

ANNUAL REPORT

OF

*St. Andrew's Church,*

KINGSTON, ONT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH. 1887.

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# ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

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## Kirk-Session.

REV. J. MACKIE, M.A., *Moderator.*

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JOHN FRASER,  
ROBERT THOMPSON,

FIFE FOWLER,  
WILLIAM G. CRAIG,  
JOHN DUFF, *Clerk.*

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ANDREW DRUMMOND,

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D. GIBSON, *Chairman.*  
ALEXANDER ROSS,  
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WILLIAM G. CRAIG,  
JAMES MINNES,

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WILLIAM HAROLD,  
WILLIAM IRVING,  
JOHN MUDIE,  
D. FRASER,

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## Secretary-Treasurer.

T. D. MINNES.

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## Precentor.

N. T. GREENWOOD,

## Organist.

R. R. HARVEY.

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## Church Officer.

ANDREW REA.

## MEETINGS AND SERVICES.

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Hours of Divine Service, on Sabbath, 11 A.M. and 7 P.M.

Meeting of Sabbath School, every Sabbath afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Weekly Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Ladies Missionary Association meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 2.30 P.M.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is dispensed quarterly, viz. : on the first Sabbath of October, January, April and July.

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## ANNUAL MEETING.

ST. ANDREW'S HALL,  
KINGSTON, APRIL 13TH, 1887. }

The Annual Meeting of the congregation was held at 7.30 P.M.

The Rev. Mr. Mackie was elected Chairman, and opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. T. D. Minnes was appointed Secretary.

Mr. D. Gibson presented the Managers' Report and moved its adoption.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. G. M. Macdonnell, seconded by Mr. J. Duff,

That the following be a Committee to assist the Managers in canvassing the congregation for increased subscriptions to the revenue of the church, with power to add to their number, to report at meeting to be held on May 5th:—Messrs. G. Newlands, Dr. Strange, Wm. Fee, Wm. Massie, Prof. Harris, H. Mooers, Dr. Fowler, Wm. Shannon, John Duff, G. M. Macdonnell, and Dr. Dickson.

The Session Report, the Ladies Home Mission Report, and the Organ Fund Report, were read and adopted.

The Sunday School Reports were read.

Moved by Mr. James Minnes, seconded by Mr. Wm. Massie, Jr.,

That the report be received and adopted, and that a special collection be taken at both services on the first Sabbaths of June and November for the funds of the Sabbath School.—Carried.

On motion of Mr. James Minnes, seconded by Mr. D. Gibson, the four retiring Managers, Messrs. Irving, Ross, Grainger, and Minnes were re-elected.

Mr. D. Gibson gave notice that at a meeting of the congregation to be held on Thursday, May 5th, he would move that the fiscal year of the congregation end on the 31st day of Dec. in each year, and the annual meeting be held on the second Wednesday in January in each year.

The Benediction was pronounced and the meeting adjourned.

## KIRK-SESSION REPORT.

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The Kirk-Session, in making their Annual Report to the congregation, feel how difficult it is, perhaps impossible, to say anything definitely as regards the spread and progress of true religion throughout the congregation. They hope, yea they believe, that under an earnest ministry much enduring good has been accomplished both in leading into spiritual life, and in leading on to higher christian attainments. The Moderator is not without many private assurances that this has been so, and there are many indications visible to all, that the Spirit of Life is in our midst, ready to make us still more meet for the Master's Service.

During the year the Sacrament of Baptism was administered to 12 children, 20 persons were received into full Communion on profession of their faith, and 6 on presenting disjunction certificates. There were 15 deaths in connection with the congregation. The Communion Roll shows a membership of 338.

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## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, 13TH APRIL, 1887.

The Managers regret that the financial statement herewith submitted is not more satisfactory; a deficit still remains and the hope expressed in the last report has not been realized. A close examination of the figures, however, is not discouraging. The liabilities, which last year amounted to \$594.26, now stand at \$820.35, an increase of \$225.59; but against this we are pleased to note that the revenue is larger than last year by \$269.14.

The extraordinary expenditure has been \$283.61 for repairs and \$105.75 for insurance; the latter item being premium for three years. But for these disbursements, amounting together to \$389.36, our liabilities would have been reduced from last year, and as these expenses will not occur this year, it is evident that all our liabilities and the current expenses of this year can be met by a slight increase of revenue.

The circular issued last month requesting increased subscriptions was cheerfully responded to by a few, but the amount realized did not bring about the desired result. It is hoped that these increased subscriptions will be continued and that many other contributors will see their way to do likewise, after having read the present statement with its explanations.

Your Committee also expect to augment the present revenue considerably by a thorough personal canvass of the congregation at an early date, and looks forward hopefully to a liberal and hearty support to their efforts.

By request of the Presbytery it will be necessary to make our fiscal year end 31st Dec., and we recommend that the annual congregational meeting be held on the third Monday of January in each year. Steps must be taken at this meeting to comply with the wish of the Presbytery.

In consequence of this change your Committee suggest that no pamphlet be published at this date, but that it be issued at the end of the year for the current twenty-one months, when it is hoped your Committee will be in a position to report a satisfactory state of the finances of the congregation.

The retiring Managers are Messrs. W. Irving, A. Ross, W. G. Craig and James Minnes.

All which is respectfully submitted.

T. D. MINNES, *Secretary.*

DAVID GIBSON, *Chairman.*



ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH IN ACCT. WITH T. D. MINNES, TREASURER,  
FROM APRIL 1ST. 1886, TO MARCH 31ST, 1887.

DR.	
To paid Minister's Stipend, one year to Jan 31st, 1887....	\$1800 00
" Dr. Bain.....	100 00
" Precentor, balance to March 31st, 1886..	\$100 00
" " one year to March 31st, 1887.....	175 00
" Organist, one year to Jan. 31st, 1887.....	100 00
" Sexton, one year to March 26th, 1887....	\$300 00
" " extra services.....	8 00
" Treasurer Poor Fund.....	161 87
" " Schemes Augmentation Fund, special collec'n	54 90
" John Duff, Assembly Fund.....	13 00
" Treasurer Sabbath School, special collection ..	15 14
" " Hospital.....	78 37
" A. McAlister, Week of Prayer.....	13 21
" Rev. J. Mackie, Christmas Collection for poor.....	26 22
" Presbytery Fund, year ending July, 1886 .....	\$24 00
" " " " " 1887... ..	25 50
" James Croif, Record acct., 1886 .....	55 00
" Gas acct., one year.....	130 62
" Manse Taxes, 1886.....	\$35 70
" Street Watering tax.....	6 01
" Repairs accts.—J. Jamieson.....	2 19
Gas Co.....	24 82
N. McNeil, St. Andrew's Hall... ..	8 38
" " Manse. ....	13 67
A. Davidson, acct. in full.....	135 89
Robinson Bros .. ..	39 25
Davidson, Doran & Co.....	131 59
T. W. Milo.....	30 25
Geo. Newlands... ..	12 00
B. H. Carnovsky .. ..	3 50
J. Corbett.....	3 00
J. Muckleston & Co.....	10 66
" Strange & Strange, Insurance on Church and Manse, 3 years.....	105 75
" M. Mallen, for fuel, on acct.....	100 00
" Organ Rent.....	12 00
" " Repairs.....	3 00
" J. Henderson & Co., Hymn Books, &c.....	18 65
" T. McAuley & Co., Bibles.....	7 16
" N. K. Scott, Wine acct.....	15 00
" Wm. Bailie, Printing acct.....	26 95
" Registry Fees and Postage.....	3 89
" Thos. Hodgson, Roller.....	5 00
" Cartage.....	3 00
" D. Gibson's acct... ..	6 63
" Sundries, Stamps, &c.....	1 75
" Treasurer, 2 years, to March 21st, 1887.....	200 00
" Interest Merchants' Bank .....	43 10
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By Revenue—Collections per Envelopes including Pew Rents	\$2714 58
“ Sabbath Day Collections .....	460 25
“ Special Collections for Poor Fund .....	161 87
“ “ “ Augmentation Fund .....	54 90
“ “ “ Sabbath School .....	15 14
“ “ “ Hospital .....	78 37
“ “ “ at Christmas Service .....	26 22
“ “ “ Week of Prayer .....	13 21
“ Rent St. Andrew's Hall .....	4 00
“ Record subscriptions .....	55 00
“ Amount due to Merchants' Bank .....	650 00
	\$4233 54

*Liabilities, March 31st, 1887.*

Note due May 10th .....	\$150 00
“ “ July 15th .....	500 00
Wood acct .....	170 35
	\$820 35

POOR FUND ACCOUNT, 1886-87.

To balance 1st April, 1886 ..	\$28 84	Paid out in money .....	\$76 00
“ Collection, April, 1886 ..	51 72	“ for Groceries .....	27 08
“ “ July, “ ..	34 63	“ “ Wood & Coal ..	71 75
“ “ Oct., “ ..	43 56	Balance .....	15 88
“ “ Jan., 1887 ..	31 96		
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JOHN DUFF, *Treasurer.*

LADIES' HOME MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

The Association held nine meetings during the year and one Sale at Easter. The amount realized was \$97 63; \$10 of which was given to Missions and the balance to the Fabric Fund.

It was decided at the February meeting to hold but one Sale during the year in October instead of at Christmas.

The Association has collected for the Schemes of the Church, ...	\$636 00
Balance in Treasurer's hands from last year .....	16 16
	\$652 16
Christmas Sale .....	304 60
	\$956 76

REPORT OF ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1887.

*President*.....Rev. J. Mackie, M.A.  
*Superintendent*.....W. G. Craig.  
*Secretary*.....A. Robinson.  
*Treasurer*.....W. T. Minnes.  
*Organist*.....Miss Irving.  
*Teacher of Bible Class* .. The Minister.

*Teachers of Infant Class*—Mrs. R. Thompson and Miss L. Fowler.

*Librarians*—Messrs. D. Thompson, James and John Cochrane, and Jas. Pollie.

*Teachers*—Mrs. Mackie and Mrs. Paul, the Misses Fowler, Beaton, Gibson, Thompson, A. Harold, M. Harold, E. Pollie, J. S. Pollie, M. Minnes, G. Strange, Hamilton, Ross, Duff, Rose, M. Strange, A. Minnes, Davidson, Sinclair, McIver, Gray, Bain, Sutherland, and Irving; Messrs Ross, Clark, Fraser, Thompson and Prof. Harris.

Safely through another year, and with heartfelt thankfulness to the Great Teacher we again beg to submit the report of another period in the history of our School. Our humble efforts have again been successful and we are encouraged to go forward.

The International series of lessons has been studied, and the following scholars have secured the Session Prizes for the Shorter Catechism :—David Mowat, Samuel Shannon, Willie Nickle, G. McClymant, H. McLoud, Maggie Donnelly, Edith Ross, Lola Allen, Berdie Massie, Mary Bruce, Richard McClymant, Mary Cannon, and Maggie King; and for the Mother's Catechism :—James Gavine and Edna Henderson.

We have to record two changes in the list of Teachers and to say good bye to Miss Robertson, who has removed to Port Hope, and to Miss McPherson, who was married last June, and feel grateful to them for their kind assistance in all Sabbath School work.

During the year the School was addressed by the following visitors :—Mr. Sugden, of Manchester, England, Rev. Mr. Robertson, North-west Missionary, and our old friend Mr. Paton, of New York.

The School is indebted to Mr. W. McIlroy for a handsome Silk Banner, to be competed for every three months, and held for this period by the class which records the highest number of marks for lessons and attendance.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. ROBINSON, *Secretary*.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL IN ACCT WITH W. T. MINNES  
TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1887.

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1886.			
April	26—	To paid for Home Missions .....	\$ 30 00
May	8—	“ The Presbyterian News Co.....	7 92
July	23—	“ J. Henderson & Co.....	3 28
“	“—	“ Pic-Nic Expenses.....	37 75
Oct.	26—	“ for Library Books.....	75 04
1887.			
Jan.	29—	“ T. McAuley, Class Register.....	1 25
“	“—	“ J. Henderson & Co., Lesson Papers.....	15 50
“	“—	“ W. Bailie.....	4 60
Feb.	8—	“ The Upper Canada Tract Society.....	2 50
“	12—	“ N. T. Greenwood, Xmas Festival.....	15 00
Mar.	21—	“ for 100 copies Five Foreign Missions.....	5 00
“	25—	“ Mr. Bowen for Canal Mission.....	14 00
“	28—	“ J. Henderson & Co., Lesson Papers.....	16 45
“	“—	“ Sundries.....	8 15
“	31—	“ Balance.....	1 76
			\$238 20

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April	1—	By Balance.....	\$ 23 42
1887.			
Jan.	29—	“ Collection for Library.....	61 84
Mar.	31—	“ Collections per Envelopes.....	152 94
			\$238 20

SCHMES OF THE CHURCH.

The amount collected for the year ending 31st March, 1887, was \$690, and was allocated as follows:—

College Fund .....	\$125 00
Home Mission.....	175 00
Foreign Mission.....	75 00
Widows' Fund .....	40 00
Aged & Infirm Ministers' Fund.....	25 00
Augmentation Fund.....	250 00

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J. B. DUFF, Treasurer

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