Attendance at Monthly Meet- ings.	Total Number of Meetings.	Remitted to Branch Treasurer, 1894.	Received by Branch Treasurer, 1895.
	Number of Members, Sept. 15, 1895.	Increase.	Number of Life Mem- bers, Sept. 15, 1895.	Increase.				
Athens .....	57	3	1	..	19	15	\$141 72	\$98 56
Aultsville .....	30	..	2	2	9	19	122 50	94 53
Almonte .....	25	..	1	1	7	12	35 70	27 76
Addison .....	12	..	..	..	7	11	24 04	13 00
Avonmore .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 37	160 85
Brockville, Wall St .....	84	..	7	2	20	11	96 52	160 85
"    George St. ....	34	..	2	..	11	12	50 00	57 00
Bishop's Crossing .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cornwall .....	35	..	6	..	9	10	150 42	132 35
Cowansville .....	11	..	..	..	6	11	37 15	32 62
Coaticook .....	17	..	..	..	12	13	99 00	79 00
Cobden .....	16	..	..	..	9	12	67 59	57 35
Calumet .....	8	..	..	..	8	8	10 00	8 00
Compton .....	13	..	..	..	9	8	..	25 00
Clayton .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chesterville .....	31	..	..	..	7	11	70 50	64 00
Capelton .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Delta .....	20	..	..	..	9	13	29 76	36 32
Drummond's .....	14	..	..	..	7	12	15 00	50 10
Easton's Corners .....	15	..	..	..	7	10	34 15	24 00
Elma .....	3	..	..	..	1	8	..	3 25
Frankville .....	13	..	2	..	8	13	12 64	12 76
Franklin Centre .....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 00
Forfar .....	10	..	1	..	6	7	..	15 55
Gananoque .....	35	..	4	..	10	15	100 50	155 56
Greenwood .....	19	..	2	..	5	10	80 33	87 58
Granby .....	19	..	1	..	10	12	5 00	103 77
Gallingertown .....	8	..	..	..	6	3	11 47	11 78
Gaspé Basin .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Huntingdon .....	49	..	2	..	17	13	33 65	94 47
Harlem and Chantry ..	35	..	2	..	15	14	91 00	58 77
Haldimand .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 00
Iroquois .....	44	..	2	..	16	14	109 52	194 06
Jasper .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	12 00	..
Kingston, Sydenham St.	34	3	20	1	16	11	191 00	129 66
"    Queen St .....	49	..	3	..	20	10	98 46	118 96
Kemptville .....	18	..	..	..	7	9	28 00	21 00
Knowlton .....	12	..	..	..	5	10	16 55	17 42
Kars .....	6	2	..	..	4	6	3 75	20 54
Lunenburg .....	20	9	1	..	8	6	52 00	65 00
Lansdowne .....	24	..	..	..	7	13	54 32	23 22
Lennoxville .....	8	..	..	..	6	8	..	3 00
Lachute .....	19	..	1	1	8	10	190 17	64 40
Locksley .....	5	..	..	..	4	7	10 37	12 52

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MONTREAL CONFERENCE  
BRANCH—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members, Sept. 15, 1895.	Increase.	Number of Life Mem- bers, Sept. 15, 1895.	Increase.	Average Attendance at Monthly Meet- ings.	Total Number of Meetings.	Remitted to Branch Treasurer, 1894.	Received by Branch Treasurer, 1895.
Lakefield .....	24	4	3	2	8	8	\$76 50	\$78 36
Lake Dore .....	19	4	..	5	10	..	28 77	30 00
Lacolle .....	8	..	..	..	7	12	13 46	11 19
Montreal, St. James....	58	..	4	..	12	10	382 88	379 00
"  Dom. Square.	46	..	4	1	15	13	335 02	197 33
"  Douglas Ch..	78	..	3	..	20	11	358 68	159 27
"  Mountain St.	23	4	..	..	10	11	102 85	168 78
"  East End....	26	1	..	..	10	10	104 04	87 10
"  Centenary...	10	..	..	..	..	..	14 02	26 15
"  St. Henri....	10	..	..	..	7	4	....	9 50
"  St. Lambert..	15	..	..	..	7	10	30 08	46 26
Merrickville .....	42	..	..	..	10	13	77 00	73 50
Morrisburg .....	19	..	2	2	6	12	38 00	60 40
Mallorytown .....	14	..	..	..	6	13	71 56	73 53
Mosgrove .....	22	..	..	..	11	10	39 09	40 81
Moulinette .....	23	..	..	..	9	12	....	45 51
Matilda .....	26	..	..	..	8	12	129 49	38 39
Maxville .....	4	..	..	..	4	4	....	4 20
Manotick .....	12	..	..	..	5	7	6 00	8 00
McLeanville .....	9	..	..	..	7	10	36 00	27 30
Magog .....	13	..	..	..	6	9	....	13 00
Mansonville .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....
Marbleton .....	8	..	..	..	5	6	....	21 00
Minton .....	10	..	..	..	7	5	....	3 28
North Gower .....	25	..	..	..	10	11	41 00	49 00
Newington .....	10	..	..	..	4	7	29 50	13 50
Northfield .....	7	..	..	..	5	10	16 21	19 15
Ottawa, Dominion Ch..	59	..	..	..	14	14	179 20	125 72
"  Eastern .....	19	..	2	..	12	11	66 83	45 53
"  West .....	42	..	..	..	12	14	123 98	78 21
Pembroke .....	60	..	3	..	33	13	255 93	261 76
Prescott .....	21	2	1	..	8	10	37 38	41 35
Perth .....	14	..	..	..	7	12	69 17	58 94
Portland .....	18	..	..	..	7	12	23 00	43 44
Pakenham .....	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 93
Playfair .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	27 25	45 00
Point Fortune .....	4	..	..	..	4	6	17 48	4 00
Quebec .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50 00
"  (Mission Band).	..	..	..	..	..	..	50 00	....
Riviere du Loup .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....
Renfrew .....	11	..	..	..	7	10	43 15	31 00
Robertson .....	12	..	..	..	7	12	50 15	50 00
Rockburn .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sherbrooke .....	16	..	3	1	8	12	95 67	103 05

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MONTREAL CONFERENCE  
BRANCH—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.		Number of Members, Sept. 15, 1895.	Increase.	Number of Life Mem- bers, 1895.	Increase.	Average Attendance at Monthly Meet- ings.	Total Number of Meetings.	Remitted to Branch Treasurer, 1894.	Received by Branch Treasurer, 1895.
Spencerville .....	31	..	2	..	8	15	106 35	85 93	
Sawyerville .....	17	..	..	..	7	8	....	15 00	
South Mountain .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	
Smith's Falls .....	34	2	2	..	12	12	78 42	83 67	
Spring Valley .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	4 65	
Ulverton .....	12	..	..	..	7	13	....	22 84	
Vankleek Hill .....	30	5	..	..	10	12	63 50	80 00	
Winchester .....	86	2	2	..	27	14	174 89	178 05	
Waterloo .....	41	..	1	..	14	13	57 51	44 65	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1935</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>....</b>	<b>....</b>	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Total received from Auxiliaries and Bands ..... \$5395 84

EXPENDITURE.

Remitted to General Treasurer, 1st quarter .....	\$708 85	
" " " 2nd " .....	699 43	
" " " 3rd " .....	1491 30	
" " " 4th " .....	2091 05	
" " " October 9th .....	94 00	
" " " (Quebec) .....	50 00	
		<u>\$5134 63</u>
Exchange on drafts, etc. ....	3 00	
Three hundred receipts (cards and printing) .....	3 50	
Postman .....	2 00	
Exchange on stamps .....	0 25	
Treasurer's expenses, postage, stationery, etc. ....	1 02	
Reports for Corresponding Treasurer .....	2 00	
District Organizer's expenses .....	66 54	
Delegates' expenses to Branch meeting .....	182 90	
		<u>261</u>
		<u>\$5395 84</u>

Examined and found correct.

F. R. SARGENT, Auditor.

October 9th, 1895.

E. McROSSIE, Treasurer.

CONFERENCE

Remitted to Branch Treasurer, 1894.	Received by Branch Treasurer, 1895.
\$76 50	\$78 36
28 77	30 00
13 46	11 19
382 88	379 00
335 02	197 33
358 68	159 27
102 85	168 78
104 04	87 10
14 02	26 15
....	9 50
30 08	46 26
77 00	73 50
38 00	60 40
71 56	73 53
39 09	40 81
....	45 51
129 49	38 39
....	4 20
6 00	8 00
36 00	27 30
....	13 00
....	....
....	21 00
....	3 28
41 00	49 00
29 50	13 50
16 21	19 15
179 20	125 72
66 83	45 53
123 98	78 21
255 93	261 76
37 38	41 35
69 17	58 94
23 00	43 44
....	8 93
27 25	45 00
17 48	4 00
....	50 00
50 00	....
....	....
43 15	31 00
50 15	50 00
....	....
95 67	103 05

112 AUXILIARIES ORGANIZED IN MONTREAL BRANCH.

SPECIAL DONATIONS, MONTREAL BRANCH.

Huntingdon, for French work .....	\$25 00
North Gower, for Chinese Home .....	12 00
Winchester Mission Band, to educate a girl in Chinese Home .....	25 00
Montreal, Mountain Street Mission Band, to educate girl in Chinese Home .....	50 00
Cowansville, for French Institute .....	20 00
Kingston, Queen Street, for teacher in Chentu .....	41 00
Quebec Mission Band, for Crosby Home .....	50 00

AUXILIARIES ORGANIZED IN THE DIFFERENT DISTRICTS OF THE MONTREAL CONFERENCE BRANCH.

MONTREAL DISTRICT.

Montreal, St. James; Montreal, Douglas; Montreal, Dominion Square; Montreal, Mountain Street; Montreal, Centenary; Montreal, East End; Montreal, St. Henri; Montreal, St. Lambert; Lachute, Calumet, Lakefield.

KINGSTON DISTRICT.

Kingston, Sydenham Street; Kingston, Queen Street; Gananoque, Portland.

BROCKVILLE DISTRICT.

Brockville, Wall Street; Brockville, George Street; Prescott, Mallorytown, Lansdowne, Athens, Addison, Spencerville, Kemptville, Frankville, Roebuck, Delta.

MATILDA DISTRICT.

Iroquois, Morrisburg, Matilda, South Mountain, Winchester, Chesterville, Robertson, Cornwall, Newington, Elma, Lunenburg, Gallingertown, Aultsville, Moulinette, Avonmore, Northfield, Maxville.

PERTH DISTRICT.

Smith's Falls, Merrickville, Easton's Corners, Clayton, Jasper, Playfair, Harlem and Chantry, Forfar, Almonte, Pakenham.

PEMBROKE DISTRICT.

Pembroke, Renfrew, Cobden, Locksley, Lake Dore, Greenwood.

OTTAWA DISTRICT.

Ottawa, Dominion church; Ottawa, Eastern; Ottawa, West; Mosgrove, Manotick, Maxville, Vankleek Hill, North Gower, Point Fortune, Kars.

QUEBEC DISTRICT.

Sherbrooke, Lennoxville, Sawyerville, Marbleton, Bishop's Crossing, Capelton, Riviere du Loup, Minton, Gaspé Basin, Haldimand, Coaticook.



MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

STANSTEAD DISTRICT.

Compton, Coaticook, Magog, Mansonville.

WATERLOO DISTRICT.

Cowansville, Granby, Knowlton.

HUNTINGDON DISTRICT.

Huntingdon, Franklin Centre, Lacolle, Rockburn.

	Circuits.	Auxiliaries Organized.
Montreal District	35	11
Kingston "	21	4
Brockville "	22	12
Matilda "	18	16
Perth "	17	9
Pembroke "	12	6
Ottawa "	24	10
Quebec "	23	10
Stanstead "	11	4
Waterloo "	18	3
Huntingdon "	10	4

MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS.

*Montreal, St. James Mission Circle.*—(1893) Mrs. W. E. Ross, Miss G. Nichol.

*Iroquois Mission Circle.*—(1894) Miss C. A. Rogers; (1895) Miss Cora Van Camp.

*Iroquois, Onward.*—(1893) Misses J. E. Carman, E. S. Bailey; (1894) Misses Maggie S. Carman, M. E. Carman, Jennie Hornick; (1895) Miss Lillie Ault.

*Almonte.*—Miss Edith Parlee.

*Montreal, Douglas Mission Circle.*—Mrs. Regan.

*Gananoque, Barbara Heck Circle.*—Miss Nellie Day.

EFFIE S. BAILEY, *Cor. Sec. Miss. Bands.*

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS,  
MONTREAL CONFERENCE BRANCH.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Members, 1895.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount sent to Treasurer.
Aultsville	Mission Circle	22	..	..	\$13 84
"	Earnest Toilers	24	..	37	19 81
Avonmore	Happy Workers	..	..	..	..
Almonte	Watchers	21	..	..	2 75
Athens	Myrtle	..	..	..	..
* " "	Juvenile	16	16	..	8 70
Brockville	..	..	..	..	36 85
Cobden	Starlight	9	3	..	..
*Cornwall	Daybreak	58	58	..	14 52
Delta	..	10	..	..	2 86
Gananoque	Barbara Heck	25	..	..	33 44
"	Olive	62	..	3	11 56
*Huntingdon	..	15	15	..	..
Harlem and Chantry	..	..	..	..	2 60
Iroquois	Mission Circle	25	2	..	15 00
"	Onward	40	5	..	30 00
Kingston	..	19	5	..	25 35
Lunenburg	Goforth	14	..	14	12 88
Lakefield	Gleaners	..	..	..	..
Montreal, St. James	Mission Circle	31	4	..	169 00
" East End	..	15	..	8	15 55
" Mountain Street	Mission Circle	40	16	..	85 00
" Douglas	" "	15	..	2	29 33
" Dominion Square	" "	12	..	19	29 44
Merrickville	" "	31	..	10	15 62
Mallorytown	" "	32	..	..	31 00
"	Juvenile	..	..	..	..
Northfield	..	21	10	..	7 65
Newington	..	12	..	8	3 50
Pembroke	Sunshine Senders	29	1	..	50 07
Portland	Minnie McLean	20	3	..	17 29
Prescott	Little Jewels	40	..	..	2 00
Quebec	..	..	..	..	50 00
*Moulinette	Morning Star	18	18	..	..
Smith's Falls	Maple Leaf	58	8	..	35 00
Sherbrooke	..	8	..	..	5 24
*Vankleek Hill	Little Reapers	50	50	..	9 53
*Vars	The Laurel	..	..	..	..
Winchester	Mizpah	50	5	..	34 93
"	Rosevier	..	..	..	..

Total membership, 842; increase, 58. Total amount sent to Branch Treasurer, \$758.27.

\*Organized this year.

Pres., M  
Mrs. (Rev.)  
Slack; Tre  
G. Wiltse,  
C. Johnston  
McLaughlin  
B. Connell,  
C. Wiltse,  
Arnold, A.  
Stone, Thor  
Barber, Ho

Pres., I  
Field; Cor.  
Knox, G. D

Pres., \*  
Mrs. A. Co  
Beach. Me  
Morgan, S.  
Cook, Minar  
Chas Bush,  
Ketha Servi

Pres., M  
McKechnie;  
Belton. Me  
Howie, M.  
Brown, P.  
Armour, Har

Pres., \*  
Mrs. H. Gil  
Graham; Tr  
J. McElhiney  
J. Judson,  
W. Wiltzie,  
land, A. Mc

Amount sent to Treasurer.

\$13 84  
19 81  
....  
2 75  
....  
8 70  
36 85  
....  
14 52  
2 86  
33 44  
11 56  
....  
2 60  
15 00  
30 00  
25 35  
12 88  
....  
169 00  
15 55  
85 00  
29 33  
29 44  
15 62  
31 00  
....  
7 65  
3 50  
50 07  
17 29  
2 00  
50 00  
....  
35 00  
5 24  
9 53  
....  
34 93  
....

Branch

# MEMBERS OF AUXILIARIES.

PAYMENT OF \$1.00 PER ANNUM CONSTITUTES A MEMBER.

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

## MONTREAL BRANCH.

### ATHENS.

Pres., Mrs. I. C. Alguire; 1st V.-Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) Hagar; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Ferguson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. P. Lamb; Cor. Sec., Mrs. C. C. Slack; Treas., Mrs. G. W. Beach. Mesdames W. H. Taplin, D. Fisher, G. Wiltse, S. Bullis, (Dr.) Giles, McClary, C. Niblock, W. Kilborn, A. Brown, C. Johnston, A. Judson, Ritter, C. Brown, Rappell, C. L. Lamb, G. Nash, McLaughlin, H. Brown, M. E. Cornell, T. G. Stevens, J. Duggan, Ackland, B. Connell, Patterson, W. Towris, O. Bullis, A. James, P. P. Slack, Redmond, C. Wiltse, S. A. Taplin, Kerr, Kendrick, W. Wiltse, Rowsome, Coon, H. H. Arnold, A. W. Blanchard, Culbert, Phillips, Vanainum, Boyce, I. Wiltse, Stone, Thornhill, G. Brown, S. S. Cornell, S. Moore, E. A. Donovan; Misses Barber, Howe.

### ADDISON.

Pres., M. J. Loverin; V.-Pres., Mrs. J. Gibson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. R. H. Field; Cor. Sec., Miss A. Bourns; Treas., Mrs. C. F. Gray. Mesdames W. Knox, G. Dixon, G. Taplin, Empey, S. Loverin, E. Stowell, R. Connell.

### AULTSVILLE.

Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) W. Service; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. R. Lapoint; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Cook; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Nash; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Tonsaw; Treas., Mrs. Beach. Mesdames N. Morgan, W. Morgan, T. Coppins, J. S. Baker, G. Morgan, S. Dafoe, F. Anderson, W. H. Beach, S. T. Loucks, S. Gore, John Cook, Minard Cook, Willis Cook, Wm. Loucks, C. R. Tonsaw, Geo. Markell, Chas Bush, Perry, J. S. Hickey; Misses Bredin, Gillespie, \*Nellie A. Service, Ketha Service, Julia Morgan.

### ALMONTE.

Pres., Mrs. Rogers; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Anderson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. McKechnie; Rec. Sec., Miss Rogers; Cor. Sec., Miss Howe; Treas., Miss Belton. Mesdames Shipman, Murray, Horton, Anderson, Bray, G. Keyes, Howie, M. Howe, McKechnie, Howe, Rogers, Hamilton; Misses \*Parlee, Brown, P. Belton, Grier, Potter, M. Barr, K. Blake, Allanson, Hannah, Armour, Hamlin, Rogers. Honorary members—Mr. M. Howe, Mr. Anderson.

### BROCKVILLE, GEORGE STREET.

Pres., \*Mrs. (Rev.) Scanlon; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. H. Cole; 2nd V. Pres., Mrs. H. Gill; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. W. S. Donaldson; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. P. Graham; Treas., Mrs. A. McDougall. Mesdames J. Gardiner, G. Pennock, J. McElhiney, Sherman, T. C. Brown, R. Shepherd, T. G. Cook, O. Fenton, J. Judson, W. Tackaberry, J. Newell, C. Marshall, O. Earle, R. Bell, W. Wiltse, Tooley, J. Shaver, J. Mix, I. J. Pomeroy, C. W. Gay, R. Cope-land, A. McGwin; Misses P. Austin, E. Sweet, I. Sweet.

## MEMBERS OF AUXILIARIES.

## BROCKVILLE, WALL STREET.

Pres., \*Mrs. (Dr.) Griffith; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. A. Robinson; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Coates; Rec. Sec., Mrs. D. J. Ducolin; Asst. Rec. Sec., Mrs. W. Hood; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Brace; Treas., Mrs. D. V. Beacock. Mesdames J. Wright, T. Sheridan, A. Brown, A. Blais, J. Wood, S. Manhard, J. Sheriff, Freeland, T. Southworth, R. T. Kenny, J. Bissell, D. B. Jones, J. Bolton, \*M. White, H. Murrey, R. Arnold, H. Coates, R. Dowsley, J. J. Mansell, R. J. Morris, G. A. Rudd, A. E. Murphy, H. B. White, \*Wm. Patrick, \*Wm. Bresie, L. A. Betts, G. Lewis, G. R. McKay, Geo. Young, A. A. Davis, E. A. Blake, A. Howard, J. N. Abbott, J. Soper, G. J. Mallory, E. Clint, C. Crummy, R. Brown, C. W. Taylor, E. Smith, G. Barr, S. Walt, V. R. Marshall, A. E. Cameron, J. Gallagher, James Stephens, J. Arnold, E. J. Arthur, G. Farrar, R. N. Parker, J. J. Botsford, H. F. Harris, H. Purvis, E. Hitchcock, Ostler, I. Mallory, R. Fields, H. Bissell, J. Pyke, J. Potter, S. Powell, E. Abbott, W. C. Austin, H. Storey, L. Shipman, N. Gilbert, L. A. Fox, G. W. Bissell, W. G. Hunt, J. Lane; Misses O. Shipman, \*Hurlburt, G. Dowell, J. Bell, \*E. Storey, \*Libbie Shipman, A. Williams, J. Clint, L. Coates, E. White, J. Wardrobe, A. Sherwood, A. McCullough. Honorary member—Mr. A. Parr.

## COATICOOK.

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## NOVA SCOTIA CONFERENCE BRANCH.

### REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

In presenting our report for another year, the uppermost feeling in our hearts is that of thankfulness to our Heavenly Father for the privilege of working for Him, and for a measure of success. Both encouragement and failure have characterized the year, and it is with feeling of not having done perhaps all we might that we gather up the scattered ends of our work, knowing that He who rewards "even the cup of cold water given in His name," will see what is in our hearts to do for Him, and count it to us for righteousness. Some Auxiliaries have fallen behind, while others have made advancement, and much devotion and toil have been put into the work in many places. The District Superintendents have done grand work, and the three conventions held throughout the year showed much labor and earnestness, and must be the means of a diffusion of knowledge and spiritual power.

Our Easter service is becoming more and more popular and generally observed, and our members are realizing how much blessing there is for all who participate. Through our local Supply Committee we have been able to send material help to our suffering neighbors in Newfoundland and also to some of the mission stations in our own province to the amount of \$111.25.

Our missionary literature is being more largely disseminated, and the *Outlook* and *Palm Branch* are taken by an increasing number of Auxiliaries and Bands. Owing to a variety of adverse circumstances we regret to have to report a decrease in funds, but no Auxiliaries have ceased work, and those that have fallen behind, we trust and believe, will start afresh with added zeal in this new year. We report two new Auxiliaries, viz.: Nappan and La Have Islands, and ten new Mission Circles and Bands.

"The Reaper, whose name is Death," has been busy among our members, and nine have been gathered home. Among our life-members we make special mention of Ernest Langford, younger son of our lamented and much-loved President, Mrs. McCoy. After weary months of suffering Langford was called to his heavenly home in February last. The sum of fifty dollars, found among his personal possessions, was left to "Mother's Society," as he always called the W.M.S.

We are sincerely grateful for spared lives and earnest desires to do more to further our beloved cause in the year that is before us and we would go forward in the strength of the Lord ready to conquer for Him in

" Another year of service,  
Of witness for Thy love ;  
Another year of training  
For holier work above."

Number of Auxiliaries.....	55	Net Increase.....	2
" Mission Bands.....	54	" .....	6
" Annual Members—Aux....	1,089	Decrease.....	5
" Life-Members.....	77	" .....	6
" Mission Band Members....	971	Increase.....	114
Total number of Members.....	1,166	Decrease.....	61
Total income.....	\$3,792 10		
Amount sent to Gen. Treas.....	3,659 70		

S. JENNIE SMITH, *Cor. Sec.*

## STATISTICAL REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1894-95.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Annual Members.	Number of Life Members.	Number of Monthly Meetings.	Number of Public Meetings.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Amherst .....	42		12	1	17	\$166 50
Annapolis .....	16	1	12	2	8	55 85
Arcadia .....	7	..	..	..	..	4 25
Auburn .....	22	..	10	2	7	75 00
Barrington .....	34	..	12	..	10	55 30
Bermuda .....	17	..	9	1	9	51 18
Bridgetown .....	27	1	10	1	10	75 92
Bridgewater .....	10	..	4	..	5	10 00
Bear River .....	10	1	10	..	6	24 34
Burlington .....	18	1	7	3	7	44 59
Barton .....	17	..	11	1	8	67 81
Canning .....	7	..	4	..	4	9 10
Canso .....	15	1	11	1	8	30 91
Cape Negro .....	14	2	12	..	8	47 01
Dartmouth .....	12	..	11	2	13	13 96
Digby .....	29	6	12	2	17	61 67
Gabarus Harbor .....	17	..	11	1	12	50 00
Grafton .....	13	..	10	1	6	26 84
Granville Ferry .....	15	..	11	1	8	20 51
Guysboro' .....	9	..	12	1	6	15 55
Halifax North .....	21	2	12	1	6	60 48
Halifax South .....	43	8	12	1	15	302 14
Halifax West .....	46	40	12	1	15	678 60
Hantsport .....	24	1	11	2	14	111 00
Horton .....	14	..	4	..	..	7 00
Kingston .....	21	2	12	4	10	44 83
Lawrencetown .....	16	..	11	..	6	32 60
Liverpool .....	12	..	9	2	4	47 00
Londonderry .....	17	..	11	1	12	20 95
Lunenburg .....	12	..	12	..	9	6 25
La Have Islands .....	19	..	9	1	10	25 77
Musquodoboit .....	6	..	3	..	..	20 50
Newport .....	11	..	10	1	6	20 60
New Germany .....	8	..	12	1	5	13 59
North Sydney .....	13	..	12	3	8	31 67
Nappan .....	20	1	10	..	8	80 51
Oxford .....	22	1	11	3	9	57 80
Parrsboro' .....	35	..	11	..	14	50 00
Pictou .....	24	..	10	..	7	70 14
Port Greville .....	18	..	10	..	10	27 34
Port Hawkesbury .....	34	..	12	1	12	64 81
Pugwash .....	18	..	11	..	9	19 45
Ritcey's Cove .....	13	..	11	..	..	30 59
	22	..	12	1	13	47 87

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH,  
1894-95—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Annual Members.	Number of Life-Members.	Number of Monthly Meetings.	Number of Public Meetings.	Average Attendance.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Selma .....	7	..	9	..	..	7 65
Shelburne.....	29	..	12	2	5	52 65
Springhill.....	20	..	12	1	10	33 00
Sydney .....	21	..	10	..	10	26 23
Truro .....	52	4	12	1	17	222 17
Wallace .....	11	..	9	..	7	24 22
Wilmot.....	35	..	11	..	12	122 50
Windsor .....	29	1	12	2	12	98 25
Wolfville .....	12	..	8	2	7	25 46
Yarmouth (Providence Church) ..	35	1	12	..	15	165 94
“ (Wesley Church).....	39	3	12	1	14	156 80
Total .....	1089	77	424	52	289	3,684 73
Separate Bands ..	..	..	..	..	..	55 34
						3,740 07

REPORT OF TREASURER OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

RECEIPTS.

From Auxiliaries and Mission Bands—

First quarter .....	\$560 34
Second quarter .....	597 39
Third quarter.....	806 50
Fourth quarter .....	1,806 74
	<u>\$3,770 97</u>

Donation from Liverpool District Convention .....	2 50
Donation from Petite Riviere.....	7 00
Collection, Branch meeting, Wesley Church, Yarmouth...	11 63
	<u>21 13</u>
	<u>\$3,792 10</u>

EXPENDITURE.

Remitted to General Treasurer :

First quarter .....	\$555 64
Second quarter .....	592 03
Third quarter .....	801 50
Fourth quarter.....	1,710 53
	<u>\$3,659 70</u>

1894-95.

Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.

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To President for printing and Branch supplies .....	\$13 15	
" Corresponding Secretary for postage, literature, etc ..	4 62	
" Treasurer for postage and stationery .....	2 36	
" Commission on bank drafts and sundries .....	3 27	
" Travelling expenses of district organizers, officers, dele- gates, etc., to Branch meeting .....	109 00	
		132 40
		\$3,792 10

Examined and found correct. L. H. RAY, Auditor.  
Halifax, October 7, 1895.

MARY S. RAY, Treasurer.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Branch was held in Wesley Church, Yarmouth, on September 24th to 26th. There were present fifty-eight delegates, the largest number we have ever had, and it was voted by all to be the most profitable and pleasant gathering in our history. From beginning to end a spirit of oneness and consecration pervaded the whole company, and there was not a jarring note to mar the melody. The pretty town of Yarmouth, with its lovely lawns and hedges and beautiful homes and renowned hospitality of its people, will always be pleasant memories to all who were present.

We were privileged to have with us two of our returned missionaries, Mrs. Tuttle (formerly Miss Leake) and Miss Clarke, of the Coqualeetza Home, British Columbia, who both stirred our hearts and awakened fresh interest in these fields of labor.

We had two most profitable papers on "The Influence of Missions on the Church at Home," and "Preparation for Auxiliary Work," both of which evinced care and thought; also, one on "Our Annual Report," which was voted to be printed in the *Outlook*. Both public meetings were interesting, with good programmes, in which we were assisted by the choirs and Mission Bands, who did good service.

For a few minutes, the ordinary business of one session was set aside to listen to the pathetic story of Miss Hooper, a member of the Salvation Army, who had labored for twelve years among the child widows of India, and whose words so stirred our hearts that we felt we did not even *know* the meaning of the word self-sacrifice.

The ladies of Yarmouth gave us a delightful reception, at which greetings from sister churches and organizations were received, with good music and refreshments. An invitation was received and accepted to hold our next Branch meeting in Lunenburg.

We closed with a most solemn and impressive memorial and consecration service at which we all felt drawn nearer to God, and the echo of each heart was, "It is good for us to be here."

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President	Mrs. Whiston, 297 Brunswick street, Halifax.
1st Vice-President	Mrs. Joseph Hart, Halifax.
2nd Vice-President	Mrs. Ainley, Dartmouth.
3rd Vice-President	Mrs. Gee. Petite Riviere.
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. J. Wesley Smith, Fernbank, Halifax.
Recording Secretary	Miss Bella Wiswall, South Farmington.
Treasurer	Miss Ray, Halifax.
Auditor	Miss Louise Ray, Halifax.

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## DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS.

<i>Annapolis District</i>	-	-	-	-	Mrs. Strothard, Annapolis.
<i>Shelburne</i>	"	-	-	-	Mrs. Quinlan, Shelburne.
<i>Liverpool</i>	"	-	-	-	Mrs. Groulund, Ritcey's Cove.
<i>Cape Breton</i>	"	-	-	-	Miss Burns, Sydney.
<i>Halifax</i>	"	-	-	-	Mrs. Ainley, Dartmouth.
<i>Truro</i>	"	-	-	-	Mrs. Gunn, Truro.

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 REPORT OF MISSION CIRCLES AND BANDS, NOVA  
SCOTIA BRANCH.

This department of our work has been most encouraging during the past year, and although some bands have lagged behind in the ranks, new recruits are coming to the front, and we feel that good work has been done through the year enlisting the youth of our churches and homes in the Master's service, and in training for greater and better work in the future.

Realizing that in the young people is the hope of our Church for the future, and that they have to fill our places who are now "bearing the burden and heat of the day," we are fully alive to the necessity for training and activity in this Branch of our work. The *Palm Branch* is being more highly valued every year, and is very helpful to the young people both at home and in their meetings. We are anxious to keep *one* fact before our Circles and Bands, viz., that the mere raising of money is not the first or main object of the work, but while they help in this way their own spiritual life may be fostered; and while their sympathies are broadened by helping others less favored than themselves, this work may be to them a school in which lessons are learned that will bear fruit in all their after lives.

Four Bands have dropped out owing to various causes, but we have to report ten new ones, viz: Charles Street and Oxford Street Circles, Halifax; La Have Islands; "Try Again," New Germany; "Busy Bees," "Dayspring," "Willing Workers," Nappan; Cape Negro; "Bonair," Porte la Tour; "C. M. Tate," Petite Riviere. Several others organized late in the year and have not reported, but all are prepared for work, and we hope to hear from them next year.

We have to report 54 Bands, net increase 5; number of members 927, net increase 77; life members, 44. Total, 971. Amount raised, \$1,216.11.

S. JENNIE SMITH, *Cor. Sec.*

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1894-95.

BANDS.	LOCATION.	Number of Members.	Number of Life Members.	Amount received from Members' Fees.	Average Attendance.	Amount raised during year.	Amount sent to Branch Treasurer.
Oak and Ivy.....	Auburn.....	17					
Willing Circle.....	Amherst.....	18	1	\$4 25	7	\$44 00	\$34 57
Rays of Light.....	".....	24	..	4 50	7	20 93	20 93
Wayside Gleaners.....	Annapolis.....	9	..	6 00	10	6 40	6 40
Little Helpers.....	Barrington.....	9	..	2 25	7	56 36	*54 36
The King's Own.....	Avondale.....	9	..	2 25	6	16 21	16 21
Royal Workers.....	Berwick.....	36	..	9 00	29	16 79	16 34
Large Hart.....	Burlington.....	24	2	6 00	8	18 70	18 70
Hillsburgh.....	Bear River.....	15	..	3 75	8	12 35	12 27
Lone Star.....	Bermuda.....	10	..	2 50	..	13 48	13 23
Wesley Centennial.....	Cheverie.....	18	..	4 50	7	29 52	29 52
Cunningham.....	Canso.....	12	..	3 00	8	25 50	24 27
Sunshine.....	Digby.....	30	..	7 50	14	26 90	26 70
†Buds of Promise.....	Dartmouth.....	34	..	8 50	20	8 50	6 50
Golden Rule Circle.....	".....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cheerful Givers.....	Guysboro.....	32	..	8 00	12	27 56	27 56
Forward Movement.....	Gabarus.....	10	..	2 50	7	12 30	5 58
Reapers' Circle.....	Halifax, North.....	16	..	4 00	7	6 15	4 21
Gleaners.....	".....	25	15	6 25	12	121 55	121 55
Coralline Circle.....	" South.....	28	2	7 00	13	54 50	52 75
Sunbeams.....	".....	33	4	8 25	10	159 02	159 02
Kaye Street Band.....	" West.....	13	..	3 25	5	46 16	45 66
*Oxford Street.....	".....	17	..	4 25	15	16 50	16 50
		11	..	2 70	7	5 28	5 28

*Charles Street Circle.....	Halifax, West.....	11	..	2 75	..	11 67	11 67
Stars of Knight.....	Kingston.....	9	1	2 25	..	6 66	6 66
Hopeful.....	Laurencetown.....	20	..	5 00	9	11 80	11 80
La Have Islands.....	Petite Riviere.....	..	..	..	..	11 70	11 70
Morning Star.....	Moncton.....	..	..	..	..	..	..

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*Oxford Street .....	"	West .....	17	..	4 25	15	46 16	45 66
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*Charles Street Circle.....	Halifax, West .....	11	..	2 75	..	11 67	11 67
Stars of Knight.....	Kingston .....	9	1	2 25	..	6 66	6 66
Hopeful .....	Laurencetown .....	20	..	5 00	9	11 80	11 80
La Have Islands.....	Petite Riviere .....	16	..	..	..	11 70	11 70
Morning Star.....	Masquodoboit.....	16	..	4 00	12	17 37	8 97
Happy Workers.....	Middleton.....	24	5	6 00	13	44 00	44 00
North Sydenham Band.....	North Sydney .....	28	..	7 00	10	27 00	27 00
Downing.....	New Germany.....	23	..	5 75	10	7 10	7 10
*Try Again.....	" .....	12	..	3 00	5	3 80	3 80
*Busy Bees.....	Nappan .....	7	..	1 75	7	2 88	2 28
*Day Spring.....	" .....	18	..	4 25	7	3 62	3 62
*Willing Workers.....	" .....	12	..	3 00	..	8 56	8 56
Cheerful Workers.....	Port Greville.....	40	1	10 00	12	15 59	15 59
What I Can.....	Pictou.....	9	..	2 25	6	7 52	7 52
Silver Stream.....	Shelburne .....	33	3	8 25	16	35 00	35 00
*Cape Negro.....	" Co.....	6	..	1 50	..	1 60	1 60
*Bonair.....	" " .....	12	..	3 00	..	3 00	3 00
Jubilee.....	Sydney .....	8	..	2 00	..	2 36	2 36
First Methodist.....	Truro .....	36	5	9 00	..	74 81	74 81
Evangeline.....	Wolfville.....	20	..	5 00	10	10 39	8 39
Happy Thought.....	Wesley Church, Yarmouth.....	27	4	6 75	11	47 84	45 82
Picket Guard.....	Wilmot .....	16	1	4 00	10	9 00	9 00
Blackmore Band.....	Rictey's Cove .....	30	..	7 50	20	20 70	19 76
Earnest Gleaners.....	Yarmouth.....	39	..	9 75	16	66 52	66 52
Par Bar Westward.....	Middleton .....	23	..	5 75	15	26 20	26 20
River Jordan .....	Shelburne Co. ....	8	..	2 00	5	5 10	5 10
†Lockport Band .....	" .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
*C. M. Tate Band.....	Petite Riviere .....	..	..	..	..	3 00	3 00
Standard Bearers.....	Advocate Harbor.....	..	..	..	..	15 00	15 00
Donation.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 00
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>927</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>\$231 75</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>\$1245 31</b>	<b>\$1216 11</b>

\* Added during the year.

† No report.

OFFICERS OF NOVA SCOTIA BRANCH, 1894 95.

AUXILIARIES.	PRESIDENTS.	CORRESPONDING SECRETARIES.	TREASURERS.
Amherst .....	Mrs. A. Davison .....	Mrs. (Dr.) Black .....	Mrs. A. Casey.
Annapolis .....	" Strothard .....	" Crowell .....	" Randing.
Arcadia .....		Miss A. J. Dunham .....	Miss Sadie Trefry.
Auburn .....	Mrs. Coffin .....	" Lizzie Coffin .....	" Amy Musgrave.
Barrington .....	" C. Jost .....	" H. Jost .....	Mrs. Arnold Doane.
Bermuda .....	" R. Ingham .....	" E. S. Harnett .....	" Dickinson.
Berwick .....	" A. S. Tuttle .....	" Annie Tupper .....	" Illsley.
Bridgetown .....	Miss Lillie Fowler .....	" Mary Dodge .....	Miss Ethel Davis.
Bridgewater .....	Mrs. Stevens .....	Mrs. Jodrey .....	Mrs. Bent.
Bear River .....	" Colin Rice .....	Miss F. A. Vroom .....	Miss F. Hardwick.
Burlington .....	" G. J. Angwin .....	Mrs E. Mann .....	" Angwin.
Barton .....	" McNeil .....	Miss S. Morehouse .....	" Emma Bent.
Cauning .....	" J. M. Fisher .....	Mrs. F. W. Borden .....	Mrs. S. Sheffield.
Canso .....	" Chittick .....	" C. H. Whitman .....	" Alfred Hart.
Cape Negro .....	" Jos. Swaine .....	Miss E. Sholds .....	" D. Matheson.
Dartmouth .....	" J. Beck .....	Mrs. M. Storey .....	" G. Turnbull.
Digby .....	" J. Prestwood .....	" W. G. England .....	" J. Letteney.
Gabarus Harbor .....	" F. Friggins .....	" Abraham Grant .....	" J. Hardy.
Grafton .....	" F. W. Weldon .....	Miss Jennie Mills (Lakeville) .....	" G. D. Fraser.
Guysboro' .....	Miss Maria Hart .....	Mrs. DesBarres (Belmont) .....	" G. E. Jos*.
Granville Ferry .....	Mrs. L. Daniel .....	" H. D. Messenger .....	" Groves.
Halifax North .....	" R. Ross .....	Miss F. Hills, 60 Maitland St. ....	Miss E. Hills.
" South .....	" Cunningham .....	" Helena Cunningham .....	Mrs. Barss.
" West .....	" Wesley Smith .....	Mrs. A. Borden, Robie St. ....	Miss Ellen Hills.
Hantsport .....	" Wm. Toye .....	Miss Bessie Salter .....	" Rathbun.
Horton .....	" F. G. Curry .....	Mrs. Wm. Brown .....	Mrs. A. R. Curry.
Kingston .....	Miss High .....	Miss M. Taylor .....	Miss Louise Armstrong.
Laurencetown .....	Mrs. J. W. Whitman .....	Mrs. H. H. Whitman .....	Mrs. Morgan.
Liverpool .....	" H. A. Wright .....	Miss Ida Smith .....	Miss Clara Marshall.

Londonderry .....	Mrs. J. B. Neal .....	Mrs. W. Slack .....	Mrs. G. Parsons.
Lunenburg .....	" DesBrisay .....	" Albert Pearl .....	" W. Zwicker.
La Have Islands .....	" Thomas Greene .....	Miss Ada Walfield .....	" J. Gee.
Musquodoboit .....	" G. W. Whitman .....	Mrs. Wm. Layton .....	" Jas Annand.
Nappan .....	" Evans .....	" John Roach .....	Miss Nettie Higgs.
Narragansett .....	" .....		

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Nappan .....	" Evans .....	" John Roach .....	Miss Nettie Higgs.
Newport .....	" Sterling .....	Miss A. Johnson .....	" Hattie Johnson.
New Germany .....	" Downing .....	Mrs. F. Grant .....	Mrs. Chesley.
North Sydney .....	" Lane .....	Miss E. A. Bonnell .....	" G. Maloney.
Oxford .....	" Wm. Grey .....	Mrs. W. H. Langille .....	" Allan Haigh.
Parrsboro' .....	" J. Sharp .....	" A. Smith .....	" Chambers.
Picton .....	" Gunn .....	Miss Lily Wisener .....	Miss Beattie.
Port Greville .....	" C. Smith .....	" Alice Smith .....	Mrs. Hatfield.
Port Hawkesbury .....	" J. Philpot .....	Mrs. L. Dowling .....	Miss Langley.
Pugwas .....	" B. Hills .....	" H. C Black .....	" Ethel Tuttle.
Ritcey's Cove .....	" Grounland .....	" I. F. Heckman .....	" M Ritcey.
Selma .....	" A. Daniel .....	" J. W. Boate .....	Mrs. Smith McDougall.
Shelburne .....	" F. A. Buckl-y .....	" J. Demstadt .....	" W. Atwood.
Springhill .....	" England .....	" Phelan .....	" J. Cooper.
Sydney .....	" Hickey .....	" L. E. Jost .....	" C. B. Travis.
Truro .....	" Heartz .....	" Gunn .....	Miss Black.
Wallace .....	" Outerbridge .....	" C. K. Morris .....	Mrs. Geo. Battyc.
Windsor .....	" J. L. Dawson .....	Miss A. D. Mosher .....	" J. H. Smith.
Wolfville .....	" Collins .....	" C. Pick .....	Miss Webster.
Yarmouth, Providence Ch. ..	" E. B. Moore .....	" H. J. Gunn .....	Mrs. J. W. Connel.
" Wesley Church.	" John Young .....	" S. A. Crowell .....	" B. Davies.



MISSION BAND LIFE MEMBERS, NOVA SCOTIA  
BRANCH.

	Mrs. Lillie Ross, "Reapers" Mission Circle, Halifax North.
	Miss Bessie Bell, " " " " "
	" Ella Calkin, " " " " "
	" Alice Knight, " " " " "
	" Annie Mitchell, " " " " "
	" Louise Ray, " " " " "
	" Annie Starr, " " " " "
	" Laura Starr, " " " " "
	" Muriel Black, " " " " "
	" Minnie Bell, " " " " "
	Mrs. (Rev.) Flemming, " " " " "
	" Clarke, " " " " "
	" M. O. Crowell, " " " " "
	" A. G. Johnson, " " " " "
	Miss Bertha Starr, " " " " "
	" Lizzie Hills, " " " " "
	" Bessie Kline, "Gleaners" Mission Band, Halifax North.
	Mrs. Jos. Hart, "Coralline" Mission Circle, Halifax South.
	Miss Jennie Cunningham, " " " " "
	X. Y. Z. " " " " "
	Mrs. T. G. Black, "Coralline" Circle, Halifax South.
	Miss Carrie Cunningham, Robie Street, Halifax South.
	Rev. William Ainley, "First Methodist" Band, Truro.
	Mrs. Ainley, " " " " "
	" Campbell, " " " " "
	Miss Johnson, " " " " "
	Mrs. Quinlan, "Silver Stream" Band, Shelburne.
	Miss Minnie Buckley, "Silver Stream" Band, Shelburne.
	" Ethel Buckley, " " " " "
	" Ella M. Beckwith, "Royal Workers," Berwick.
	" Emma Tuttle, " " " " "
	" Jennie Young, "Happy Workers" Circle, Wilmot.
	John Johnson, "Picket Guard" Band, Wilmot.
	Miss Mary Crowell, "Happy Thought" Band, Yarmouth (Wesley Ch.).
	Master Bowman Crowell, " " " " "
	" Samuel Crowell, " " " " "
	Miss Maud Killam, " " " " "
	" Maggie Taylor, "Stars of Knight," Kingston.
	" Alice Smith, "Cheerful Workers," Port Greville.
	Master Walter R. Smith, } Bands not given.
	Miss Minnie Hawkesworth, }
	" Laura Chapman, }

# NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH.

## TENTH ANNUAL REPORT.

In reviewing this the tenth year of our Branch, we note the many discouragements and difficulties, and yet amid them all we can honestly report a growing interest.

Five hundred and fifty-five *Outlooks* are taken in our Auxiliaries, and this in itself is a proof that there is a desire for information. Six hundred and eighty-nine mite boxes have been in use, and nearly one-half of our societies have held mite-box openings. Never before have Easter services been so generally observed, and, notwithstanding the difficulties in country districts of having public meetings so early in the spring, the attempts are made, and now these services are becoming a regular institution.

Thirty-five of our seventy-eight Auxiliaries have only a membership of thirteen or under, and to these faithful ones is largely due the maintenance of our Branch.

We have decreases to report in both Auxiliaries and membership, as well as in our funds. For these there are various reasons. The winter storms in many cases prevented the regular meetings, and, in a measure, made the work more difficult. Removals have not only affected our membership, but frequently have taken away our leaders, and in the cases of small societies, it has meant disbanding. Home claims and church debts have been the means of some Auxiliaries dropping out for the present. Some of them we hope to welcome again to our ranks. Some new territory has been gained. There are six new Auxiliaries, viz.: Springfield, Upper Millstream, Douglas Harbor, Chatham, Newcastle and Richibucto. We have lost seven, viz.: Hartland, Jerusalem, Dorchester, Lakeville, Lakeville Corner, Lorneville and West Devon. In the last place, a Mission Band has been formed, however. Our young people generally are showing an increasing intelligence in the work, and their funds are slightly on the increase.

For the first time in our history our money is lower than a year ago; yet it is to be remembered that this year a legacy of \$2,000.00 has been paid into the treasury from New Brunswick.

We are looking forward with brighter hopes. Four new societies are ready to commence work, and there seems to be a strong determination on the part of all, both new and old, to work more valiantly for the Master, who hath done so much for us.

Number of Auxiliaries.....	78		
"    Auxiliary members.....	1,475	Decrease .....	1
"    Life Members.....	76	" .....	25
"    Mission Bands.....	53	Increase .....	7
"    "    Band members.....	1,140	Decrease .....	47
Total number of members .....	2,691	" .....	65
Amount sent to General Treasurer .....	\$4,966 14	" .....	\$233 86

HATTIE S. STEWART, Cor. Sec.

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STATISTICAL REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. I. BRANCH, 1894-95.

AUXILIARIES.	No. Annual Mem- bers, Sept., 1895.	Increase.	Decrease.	No. Life Members, Sept., 1895.	Increase.	Average Attend- ance.	No. of Monthly Meetings.	No. of Public Meet- ings.
Albert .....	13	5	..	..	..	6	8	..
Alberton .....	21	..	..	..	..	8	12	2
Baie Verte .....	17	..	..	..	..	8	10	2
Bathurst .....	18	..	6	..	..	7	10	1
Bayfield .....	15	..	..	..	..	9	9	1
Bedeque .....	45	..	4	10	..	13	11	..
Benton .....	6	..	2	..	..	4	12	2
Berwick .....	19	1	..	..	..	9	11	2
Bideford .....	7	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Bloomfield .....	13	..	4	..	..	8	12	1
Bristol .....	13	..	..	..	..	6	12	..
Campbellton .....	18	..	1	..	..	7	9	2
Cape Traverse .....	14	..	1	2	..	7	11	..
Carsonville .....	11	..	2	..	..	7	12	1
Caverhill .....	10	..	4	..	..	5	10	..
Centreville .....	18	..	1	..	..	7	10	1
Charlottetown, Prince Street .....	66	5	..	13	..	23	12	2
"    Upper Prince Street .....	10	..	9	..	..	7	11	2
Chatham .....	18	18	..	..	..	9	11	..
Cherry Valley .....	20	2	..	..	..	5	5	..
Cornwall .....	30	..	2	..	..	9	12	5
Fredericton .....	37	1	..	2	..	16	12	2
Fifteen Point .....	9	..	2	..	..	5	11	..
Gagetown .....	11	..	10	..	..	6	9	1
Hampton .....	16	..	2	1	..	7	12	1
Harcourt .....	20	3	..	..	..	8	12	2
Highfield .....	11	1	..	..	..	7	11	2
Jacksonville .....	13	..	4	..	..	8	9	..
Jolicure .....	13	..	..	..	..	7	10	2
Kensington .....	14	1	..	1	..	6	9	1
Keswick .....	7	..	..	..	..	4	3	..
Kilburn .....	11	..	2	..	..	7	12	1
Margate .....	13	..	5	..	..	6	11	3
Moncton, Central .....	37	10	..	1	1	12	9	1
"    Wesley Memorial .....	19	2	..	..	..	8	10	3
Montague .....	12	1	..	..	..	6	12	2
"    Lower .....	7	1	..	..	..	5	8	1
Montrose .....	8	..	1	..	..	5	5	..
Mount Herbert .....	12	..	1	..	..	7	5	1
Murray Harbor .....	33	..	3	..	..	10	9	1
Newcastle .....	14	14	..	..	..	7	10	..
Northampton .....	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Wiltshire .....	12	1	..	..	..	8	8	2

STATISTICAL REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. I. BRANCH, 1884-95—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	No. Annual Mem- bers, Sept., 1895.		No. Life Members, Sept., 1895.		Average Attend- ance.	No. of Monthly Meetings.	No. of Public Meet- ings.
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.			
Passekeag .....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Point de Bute .....	18	..	1	..	..	..	..
Port Elgin .....	9	..	..	..	8	12	2
Pownal .....	21	..	..	..	7	8	1
Richibucto .....	18	18	1	1	8	11	1
Richmond .....	21	3	..	..	6	9	2
Sackville .....	42	1	..	7	12	12	3
"    Upper .....	13	..	..	..	16	12	2
St. John, Centenary .....	70	..	..	..	7	11	1
"    Exmouth Street .....	43	2	..	8	1	22	10
"    Portland .....	40	..	1	..	14	12	3
"    Queen Square .....	35	3	..	1	13	12	3
St. Stephen .....	61	..	..	4	1	16	9
Scotchtown .....	6	6	..	..	12	11	2
Searltown .....	25	..	4	2	1	..	11
Shediac .....	9	..	..	..	10	11	..
Sheffield .....	15	..	..	..	5	10	1
Springfield .....	4	4	..	1	..	8	11
Summerside .....	38	1	..	1	1	..	4
Sussex .....	18	6	..	..	18	12	3
Tay .....	15	..	2	..	7	12	2
Tryon .....	21	1	..	6	..	6	12
Union .....	23	2	..	3	..	8	10
Upper Kent .....	9	..	1	..	6	9	2
Upper Millstream .....	13	13	..	..	4	5	..
Vernon River .....	9	..	5	1	..	7	9
"    North .....	3	..	..	..	7	8	..
Victoria .....	23	..	1	3	..	15	12
Waterville .....	8	..	5	..	6	12	..
West Cape .....	18	..	2	1	..	13	11
Williamstown .....	8	..	2	..	4	9	..
Winsloe .....	12	..	2	..	..	..	..
Woodstock .....	25	..	3	4	..	10	11
Young's Cove .....	2	..	6	..	..	..	2
York .....	33	9	..	1	..	11	12
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TENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH.

The tenth annual meeting of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society was convened at Sussex, N.B., October 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Beside fifty-four delegates, there were a number of visitors. Miss Palmer, President, occupied the chair. It was with great pleasure we welcomed among us one pioneer missionary, Miss L. Clark, of Pownal, P.E.I., who gave a most interesting account of her experience at Chilliwhack. Beside the usual routine business, several papers were presented, most interesting and original, and were ordered to be printed in *Palm Branch*. The President's Address was educative and encouraging. Through a circumstance not repeated, this year we have to record the first deficit in receipts, but an increase in zeal and energy.

Six new Auxiliaries were formed during the year. "Star" Band, Exmouth Street, St. John, received the banner.

Centenary church, St. John, extended an invitation for the ensuing annual meeting. The President is to represent us at Conference.

Mrs. C. Strong was elected delegate to Board of Managers.

The following officers were elected :

<i>President</i>	- - - -	Miss F. Palmer, St. John, N.B.
<i>1st Vice-President</i>	- - - -	Mrs. J. D. Chipman, St. Stephen, N. B.
<i>2nd Vice-President</i>	- - - -	Mrs. R. Johnston, Charlottetown, P.E.I.
<i>3rd Vice-President</i>	- - - -	Mrs. S. Howard.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i>	- - - -	Miss H. Stewart, Sackville, N.B.
<i>Recording Secretary</i>	- - - -	Mrs. C. Macmichael, St. John, N.B.
<i>Treasurer</i>	- - - -	Mrs. C. Strong, Summerside, P.E.I.
<i>Mission Band Cor. Sec.</i>	- - - -	Mrs. Turner, Pownal, P.E.I.
<i>Auditor</i>	- - - -	Mrs. Stewart.

District Organizers :

<i>St. Stephen</i>	- - - -	Mrs. H. Sprague.
<i>Woodstock</i>	- - - -	Miss Harper.
<i>St. John</i>	- - - -	Mrs. McKeown.
<i>Fredericton</i>	- - - -	Mrs. Coulthard.
<i>Moncton</i>	- - - -	Mrs. Forbes.
<i>Sackville</i>	- - - -	Mrs. Thomas.
<i>Summerside</i>	- - - -	Mrs. A. Wright.
<i>Miramichi</i>	- - - -	Mrs. W. Davison.

J. W. MACMICHAEL, *Rec. Sec.*

P. E. I.

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Fifteen Point, P.E.I.	57 00	30 08	17 85	38 72	22 00	54 23	1 00	8 69	8 53
Gagetown, N. B.	9 00	11 75	13 00	3 46	2 25	3 35	0 60	199 88	191 68
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Hampton, N.B.	16 00	22 04	9 35	8 77	56 16	55 12
Harcourt, N.B.	20 00	4 33	29 85	8 80	63 43	62 96
Highfield, P.E.I.	11 00	8 93	7 97	4 41	32 31	30 85
Jacksonville, N.B.	13 00	37 82	4 15	0 50	55 47	55 47
Jolicure, N. B.	13 00	5 00	6 00	4 00	29 00	29 00
Kensington, P.E.I.	14 00	18 44	7 00	10 60	54 49	54 49
Keswick, N.B.	7 00	7 93	0 08	0 12	15 58	15 34
Kilburn, N.B.	11 00	9 83	15 30	3 65	39 78	39 78
Margate, P.E.I.	13 25	15 66	16 20	9 21	67 56	64 97
Moncton, N. B., Central	36 60	20 15	24 45	1 00	88 34	79 68
" Wesley Memorial	19 00	13 53	3 62	25 90	68 60	68 05
Montague, P.E.I.	12 00	10 09	6 91	4 33	39 58	36 27
Montague Lower, P.E.I.	6 50	1 82	1 30	2 36	10 79	10 79
Montrose, P.E.I.	8 00	5 20	2 36	0 25	10 61	10 42
Murray Harbor, P.E.I.	33 00	10 95	5 20	1 30	55 72	53 36
Mount Herbert, P.E.I.	12 00	8 00	3 50	9 25	32 75	32 75
Newcastle, N.B.	14 00	0 85	0 85	0 17	15 17	14 14
Northampton, N.B.	12 00	3 53	6 66	0 15	25 90	25 70
North Wiltshire, P.E.I.	12 00	8 17	5 47	4 20	30 14	30 14
Passekeag, N.B.	5 00	5 00	0 75	8 75	5 25	5 17
Point de Bute, N.B.	18 00	16 23	5 00	0 75	53 63	48 98
Port Elgin, N.B.	9 00	9 27	3 23	6 65	21 50	16 50
Pownal, P.E.I.	21 00	32 86	5 45	2 70	79 02	77 19
Richmond, N.B.	21 00	12 00	12 53	6 65	81 14	76 00
Richibucto, N.B.	18 50	8 72	8 00	19 48	35 22	34 18
Sackville, N.B.	43 00	25 00	32 20	9 25	163 54	160 51
Sackville Upper, N.B.	13 00	4 82	4 25	25 82	31 42	25 94
St. John, N.B., Centenary	70 00	25 00	204 28	36 51	450 45	448 45
" Exmouth	44 00	111 60	10 57	34 16	215 30	215 30
" Portland	40 00	45 00	23 19	18 91	144 81	139 84
" Queen Square	35 00	25 86	16 11	26 92	110 37	107 55
St. Stephen, N.B.	61 00	25 00	24 76	13 25	213 54	203 22
Searletown, P.E.I.	25 00	25 00	29 45	46 27	117 17	113 09
Shediac, N.B.	9 00	8 00	9 61	11 36	26 50	26 50
Sheffield, N.B.	15 00	9 61	9 50	21 90	49 76	41 60
Summerside, P.E.I.	38 00	15 17	8 21	20 28	110 32	109 72
				15 79	0 50	0 52

TREASURER'S REPORT OF NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. I. BRANCH, 1894-95—Continued.

AUXILIARIES.	Annual Members' Fees.	Life Members' Fees.	Mission Bands.	Public Meetings.	Mite-boxes.	Easter Offerings.	Donations.	Scattered Helpers' Fund.	Other Sources.	Total Raised.	Total sent to Branch Treas.
Sussex, N.B.	\$18 00	....	....	....	\$14 68	\$3 85	....	....	....	\$36 53	\$33 88
Springfield, N.B.	15 50	....	....	....	6 60	....	....	....	....	4 50	4 50
Tay, N.B.	21 00	....	....	\$2 80	11 10	23 13	\$5 10	....	....	30 00	29 68
Tryon, P.E.I.	23 00	....	....	....	16 60	6 00	20 00	....	....	76 23	75 23
Union, P.E.I.	9 00	....	\$43 50	10 70	....	....	6 08	....	\$1 00	105 88	105 88
Upper Kent, N.B.	5 65	....	0 50	....	....	....	....	....	....	9 50	9 50
Upper Millstream, N.B.	8 68	....	....	4 93	2 00	....	5 00	\$0 35	0 07	18 00	18 00
Vernon River, P.E.I.	3 00	....	....	....	5 00	....	1 00	....	....	14 68	14 68
Vernon River North, P.E.I.	23 00	....	....	....	2 00	....	....	....	....	5 00	5 00
Victoria, P.E.I.	8 00	....	21 60	5 15	23 10	17 79	2 00	....	0 58	93 22	92 90
Waterville, N.B.	18 00	....	....	....	2 45	....	....	....	....	10 45	10 02
West Cape, P.E.I.	4 00	....	....	....	8 93	7 50	4 07	....	....	38 50	38 50
Williamstown, N.B.	12 00	....	....	....	....	....	3 00	....	....	7 00	7 00
Winsloe, P.E.I.	25 00	....	9 32	13 68	....	7 05	....	1 00	....	43 05	43 05
Woodstock, N.B.	33 00	....	63 25	12 06	0 91	14 59	3 50	....	....	119 31	118 71
York, P.E.I.	1 25	....	16 50	10 20	9 00	6 00	....	....	1 89	76 59	74 50
Young's Cove, N.B.	....	....	....	....	....	2 00	1 00	....	....	4 25	4 25
Mount Allison Mission Band	....	....	57 33	....	....	....	....	....	....	57 33	57 33
Marysville	....	....	31 87	....	....	....	....	....	....	31 87	31 87
Salisbury	....	....	9 25	....	....	....	....	....	....	9 25	9 25
Old Ridge	....	....	12 00	....	....	....	....	....	....	12 00	12 00
Upper Woodstock Dist. Convention	....	....	....	10 37	....	....	....	....	....	10 37	10 37
P. E. I. Dist. Convention	....	....	....	10 00	....	....	....	....	....	10 00	10 00
Branch Collections	....	....	....	30 23	....	....	....	....	....	30 23	30 23
Donation from Miss Annie I. Moore, Petitecodiac	....	....	....	....	....	....	5 00	....	....	5 00	5 00

P. E. I. Dist. Con., for Indian Home	....	....	....	....	....	....	21 45	....	....	21 45	21 45
Balance from last year	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6 93	....	6 93	6 93
Total	\$1459 81	\$150 00	\$1366 85	\$495 73	\$686 37	\$553 29	\$439 70	\$24 26	\$93 07	\$5273 58	\$5145 62

P. E. I. Dist. Convention	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 00	12 00
P. E. I. Dist. Convention	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 37	10 37
Branch Collections	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00
Donation from Miss Annie I. Moore, Petitediac	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 23	30 23
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P. E. I. Dist. Con., for Indian Home	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 45	21 45
Balance from last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 93	6 93
Total	\$1459 81	\$150 00	\$1366 85	\$495 73	\$686 37	\$553 29	\$439 70	\$24 26	\$93 07	\$5273 58	\$5145 62		

EXPENDITURE.

To General Treasurer, 1st quarter	.....	\$548 00
" " 2nd "	.....	525 00
" " 3rd "	.....	973 14
" " 4th "	.....	2920 00
		<u>\$4966 14</u>
To General expenses for President	.....	14 06
" " Corresponding Sec.	.....	19 72
" " Treasurer	.....	5 35
" " Organizers	.....	19 41
" " Sundries	.....	43 23
Balance on hand	.....	77 71
		<u>\$179 48</u>
		\$5145 62

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS OF DONATIONS.

Bedeque Auxiliary, for French work	.....	\$16 00
" " Chinese Medical work	.....	20 50
Charlottetown Auxiliary, for Industrial School, Japan	.....	8 84
" " Hospital work	.....	2 84
St. John, Centenary, for Hospital work in China, in memory of the son of Mr. John Hutchings	.....	20 00
St. Stephen, Sup'n Fund for missionaries	.....	2 21
Victoria, P. E. I., for Chentu Hospital	.....	2 00
Summerside, P. E. I., for French work	.....	4 85
Mount Allison Band, for girl in Japan	.....	50 00
Easter offerings for Hospital in China	.....	553 29

## STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION BANDS, NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND BRANCH.

BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount Paid Treasurer during the year.
*Albert.	Little Gleaners.	..	..	..	..
Alberton	Rill and River.	43	..	..	\$26 82
Baie Verte	Glad Tidings.	30	..	..	26 26
Bathurst	Busy Gleaners.	15	..	4	16 45
Bedeque	Perseverance.	51	14	..	84 85
Benton	Sadie Hart.	20	..	23	5 71
Cape Traverse	Cheerful Givers	12	..	2	10 68
Centreville	Shining Star	16	..	12	11 25
Charlottetown	Wesley	40	..	..	85 54
" (U. P. S.)	Coqualeetza.	29	2	..	35 10
Cornwall	Earnest Toilers	37	1	..	17 32
East Royalty	Onward	31	12	..	26 60
Fredericton	Royal Workers.	18	..	..	10 00
Gagetown	H. L.	23	2	..	30 08
Hampton	Twinkling Star.	7	..	5	13 00
Highfield	Day Star	19	..	..	22 04
*Hopewell Hill.	Pleasant Hours.	28	12	..	8 93
Jacksonville	Friendly Workers.	..	..	..	..
Kensington		30	8	..	37 82
Lakeville	Look Up, Lift Up	29	4	..	18 44
Little York	Day Spring	18	..	..	..
Margate	Sunbeam	29	1	..	16 50
Marysville	Active Workers	33	..	14	15 61
Moncton (W. M.)	Help a Little.	12	..	..	31 87
*Montaque	Loyal Workers.	26	26	..	13 53
Mount Middleton		9	2	..	10 09
Murray Harbor	Dawning Light.	35	5	..	3 53
Old Ridge	Buds of Promise	17	6	..	10 95
Oromocto		..	..	..	12 00
Point de Bute	Cartmell	22	..	1	..
Portland	Jessie Chipman.	40	10	..	16 23
Pownal	Lavinia Clarke	26	..	5	45 00
Sackville	Ready Helpers.	40	..	..	32 86
"	Mount Allison.	46	5	..	32 20
Searlton	Anchor of Hope	24	1	..	57 33
Salisbury	Little Leaven	15	3	..	29 45
St. John (Centenary)	Hiriawa	31	..	8	9 25
"	King's Messengers.	34	17	..	71 90
" (Queen Square)	Excelsior	23	6	..	132 38
"	Edelweiss.	..	..	..	25 86
" (Exmouth St.)	Star	58	16	..	..
" (Carmarthan St.)	Cheerful Toilers.	..	..	..	111 60
" " No. 2.	Willing Workers.	..	..	..	..

\* New Bands.

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Emma Gar  
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Martha Vi  
CHARL  
Mrs. G. M  
FREDE  
MONCT  
OLD R  
POWNAL  
SUMMER  
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Hart.  
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SACKVI  
Miss Ameli  
SACKVI  
SFARLE  
Lowther.  
ROYAL  
VICTOR



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BANDS.	NAME OF BAND.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Decrease.	Amount Paid Treasurer during the year.
St. Stephen.....	Torch Bearers.....	24	..	5	24 76
Summerside.....	Happy Workers.....	13	..	11	15 17
Teteagouche.....	Forest Home.....	21	..	2	25 24
Union Road.....	Union.....	12	..	..	33 50
Upper Keswick.....	Wayside Workers.....	18	..	8	7 93
Upper Kent.....	Pilgrim.....	..	..	..	50
Victoria.....	Busy Bees.....	24	..	4	21 60
Winsloe.....	Skylark.....	15	..	4	9 32
Woodstock.....	Ella Dobson.....	10	3	..	63 25
Two Light Bearers ..	.....	..	..	..	50
Total.....	.....	1140	156	107	\$1366 85

MISSION BAND LIFE-MEMBERS, N. B. AND P. E. I. BRANCH.

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## BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH.

### FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH, 1894-95.

The British Columbia Branch held its fourth annual convention in May last. It was opened by a public meeting held in the Metropolitan Church, Victoria, presided over by the Rev. S. Cleaver, and addressed by Rev. Mr. Woodsworth and Mrs. Colter, of New Westminster. Their earnest and eloquent addresses struck the key-note of the convention, which was characterized by harmony and spirituality, and was decidedly the best we have yet held.

It is with feelings of gratitude that we review the work of the past year, which will ever be memorable in the annals of British Columbia. The convention of 1894 had just closed when one of the worst floods that ever devastated the Fraser's fertile valley took place. This, with the financial depression which has been severely felt during the year, made us apprehensive as to the effect on our work. Our fears were, however, groundless. Whilst some of our Auxiliaries have suffered from various causes, others have prospered, and we have been enabled, as a Branch, to hold our ground.

All the delegates and officers were present, also a number of visitors. Deeper interest in the work was manifested. Sickness, personal and relative, of some of our Auxiliary officers, has proved a serious drawback, but nearly all the reports show good work done. Sister Butler, of the Metropolitan Auxiliary, passed triumphantly away to her home above during the year.

The anxiety felt about the "Glad Tidings" and the story of their narrow escape made us realize that mission work in British Columbia is no romance. Several interesting papers were read and discussed. Earnest appeals were made by Revs. Beavis and Raley for assistance in organizing and maintaining Indian homes at Bella-Bella and Kitamaat. The generous hospitality displayed by the Victoria churches for the convenience and entertainment of the conference and convention was highly appreciated. The intercourse of the missionaries with the members of the convention is a mutual benefit.

Number of Auxiliaries.....	10
"    Members.....	213
"    Life-members.....	13
Total Membership.....	226
Number of Mission Bands.....	1
"    Band Members.....	25
*Total amount sent to Branch Treasurer .....	\$160 20

The Supply Committee of the Metropolitan reported having sent a sewing machine to Kitamaat, along with bales of clothing, etc., also \$26 in cash to meet a special case at one of the missions on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

New Westminster sent five sacks of clothing, etc., to Kitamaat. Homer Street, Vancouver, also sent bedding and clothing. Their Auxiliary reports

\* This amount only includes December and March quarters. June and September of 1894 were reported last year, and June and September of 1895 will be reported next year. This irregularity is caused by the British Columbia Branch closing its year in May, instead of September.

having formed a reading circle; over 300 pages of missionary literature had been read. This is an example worthy of imitation.

The officers for the following year are:

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### REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

*From May, 1894, to May, 1895.*

AUXILIARIES.	Number of Members.	Increase.	Decrease.	Life Members.	Total.	Avg. attendance.	Number Monthly Meetings.	Public Meetings.
Victoria—Metropolitan . . . . .	36	..	1	3	39	10	12	1
“ Centennial . . . . .	22	8	..	..	22	5	9	2
Victoria West . . . . .	13	13	..	..	13	8	4	1
Vancouver—Homer Street . . . . .	40	..	4	4	44	13	11	..
“ Princess Street . . . . .	15	..	4	1	16	6	2	..
“ Mount Pleasant . . . . .	4	..	1	1	5	..	..	..
New Westminster . . . . .	19	..	7	1	20	9	12	1
Chilliwack . . . . .	11	..	..	1	12	7	4	..
Richmond (North Arm) . . . . .	4	..	3	..	4	4	5	..
Port Simpson . . . . .	23	9	..	1	24	8	12	..
Kamloops . . . . .	13	4	..	1	14	4½	12	3
Victoria Mission Band Centennial.	200	..	..	..	213	..	83	8
	25	..	..	..	25	..	8	1

### TREASURER'S REPORT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA BRANCH TO MAY, 1895.

Victoria, Pandora Street . . . . .	\$29 25
“ Gorge Road . . . . .	13 55
Vancouver, Homer Street . . . . .	55 20
“ Princess Street . . . . .	11 40
New Westminster, Lady Hok . . . . .	15 00
Richmond, North Arm . . . . .	8 00
Kamloops . . . . .	6 80
Port Simpson . . . . .	21 00
Total . . . . .	\$160 20

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Total.	Avg. attendance.	Number Monthly Meetings.	Public Meetings.
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13	8	4	1
44	13	11	..
5	6	2	..
20	9	12	1
2	7	4	..
4	4	5	..
4	8	12	..
4	4½	12	3
3	..	83	8
5	..	8	1

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\$29 25  
13 55  
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6 80  
21 00  
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#### NEW WESTMINSTER, LADY HOK.

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## SEPARATE AUXILIARIES.

### ST. JOHN'S, GOWER STREET, NEWFOUNDLAND.

A deeper interest in missionary work and a broader sympathy for the claims of the heathen world have characterized the work of our Auxiliary during the past year. We have now a membership of forty-five, including three life members. Our monthly meetings have been specially interesting. It is with deep sorrow we record the death of one of our members, Mrs. W. Simmons. She has gone "to be with Christ, which is far better." "Our loss is her gain." Our Mission Band has ceased to exist. It was thought advisable for the benefit of the young people and the good of the Church for the Mission Band and the Christian Workers Band to unite and form an Epworth League. It was impracticable to continue both separately, the general character of the work of each being so much alike. We regret to have to report a decrease in finances; this is largely owing to the great financial crisis through which we have been passing. Although the times have been stringent and the cloud has been dark, yet we believe that behind the cloud is the sun still shining, so we take heart and go forward cheerfully in the Master's work.

Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Morton; 1st V.-Pres., \*Mrs. Burns; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Sparks; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Tuck; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. Peters; Cor. Sec., Miss C. March; Treas., Mrs. Saint Hill. Mesdames Storey, Bishop, Chaplin, Nichols, Greaves, March, A. Peters, Burchell, Pippy, Woods, Adrian, Hudson, Campbell, Scott, English, Tait, Herder, Simpson, Hutchings, Butler, Olsen, Johns, Soper, Robinson, Watson, Dawe, Taylor, Martin, Trim, Codner, Babstock, Noseworthy, Rumsey, Benson, Morgan, Taylor; Misses Bridgeman, Squires, \*Ida Burns.

### BONAVISTA, NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pres., Mrs. Saint; 1st V.-Pres., Miss A. House; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Adam Harris; Rec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. R. E. Forbes; Treas., Mrs. Roper. Mesdames G. Templeman, (Rev.) Atkinson, T. Abbott, P. Templeman, Fifield; Misses H. Horwood, Thirza Saint.

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### WINNIPEG, GRACE CHURCH.

In April our Easter thank-offering was taken up, which amounted to \$34.50. The Mission Band "Doers of the Word" are still devoting their energies freely and gladly in the mission cause, and have contributed the sum of \$24.45 to the treasury.

Pres., Mrs. G. R. Turk; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. J. B. Somerset; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. Bull; 3rd V.-Pres., \*Mrs. G. H. Young; Rec. Sec., \*Mrs. W. H. Culver; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Riddell; Treas., Mrs. D. K. Elliott. Mesdames \*A. W. Austin, \*R. H. Bryce, \*R. J. Whitla, J. G. Moore, Price, Sproule, Plaxton, G. Parr,

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#### BEULAH.

Pres., Miss E. Lynch ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Harrison ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. J. T. Lynch ; 3rd V.-Pres., Mrs. Lyons ; 4th V.-Pres., Mrs. Irvine ; 5th V.-Pres., Miss Webb ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Rowles ; Cor. Sec., Miss I. Lynch ; Treas., Mrs. Hill. Mesdames T. Irwin, A. S. Lynch, Mark, Johnson, Gray, Hannah, Doupe, Sparling, Cox, Torrance, Young ; Misses R. Irwin, Lelond, A. Hill, M. Sparling. Honorary members—Rev. F. G. Huntsman, Messrs. J. D. Harrison, Irvine, A. S. Lynch, H. Wilson, W. Hill, J. T. Lynch, Galley, Young.

#### CALGARY.

Pres., Mrs. Waldon ; V.-Pres., Mrs. Whiting ; Cor. Sec., Miss Parrish ; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Cook ; Treas., Mrs. Kelly. Mesdames Burley, J. Lee, W. H. Cushing, Buchanan, E. McBride, G. W. Clark, A. McBride, H. Atkinson, Trimble, L. A. Clark, Turnbull ; Misses Buckler, May. Honorary members—Messrs. Roy Turnbull, R. S. Kelly, A. F. Turnbull.

#### MINNEDOSA.

Pres., \*Mrs. A. Andrews ; 1st V.-Pres., Mrs. Henry ; 2nd V.-Pres., Mrs. T. Boyd ; Rec. Sec. and Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. A. Sturgeon ; Treas., Mrs. W. Wright. Mesdames Angus, Hawthorn, W. H. Ditch, Claxton, Clark, Turner ; Misses Rose, Hilts.

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#### ART. II.—OBJECT.

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

#### ART. III.—MEMBERSHIP.

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

#### ART. IV.—ORGANIZATION.

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

#### ART. V.—BOARD OF MANAGERS.

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

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

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

SEC. 3.—The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Managers and its Executive Committee; she shall sign all drafts and orders on the Treasurer, authorized by the Board of Managers and its Executive Committee; she shall call special meetings of the Executive Committee at the request of three of its members, of which not less than ten days' notice shall be given, except in cases of emergency. She is *ex officio* a member of all standing committees. The Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in the absence of that officer. The Recording Secretary shall notify all meetings of the Board, and its Executive Committee, and shall keep a full record of the proceedings. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Society with our missionaries and the different Branches; she shall prepare the monthly letters for publication, and the report of the work during the year for presentation to the Annual 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, seven of whom shall form a quorum.

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

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## ART. VI.—BRANCHES.

SECTION 1.—Branches may be organized according to Conferences. This plan, however, may be changed by an affirmative vote of 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.

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Number of Mission Bands.

Number of Mission Band Members.

Total Number of Members.

Number of Public Meetings.

Number of Monthly Meetings.

Average Attendance at Monthly Meetings.

Total Number of Meetings.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

10. All funds of this Society in the hands of the General Treasurer shall be deposited in a chartered bank designated by the Board of Managers. All funds of this Society in the hands of Branch Treasurers shall be deposited in chartered banks to be designated by such Branch. This rule shall apply to Auxiliaries and Mission Circles and Bands when possible.

#### RESOLUTIONS PASSED AT ANNUAL MEETINGS.

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

1884. *Resolved*,—That printed (or prepared) forms be issued by the General Board to all homes, refuges, schools, etc., supported by the Woman's Missionary Society, in order that proper returns may be made of the number, names, days' stay, age, sex, etc., of inmates,

sources of income, and expenditure of the same, in detail, so that the cost of such institutions may be ascertained in order to have a basis on which grants may be made from the aforesaid Society to support such institutions, and that such reports be sent to the Corresponding Secretary of the General Board not later than the 1st of September each year.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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*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.

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

*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 its work, and that no special appeals be made to our Auxiliaries, but that all our funds pass through the hands of Branch and Board Treasurers.

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

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

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

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

1893. *Resolved*,—That each missionary candidate be required to attend a Methodist Training Home such time as the Executive Committee shall specify, taking up the course required in theology, and actively engaging in Christian work as directed by the Superintendent of the school. The expense of such training to be borne by the Society when necessary.

NOTE.—In exceptional cases the Executive shall have power to suspend this rule.

## CONSTITUTION FOR AN AUXILIARY.

### ART. I.—NAME.

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### ART. II.—OBJECT.

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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 Board of Managers may indicate.

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

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## 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. Unfinished Business.
5. Report of Treasurer in writing.
6. Correspondence.
7. Reports from members of what they have done for the good of the Society during the past month.
8. Enrolment of New Members.
9. Miscellaneous Business.
10. Adjournment.

## MISSION BANDS.

1. An Association of young people, banded together to aid the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, shall be called a Mission Band, Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church in which it is found, or to the Branch in whose territory it is.
2. The object of Mission Bands shall be, primarily, to develop a missionary spirit, and secondarily, to raise funds to send the Gospel to the heathen.
3. Anyone may become a member of the Mission Band by the annual payment of twenty-five cents, and may become a life-member thereof by the payment of five dollars.
4. The Officers of a Mission Band shall be President, Vice-President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries and Treasurer, and a Committee to arrange the best methods of work; these and an Auditor shall be elected annually.
5. The duty of the President shall be to preside at all stated meetings, and to have a general oversight of the work of the Band.
6. The duty of the Secretary shall be to keep a record of the proceedings of the Band, and to make quarterly and annual reports to the Mission Band Corresponding Secretary of 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, or contributing \$25.00 to the Woman's Missionary Society, shall be entitled

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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.

10. Where there are two Mission Bands, neither having a large enough membership to be entitled to send a delegate to the Branch meeting, they may unitedly send one delegate.

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QUESTIONS TO MISSIONARY APPLICANTS.

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1. Do you believe that you are inwardly moved by the Holy Ghost to take upon you the work of a 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 an experimental knowledge of salvation through the atonement of Jesus Christ our Lord?
4. Have you an earnest desire to win souls for Christ, and how has this desire been manifested in the past?
5. Do you believe in the doctrines of the Methodist Church, as set forth in the Book of Discipline of said Church?
6. Have you a thorough English education?
7. Have you studied Latin or any modern language; what proficiency have you made, and do you readily acquire the same?
8. In what schools have you taught, and with what success?
9. Have you a knowledge of music, either vocal or instrumental?
10. What is the condition of your health?
11. Are you engaged to be married?
12. Have you ever been married? If so, is your husband living?
13. Will you answer by testimonials to each of these questions?

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REQUIREMENTS OF MISSIONARY CANDIDATES.

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1. A missionary candidate must believe herself divinely called to the work of a foreign missionary, and assert her belief that she is actuated only by a desire to work in accordance with God's will.
2. She must here indicate her ability to work in a foreign field by Christian usefulness at home.
3. She must declare her intention to make foreign missionary work the service of her effective years, and agree to give at least five of these years of continuous service, as a single woman, to the work of the Woman's Missionary Society, unless prevented by ill-health; she must also assert her willingness to labor in any field, though her preference is always to be taken into account.

4. She must furnish satisfactory testimonials in regard to scholarship; some experience in teaching and a knowledge of medicine and nursing are desirable qualifications.
5. She must present a certificate of health from a competent physician, and give satisfactory answers to medical questions.
6. The age of a candidate must not be less than twenty-five 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.
7. Financial and executive ability, and power of adaptation to circumstances, are essential qualifications.
8. Missionary candidates shall be recommended by the Branch in which they reside, before their testimonials are considered by the General Executive. There shall be a personal interview with at least two members of the Executive before final acceptance.
9. After the adoption of a missionary candidate, she shall be regarded as under the direction of the General Executive Committee.

### COURSE OF STUDY.

(On which Candidates will be required to pass an Examination.)

1. Doctrines.
  - (a) Manual of Methodist Doctrines (*Galbraith*).
  - (b) Wesley's Sermons, as follows:
    - (1) Salvation by Faith, 1.
    - (2) Justification by Faith, 5.
    - (3) Witness of the Spirit, 10.
    - (4) Sin in Believers, 13.
    - (5) Law Established through Faith, 35
    - (6) On Christian Perfection, 40.
2. Bible Study.
  - (a) Bible Outlines (*Vincent*).
  - (b) Epistle to the Romans.
3. Catechism. No. 2 (or that adopted by the General Conference).
4. Discipline of the Methodist Church, relating to Polity and Economy.

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## 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, and her medical outfit shall be the property of the same.

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, and that during the first year of service their salaries shall be two-thirds of the fixed salary. But medical missionaries shall from the first receive full salary.

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

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

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

Every missionary candidate shall be required to sign the following contract:—

1st. I agree to conform to the above requirements and conditions while in the employment of the Woman's Missionary Society, and, failing in this, to refund the amount of outfit and passage-money.

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## FORM OF A BEQUEST

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## THE METHODIST CHURCH, CANADA.

I GIVE, devise and bequeath to THE METHODIST CHURCH the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars out of my pure personalty (if the bequest is to be real estate instead of or as well as personal property, the bequest should read as follows: Also the following lands and premises situate, lying and being [describing the property as accurately as possible], to be held or disposed of by the said Methodist Church, and the proceeds) to be paid, expended, and applied by the said Methodist Church for the benefit of the Woman's Missionary Society and the support of the different Mission Stations of the said Woman's Missionary 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 Woman's Missionary Society, for the time being, shall be a sufficient discharge to my Executors, and the published Report of the Board of Managers 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.