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PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEVENTH SESSION

OF THE

LONDON ANNUAL CONFERENCE

OF

THE METHODIST CHURCH,

HELD IN THE TOWN OF CHATHAM, ONT., COMMENCING ON THURSDAY
THE 5TH DAY OF JUNE, 1890.

TORONTO:

WILLIAM BRIGGS.

MONTREAL: C. W. COATES.

HALIFAX: S. F. HUESTIS.

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Officers of the Conference.

1890.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT:

REV. ALBERT CARMAN, D.D.

PRESIDENT:

REV. JOSEPH R. GUNDY.

SECRETARY:

REV. WALTER RIGSBY.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES:

REV. W. W. EDWARDS AND W. H. McCUTCHEON.

JOURNAL SECRETARY:

REV. E. B. LANCELEY.

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OF THE
LONDON CONFERENCE
SINCE THE ORGANIZATION OF
THE METHODIST CHURCH

SESSIONS OF CONFERENCE.

YEAR.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1884	London	Rev. E. B. Ryckman, D.D.	Rev. W. S. Pascoe.
1885	Chatham	" G. R. Sanderson, D.D.	" R. C. Parsons.
1886	St. Thomas	" W. R. Parker, D.D.	" Wm. McDonagh.
1887	Sarnia	" W. S. Pascoe, D.D.	" B. Clement.
1888	London	" James Graham	" J. G. Scott
1889	Do.	" Wm. McDonagh	" J. R. Gundy.
1890	Chatham	" J. R. Gundy	" Walter Rigsby.

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MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
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HELD IN THE TOWN OF CHATHAM, ONTARIO, 1890.

The Conference began its Sessions in the Park Street Church, at 9 a.m., Thursday, June 5th, 1890.

The President, REV. WM. McDONAGH, conducting the usual Conference prayer-meeting, which closed at 10 a.m.

The roll of Conference was then called, 115 ministers and 15 laymen being present.

The President presented the Report of the Transfer Committee:—

Transferred from this Conference:—F. B. Stacey, B.A., Alex. Langford, Frederick Langford, B.A., Wm. Henderson, E. Hurlburt, D. R. Mackenzie, B.A.

Transferred into London Conference:—J. J. Haylock, C. E. McIntyre, Geo. Boyd.

The Conference then proceeded to the election of Conference officers, resulting in the choice of REV JOSEPH R. GUNDY, as President, and REV. WALTER RIGSBY, as Secretary.

REV. W. W. EDWARDS and W. H. McCUTCHEON were appointed Assistant Secretaries; and Rev. E. B. Lanceley, Journal Secretary.

Conference adjourned at noon, REV. W. McDONAGH, pronouncing the Benediction.

The following are the names of the Laymen elected to this Conference:

1. LONDON DISTRICT.

R. J. C. Dawson	London.	James Burrows	Lambeth.
C. J. Beal	"	E. Hunt	"
W. H. McCutcheon ..	"	C. Sifton	Byron.
W. Henderson	"	Geo. Webster	London.
J. Goodge	"	Isaac Webster	"
T. Yates	"	W. H. Winnett	"
A. B. Campbell	Pottersburg.	B. W. Davis	Glanworth.
E. B. Plewes	London.	S. Hunt	Lambeth.
G. N. Weeks	"	Wm. Heaman	London.
J. D. Saunby	"	John Mill	Lambeth.
R. W. Jackson	Arva.	W. Hamilton	London.
George Carrie	Ballymote.	Samuel McBride	"
J. Wheaton	Thorndale.	W. T. Gartley	"
Geo. Fitzgerald	St. Ives.	L. M. Mayell	"
J. Creighton	Nilestown.	Wm. Bowman	"
E. McCann	Dorchester.		

2. EXETER DISTRICT.

H. Hueston	Exeter.	Benj. Walden	Maple Grove.
A. Hicks	"	Albert Langford	"
H. Bishop	Parkhill.	John Ferguson	Ferguson.
Samuel Martin	Exeter.	A. Brewer	Sylvan.
J. G. Jones	Winchelsea.	J. Sherrit	Greenwood.
J. E. Boswell	Centralia.	R. L. Wilson	"
Wm. Lewis	Crediton.		

3. ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

Thos. Stacey	St. Thomas.	J. A. Harvey	St. Thomas.
John McCausland	"	J. Heard	"
S. B. Bagshaw	"	F. C. Paulin	"
A. R. McDonald	"	W. H. May	"
Josiah Long	Union.	John Calcott	Talbotville.
John Williams	Fingal.	John McLean	Shedden.
J. A. Shannon	Dutton.	Thos. Newton	Eagle.
John Chick	Muncey.	William Sickles	Muncey.
Adam Clarke	Melbourne.	J. W. Ryckman	Alvinston.
W. B. Whiting	Muncey.	John Rodgers	Iona.
Jacob Bainerd	St. Thomas.		

4. AYLMEER DISTRICT.

M. Leeson	Aylmer.	J. D. Freeman	Brownsville.
R. W. Rastall	"	Wm. Nickerson	Pt. Burwell.
H. Johnson	Springfield.	J. Drysdale	Dunboyne.
J. C. Dance	Kingsmill.	Daniel Marlatt	Yarmouth Centre
A. Venning	Belmont.	L. J. Hatch	Edeh.
Alex. Leith	Nilestown.	Thos. Matthews	Kinglake.
G. W. Faulds	Harrietsville.		

5. CHATHAM DISTRICT.

T. B. Shillington	Blenheim.	W. A. Ward	Dawn Mills.
R. P. Wright	Dresden.	S. G. Judson	Wallaceburg.
W. Ward	"	A. Bedford	Louisville.
Dr. Geo. McKeough	Chatham.	W. S. Howell	Port Lambton.
J. F. McKeough	"	J. Randall	Merlin.
S. Barfoot	"	W. J. Huffman	Charing Cross.
O. J. Fuce	Charing Cross.	Thos. Rankin	Dover.
D. A. Perry	Tupperville.	J. N. Carscallen	Dresden.

6. WINDSOR DISTRICT.

Wm. Blow	Windsor.	Geo. Harvey	Olinda.
Capt. J. D. Sullivan	"	Geo. Leek	Woodslee South.
Colin Wigle	Amherstburg.	J. J. Minnis	Leamington.
Peter Wright	Oxley.	Chas. Minnis	"
John Greaves	Essex Centre.	David Reid	Goldsmith.
John Milne	"	Benj. Brown	Comber.
E. R. Scratch	Kingsville.	T. C. Renwick	Rodney.
John Peterson	Ruthven.		

7. RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

J. N. Kenny	Ridgetown.	W. B. Kellett	Bothwell.
Ransom Pierce	"	Thos. F. Purdy	Wardsville.
J. L. Street	Morpeth.	Benj. Thompson	Newbury.
R. Cummings	Fairfield.	Thos. P. Moorhouse	Sutherland's Cors.
Geo. Gosnell	Highgate.	John Gage	"
John Reaycraft	"	H. H. Scarlett	Florence.
Hugh Smith	"	J. Shepley	"
Jas. Anderson	Botany.	J. Currie	Glencoe.
J. H. Mills	Thamesville.	H. Templeman	Muirkirk.

R. H. Smit
John Van
H. A. Beat
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John Bond
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8. STRATHROY DISTRICT.

R. H. Smithrin	Cairngorm.	J. W. Riseborough....	Strathroy.
John Van Attar	Mt. Brydges.	J. Humphries	Warwick West.
H. A. Beaton	Oil City.	J. L. Wilson	Wilson Croft.
Thos. Martin	Uttoxeter.	William Miller	Adelaide.
James Sheppard	"	J. C. Jury	Kerwood.
Lewis Fortner	Strathroy.	Robert Brown	Cairngorm.
John Bond	"	T. H. Payne	"
John Mitchell	Watford.	W. Willoughby	Petrolia.
James Lakin	Walnut.	Thomas McKittrick....	"
R. Dickenson	Strathroy.	William Feetham	Arkona.

9. SARNIA DISTRICT.

C. Sanders	Sarnia.	John Windlow	Oil Springs.
Geo. A. Proctor	"	James Calvert	Thedford.
Thomas Hayne	Bridgen.	Chas. F. Pashley	Forest.
J. W. Humphrey	"	H. A. Seward	Corunna.
M. A. Hitchcock	Pt. Edward.	W. Whitsitt	Courtright.
Robert Fisher	Wyominge	Francis Brown	Sombra.
F. C. Wheatly	Blackwell.	George Jackson	Lucas.

QUESTION.—Are there any objections to any of our Ministers or Probationers for the Ministry?

ANSWER.—They were examined one by one.

QUESTION.—Who have withdrawn from our Ministry?

ANSWER.—None.

QUESTION.—What Probationers for the Ministry are now received into full connexion with the Conference and ordained?

Richard Whiting.

Selborne Anderson.

QUESTION.—What Probationers for the Ministry remain on trial?

1. Probationers of Three Years.

Wm. McMullen.

W. J. Smith.

C. P. Wells.

*Thos. H. Down.

John Morrison

D. E. Martin.

Chas. W. Brown, B.A.

* Studies for third year to be completed.

2. Probationers of Two Years.

G. N. Hazen.

J. H. Murray.

3. Probationers of One Year.

John A. Ayearst.

QUESTION.—What Probationers are on the list of Reserve?

ANSWER.—None.

QUESTION.—What Candidates for the Ministry are now received on trial?

†Wm. Black Creighton, B.A.
John Baird.

James Cunningham Switzer.
Frederick Joseph Bate.

† Received with a view to his employment in the Manitoba Conference.

QUESTION.—Who are the Superannuated Ministers ?

Ephraim Evans, D.D.
 William Chapman.
 Joseph H. Robinson.
 Timothy Nattrass.
 David Ryan
 Thomas Cosford.
 George Bennett.
 Geo. R. Sanderson, D.D.
 Leonard Gaetz.
 John G. Laird.
 Thomas Hadwin.
 John Chapple.
 J. P. Morden.

George Bennett.
 W. D. Hughson.
 Thomas Crews.
 W. H. Fife.
 A. E. Griffith.
 J. R. Phillips.
 J. C. Tufford.
 John K. Williston.
 J. W. Freeman, B.D.
 Joseph Hill.
 Walton Preston.
 A. Heyworth.

Cheney Burdette.
 Daniel Pomeroy.
 Thomas Webster, D.D.
 Benj. Lawrence.
 J. M. Collins.
 J. R. Swift.
 J. H. Andrews.
 William Huggins.
 J. H. Stinson.
 Andrew Milliken.
 George Brown.
 Edwin Holmes.

QUESTION.—Who are the Supernumerary Ministers ?

James F. Latimer. | John Hill.

QUESTION.—What Ministers or Probationers for the ministry have died during the year ?

ANSWER :—None.

[The Conference at this stage of the proceedings joined in singing "Praise God from whom all blessings flow," etc., in thanks for the preservation of the lives of the ministers of the Conference during a year of such widespread sickness.]

QUESTION.—Who compose the several Conference Committees ?**1. STATIONING COMMITTEE.***Chairmen.*

Rev. W. McDonagh.	Rev. W. S. Pascoe, D.D.	Rev. James Graham, M.A.
" B. Clement.	" Wm. Hayhurst.	" A. L. Russell, B.D.
" W. W. Shepherd.	" J. R. Gundy.	" Thomas Cullen.

Representatives.

J. E. Ford.	W. Fansher.	W. H. Shaw.
W. J. Lord, LL.B.	R. J. Treleaven.	J. G. Fallis.
J. Whiting.	A. I. Snyder.	W. Quance.

2. NOMINATING COMMITTEE.*Ministers.*

J. R. Gundy.	W. W. Shepherd.	James Graham.
W. McDonagh.	W. S. Pascoe, D.D.	Thomas Cullen.
B. Clement.	William Hayhurst.	A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.

Laymen.

W. Hamilton.	Ransom Pierce.	C. Sanders.
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3. PASTORAL ADDRESS COMMITTEE.

Rev. Thomas Cullen.	Rev. H. W. Crews, M.A.	Rev. Jos. Ward, M.A., B.D.
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4. MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.*Ministers.*

W. Hayhurst.	E. Middleton.	W. Quance.
Dr. Sanderson.	J. Reynolds.	

Laymen.

G. Webster.	T. B. Shillington.	William Lewis.
J. Humphries.	J. C. Dance.	

5. STATISTICAL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

G. W. Henderson.
E. E. Scott.

W. J. Little.
G. J. Kerr.

S. G. Livingston, B.A.

Laymen.

William Hamilton.

W. T. Gartley.

E. S. Hunt.

6. SABBATH-SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

S. J. Allin.
D. M. Kennedy.
R. D. Hamilton.

E. E. Scott.
W. W. Edwards.
John Learoyd.

J. H. Orme.
J. Philp, B.D.
J. A. Ferguson.

Laymen.

Ezra Hunt.
H. Bishop.
W. H. May.

B. Hopkins.
S. Barfoot.
John Milne.

R. Pierce.
James Shepherd.
T. C. Wheatley.

7. CONTINGENT FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

William McDonagh.
George Jackson.
W. W. Edwards.

W. H. Shaw.
Joseph Ward.

James Whiting.
John Learoyd.

Laymen.

A. Hicks.
R. W. Rustall.
I. M. Carscallen.

George Gosnell.
Thomas McKittrick.

E. Scratch.
Thomas Haynes.

8. EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

Wm. McDonagh.
Dr. Aylsworth.

B. Clement.
J. G. Scott.

A. L. Russell, M.A.

Laymen.

Capt. Sullivan.
C. J. Beal.

J. D. Freeman.

William Bowman.

9. CHURCH PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

S. Bond.
J. Wilson, M.A.
J. W. Annis, M.A.

Dr. Pascoe.
Thomas Cobb.
E. Fessant.

T. R. McNair.
G. J. Kerr.
Thomas Jackson.

Laymen.

Samuel McBride.
J. E. Boswell.
Adam Clark.

M. Leeson.
T. C. Renwick.
S. G. Judson.

John Raycraft.
H. A. Beaton.
G. A. Proctor.

10. TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

G. H. Thompson.
A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D.

J. G. Fallis.
T. T. George.

S. G. Staples, B.A.

Laymen.

James Shepherd.
Thomas Wheatley.

W. H. Winnett.
J. Sherritt.

William Wellington.

11. CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

Ministers.

Dr. Pascoe.
W. W. Sheppard.
James Graham.

William Bryers.
A. G. Harris.

Thomas Cullen.
James Kennedy.

12. COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE WORK.

*Ministers.*W. H. Butt.
D. M. Kennedy.W. H. Cooper.
John Holmes.William Penhall.
T. B. Coupland.*Laymen.*A. Brewer.
H. Johnson.J. D. Saunby.
William Ward.Mark Wellington.
O. J. Fuce.

13. SABBATH OBSERVANCE COMMITTEE.

*Ministers.*Thomas Cosford.
Richard Thomas.J. G. Yelland.
Charles Smith.

Walter Fansher.

*Laymen.*Alexander Leith.
Corney Sanders.A. Langford.
J. C. Dawson.

W. J. Riseborough.

14. COMMITTEE ON GENERAL CONFERENCE MATTERS.

*Ministers.*John Learoyd.
Joseph Philp.
J. E. Ford.W. J. Ford, LL.B.
C. C. Couzens.A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D.
John Russell.*Laymen.*William Hamilton.
W. B. Whiting.

I. M. Mayell.

S. Barfoot.

15. COMMITTEE ON CENTENARY OF METHODISM.

Ministers.

G. R. Sanderson, D.D.

William McDonagh.

S. Bond.

Laymen.

John Milne.

Geo. Webster.

16. COMMITTEE TO DRAFT A NEW SCHEDULE.

Ministers.

S. Bond.

G. W. Henderson.

J. P. Rice.

Laymen.

W. H. McCutcheon.

William Hamilton.

17. COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISTIC WORK.

*Ministers.*J. W. Annis, M.A.
S. J. Allin.W. W. Shepherd.
A. G. Harris.

W. McDonagh.

Laymen.

T. B. Shillington.

W. H. May.

18. COMMITTEE ON BILLETING.

Ministers.

John Learoyd.

J. G. Scott.

Layman.

C. Sanders.

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19. COMMITTEE ON COLLEGE DEGREES.

Ministers.

W. S. Pascœ, D.D.

James Graham.

A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D.

Laymen.

William Bowman.

S. Barfoot.

20. CONFERENCE LETTER WRITERS.

Rev. Dr. Sanderson.

Rev. J. G. Scott.

QUESTION.—Who compose the Standing Committees for 1890-91?

1. MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

J. R. Gundy.

W. McDonagh.

A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.

I. B. Aylsworth, M.A., LL.D.

J. G. Scott.

Thomas Cullen.

James Graham.

J. W. Annis, M.A.

W. S. Pascoe, D.D.

Laymen.

R. J. C. Dawson, London.

H. E. Hueston, Exeter.

Andrew Venning, Belmont.

R. P. Wright, Dresden.

T. C. Renwick, Romney.

John M. Kenney, Ridgetown.

R. Brown, Cairngorm.

C. Sanders, Sarnia.

W. B. Whiting, Muncey.

2. CONFERENCE SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

J. R. Gundy.

Wm. McDonagh.

A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.

J. G. Scott.

W. S. Pascoe, D.D.

J. W. Annis, M.A.

James Graham.

I. B. Aylsworth, M.A., LL.D.

Thomas Cullen.

Wm. Hayhurst.

Benj. Clement.

John Learoyd.

W. W. Shepherd.

G. R. Sanderson, D.D.

Walter Rigsby.

3. PASTORAL ADDRESS, 1891.

A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D. Stephen Bond.

Reuben Millyard.

4. MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Minister.

J. R. Gundy, President.

Layman.

Benj. Hopkins, Brownsville.

5. BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1891.

Ministers.

J. R. Gundy.

W. McDonagh.

W. S. Pascoe, D.D.

James Graham.

J. G. Scott.

William Quance.

G. H. Thompson.

W. J. Ford, LL.B.

B. F. Austin, M.A., B.D.

A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.

G. R. Sanderson, D.D.

J. W. Annis, M.A.

A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D.

John Learoyd.

6. MEMBER OF THE TRANSFER COMMITTEE.

Rev. J. R. Gundy.

7. ASSOCIATE MEMBER OF ALBERT COLLEGE BOARD.

Rev. I. B. Aylsworth, M.A., LL.D.

8. ASSOCIATE MEMBER OF ALMA COLLEGE BOARD.

Rev. W. W. Shepherd.

9. TO PREPARE STATISTICS FOR GENERAL CONFERENCE.

Rev. W. J. Ford, LL.B.

10. TREASURERS OF CONNEXIONAL FUNDS.

Contingent Fund	Rev. John Learoyd.
General Conference Fund	" R. C. Parsons.
Superannuation Fund	Financial Secretaries.
Educational Fund	Rev. W. J. Ford, LL.D.
Sunday-school Aid Fund	" R. Millyard.
Union Church Relief Fund	" A. G. Harris.
Missionary Fund	" J. G. Scott.

11. CONNEXIONAL FUNDS—WHEN TAKEN.

General Conference	July.
Contingent—Two Collections	September and March.
Superannuation	November or December.
Educational	March or April.
Sabbath-school Aid	September.
Union Church Relief	October.
Missionary	As arranged by Financial District Meeting.

QUESTION.—What Probationers for the Ministry are appointed to attend College?

	<i>Victoria College.</i>	
W. McMullen.	T. H. Down.	W. J. Smith.
	<i>Montreal Theological College.</i>	
J. H. Murray.	J. Morrison.	D. E. Martin.

MINISTERIAL AND LAY DELEGATES TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE.

<i>Ministers.</i>
Joseph R. Gundy.
William McDonagh.
John Learoyd.
J. G. Scott.
James Graham.
Benjamin Clement.
A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.
I. B. Aylsworth, M.A., LL.D.
W. Rigby.
W. J. Ford, LL.B.
Thomas Cullen.
W. W. Shepherd.
B. F. Austin, M.A., B.D.
S. Bond.
George Jackson.
J. W. Annis, M.A.
A. C. Courtice, M.A., B.D.
<i>Reserve Delegates.</i>
James Whiting.
John Reynolds.
G. R. Sanderson, D.D.

<i>Laymen.</i>
Thos. Hayne, Brigden.
Corney Sanders, Sarnia.
Thos. McKittrick, Petrolia.
John Humphries, Warwick.
Ransom Pierce, Ridgetown.
John M. Kenney.
Egerton R. Scratch, Kingsville.
John Milne, Essex Centre.
Wm. S. Howell, Thornyhurst.
William Ward, Dresden.
Wm. B. Whiting, Muncey.
John W. Ryckman, Alvinston.
H. Bishop, Parkhill.
J. C. Dance, Kingsmill.
William Bowman, London.
Samuel Hunt,
C. A. Barnes,
<i>Reserve Delegates.</i>
R. J. C. Dawson, London.
W. Lewis, Crediton.
John Gage, Sutherland's Corners.

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QUESTION.—How are the Ministers and Probationers stationed for the ensuing Year?

ANSWER:

REV. JOS. R. GUNDY, PRESIDENT OF CONFERENCE.

REV. WALTER RIGSBY, SECRETARY OF CONFERENCE.

The word in parenthesis is the Post Office Address of the Minister whose name immediately precedes it.

I. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

- 1 LONDON (Queen's Avenue)—George Boyd, 464 Park Avenue. Ephraim Evans, D.D., G. R. Sanderson, D.D., 228 Hyman Street, William Chapman, Leonard Gaetz, Superannuated. James F. Latimer, Supernumerary.
- 2 LONDON (Dundas Street)—A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D., 484 Dundas Street. Jos. H. Robinson (Ottawa), John G. Laird, 442 King Street, Timothy Natrass, E. Holmes, Superannuated.
- 3 LONDON (Wellington Street)—G. W. Henderson, 156 Wellington Street. Thos. Hadwin, David Ryan, John Chapple (Chagrin Falls, Ohio, U. S.), Superannuated.
- 4 LONDON (Colborne Street)—E. B. Lanceley, 361 Princess Avenue. Thomas Crews, 447 Piccadilly Street, Superannuated.
- 5 LONDON (King Street)—Stephen Bond, 312 York Street.
- 6 LONDON (Queen's Park)—Wm. Hayhurst, 848 Dundas Street.
- 7 LONDON (Elizabeth Street)—T. E. Harrison, 701 King Street.
- 8 LONDON (Hamilton Road)—W. J. Little, 168 Adelaide Street.
- 9 LONDON (Askin Street)—C. E. McIntyre, 82 Askin Street. Thos. Cosford, Superannuated.
- 10 LONDON WEST—W. McDonagh, 1 William Street.
- 11 ST. JOHN'S—S. W. Muxworthy (Arva). J. P. Morden (Arva), Superannuated.
- 12 SILOAM—H. W. Crews, M.A. (London).
- 13 THOENDALE—C. C. Couzens, one to be sent.
- 14 DORCHESTER—J. E. Moore (Dorchester Station), J. A. Ayearst.
- 15 LAMBETH—G. W. Andrews, B.A. Geo. Bennett, Superannuated.
- 16 WESTMINSTER—J. E. Ford (Lambeth), G. N. Hazen.
- 17 DELAWARE—Robt. Thompson. Wentworth D. Hughson, Superannuated.

W. McMullen, Victoria College.

WM. McDONAGH, *Chairman.*

G. W. HENDERSON, *Fin. Sec.*

II. THE EXETER DISTRICT.

- 18 EXETER (Main Street)—Jasper Wilson, M.A.
- 19 EXETER (James Street)—A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.
- 20 PARKHILL—W. J. Ford, LL.B.
- 21 ELIMVILLE—John Russell, one to be sent.
- 22 CENTRALIA—S. J. Allin.
- 23 CREDITON—R. Redmond. W. H. Fife, Superannuated for one year.
- 24 BIRR—D. M. Kennedy.
- 25 BRYANSTON—G. H. Thompson.
- 26 MELROSE—P. W. Jones (Ferguson). J. M. Collins, Superannuated.

27 SYLVAN—J. C. Nethercott (Parkhill).

28 GRAND BEND—J. E. Holmes (Corbett).

T. H. Down, Victoria College.

A. L. RUSSELL, M.A., *Chairman*.
JASPER WILSON, M.A., *Fin. Sec.*

III. ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

29 ST. THOMAS (First Methodist Church)—R. J. Treleaven.

30 ST. THOMAS (Grace Church)—J. G. Scott. J. R. Phillips, Superannuated.

31 ST. THOMAS (Central Church)—J. Whiting. A. E. Griffith, Superannuated.
H. T. Crossley and J. E. Hunter left without stations, that they may engage in special evangelistic work.

Alma College.

B. F. Austin, M.A., B.D., *Principal*.

R. I. Warner, M.A., *Professor of Modern Languages*.

Mount Elgin Institute.

W. W. Shepherd, *Principal* (Muncey).

32 PORT STANLEY—R. C. Patison.

33 FINGAL—R. D. Hamilton.

34 TALBOTVILLE—E. Kershaw.

35 SHEDDEN—S. G. Staples, B. A.

36 IONA—E. Medd, Ph.B.*

37 DUTTON—E. Middleton.

38 WEST LORNE—C. T. Scott.

39 ALVINSTON—W. G. H. McAlister, B.A.

40 MELBOURNE—H. W. Locke.

41 MUNCEY—Thomas Mason.

42 ONEIDA—H. D. Tyler (Muncey). John Hill, Supernumerary.

JOHN G. SCOTT, *Chairman*.

E. MIDDLETON, *Fin. Sec.*

IV. AYLMER DISTRICT.

43 AYLMER—W. S. Pascoe, D.D. J. C. Tufford, Superannuated.

44 SPRINGFIELD—W. Fansher.

45 LYONS—James Kennedy.

46 BELMONT—E. E. Scott.

47 AVON—R. J. Garbutt, LL.B.

48 BROWNSVILLE—George Jackson, R. Whiting.

49 VIENNA—L. W. Wickett.

50 MALAHIDE—John Veale (Luton), one to be sent.

51 SPARTA—Wm. Penhall.

52 STRAFFORDVILLE—J. B. Kennedy.

53 KINGLAKE—G. H. Johnson.

C. W. Brown, B.A., College.

W. S. PASCOE, D.D., *Chairman*.

GEORGE JACKSON, *Fin. Sec.*

V. CHATHAM DISTRICT.

54 CHATHAM (Park Street)—J. W. Annis, M.A.

55 CHATHAM (Victoria Avenue)—A. H. Going, B.A. J. W. Freeman B.D.,
(Ontario, California), Superannuated.

* Chicago College of Science.

56 CHARING CROSS—W. W. Edwards, John Baird.

57 BLENHEIM—Wm. Godwin.

58 MERLIN—John W. Andrews.

59 LOUISVILLE—Stephen Knott.

60 DOVER—T. B. Coupland (Baldoon).

61 DRESDEN—John Holmes.

62 DAWN MILLS—S. Salton.

63 WALLACEBURG—R. Millyard.

64 TUPPERVILLE—George Baker.

65 SOUTH DAWN—One wanted.

66 PORT LAMPTON—Edwin Fossant. Joseph Hill, W. Preston, Superannuated.

67 WALPOLE ISLAND—Wm. A. Elias (Wallaceburg).

W. J. Smith, Victoria College. J. H. Murray, Montreal Theological College.

J. W. ANSIE, M.A., *Chairman.*
Wm. GODWIN, *Fin. Sec.*

VI. WINDSOR DISTRICT.

68 WINDSOR—John Learoyd. A. Heyworth, Superannuated.

69 AMHERSTBURG—W. H. Gane. F. J. Bate.

70 HARROW—T. T. George.

71 ESSEX—J. R. Gundy, *President of Conference.*

72 KINGSVILLE—Wm. Bryers.

73 RUTHVEN—J. P. Rice.

74 ARNER—To be supplied.

75 COTTAM—J. G. Yelland.

76 WOODSLEE—S. G. Livingstone, B.A.

77 MAIDSTONE—J. H. Chant (Essex).

78 LEAMINGTON—A. I. Snyder, M.A.*

79 SOUTH MERSEA—H. A. Wigle, B.A. (Leamington):

80 GOLDSMITH—C. W. Vollick.

81 COMBER—T. W. Blatchford, B.A., *Financial Secretary.* J. C. Switzer.

82 ROMNEY—Charles Crichton.

83 PELEE ISLAND—S. A. Anderson.

J. R. GUNDY, *Chairman.*
T. W. BLATCHFORD, *Fin. Sec.*

VII. RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

84 RIDGETOWN—James Graham. Cheney Burdett, Superannuated.

85 MORPETH—W. H. Shaw.

86 FAIRFIELD—C. Bartrop (Ridley).

87 HIGHGATE—John Reynolds. D. Pomeroy, Superannuated.

88 HARWICH—Geo. Jewett. One to be sent.

89 THAMESVILLE—M. Griffin.

90 BOTHWELL—Thomas Cobb.

91 MORAVIANTOWN—To be supplied from Bothwell.

92 WARDSVILLE—T. B. Leith.

93 NEWBURY—John Henderson. T. Webster, D.D.; B. Lawrence, J. R. Swift, Superannuated.

94 FLORENCE—W. M. Pomeroy. One to be sent.

95 GLENCOE—W. H. Butt.

96 RODNEY—C. W. Bristol.

J. Morrison, Montreal Theological College.

JAMES GRAHAM, *Chairman.*
W. H. SHAW, *Fin. Sec.*

* Chicago College of Science.

VIII. STRATHROY DISTRICT.

- 97 STRATHROY (Front Street)—Charles Smith. John K. Williston, Superannuated.
 98 STRATHROY (Frank Street)—I. B. Aylsworth, M.A., LL.D. J. H. Andrews, Geo. Brown, Superannuated.
 99 ADELAIDE—J. H. Orme (Strathroy).
 100 KERWOOD—Geo. J. Kerr.
 101 WATFORD—Joseph Philp, B.D.
 102 WARWICK—J. G. Fallis, Ph B.*
 103 ARKONA—Hugh McLean.
 104 BROOKE—John Neelands (Watford).
 105 APPIN—J. H. Kirkland.
 106 NAPIER—James Gundy.
 107 UTTOXETER—R. A. Howie (Wanstead). Wm. Huggins, Superannuated.
 108 PETROLEA—B. Clement.
 109 ENNISKILLEN—T. L. McCutcheon (Petrolea).
 110 OIL CITY—J. J. Haylock.
 111 MARTHAVILLE—Richard Thomas (Copleston).
 112 CARADOC—M. Pickard (Strathroy).
 113 MOUNT BRYDGES—Peter Myers.
 C. P. Wells, College.

I. B. AYLSWORTH, *Chairman*.
 CHARLES SMITH, *Fin. Sec.*

IX. SARNIA DISTRICT.

- 114 SARNIA—Thomas Cullen. Andrew Milliken, J. H. Stinson, Superannuated.
 115 POINT EDWARD—Joseph Ward, M.A., B.D.
 116 WYOMING—W. Rigsby, *Secretary of Conference*.
 117 CAMLACHIE—Thomas Jackson. One to be sent.
 118 BRIGDEN—W. Quance. One to be sent.
 119 OIL SPRINGS—J. A. Ferguson.
 120 DAWN—One to be sent under direction of the Superintendent of Oil Springs.
 121 THEDFORD—W. H. Cooper.
 122 FOREST—A. G. Harris.
 123 RAVENSWOOD AND BOSANQUET—J. Husser.
 124 STONEY AND KETTLE POINTS—Supplied by the Ravenswood and Bosanquet Minister.
 125 CORUNNA—T. R. McNair.
 126 COURTRIGHT—Joseph Deacon.
 127 WILKESPORT—J. F. Fairchild.
 129 ST. CLAIR—A. S. Edwards (Sarnia).

D. E. Martin, Montreal Theological College.

THOS. CULLEN, *Chairman*.
 THOS. JACKSON, *Fin. Sec.*

Permission to employ the following brethren during the year, with a view to their reception as probationers for the ministry, was granted to the several chairmen making request, viz.: C. A. Smith, Albert Down, David D. Hambly, W. F. Jerome, W. W. Aylsworth, Simon Schofield, W. G. Stephens.

* Chicago College of Science.

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 London—West
 St. John's
 Silson
 Thorndale
 Dorchester
 Lambeth
 Westminster
 Delaware

Total

Exeter—Mal
 Exeter—Jam
 Parkhill
 Elmville
 Centralia
 Crediton
 Birr
 Bryanston
 Meiro
 Sylvan
 Grand Bend.

Total

St. Thomas—
 St. Thomas—
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 Mount Elgin
 Port Stanley
 Fingal
 Taberville
 Shedden
 Iona
 Dutton
 Bismarck
 Alvinston
 Melbourne
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Total

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MEMBERSHIP RETURNS.

1. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS,	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.						BAPTISMS.				
	On Trial.	Full Members.	Total.	Decreased.	Increased.	Under 21 Years.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.	Marriages.	Burials.
London—Queen's Avenue	50	400	449	..	9	50	19	..	19	81	17
London—Dundas Street	58	503	561	..	8	49	5	..	5	17	8
London—Wellington Street	30	283	313	..	40	20	85	7	44	28	84
London—Colborne Street	12	222	234	..	50	80	27	2	29	14	20
London—King Street	12	179	191	14	..	..	10	1	11	6	8
London—Queen's Park	20	132	152	18	..	10	6	..	6	12	8
London—Elizabeth Street	40	100	210	..	50	6	8	..	8	10	6
London—Hamilton Road	..	119	119	..	7	..	13	..	13	9	12
London—South	18	202	220	..	20	74	10	5	21	7	20
London West	..	200	200	52	..	..	4	..	4	8	9
St. John's	4	108	172	..	11	8	11	5	16	8	5
Siloam	..	108	108	8	..	..	8	..	8	2	8
Thorndale	2	275	277	..	..	16	8	..	8	4	7
Dorchester	32	330	371	..	..	18	3	6	8	10	16
Lambeth	..	258	258	16	..	..	..	..	..	4	7
Westminster	..	348	348	37	..	10	24	..	24	6	19
Delaware	6	270	225	..	1	10	4	..	4	..	6
Total	84	4408	4728	140	100	287	191	26	217	196	99

2. THE EXETER DISTRICT.

Exeter—Main Street	..	200	200	..	50	25	8	5	13	10	15
Exeter—James Street	10	317	330	..	88	..	6	6	12	7	13
Parkhill	..	226	226	..	8	..	4	1	5	4	8
Elmville	..	391	391	..	7	43	15	5	20	6	11
Centralia	..	145	145	6	..	..	5	..	5	5	6
Credition	28	145	173	16	..	15	10	5	15	4	5
Birr	2	209	211	..	5	..	10	..	10	1	8
Dorchester	3	167	170	26	..	..	10	2	12	5	11
Meir e	3	198	141	6	..	..	4	2	6	5	2
Sylvan	..	150	150	..	2	4	16	..	16	4	8
Grand Bend	10	325	335	5	..	36	7	2	9	5	12
Total	62	2422	2481	59	169	123	95	28	123	56	100

3. THE ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

St. Thomas—First	..	615	615	40	..	..	43	3	46	20	21
St. Thomas—Grace	33	235	268	..	7	30	15	5	20	8	2
St. Thomas—Central	83	229	312	..	60	20	6	14	20	14	11
Mount Elgin	30	34	64	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1
Port Stanley	2	217	219	1	..	10	9	..	9	4	7
Fingal	9	163	172	..	14	16	8	8	16	4	16
Talbotville	2	162	164	..	5	16	12	..	12	3	6
Shedden	18	140	158	..	8	7	8	6	14	2	4
Iona	..	122	122	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dutton	2	169	171	..	9	10	7	7	14	3	10
Bismarck	5	174	159	..	9	10	7	7	14	6	5
Alvinston	9	166	175	..	18	15	6	..	6	2	10
Melbourne	2	132	134	2	..	20	2	..	2	..	1
Muncey	35	135	170	4	..	..	8	..	8	4	9
Onedia	..	130	130	20	..	..	8	3	11	3	15
Total	230	2793	3023	67	129	148	140	48	188	75	119

4. THE AYLMEY DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.						BAPTISMS.			Marriages.	Deaths.
	On Trial.	Full Members.	Total.	Decrease.	Increase.	Under 16 Years.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.		
Aylmer	21	361	381	48	..	..	4	1	5	9	10
Springfield	1	225	226	18	..	..	3	5	8	4	11
Lyons	10	218	228	9	..	..	5	..	5	10	12
Belmont	8	178	186	3	..	..	7	..	7	2	4
Nilestown	8	113	121	10	..	..	..	..	..	4	6
Avon	9	228	237	..	10	..	12	17	29	4	9
Brownsville	28	313	341	4	..	..	2	3	5	5	10
Vienna	1	113	114	..	7	..	3	..	3	4	11
Malshide	14	283	297	60	..	..	4	1	5	6	11
Sparta	4	226	230	10	..	..	11	7	18	..	..
Stratfordville	2	210	212	..	6	..	..	..	..	6	11
Kinglake	2	148	150	8	..	..	1	4	5	6	11
Total	108	2596	2705	170	23	..	52	38	90	60	108

Ridgetown
Morpeth ..
Fairfield ..
Highgate ..
Harwich ..
Thamesville
Bothwell ..
Moravianton
Wardsville
Newbury ..
Florence ..
Dawn

Total

5. THE CHATHAM DISTRICT.

Chatham—Park Street	..	465	465	..	43	35	14	11	25	34	30
Chatham—Victoria Ave	5	192	197	..	4	2	..	..	..	13	12
Charing Cross	34	405	439	..	..	..	11	1	12	12	11
Blenheim	1	279	280	..	10	9	14	2	16	12	11
Merlin	..	157	151	..	27	..	5	1	6	3	10
Louisville	21	90	111	..	23	..	5	..	5	4	6
Dover	21	146	167	..	14	..	20	3	23	6	10
Dresden	12	322	334	..	100	..	6	4	10	13	17
Dawn Mills	24	139	163	..	..	..	11	1	12	6	10
Wallaceburg	..	178	178	..	3	..	22	..	22	6	10
Tuperville	5	170	175	..	6	..	1	..	1	7	10
Port Lambton	16	43	59	24	..	..	2	..	2	3	4
Walpole Island	61	170	181	25	..	..	20	5	25	6	10
Total	200	2706	2900	49	230	46	138	28	166	119	117

Strathroy—
Strathroy ..
Arlaide ..
Kerwood ..
Watford ..
Warwick ..
Arkona ..
Brooke ..
Appin ..
Napier ..
Uttogeter ..
Petrolea ..
Enniskillen
Oil City ..
Marthaville
Caradoc ..
Mount Bryd

Total

6. THE WINDSOR DISTRICT.

Windsor	..	460	460	103	..	54	20	2	22	125	10
Amherstburg	..	238	238	17	..	7	20	..	20	10	10
Harrow	7	220	227	56	..	5	4	..	4	7	5
Gesto	5	156	161	10	..	5	24	..	24	5	10
Essex Centre	20	360	380	..	45	30	25	3	28	17	10
Kingsville	150	208	358	32	..	21	5	21	26	8	10
Rutiven	..	197	197	..	107	10	..	..	..	2	10
Cottam	23	192	215	60	..	10	6	..	6	5	10
Woodslee	61	325	386	..	135	19	21	8	24	4	10
Leamington	..	326	326	..	67	15	10	..	10	15	10
South Mersea	24	156	180	..	38	10	22	11	33	11	10
Goldsmith	..	247	247	..	54	..	5	..	5	6	10
Comber	51	217	268	..	28	7	25	5	30	8	10
Romney	5	200	205	49	..	14	11	..	11	3	10
Pelee Island	42	34	76	..	40	10	9	..	9	..	10
Total	388	3536	3924	327	604	217	207	46	254	276	108

Sarnia
Point Edwa
Wyoming ..
Cambridge
Bridges ..
Oil Springs
Thedford ..
Forest ..
Ravenswood
Stoney and
Corunna ..
Courtright
Wilkesport
St. Clair ..

Total

7. THE RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.						BAPTISMS.			Marrages.	Burials.
	On Trial.	Full Members.	Total.	Decrease.	Increase.	Under 16 Years.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.		
Ridgetown	1	326	326	22	..	..	4	..	4	5	4
Morpeth	1	149	150	..	1	..	2	..	2	5	1
Fairfield	18	165	183	7	..	..	6	..	6	3	4
Highgate	10	230	240	..	..	12	11	2	13	6	9
Harwich	59	108	227	..	53	7	6	3	9	7	9
Thamesville	28	147	175	..	7	..	0	1	1	7	11
Bothwell	2	128	132	..	1	..	13	..	13	9	9
Moraviantown	3	40	43	..	1	..	3	..	3	..	3
Wardsville	..	100	100	3	..	..	2	..	2	1	3
Newbury	6	115	121	..	12	4	5	..	5	2	6
Florence	48	316	364	..	39	..	12	11	23	10	14
Dawn	2	56	58	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glencoe	2	158	160	16	..	..	4	1	4	3	11
Rodney	5	91	96	..	3	4	7	1	8	1	7
Total	186	2189	2375	48	104	27	61	18	99	60	91

8. THE STRATHROY DISTRICT.

Strathroy—Front Street	38	212	250	28	..	..	7	..	7	1	13
Strathroy—Frank Street	..	142	142	..	2	13	4	..	4	4	6
Azelaide	9	176	185	..	9	9	6	..	6	5	7
Kerwood	4	154	158	..	8	25	10	3	13	11	10
Watford	17	260	277	..	..	47	16	6	22	6	8
Warwick	..	226	226	..	2	14	2	..	2	5	4
Arkona	..	130	130	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	14
Brooke	..	148	148	20	..	8	3	..	3	4	1
Appin	..	154	154	4	..	7	4	..	4	1	4
Napier	..	71	71	3	..	..	2	..	2	2	4
Uttoxeter	8	85	93	14	..	1	3	..	3	1	4
Petrolen	20	316	336	..	80	30	33	22	55	16	15
Enniskillen	4	94	98	18	..	2	10	..	10	3	6
Oil City	..	128	128	12	..	6	12	..	12	9	2
Marthaville	..	58	58	7	..	..	3	..	3	1	2
Caradoc	1	84	85	23	..	..	2	1	3	2	5
Mount Brydges	8	147	155	24	..	..	4	..	4	4	4
Total	109	2585	2694	155	101	161	123	32	155	85	101

9. THE SARNIA DISTRICT.

Sarnia	60	391	441	..	35	52	15	14	29	49	21
Point Edward	20	93	118	..	15	15	12	3	15	2	8
Wyoming	20	191	211	14	..	30	6	..	6	11	6
Cambridge	..	260	260	3	..	6	12	..	12	..	5
Bridgen	1	275	276	38	..	..	26	..	26	2	14
Oil Springs	3	71	74	1	..	..	10	2	12	13	8
Theford	18	140	158	..	6	..	8	..	8	6	3
Forest	3	197	200	7	..	..	7	4	11	12	11
Ravenswood and Bosanquet	..	49	49	8	..	..	4	..	4	5	1
Stoney and Kettle Points	..	86	86	1	..	16	4	..	4	1	3
Corunna	1	147	148	25	..	1	12	1	13	2	2
Courtright	..	65	65	17	..	..	5	..	5	1	5
Wilkesport	4	92	96	..	25	..	31	2	33	4	8
St. Clair	..	172	172	..	50	6	11	..	11	3	18
Total	120	2234	2354	114	131	126	163	26	189	111	113

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.						BAPTISMS.			Marriages.	Burials.
	On Trial.	Full Members.	Total.	Decrease.	Increase.	Under 16 Years.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.		
London.....	284	4464	4728	140	190	287	191	26	217	106	190
Exeter.....	62	2422	2481	51	169	123	95	28	123	76	100
St. Thomas.....	230	2793	3023	67	159	148	140	43	188	75	119
Aylmer.....	168	2596	2705	179	23	..	52	38	90	60	106
Chatham.....	200	2706	1900	49	230	46	138	28	166	119	178
Windsor.....	388	3536	3924	327	604	217	207	46	254	276	153
Ridgetown.....	186	2189	2375	48	104	27	81	18	99	60	91
Strathroy.....	109	2585	2694	155	101	161	123	32	155	85	101
Sarnia.....	120	2734	235	114	131	126	163	26	189	111	113
Total.....	1687	25525	27184	1129	1681	1135	1190	290	1481	958	1159

CIRCU

London—
Queen's A
Dundas St
Wellington
Colborne
King Street
Queen's Pa
Elizabeth
Hamilton
London South
London West
St. John's
Siloam
Thorndale
Do.
Dorchester
Do.
Lambeth
Westminster
Do.
Delaware

Total ..

Exeter—Ma
Exeter—Jan
Parkhill
Elmville
Do.
Centralia
Creditor
Birr
Bryanston
Melrose
Sylvan
Grand Bend

Total ..

St. Thomas
St. Thomas
St. Thomas
Mount Elgin
Fort Stanley
Fingal
Talbotville
Shedden
Iona
Dutton
Blmarck
Alvinston
Melbourne
Muncy
Oneida

Total ..

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

1. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

Marriages.	Burials.	CIRCUITS.	Salary, Board and Fuel.	Circuit Deficiency.	APPROPRIATION FROM FUNDS.			Total Received.	Net Deficiency.
					Contingent.	Missionary.			
						Salary.	Rent.	Rem.	
166	190	London—							
		Queen's Avenue	\$2000 00	....	..	....	....	....	\$2000 00
		Dundas Street	1500 00	....	..	....	....	....	1500 00
56	160	Wellington Street	1103 00	....	..	....	....	....	1100 00
		Colborne Street	700 00	\$100 00	100 00	....	....	....	801 00
75	119	King Street	850 00	....	..	....	....	....	850 00
		Queen's Park	608 00	40 00	50 00	....	....	....	656 00
00	106	Elizabeth Street	400 00	210 00	..	\$210 00	\$65 50	\$10 00	610 10
		Hamilton Road	400 00	235 00	..	235 00	....	....	635 00
119	178	London South	1201 00	....	..	....	....	....	1200 00
		London West	800 00	....	..	....	....	....	800 00
2:6	153	St. John's	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00
		Siloam	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	600 00
00	91	Thorndale	619 00	16 00	..	....	....	....	619 00
		— Do. Supply	288 00	7 00	..	....	....	....	288 00
85	101	Dorchester	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00
		Do.	280 00	....	..	....	....	....	280 00
9	111	Lambeth	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00
		Westminster	675 00	....	..	....	....	....	675 00
1	958	Do. Supply	325 00	....	..	....	....	....	325 00
	1159	Delaware	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	600 00
Total			\$14933 00	\$618 00	150 00	\$445 00	\$65 50	\$10 00	\$15548 00
									\$23 00

2. THE EXETER DISTRICT.

Exeter—Main Street ..	\$800 00	....	..	....	....	....	\$800 00	....
Exeter—James Street ..	1000 00	....	..	....	....	....	1000 00	....
Parkhill ..	801 00	....	..	....	....	....	8 00	....
Elimville ..	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00	....
Do.	275 00	....	..	....	....	....	275 00	....
Centralia ..	560 00	....	..	....	....	....	560 00	....
Crediton ..	532 00	....	..	....	....	....	532 00	....
Birr ..	690 00	....	..	....	....	....	690 00	....
Bryanston ..	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00	....
Melrose ..	350 00	....	..	....	....	....	350 00	....
Sylvan ..	530 00	\$60 00	..	....	....	....	530 00	....
Grand Bend ..	590 00	....	..	....	....	....	590 00	....
Total	\$7427 00	\$60 00	..	....	....	....	\$7427 00	\$60 00

3. THE ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

St. Thomas—First.....	\$1500 00	....	..	....	....	....	\$1500 00	....
St. Thomas—Grace.....	800 00	....	..	....	....	....	800 00	....
St. Thomas—Central.....	760 00	....	..	....	....	....	760 00	....
Mount Elgin.....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Port Stanley.....	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	600 00	....
Fingal.....	610 00	....	..	....	....	....	640 00	....
Talbotville.....	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	630 00	....
Shedden.....	800 00	\$50 00	..	....	....	....	890 00	\$50 00
Iona.....	267 00	423 00	..	\$180 00	\$7 50	\$16 00	447 00	243 00
Dutton.....	535 00	25 00	..	....	....	....	535 00	25 00
Bismarck.....	250 00	404 00	..	152 00	....	....	411 00	253 00
Alvinston.....	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00	....
Melbourne.....	550 00	25 00	..	....	....	....	550 00	25 50
Muncey.....	....	500 00	..	500 00	....	8 00	500 00	....
Oneida.....	....	500 00	..	500 00	....	14 00	500 00	....
Total	\$7811 00	\$1927 00	..	\$1332 00	\$7 50	\$38 00	\$9143 00	\$505 00

4. THE AYLMEER DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Salary, Board and Fuel.	Circuit Defi- ciency.	APPROPRIATION FROM FUNDS.				Total Received.	Net Deficiency.
			Con- tingent.	Missionary.				
				Salary.	Rent.	Rem.		
Aylmer.....	\$1000 00	....	..	....	....	....	\$1000 00	....
Springfield.....	600 00	\$50 00	..	....	....	....	600 00	\$50 00
Lyons.....	675 00	....	..	....	....	....	675 00	....
Belmont.....	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00	....
Nilestown.....	293 00	460 00	..	\$162 00	....	\$30 00	452 00	298 00
Avon.....	650 00	....	..	....	....	....	650 00	....
Brownsville.....	700 00	....	..	....	....	....	700 00	....
Do.....	350 00	....	..	....	....	....	350 00	....
Vienna.....	190 00	560 00	..	257 00	....	....	447 00	303 00
Malahide.....	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	600 00	....
Do. Supply.....	232 00	....	..	....	....	....	332 00	....
Sparta.....	6-8 00	50 00	..	....	....	....	608 00	50 00
Straffordville.....	550 00	....	..	....	....	....	550 00	....
Kinglake.....	152 30	597 70	..	226 00	\$36 00	....	378 30	371 70
Total.....	\$7247 30	\$1717 70	..	\$645 00	\$36 00	\$30 00	\$7872 30	\$1072 70

5. THE CHATHAM DISTRICT.

Chatham—Park Street.	\$1200 00	....	..	....	....	....	\$1200 00	....
Chatham—Victoria Ave.	550 00	....	..	....	....	....	550 00	....
Charing Cross	*1016 00	....	..	....	....	....	1016 00	....
Blenheim	740 00	....	..	....	....	....	740 00	....
Merlin	450 00	\$285 00	..	\$62 00	....	....	512 00	\$223 00
Louisville	450 00	60 00	\$60 00	....	....	....	510 00	....
Dover	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	600 00	....
Dresden	800 00	....	..	....	....	....	800 00	....
Dawn Mills	635 00	....	..	....	....	....	635 00	....
Wallaceberg	800 00	....	..	....	....	....	800 00	....
Tapperville	475 00	100 00	40 00	....	....	....	515 00	60 00
Port Lambton	100 00	585 00	..	347 00	....	\$6 00	447 00	238 00
Walpole Island .....	....	500 00	..	500 00	....	45 00	500 00	....
Total	\$7516 00	\$1530 00	100 00	\$909 00	....	\$51 00	\$8825 00	\$521 00

*Two men on Circuit.

6. THE WINDSOR DISTRICT.

Windsor	\$1200 00	....	..	....	....	....	\$1200 00	....
Amhersburg	700 00	....	..	....	....	....	700 00	....
Do. Supply	150 00	....	..	....	....	....	150 00	....
Harrow	500 00	\$50 00	..	....	....	....	500 00	\$50 00
Gesto	500 00	....	..	....	....	....	500 00	....
Essex Centre	1000 00	....	..	....	....	....	1000 00	....
Kingsville	800 00	....	..	....	....	....	800 00	....
Ruthven	525 00	150 00	..	....	....	....	675 00	....
Cottam	511 75	78 25	..	....	....	....	511 75	78 25
Woodilee	600 00	....	..	....	....	....	600 00	....
Do.	450 00	....	..	....	....	....	450 00	....
Leamington	800 00	....	..	....	....	....	800 00	....
South Mersea	500 00	....	..	....	....	....	500 00	....
Goldsmith	660 00	....	..	....	....	....	660 00	....
Comber	577 00	43 00	..	....	....	....	577 00	43 00
Do.	279 00	21 00	..	....	....	....	279 00	21 00
Romney	595 00	....	..	....	....	....	595 00	....
Pelee Island	50 00	....	..	....	....	....	50 00	....
Total	\$10897 75	\$342 25	150 00	....	....	....	\$10547 75	\$192 25

CIRCU

Ridgetown ..
Morpeth ..
Fairfield ..
Highgate ..
Harwich ..
Thamesville ..
Bothwell ..
Moraviantow ..
Wardsville ..
Newbury ..
Florence ..
Do.
Dawn ..
Glencoe ..
Rodney ..

Total ..

Strathroy—1
Strathroy—1
Aldcliffe ..
Kerwood ..
Watford ..
Warwick ..
Arkona ..
Brooke ..
Appin ..
Napier ..
Uttoxeter ..
Petrolea ..
Ennskillen ..
Oil City ..
Marthville ..
Caradoc ..
Mount Bryd ..

Total ..

Sarnia ..
Point Edwa ..
Wyoming ..
Gancharie ..
Do.
Bridgen ..
Do.
Oil Springs ..
Thedford ..
Forest ..
Ravenswood ..
Stoney and ..
Corunna ..
Courtright ..
Wilkesport ..
St. Clair ..

Total ..

7. THE RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

Net Deficiency.	CIRCUITS.	Salary, Board and Fuel.	Circuit Defici- ency.	APPROPRIATION FROM FUNDS.					Total Received.	Net Deficiency.
				Con- tingent.	Missionary.					
					Salary.	Rent.	Rem.			
\$50 00	Ridgetown	\$900 00		..	.....	.....	.....	\$900 00		
	Morpeth	400 00	\$350 00	..	\$62 00	.....	.....	462 00	\$288 00	
	Fairfield	600 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	600 00	.....	
	Highgate	635 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	635 00	.....	
\$98 00	Harwich	700 00	140 00	..	.....	.....	.....	700 00	140 00	
	Thamesville	508 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	508 00	.....	
	Bothwell	460 00	100 00	..	100 00	.....	\$20 00	560 00	.....	
	Moraviantown	436 00	200 00	100 00	.....	.....	.....	536 00	100 00	
\$03 00	Wardville	310 00	390 00	..	192 00	..	17 00	502 00	190 00	
	Newbury	620 00	75 00	..	.....	.....	.....	620 00	75 00	
	Florence	275 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	275 00	.....	
50 00	Do.	66 40	223 60	..	100 00	.....	.....	166 40	123 60	
	Dawn	600 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	600 00	.....	
\$71 70	Glencoe	150 00	500 00	..	312 00	\$54 00	.....	462 00	188 00	
	Rodney .....			..	.....	.....	.....			
\$1072 70	Total	\$6060 40	\$1978 60	100 00	\$766 00	\$54 00	\$37 00	\$7526 40	\$1112 60	

8. THE STRATHROY DISTRICT.

Strathroy—Front St.	\$1000 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	\$1000 00	.....
Strathroy—Frank St.	340 00	\$160 00	..	\$210 00	\$50 00	.....	550 00	\$250 00
Adelaide	575 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	575 00	.....
Kerwood	530 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	530 00	.....
Watford	800 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	800 00	.....
Warwick	625 00	25 00	..	.....	.....	.....	625 00	25 00
Arkona	409 18	124 00	..	.....	.....	.....	449 18	124 00
Brooke	299 60	150 00	90 00	.....	.....	.....	389 60	60 00
Appin	560 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	560 00	.....
Napier	140 00	550 00	..	342 00	.....	.....	482 00	208 00
Uttoket	393 75	166 25	60 00	.....	.....	.....	453 75	96 25
Petrolia	950 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	950 00	.....
Enniskillen	199 28	550 72	..	206 00	75 00	.....	405 28	344 72
Oil City	345 00	215 00	..	92 00	.....	.....	437 00	123 00
Marthaville	288 00	462 00	..	212 00	.....	.....	500 00	250 00
Caradoc	300 00	450 00	..	97 00	.....	\$19 00	397 00	353 00
Mount Brydges	615 00	20 00	..	.....	.....	20 00	615 00	20 00
Total	\$8369 21	\$3162 97	150 00	\$1159 00	\$165 00	\$39 00	\$9678 21	\$853 97

9. THE SARNIA DISTRICT.

Sarnia	\$1200 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	\$1500 00	.....
Point Edward	840 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	800 00	.....
Wyoming	700 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	700 00	.....
Camlachie	500 00	\$88 00	..	.....	.....	.....	500 00	888 00
Do. (Supply)	247 00	32 00	..	.....	.....	.....	247 00	32 00
Briden	573 34	33 34	..	.....	.....	.....	573 34	33 34
Do.	286 66	16 66	..	.....	.....	.....	286 66	16 66
Oil Springs	550 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	550 00	.....
Thedford	432 16	165 84	..	.....	.....	.....	432 16	165 84
Forest	700 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	700 00	.....
Ravenswood & Bosanquet } Stoney and Kettle Points }	159 82	322 18	..	\$312 00	.....	.....	471 82	10 18
Corunna	640 00	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	640 00	.....
Courtright	360 00	140 29	..	112 00	.....	.....	472 00	28 29
Wilkesport	265 00	247 00	..	162 00	.....	.....	427 00	85 00
St. Clair	125 00	375 00	..	875 00	.....	\$15 00	500 00	.....
Total	\$7538 98	\$1360 31	..	\$961 00	.....	\$15 00	\$8499 98	\$399 31

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Salary, Board and Fund.	Circuit Defic- ency.	APPROPRIATION FROM FUNDS.				Total Received.	Net Deficiency.
			Con- tingent.	Missionary.				
				Salary.	Rent.	Rem.		
London	\$14953 00	\$618 00	..	....	....	....	\$15548 00	\$23 00
Exeter	7427 00	6 00	..	....	....	....	7427 00	60 00
St. Thomas	7811 00	1927 06	..	\$1832 00	\$750 00	\$16 00	9143 01	\$95 00
Aylmer	7347 39	1717 70	..	645 00	36 00	30 00	7872 30	1672 70
Chatham	7316 00	153 00	100 00	9 00	....	61 00	8825 00	571 00
Windsor	10397 75	342 25	150 00	....	....	....	10547 75	192 25
Ridgetown	6660 49	1978 00	100 00	766 09	54 50	37 00	7526 40	1112 60
Strathroy	8369 21	3162 97	150 00	1159 00	165 00	39 00	9678 21	1553 97
Sarnia	7338 98	1360 31	..	961 00	....	15 00	8499 98	399 31
Total	\$78220 64	\$12696 83	500 00	\$5772 00	\$262 50	\$188 00	\$85067 64	\$5829 83

QUESTION.—What is the amount received for the several Connexional Funds?

1. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Alt. Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
London—									
Queen's Avenue	\$46 55	\$79 07	\$190 09	85 00	\$38 90	\$351 50	\$1318 18	\$564 94	
Dundas Street	23 78	50 49	171 71	5 03	28 27	207 37	986 76	133 39	
Wellington Street	19 31	35 00	72 00	4 00	20 45	107 06	382 52	40 00	
C. I. borne Street	5 60	12 00	10 50	1 50	6 00	31 70	101 50	....	
King Street	3 28	10 40	8 09	2 00	7 07	37 48	88 26	....	
Queen's Park	4 00	8 00	5 50	2 46	5 00	83 16	31 17	....	
Elizabeth Street	2 70	4 30	7 75	1 33	3 00	25 37	74 17	....	
Hamilton Road	3 30	5 35	6 00	1 60	2 75	22 07	42 05	....	
London South	13 76	20 21	66 31	4 00	15 23	96 10	434 44	56 00	
London West	5 50	12 09	24 20	2 10	7 10	55 29	168 45	67 46	
St. John's	4 32	6 75	9 00	2 40	3 65	49 71	147 02	....	
Siloam	4 45	9 63	13 01	2 04	3 75	54 24	178 45	65 13	
Thorncliffe	6 63	9 35	13 04	2 12	8 24	58 53	243 84	....	
Dorchester	4 40	8 60	10 50	2 00	6 00	66 59	217 92	....	
Lambeth	3 75	7 85	12 42	1 85	6 50	44 28	100 07	....	
Westminster	7 09	16 80	31 00	4 01	9 00	66 31	317 00	....	
Delaware	3 66	6 30	4 11	2 00	4 70	38 67	90 00	....	
Total	\$160 99	\$302 19	\$260 22	\$45 40	\$175 61	\$1345 39	\$4920 80	\$946 97	

3. THE EXETER DISTRICT.

Exeter—Main Street	\$4 00	\$6 00	\$8 50	\$1 80	\$6 50	\$63 00	\$330 00	\$35 00
Exeter—James St. ..	10 50	25 16	23 28	3 09	14 09	92 00	248 10	20 00
Parkhill	5 31	10 05	8 06	3 10	5 17	62 00	165 91	....
Elmville	4 15	14 27	11 04	3 35	7 64	74 00	211 38	....
Centrala	1 50	3 50	6 00	1 75	3 00	43 00	80 95	....
Crediton	3 00	6 36	6 25	1 03	4 91	49 00	108 02	....
Birr	4 00	7 00	11 00	2 31	4 53	52 00	186 90	....
Bryanston	3 25	7 00	14 50	2 50	4 10	47 00	100 25	....
Melrose	4 16	6 08	7 00	1 26	2 29	27 00	43 73	....
Sylvan	3 00	5 00	4 00	1 03	3 30	25 00	79 29	....
Grand Bend	3 10	9 10	4 02	6 96	3 40	50 00	109 41	....
Total	\$46 57	\$90 52	\$103 65	\$28 08	\$50 36	\$604 00	\$1663 94	\$85 00

CIRCUIT

St. Thomas—
First

Grace Church
Central

Mount Egin.
Port Stanley

Fingal

Talbotville ..

Shedden

Iona

Dutton

Bismarck

Alvinston

Melbourne

Muncey

Ouelida

Total ..

Aylmer

Sp. ingfield ..

Lyons

Belmont

Niess town

Avon

Brownville ..

Vienna

Malahide

Sparta

Stratfordville

Kingslake

Total ..

Chatham—
Park Street ..

Victoria A ..

Charing Cro ..

Blenheim

Merlin

Louisville

Dover

Dresden

Dawn Mills ..

Wallaceburg ..

Tupperville ..

Port Lambt ..

Walpole Isl ..

Total ..

3. THE ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Net Deficiency.							
	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
St. Thomas—								
First	\$23 44	\$16 85	\$180 00	\$4 00	\$19 27	\$146 00	\$435 00	\$248 40
Grace Church	3 20	3 49	5 59	1 50	4 50	56 00	91 40	79 00
Central	4 25	6 00	12 00	1 25	2 33	56 00	100 00	25 00
Mount Elgin	0 65	1 15	8 08	1 25	1 85	8 00	84 10	...
Port Stanley	5 19	5 89	18 05	3 44	5 98	51 00	139 55	83 00
Fingal	4 97	7 24	10 88	2 00	3 59	54 00	210 08	46 50
Talbotville	1 75	3 69	6 30	1 17	2 83	48 57	95 83	16 37
Shedden	3 68	5 9	2 95	1 75	5 44	38 00	50 65	...
Iona	2 00	8 75	3 90	1 50	4 65	23 00	72 38	...
Dutton	1 44	3 73	13 47	1 53	3 00	21 00	74 03	...
Bismarck	4 16	2 58	3 25	0 45	2 59	10 00	36 84	...
Alvinston	4 80	5 90	5 50	1 67	4 45	45 00	81 40	...
Melbourne	2 41	5 00	31 73	1 00	3 18	18 46	90 76	...
Muncey	...	...	...	...	...	2 00	45 15	...
Oueida	...	...	...	0 50	...	1 00	21 10	...
Total	\$63 94	\$106 03	\$300 61	\$24 01	\$64 81	\$583 35	\$1636 27	\$498 27

4. THE ALYMER DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Net Deficiency.							
	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
Alymer	\$5 25	\$8 26	\$12 30	\$2 00	\$5 33	\$70 30	\$155 16	\$14 75
Spingfield	1 00	3 10	4 13	1 25	2 00	45 30	44 44	...
Lyons	2 25	5 30	7 50	1 50	3 25	49 30	75 18	...
Belmont	5 38	10 12	18 88	2 59	5 65	51 39	114 08	...
Nilestown	2 51	3 36	4 31	1 99	2 15	26 37	26 71	...
Avon	3 74	5 77	10 16	2 80	4 00	48 30	109 84	...
Brownsville	2 43	5 51	25 60	2 29	4 25	83 30	204 10	...
Vienna	2 07	2 32	2 53	0 98	1 76	13 30	40 70	...
Malahide	4 36	5 83	5 94	3 17	4 71	64 00	102 00	...
Sparta	4 39	7 87	5 00	1 50	5 08	50 30	82 90	...
Stratfordville	3 15	5 00	4 28	2 28	3 05	33 00	54 32	...
Kinglake	1 00	3 07	1 50	0 60	1 40	14 50	27 00	...
Total	\$37 46	\$65 41	\$102 20	\$22 95	\$42 63	\$567 20	\$1039 43	\$14 75

5. THE CHATHAM DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Net Deficiency.							
	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
Chatham—								
Park Street	\$13 68	\$37 86	\$92 09	\$4 00	\$17 95	\$115 00	\$466 55	\$189 57
Victoria Avenue	6 64	12 77	24 25	2 00	4 36	48 00	75 02	...
Charing Cross	6 07	17 00	27 07	3 00	9 00	96 34	225 20	113 48
Blenheim	6 24	7 00	8 00	2 48	6 00	56 00	129 00	...
Merlin	3 50	4 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	32 00	112 97	...
Louisville	3 25	7 30	5 50	0 66	3 50	32 00	47 93	...
Dover	4 60	9 07	8 72	2 91	5 65	47 07	140 00	...
Dresden	8 25	18 00	12 03	5 10	7 90	65 00	190 89	...
Dawn Mills	3 18	6 75	6 02	3 37	4 00	48 00	83 19	...
Wallaceburg	3 09	7 80	10 00	1 67	3 16	69 00	80 00	...
Tupperville	2 75	5 00	5 00	1 00	3 60	35 00	72 00	...
Port Lambton	1 50	2 89	2 00	0 67	2 16	14 07	38 00	...
Walpole Island	0 50	1 17	0 58	0 25	1 63	4 60	81 66	...
Total	\$63 09	\$136 54	\$203 16	\$28 94	\$71 91	\$652 94	\$1736 41	\$303 35

6. THE WINDSOR DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday School Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
Windsor.....	\$14 95	\$28 30	\$35 00	\$1 50	\$15 00	\$93 50	\$270 36	....	....
Amherstburg.....	5 00	7 55	12 93	2 00	5 37	58 00	116 46	....	....
Harrow.....	4 05	9 53	3 75	3 20	4 46	42 00	61 85	....	....
Gesto.....	2 00	4 00	2 00	1 95	3 00	33 00	41 41	....	....
Essex Centre.....	7 36	12 06	17 10	1 50	7 46	82 00	206 40	....	....
Kingsville.....	6 74	14 00	13 25	5 00	6 60	50 00	160 00	....	....
Ruthven.....	3 75	8 48	21 15	2 06	5 20	28 03	158 94	....	....
Cottam.....	3 12	4 22	3 70	2 00	3 70	42 00	89 73	....	....
Woodslee.....	6 53	13 18	16 34	2 00	4 60	55 00	200 07	....	....
Leamington.....	5 50	7 50	6 68	2 00	6 50	57 00	80 55	....	....
South Mersea.....	2 06	3 11	4 00	1 00	5 10	36 00	68 35	....	....
Goldsmith.....	4 10	8 85	5 00	2 58	5 20	53 00	150 03	....	....
Comber.....	6 18	5 62	8 61	2 77	5 38	50 00	116 85	....	....
Romney.....	4 00	5 75	7 00	3 25	5 00	60 00	160 24	....	....
Pelee Island.....	....	....	....	....	....	11 00	....	....	....
Total.....	\$75 34	\$152 15	\$155 41	\$32 81	\$82 47	\$740 50	\$1861 81	....	....

7. THE RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

Ridgetown.....	\$6 35	\$5 65	\$12 65	\$2 00	\$6 02	\$77 00	\$146 20	\$38 00
Morpeth.....	2 11	3 71	4 00	1 50	3 71	28 00	83 32	....
Fairfield.....	3 19	9 14	8 40	2 00	5 00	46 03	96 88	....
Highgate.....	6 25	5 10	15 25	3 00	7 00	48 03	93 02	....
Harwich.....	....	5 75	4 72	0 60	5 88	43 00	....	....
Thamesville.....	2 04	5 93	3 92	2 00	3 40	40 00	57 49	....
Bothwell and Mor-	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
aviantown.....	2 00	4 16	5 09	1 00	4 06	33 00	38 16	....
Wardsville.....	1 33	5 09	2 92	2 00	3 10	28 00	48 03	....
Newbury.....	2 50	4 00	4 00	1 25	2 40	20 00	90 10	....
Florence.....	5 45	6 70	5 21	1 86	6 50	69 00	150 34	....
Down.....	....	1 40	....	....	1 35	8 00	21 31	....
Glencoe.....	3 25	5 01	3 07	1 20	3 60	41 00	91 27	....
Rodney.....	1 29	1 91	1 12	1 00	1 21	12 00	47 21	....
Total.....	\$35 76	\$63 55	\$70 35	\$18 41	\$52 38	\$493 00	\$913 34	\$38 00

8. THE STRATHROY DISTRICT.

Strathroy—Front St.	\$4 63	\$8 10	\$15 60	\$2 00	\$6 06	\$78 00	\$161 03	\$85 25
Strathroy—Frank St.	3 00	2 50	3 00	1 00	2 76	27 00	22 50	....
Adelaide.....	1 50	4 10	5 31	2 22	3 50	46 00	101 03	....
Kerwood.....	3 71	5 91	8 85	1 00	3 00	41 00	97 94	....
Watford.....	2 83	6 03	12 13	2 59	3 83	61 00	139 23	55 00
Warwick.....	2 62	4 50	7 25	1 50	4 60	54 00	190 64	....
Arkona.....	2 50	4 80	3 70	1 00	4 00	39 00	40 02	....
Brooke.....	2 00	3 50	2 10	1 00	3 40	28 00	45 63	....
Appin.....	1 75	3 66	3 74	0 30	2 25	40 00	87 40	....
Napier.....	1 03	1 30	1 26	....	1 60	15 00	24 78	....
Uttometer.....	2 32	5 35	2 56	1 30	2 56	35 00	37 17	....
Petrolia.....	7 50	10 00	15 00	5 00	7 50	77 00	344 45	17 00
Enniskillen.....	1 43	1 90	1 50	0 25	1 91	18 00	33 81	....
Oil City.....	1 50	2 60	3 00	0 50	3 25	29 00	91 78	....
Marthaville.....	1 00	2 12	2 15	1 07	1 50	27 00	60 03	....
Caradoc.....	2 00	2 08	2 38	1 00	3 25	22 00	39 81	....
Mount Brydges.....	2 50	3 00	6 27	1 64	3 00	29 00	28 61	....
Total.....	\$44 09	\$71 38	\$95 80	\$24 37	\$57 87	\$666 00	\$1545 94	\$107 34

CIRCU

Sarnia
 Point Edward
 Wyoming
 Camlachie
 Bridgen
 Oil Springs
 Thorndale
 Forest
 Ravenswood
 Sanquet
 Stoney
 Points
 Cornum
 Courtright
 Wilkesport
 St. Clair

Total .

DISTR

London ..

Exeter ..

St. Thomas

Aylmer ..

Chatham ..

Windsor..

Ridgetown

Strathroy

Sarnia....

Total

9. THE SARNIA DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
Sarnia	...	\$5 00	\$26 00	\$132 60	\$5 00	\$18 00	\$111 00	\$460 60	\$127 05
Point Edward	...	2 24	4 99	3 14	1 00	2 59	45 20	76 29	...
Wyoming	...	3 75	7 00	10 79	1 53	4 63	25 25	95 84	...
Camlachie	...	3 75	7 02	6 88	2 00	4 60	68 00	139 63	...
Brigden	...	3 90	7 30	18 63	2 35	5 68	69 00	172 69	...
Oil Springs	...	4 00	5 09	12 00	2 00	3 00	39 00	54 00	...
Theftord	...	3 20	5 90	4 65	1 00	3 00	28 40	58 10	...
Forest	...	8 00	9 42	4 00	1 85	5 68	40 00	115 19	...
Ravenswood and Bosanquet	...	0 85	2 06	1 14	0 63	1 65	15 00	31 37	...
Stoney and Kettle Points	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Corunna	...	6 34	6 50	12 16	2 36	4 50	30 00	161 71	...
Courtright	...	1 65	2 15	2 05	0 60	1 75	19 00	41 09	...
Wilkesport	...	1 00	3 23	2 00	0 50	1 50	20 00	60 63	...
St. Clair	...	2 60	2 61	3 09	0 27	1 40	15 30	60 60	...
Total	...	\$46 18	\$89 18	\$213 13	\$21 09	\$57 98	\$525 15	\$1527 71	\$127 05

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Woman's Missionary Fund.
London	...	\$160 99	\$302 19	\$660 22	\$45 40	\$175 61	\$1345 39	\$4920 80	\$946 97
Exeter	...	46 57	99 52	103 65	28 08	59 36	594 00	1663 94	65 00
St. Thomas	...	63 94	106 09	300 61	24 01	64 81	583 33	1636 27	498 27
Aylmer	...	37 46	65 44	102 20	22 95	42 63	560 20	1039 00	14 75
Chatham	...	63 09	136 54	203 16	28 94	71 91	652 94	1736 41	303 35
Windsor	...	75 34	132 15	155 41	32 81	82 47	740 50	1861 81	...
Ridgetown	...	35 76	63 55	70 35	18 41	52 38	493 00	913 34	38 00
Strathroy	...	44 09	71 38	95 80	24 37	57 37	666 06	1545 94	107 34
Sarnia	...	46 18	89 18	213 13	21 09	57 98	525 15	1527 71	127 05
Total	...	\$573 42	\$1066 04	\$1904 53	\$246 06	\$664 52	\$6160 51	\$16845 65	\$2100 73

AMOUNTS RAISED FOR CIRCUIT PURPOSES.

1. THE LONDON DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday School.	* All Other Purposes.
London—Queen's Avenue.....	\$5 00	....	....	....	....	\$255 02	\$4089 57
London—Dundas Street.....	....	....	....	\$26 00	....	334 69	\$450 22
London—Wellington Street.....	....	....	....	20 00	....	325 00	1915 00
London—Colborne Street.....	5 00	\$125 00	....	....	....	128 60	3852 50
London—King Street.....	14 78	126 00	....	....	....	....	1008 00
London—Queen's Park.....	....	144 00	....	....	....	150 00	200 00
London—Elizabeth Street.....	....	....	....	....	....	68 00	1244 40
London—Hamilton Road.....	....	....	....	....	....	140 00	420 00
London South.....	....	....	....	....	....	325 00	1936 00
London West.....	....	....	19 00	....	....	150 00	600 00
St. John's.....	5 00	\$50 00	....	....	....	68 28	128 50
Siloam.....	3 00	....	40 00	....	....	83 41	617 00
Thornedale.....	10 00	....	80 00	....	....	114 60	1204 00
Dorchester.....	5 50	....	100 00	6 25	....	167 88	7004 40
Lambeth.....	5 00	....	50 00	....	....	82 43	200 00
Westminster.....	....	....	100 00	....	....	120 00	350 00
Delaware.....	....	....	50 00	....	....	80 09	803 00
Total.....	\$83 28	\$393 00	\$470 00	\$71 25	....	\$2592 81	\$32219 59

2. THE EXETER DISTRICT.

Exeter—Main Street.....	\$5 00	....	....	....	\$5 00	\$67 89	\$1085 00
Exeter—James Street.....	2 00	....	....	....	....	100 00	650 00
Park Hill.....	....	....	....	\$10 00	....	154 48	1600 00
Elmville.....	10 00	....	\$100 00	....	....	191 81	483 00
Centralia.....	2 00	....	40 00	....	....	76 00	1030 00
Crediton.....	5 00	....	60 00	12 00	8 00	96 65	130 00
Birr.....	3 00	....	50 00	....	5 00	76 02	374 14
Bryanston.....	5 00	....	50 00	....	....	63 50	300 00
Melrose.....	....	....	50 00	....	....	58 65	340 00
Sylvan.....	5 00	....	70 00	....	....	107 35	400 00
Grand Bend.....	5 00	....	50 00	....	5 00	138 85	425 00
Total.....	\$42 00	....	\$470 00	\$22 00	\$23 00	\$1126 20	\$6337 14

3. THE ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

St. Thomas—First.....	\$10 00	....	....	....	\$20 00	\$333 25	\$3702 61
St. Thomas—Grace Church.....	....	....	....	....	....	100 00	946 33
St. Thomas—Central.....	5 00	\$125 00	....	....	....	150 21	700 00
Mount Elgin.....	....	....	....	....	....	28 52	83 93
Port Stanley.....	....	....	\$50 00	....	....	120 00	1400 00
Fingal.....	....	....	60 00	....	....	125 00	220 00
Talbotville.....	....	....	50 00	....	....	70 26	150 00
Shedden.....	....	....	....	\$15 00	....	115 00	708 28
Iona.....	5 00	10 00	60 00	16 00	....	71 62	185 00
Dutton.....	....	....	50 00	....	....	137 45	700 00
Bismarck.....	12 00	....	65 00	....	10 00	80 26	1885 00
Alvinston.....	....	....	50 00	....	....	120 24	30 00
Melbourne.....	....	55 00	40 00	....	....	127 00	502 00
Muncey.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	30 00
Oneida.....	2 00	....	....	....	....	11 00	45 00
Total.....	\$84 00	\$190 00	\$435 00	\$29 00	\$30 00	\$1584 81	\$10748 15

Aylmer.....
Springfield.....
Lyons.....
Belmont.....
Nilestown.....
Avon.....
Brownsville.....
Vienna.....
Malahide.....
Sparta.....
Stratfordville.....
Kinglake.....

Total ..

Chatham.....
Chatham.....
Charing C.....
Blenheim.....
Merlin.....
Louisville.....
Dover.....
Dresden.....
Dawn Mill.....
Wallacebu.....
Tupperville.....
Port Lamb.....
Walpole I.....

Total ..

Windsor.....
Amherst.....
Harrow.....
Gesto.....
Essex Ce.....
Kingsville.....
Ruthven.....
Cottam.....
Woodlee.....
Leamington.....
South Me.....
Goldemite.....
Comber.....
Romney.....
Peele Isl.....

Total ..

4. THE AYLMEY DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday School.	* All Other Purposes.
Aylmer	\$4 70	....	....	....	....	\$209 05	\$1261 00
Springfield	1 00	....	\$50 00	....	....	52 00	396 00
Lyons .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	89 07	300 00
Belmont .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	66 57	6315 00
Nilestown .....	....	....	60 10	\$50 00	....	77 78	200 00
Avon .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	101 70	550 50
Brownsville .....	....	....	100 00	16 00	....	142 52	1000 00
Vienna	5 00	....	60 00	....	....	82 23	370 15
Malahide	8 00	....	100 00	12 00	....	96 22	319 00
Sparta .....	....	....	60 00	26 00	....	109 63	495 00
Stratfordville	15 00	....	50 00	....	....	64 97	35 00
Kinglake	4 10	\$12 00	60 00	....	\$16 00	67 00	85 00
Total	\$37 80	\$12 00	\$660 00	\$83 00	\$16 00	\$118 74	\$11326 65

5. THE CHATHAM DISTRICT.

Chatham--Park Street	\$3 80	....	....	....	....	\$271 86	\$3355 00
Chatham--Victoria Avenue .....	....	....	\$50 00	....	....	160 00	750 00
Charing Cross	9 00	....	100 00	\$45 00	....	157 45	1500 00
Blenheim .....	....	....	60 00	....	....	197 00	1242 00
Merlin	10 00	....	....	....	\$5 00	....	75 00
Louisville .....	....	....	50 00	20 00	....	66 00	50 00
Dover	1 50	....	50 00	....	....	44 00	300 57
Dresden	3 10	....	....	16 17	....	213 00	919 64
Dawn Mills	5 00	....	50 00	50 00	....	114 88	140 00
Wallacburg	7 00	....	....	....	....	114 53	601 00
Tupperville .....	....	....	75 00	....	....	283 00	110 00
Port Lambton .....	....	....	50 00	....	16 00	82 65	393 00
Walpole Island	2 50	....	....	....	....	4 00	156 00
Total	\$41 80	....	\$485 00	\$141 17	\$20 00	\$1613 37	\$9652 21

6. THE WINDSOR DISTRICT.

Windsor	\$4 40	....	....	\$92 00	....	\$349 50	\$2000 00
Amherstburg	8 00	....	\$50 00	....	....	169 45	155 00
Harrow .....	....	....	50 00	16 60	....	153 00	600 00
Gesto .....	....	\$50 00	50 00	....	....	50 00	48 76
Essex Centre .....	....	120 00	....	....	....	150 00	450 00
Kingsville .....	....	....	....	....	....	100 00	400 00
Ruthven .....	....	....	....	....	....	88 50	240 00
Cottam .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	115 86	970 00
Woodlee .....	....	....	100 00	26 00	....	140 86	1714 65
Leamington .....	....	....	....	10 00	....	116 67	2000 00
South Mersea .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	37 00	190 00
Goldsmith .....	....	....	40 00	....	....	153 87	250 00
Comber	5 00	....	130 00	19 60	\$10 00	179 26	1005 94
Romney	5 00	....	75 00	....	10 00	179 36	2173 00
Pelée Island						3 37	71 59
Total	\$17 40	\$170 00	\$595 00	\$172 60	\$20 00	\$1956 80	\$13278 94

* All Other
Purposes.

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7. THE RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday School.	* All Other Purposes.
Ridgetown	\$3 00	....	....	....	\$3 50	\$163 00	\$645 00
Morpeth .....	....	....	\$60 00	....	....	92 03	544 00
Fairfield .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	95 00	553 00
Highgate	5 00	....	60 00	....	....	115 00	431 00
Harwich .....	....	\$60 00	50 00	\$17 00	8 00	96 00	50 00
Thamesville	5 00	....	50 00	19 20	....	63 39	575 00
Bothwell and Moraviantown .....	....	....	40 00	....	....	70 00	204 00
Wardsville	1 00	....	60 00	....	3 00	43 18	150 00
Newbury	5 00	....	40 00	17 00	....	115 17	290 79
Florence	2 00	....	100 00	0 50	....	149 04	200 00
Dawn	5 00	....	60 00	....	....	21 00	....
Glencoe	11 00	....	....	....	....	49 73	60 00
Rodney	5 00	\$4 60	65 00	....	10 00	55 00	....
Total	\$42 00	\$114 00	\$635 00	\$53 70	\$24 60	\$1127 50	\$3702 79

8. THE STRATHROY DISTRICT.

Strathroy—Front Street	\$15 10	....	....	\$23 00	....	\$96 68	\$1103 00
Strathroy—Frank Street .....	....	\$30 00	....	....	....	65 00	490 00
Adelaide .....	....	....	\$60 00	....	....	77 75	310 00
Kerwood .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	68 70	140 00
Watford	7 00	....	....	....	....	116 76	720 00
Warwick	5 00	....	50 00	....	....	32 63	140 00
Arkona	1 00	....	50 00	16 00	....	60 00	75 00
Brooke	3 00	60 00	70 00	12 00	\$6 00	20 00	269 00
Appin	4 00	....	55 00	....	....	28 50	370 40
Napier .....	....	....	30 00	....	....	24 00	90 00
Uttoxeter .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	45 10	133 80
Petrolia	2 00	....	....	....	6 00	180 00	120 00
Enniskillen	5 00	....	60 00	....	10 00	42 73	30 00
Oil City	5 00	....	60 00	....	10 00	72 00	300 00
Marthaville	2 00	....	....	....	....	71 21	242 00
Caradoc	1 00	....	60 00	....	....	25 00	80 00
Mount Brydges	5 00	....	65 00	20 00	....	97 98	400 00
Total	\$55 10	\$90 00	\$600 00	\$71 00	\$31 00	\$1164 03	\$5993 20

9. THE SARNIA DISTRICT.

Sarnia	\$30 00	....	....	....	....	\$841 63	\$3538 32
Point Edward	2 60	....	....	\$14 50	....	61 13	200 00
Wyoming .....	....	....	\$50 00	\$7 50	....	58 00	210 00
Camlachie .....	....	....	92 00	....	....	93 25	1680 00
Bridges .....	....	....	100 00	....	....	145 78	260 00
Oil Springs .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	30 00	150 00
Theodora	4 00	....	50 00	....	\$8 00	60 00	295 00
Forest .....	....	....	....	10 00	....	102 55	430 27
Ravenswood and Bosanquet .....	....	....	40 00	....	....	43 54	57 55
Stoney and Kettle Points .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Corruna .....	....	....	60 00	....	....	117 01	825 00
Courtwright .....	....	....	40 00	....	....	75 00	100 00
Wilkspoint .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	44 25	157 85
St. Clair	11 53	....	50 00	15 00	....	6 00	170 00
Total	\$48 13	....	\$582 00	\$77 00	\$8 00	\$1068 19	\$8033 99

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	* All Other Purposes.
London	\$63 28	\$395 00	\$470 00	\$71 25	....	\$2592 81	\$32219 59
Exeter	42 00	....	470 00	22 00	\$73 00	1126 20	6837 14
St. Thomas	34 00	190 00	435 00	29 00	30 00	1684 81	10748 15
Aylmer	37 80	12 00	690 00	83 00	16 00	1168 74	11326 05
Chatham	41 80	....	485 00	141 17	20 00	1613 37	9652 21
Windsor	17 40	170 00	595 00	172 60	20 00	1956 80	13278 94
Ridgetown	42 00	114 00	635 00	53 70	24 50	1127 59	3702 79
Strathroy	55 10	90 00	660 00	71 00	31 00	1164 03	5993 20
Sarnia	48 13	....	582 00	77 00	8 00	1668 19	8033 99
Total	\$371 51	\$971 00	\$5022 00	\$720 72	\$172 50	\$13992 54	\$101792 66

* All Other
Purposes.

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SUPERANNUATED MINISTERS' FUND.

LIST OF MINISTERIAL AND LAY SUBSCRIBERS OF FIVE DOLLARS
AND UPWARDS.

LONDON DISTRICT.

Rev. John G. Scott	\$12 00	<i>Dundas Street.</i>	
" A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D.	12 00	Wm. Bowman	\$30 00
" G. W. Henderson	12 00	J. G. Shuff	10 00
" E. B. Lanceley	12 00	J. B. Smallman	10 00
" S. Bond	12 00	J. D. Keenleyside	10 00
" Reuben Millyard	12 00	J. H. Bowman	10 00
" J. E. Harrison	12 00	Mrs. M. Anderson	10 00
" S. J. Allin	12 00	J. F. Kern	8 00
" Alex. Langford	12 00	A. Bradford	5 00
" Wm. McDonagh	12 00	H. Ashplant	5 00
" S. W. Muxworthy	12 00	Mrs. Scandret	5 00
" Jas. Kennedy	12 00	Mrs. Bowman	5 00
" C. C. Couzens	12 00	Mrs. E. E. Bowman	5 00
" J. E. Moore	12 00	John Bowman	5 00
" G. N. Hazen	12 00	T. W. Birks	5 00
" G. W. Andrews	12 00	<i>Wellington Street.</i>	
" J. E. Ford	12 00	John McClary	10 00
" Fred. Langford	12 00	George Watson	5 00
" Robt. Thompson	12 00	Thomas Knowles	5 00
<i>Queen's Avenue.</i>		James Luney	5 00
T. McCormick	50 00	Rev. J. Chapple	5 00
John Green	25 00	Mrs. T. Hadwin	5 00
George Robinson	25 00	<i>King Street.</i>	
W. R. Hobbs	20 00	William Plewes	5 00
Dr. Eccles and Wife	20 00	<i>Elizabeth Street.</i>	
Geo. C. Gibbons	10 00	A. B. Campbell	5 00
Sheriff Glass	10 00	<i>London West.</i>	
Mrs. J. W. Little	10 00	J. D. Saunby	5 00
T. R. Parker	5 00	Mrs. J. Elson	5 00
W. M. Spencer	5 00	<i>London South.</i>	
J. Frith Jeffers	5 00	C. E. German	5 00
S. Glass	5 00	W. T. Gartley	5 00
S. Sreaton	5 00	A. Westman	5 00
Mrs. W. A. Porter	5 00	L. H. Ingram	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Glass	5 00	<i>Dorchester.</i>	
R. J. C. Dawson	5 00	J. B. Lane	12 50
O. H. Zeigler	5 00		

EXETER DISTRICT.

Rev. Jasper Wilson, M.A.	\$12 00	Richard Pickard	\$5 00
" B. Clement	12 00	<i>Exeter—Main Street.</i>	
" W. J. Ford, LL.B.	12 00	John Trick and Family	5 00
" Wm. Penhall	12 00	W. H. Verity and Wife	5 00
" T. H. Down	12 00	R. H. Verity and Wife	5 00
" G. H. Thompson	12 00	<i>Elmville.</i>	
" R. Redmond	12 00	Rev. W. Penhall	16 00
" D. M. Kennedy	12 00	" T. H. Down	5 00
" H. W. Crews	12 00	<i>Centralia.</i>	
" J. E. Holmes	12 00	Mrs. G. H. Thompson	25 00
" J. C. Nethercott	12 00	<i>Bryanston.</i>	
" P. W. Jones	12 00	Mrs. H. W. Crews	5 00
<i>Exeter—James Street.</i>			
Rev. B. Clement	22 00		

Rev. J. W.
" R. C.
" E. K.
" E. M.
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" J. E.
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Rev. W. S.
" W. F.
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" E. E.
" G. H.
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" Geo.
" C. W.
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" J. G.
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Rev. R. J.
" A. E.
" W. J.
" J. W.
" J. A.
" W. C.
" Step
" Geo.
" John
" Sam
" Wm
" J. H.
" Edw
" W. J.

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ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

Rev. J. W. Annis, M.A.	\$12 00	Mrs. Thompson	\$10 00
" R. C. Parsons	12 00	John Miller	5 00
" E. Kershaw	12 00	W. E. Youmans	6 00
" E. Medd, Ph.B.	12 00	Mrs. J. W. Annis	5 00
" C. T. Scott	12 00	Ed. Miller	5 00
" Thomas Mason	12 00	Thos. Williams	5 00
" H. T. Crossley	12 00	Wm. Risdon	5 00
" J. E. Hunter	12 00	Jennie Oxford	5 00
" R. Whiting	12 00	Mr. Morgan and Family	5 00
" I. B. Aylsworth, M.A., LL.D.	12 00		
" J. Whitney	12 00	Grace Church.	
" W. W. Shepherd	12 00	Mrs. Wm. Burritt	5 00
" R. D. Hamilton	12 00	Mrs. E. Miller	5 00
" S. G. Staples, B.A.	12 00	Port Stanley.	
" Eli Middleton	12 00	Mrs. R. C. Parsons	5 00
" W. G. McAllister, M.A.	12 00	Fingal.	
" H. D. Tyler	12 00	Mrs. Sarah Casey	5 00
St. Thomas—First.			
Amasa Wood	20 00		

ALYMER DISTRICT.

Rev. W. S. Pascoe, D.D.	\$12 00	H. H.	\$5 00
" W. Fansher	12 00	A. L.	5 00
" W. H. Gane	12 00	W. S. Pascoe, D.D.	20 00
" E. E. Scott	12 00		
" G. H. Johnson	12 00	Springfield.	
" R. J. Garbutt, LL.B.	12 00	W. Fansher	10 00
" Geo. Jackson	12 00	Belmont.	
" C. W. Brown, M.A.	12 00	A. Gowanlock	6 00
" L. W. Wickett	12 00	Brownsville.	
" John Veale	12 00	B. Hopkins	5 00
" John Russell	12 00	Sparta.	
" J. G. Yelland	12 00	J. Russell	15 30
" J. F. Fairchild	12 00	Kinglake.	
Aylmer.		J. F. Fairchild	6 68
W. Warnock	5 00		
Friend	5 00		

CHATHAM DISTRICT.

Rev. R. J. Treleven	\$12 00	Chatham—Park Street.	
" A. H. Going	12 00	S. Barfoot	\$5 00
" W. W. Edwards	12 00	E. W. Scane	5 00
" J. W. Andrews	12 00	W. E. McKeough	5 00
" J. A. Ayeart	12 00	Mrs. R. Miller	5 00
" W. Godwin	12 00	James Gardiner	5 00
" Stephen Knott	12 00	Abraham Huff	5 00
" Geo. Baker	12 00	Friend	5 00
" John Holmes	12 00		
" Samuel Salton	12 00	Chatham—Victoria Avenue.	
" Wm. Hayhurst	12 00	J. F. McKeough	5 00
" J. H. Chant	12 00	Wallaceburg.	
" Edwin Fessant	12 00	F. W. Robinson	5 00
" W. A. Elias*	12 00		

* In addition he gave a \$24.00 note to meet arrears in his payments during probation.

WINDSOR DISTRICT.

Rev. John Learoyd	\$12 00	J. S. Edgar.....	\$5 00
" Thos. Cobb	12 00	Two Walkerville Friends.....	5 00
" T. T. George.....	12 00	Young Men's Class	5 00
" R. A. Howie.....	12 00	<i>Goldsmith.</i>	
" J. R. Gundy.....	12 00	James Reid, jun.....	5 00
" Wm. Bryers.....	12 00	<i>Essex Centre.</i>	
" J. P. Rice.....	12 00	John Milne.....	5 00
" M. Griffin.....	12 00	Mrs. J. R. Gundy.....	5 00
" S. G. Livingston, B.A.	12 00	A. H. Clarke.....	5 00
" A. I. Snyder, M.A.	12 00	James Naylor.....	5 00
" H. A. Wigle, B.A.	12 00	Young Ladies' Class.....	5 00
" C. W. Vollick.....	12 00	C. E. Naylor.....	5 00
" T. W. Blatchford, B.A.	12 00	<i>Kingsville.</i>	
" C. Crichton.....	12 00	Mrs. W. Bryers.....	5 00
<i>Windsor.</i>			
C. S. Potter.....	5 00		

RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

Rev. Jas. Graham.....	\$12 00	Rev. John Henderson	\$12 00
" W. H. Shaw.....	12 00	" Wm. Pomeroy.....	12 00
" C. Bartrop.....	12 00	" J. Morrison.....	12 00
" John Reynolds.....	12 00	" W. H. Butt.....	12 00
" T. B. Leith.....	12 00	" C. W. Bristol.....	12 00
" T. R. McNair.....	12 00	<i>Ridgetown.</i>	
" Edwin Holmes.....	12 00	B. Jull.....	5 00
" J. H. Orme.....	12 00	F. M. Green.....	5 00

STRATHROY DISTRICT.

Rev. Chas. Smith.....	\$12 00	<i>Strathroy—Front Street.</i>	
" Geo. Brown.....	12 00	Rev. J. K. Williston.....	\$12 00
" J. H. Kirkland.....	12 00	W. A. Armstrong.....	5 00
" G. J. Kerr.....	12 00	Mrs. Chas. Smith.....	5 00
" Jos. Philp, B.D.	12 00	<i>Kerwood.</i>	
" J. G. Fallis, Ph.B.	12 00	Rev. G. J. Kerr.....	18 00
" Hugh McLean.....	12 00	<i>Napier.</i>	
" John Neelands.....	12 00	Mrs. (Rev.) McCutcheon.....	8 60
" F. B. Stacey.....	12 00	<i>Marthaville.</i>	
" T. L. McCutcheon.....	12 00	Rev. R. Thomas.....	10 63
" T. B. Coupland.....	12 00	<i>Caradoc.</i>	
" A. L. Russell.....	12 00	Mrs. (Rev.) M. Pickard.....	5 00
" James Gundy.....	12 00		
" W. J. Little.....	12 00		
" Richard Thomas.....	12 00		
" Peter Myers.....	12 00		

SARNIA DISTRICT.

Rev. Thos. Cullen.....	\$12 00	Rev. S. A. Anderson	\$12 00
" Jos. Ward.....	12 00	<i>Sarnia.</i>	
" W. Rigsby.....	12 00	S. Shepherd.....	5 00
" Thos. Jackson.....	12 00	J. J. Clement.....	5 00
" D. E. Martin.....	12 00	Joshua Adams.....	5 00
" Wm. Quance.....	12 00	R. C. Palmer.....	5 00
" J. B. Kennedy.....	12 00	John D. Beatty.....	15 00
" Jos. Deacon.....	12 00	J. A. Smith.....	5 00
" A. G. Harris.....	12 00	G. W. Kenleyside.....	5 00
" Jas. Hussar.....	12 00	Mrs. D. Clark.....	5 00
" J. A. Ferguson.....	12 00	<i>Point Edward.</i>	
" W. H. Cooper.....	12 00	Mrs. J. Ward.....	6 00
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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL REPORT.

Your Committee in presenting their report desire to express their appreciation of the splendid results that have been accomplished during the year in following out the suggestions and recommendation, of your last year's committee, viz., an increase of 1,378 who have taken the total abstinence pledge, 999 learning the catechism, and 2,845 copies of our own Book Room publications, with a corresponding decrease of 543 copies of foreign publications. Also, it is gratifying to report an increase of more than \$925 in money raised by the schools, notwithstanding the extraordinary financial stringency that has prevailed. Another feature of the report, and one which should indeed be appreciated by every Sunday-school worker, is that an increase of nearly 2,400 can be reported in the membership of our schools, which now has reached a total of over 32,200, with nearly 5,000 meeting in class.

Your Committee beg to recommend as follows:—

1. That while there has been an increase of over 100 in officers and teachers, who are members of the Methodist Church, still your Committee are of the opinion that more care should be exercised in the selection of persons for these important positions in Church work, and would recommend that every pastor and superintendent encourage, as far as possible, the employment of converted teachers in our Sunday-schools.

2. That one service each quarter be devoted to Temperance, and that the total abstinence pledge be introduced in all our schools, and would suggest the advantage to be gained by having these pledges placed in conspicuous places for public inspection, and that the full number of signers be reported to the Conference.

3. Your Committee would call attention to the large number of schools which have no regular teachers' meetings for the study of the lessons, and would recommend that teachers, parents, and scholars endeavor to introduce and encourage the reading and study of the Sunday-school lessons in the home circle, during the week, so that all may be better able to teach and understand the Word of God.

4. We recommend that the attention of all Sunday-school Committees be called to the advantage gained by, and the importance of using, our Methodist Book Room publications and literature in all our Sunday-schools in preference to foreign publications.

5. In response to certain memorials referred to us, we recommend Conference to cordially endorse the "Epworth League" movement, and also to memorialize the General Congerence to make the President of each League a member of the Official Board. We earnestly appeal for the hearty support of League work throughout the Conference.

6. We recommend that the Sunday-school report be read in each congregation and Sunday-school, and that each minister see that his Sunday-school superintendents are made aware of this request.

JOSEPH PHILP, B.A. B.D., *Chairman.*

RANSOM PIERCE, *Secretary.*

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE METHODIST SUNDAY THE YEAR ENDING

DISTRICTS.	No. of Preaching Appoint- ments.		OFFICERS AND TEACHERS.				SCHOLARS.												
			No. of Schools.		Members of Meth- odist Church.		Non-Members.	Total.	Average Attend'ce.	In Primary Classes, Intermediate Classes, Adult Classes.					Average Attend'ce. No. of Conversations during year. Meeting in Class. Learn'g Catechism. No. who have taken Tot. Abledge.				
London	41	38	577	45	622	521	1480	2388	1419	5317	3837	256	1094	1138	1460				
Exeter	36	33	338	21	354	267	776	1000	771	2547	1666	217	561	247	407				
St. Thomas	35	28	313	31	341	281	774	1049	987	2760	1936	96	610	185	1044				
Aylmer	46	42	364	41	405	328	776	1281	951	3008	2015	75	481	176	401				
Chatham	36	36	383	38	421	318	1151	1665	818	3634	2434	212	395	296	334				
Windsor	43	43	445	42	487	402	1340	1719	1015	4084	2897	277	637	237	753				
Ridgeway	39	32	263	27	290	219	673	733	643	2049	1420	101	433	188	414				
Strathroy	45	34	290	31	321	250	842	1149	711	2702	1984	141	433	221	635				
Sarnia	37	32	280	39	319	254	895	1045	646	2586	1563	331	419	84	410				
Total	358	318	3248	315	3563	2852	8707	12089	7941	28887	19752	1706	5063	2772	5758				
Last year	..	305	3095	295	3393	2680	8217	10896	7338	26451	18517	1256	4417	1761	4379				
Increase	..	13	150	20	170	183	490	1143	603	1238	1131	450	636	1011	1379				
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SCHOOLS IN THE LONDON CONFERENCE, FOR
APRIL 30, 1890.

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	Total Volumes in Libraries.	Copies of Pleasant Hours.	Copies of Home and School.	Copies of Sunbeam.	Copies of Happy Days.	Copies of Berean Quarterly.	Copies of Berean Leaves.	Copies of Sunday- school Banner.	Copies of other Papers.	For Missions.	For Sch'l Purposes.	For S. S. Aid and Extension Fund.	No. of Schools using Uni- form Lessons.	No. having Reg. Teachers' Meet'gs for Study of Les. No. of Schools open whole year.
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REPORT OF MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Your Committee having considered the communications referred to them, beg to present the following report :—

In memorial from Chatham District, *re* dancing, no action is necessary, as the requirement is met in a recently published edition of the general rules.

Respecting memorial from the Sarnia Circuit, *re* election lay delegates to the Annual Conference, laymen appearing before the Stationing Committee, also from the Strathroy District; referred to the Committee on General Conference matters.

From several Districts in regard to Superannuation Fund. We recommend that all these memorials be forwarded to the General Conference, trusting that some method will be adopted to relieve the Fund of the grave difficulties in connection therewith.

CHATHAM DISTRICT.—On Federation. That it be referred to General Conference, without any expression of opinion by this Conference.

EXETER DISTRICT.—*Re* Superannuation Fund. To be passed on to General Conference, without debate.

On Quarterly Tickets. To be passed on to General Conference, without debate.

In regard to Prison Reform Resolutions. That in the interests of temperance, morality, and religion, the proper officers of the Conference be authorized to sign a memorial embodying the above resolutions, and that a copy thereof be sent to the Prisoners' Aid Association.

G. R. SANDERSON, D.D., *Chairman*.
WM. HAYHURST, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATISTICS.

Your Committee respectfully submit the following brief summary of statistics for the year :—

Membership.....	27,184
Membership last year.....	26,632
Increase	552

CONNEXIONAL FUNDS, ETC.

		Increase.	Decrease.
Union Church Relief.....	\$573 42	\$6 61	
Contingent	1,066 04	53 08	
Educational.....	1,904 53		\$25 08
Sunday-school Aid.....	246 06	8 13	
General Conference	664 52	50 92	
Missionary	16,845 65		617 25
Woman's Missionary.....	2,100 68	487 58	
Amount raised for ministerial support (salary, board and fuel)			\$78,220 00
Value of church property			1,025,801 00
Debt on church property			190,431 00
Total amount raised for all purposes during the year			101,792 66

Your Committee beg leave to suggest that,

1. The Secretaries of Districts be strongly urged to bestow greater care and attention, in order to secure accuracy and uniformity in their District reports.

2. That we suggest to the Conference the desirability of recommending the General Conference to prepare a new and simpler set of schedules, and we express our approval of the form recently published in the *Guardian* by Rev. S. Bond.

G. W. HENDERSON, *Chairman*.

S. G. LIVINGSTON, B.A., *Secretary*.

REPORT OF CONTINGENT FUND.

To Income from Districts..... \$1,062 84

DISBURSEMENTS.

London District	\$150 00
Strathroy "	150 00
Chatham "	100 00
Ridgetown "	100 00
President's expenses.....	15 50
Secretary's "	7 75
Telegrams.....	4 00
Minute Books.....	2 85
Book Room account	166 14
Conference Special Committee expenses.....	10 50
Funeral expenses:—	
Son of Rev. J. H.	20 00
Special afflictions:—	
Rev. G. H. T.	40 00
" M. G.	9 00
" M. N.	36 00
" T. R. McN.	50 00
Supplies:—	
Rev. Mr. Quance	30 00
" T. T. George.....	50 00
" J. H. Orme.....	67 00
	\$1,008 74

Balance on hand \$54 10

Appropriations for next year:—

London District.....	\$200 00
Exeter "	25 00
Windsor "	75 00
Strathroy "	150 00
Chatham "	125 00
Ridgetown "	100 00

JOHN LEAROYD, *Secretary Treasurer*.

The above was examined and found correct.

JAMES WHITING, } *Auditors*.
GEORGE JACKSON, }

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Your Committee, having carefully considered the cases of the young men recommended by the District Meeting to attend College, beg leave to report the following recommendations:—

1. That C. W. Brown, B.A., and C. P. Wells, B.A., be permitted to attend College for the purpose of pursuing a post-graduate course of study.

2. That W. McMullen, J. Morrison, T. H. Down, W. J. Smith, J. H.

Murray, and D. E. Martin be permitted to attend College during the coming year, the two first without aid, the latter four with full aid.

3. That W. McMullen, T. H. Down, and W. J. Smith be appointed to attend Victoria College, and J. H. Murray, J. Morrison, and D. E. Martin to attend Montreal Theological College.

4. That W. J. Ford, LL.B. be appointed Secretary-Treasurer for the ensuing year.

W. J. FORD, *Secretary.*

EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Statement of Treasurer of the London Conference for the Year ending June 15th, 1890.

RECEIPTS.

Gross Receipts from Districts	\$1,893 26	
Less expenses of Deputations	87 52	
		\$1,805 74
Conference Education Meeting		8 09
		\$1,813 83

DISBURSEMENTS.

Two-thirds due General Treasurer		\$1,209 22
One-third for Local Committee, as follows :—		
Examination Papers	\$45 50	
Loans to Students the past year	400 00	
Fees granted to Students	80 00	
Treasurer's expenses	9 15	
		\$534 65
Balance on hand		69 96
		\$1,813 83

Total number of notes securing loans, 27.

Total value of notes securing loans, \$2,085.

W. J. FORD, *Treasurer.*

Audited and found correct.

JOHN J. SCOTT, {
BENJ. CLEMENT, { Auditors.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The annual meeting of the Board of Examiners of the London Conference was held in the Methodist Church, Watford, on the 15th and 16th of April, 1890.

Five probationers and six candidates for the ministry presented themselves for examination. Two candidates failed in their examination, and one of our probationers Thos. H. Down, was absent through severe illness.

One first-class and seven second-class certificates were granted.

At the public meeting on Wednesday evening, the Revs. Dr. Sander-son and Principal Austin delivered practical and instructive addresses.

The Board recommend the Conference :—

To recommend the General Conference to order that, in the event of any change being made in the present course of study for the ministry, the change shall not take effect during the year in which it is made.

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2. That the standard of examination in the English branches in the preliminary course of study shall not be lower in grade than a second-class B Provincial school certificate.

3. That the *personnel* of the Examining Board, with the present allocation of subjects, be continued.

4. That Exeter be the next place of meeting.

SUBJECTS AND EXAMINERS FOR 1890.

Grammar, Composition, Arithmetic and Geography—W. J. Ford, LL.B.

Ancient History (Schmitz), *Green's Short History*, and *Blackburn's Church History*—W. Quance.

Barrow's Introduction, and *Kurtz' Church History*—J. R. Gundy.

English Literature, *Smith's New Testament History*, and *Westcott on the Canon*—J. W. Annis, M.A.

Smith's Old Testament History and *Pope's Theology*, Vol. I.—J. Learoyd.

Wesley's Sermons and Catechism No. II.—W. S. Pascoe D.D.

Greek Grammar and Exegesis (John and Romans)—B. F. Austin, B.D.

Fletcher's Checks, and *Wesley on Christian Perfection*—G. H. Thompson.

Pope's Theology, Vols. II. and III.—John G. Scott.

Logic, Rhetoric, and Exegesis of Matthew—A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D.

Homiletics, and *Janet's Moral Philosophy*—Wm. McDonagh.

Stevens' History of Methodism, *Fisher's History of the Reformation*, and *Discipline*—G. R. Sanderson, D.D.

Flint's Theism, and *Farrar's "Witness of History to Christ"*—J. Graham.

Hamilton's Metaphysics, and *Sheldon's History of Doctrine*—A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D.

JOHN G. SCOTT, *Secretary of the Board*.

REPORT OF THE CHURCH PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

The Church Property Committee of the London Conference met in the Park Street Methodist Church, Chatham, on Friday, June 6, 1890.

The following recommendations were made concerning the applications for the sale of church property referred by the Conference to the Committee:

That permission be granted to the trustees of the Dutton congregation to sell the lot on which the old church stood, and apply the proceeds to the purchase of a new lot.

That the request of the trustees of the Nilestown parsonage property, for permission to sell the said property, be granted, provided that Niles-town be not continued as a Circuit. In case of sale, proceeds to be applied to the new Methodist church at Dorchester.

That permission be granted to the trustees of the Dresden parsonage property to sell, and apply the proceeds to the purchase of a new parsonage property more convenient to the church.

That permission be granted to the trustees of the parsonage property situated on the Harrow Circuit, Oxley appointment, to sell said property, and apply the proceeds to the purchase of a lot and the erection of a parsonage at the Harrow appointment.

That the request of the parsonage Board of Trustees of the Morpeth Circuit, for permission to sell the present parsonage lot, and apply the proceeds to the purchase of a new parsonage lot, be granted.

That the request of the parsonage Board of Trustees of the Fairfield Circuit, for permission to sell the parsonage property situated at the West Troy appointment, and apply the proceeds to the purchase of a lot and the erection of a parsonage near the Guild Church at the Guilf appointment, be granted.

That the trustees of the parsonage property on the Thamesville Circuit be permitted to sell and apply the proceeds to the purchase of a new parsonage.

That permission be given to the trustees of the Silver Street Church, on the Rodney Mission, to sell the church property, the proceeds to be applied on parsonage property.

That permission be granted to the trustees of the Dutton church property of the late Methodist Episcopal Church in Dutton, to sell the said property.

S. BOND, *Chairman*.
JASPER WILSON, *Secretary*.

COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Your Committee recommend the continuation of petitions being signed in every constituency, and sent to the Dominion Parliament, asking for the abolition of the manufacture, importation and sale of alcoholic liquors; and, as a Conference, we are willing to co-operate with the Presbyterian and all other Churches in demanding by said petitions a prohibitory liquor-law. Therefore resolved,

1. That we keep the principle of total prohibition prominently before the Church and the public as the only right action of the State in reference to the liquor traffic.

2. We should also press upon our people the necessity of total abstinence as the only safe course for the individual.

3. We should especially advocate these views among our young people in the home, the day-school, the Sabbath-school and the church.

4. As an immediate line of practical work, we request our ministers to hold Gospel Temperance meetings in their several charges, seeking the reformation of the drunkard and the persuasion of the moderate drinker to total abstinence, and to follow these meetings up by all possible effort to secure a reduction of the licensed places in their localities, either through the Municipal Councils or of the License Commissioners.

5. And believing that no other public question of this age so intimately affects the vital interests of the people as the question of the total prohibition of the liquor traffic, and that this question calls with the voice of moral thunder for early and righteous adjustment, we would hereby express our unabated sympathy and earnest desire to assist in all efficient and proper methods for the accomplishing of the great and Christian work of the prohibition of the liquor traffic.

Your Committee would further recommend that we comply with the request of the Dominion Alliance, to send four delegates to the next Alliance meeting, to be held in Montreal, August the 14th, 1890; and, further, that the Revs. W. McDonagh, B. F. Austin, M.A., and John Humphries and Wm. Ward be said delegates.

We finally recommend that a standing Committee on Temperance be

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appointed, composed of Rev. T. R. McNair, W. W. Shepherd, and G. H. Thompson, who will report to the Temperance Committee of 1891.

G. H. THOMPSON, *Chairman.*
J. G. FALLIS, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

1. We recommend in the case of Rev. Geo. Brown, that the recommendation of the Strathroy District Meeting, that he be superannuated for one year, be granted.

2. We recommend in the case of Rev. Edwin Holmes, that the recommendation of the Ridgetown District, that he be superannuated, be granted.

W. S. PASCOE, *Chairman.*
A. G. HARRIS, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE WORK.

Your Committee desire to express their gratitude to God for the success achieved on our various Circuits and Missions during the year.

Notwithstanding the prevalence of la grippe, which, with the almost impassable condition of the roads, largely prevented the holding of special services, especially on country Circuits, yet we rejoice that through the divine blessing we were enabled to report a net increase of 552 souls.

While we record our thankfulness for the success of our regular Conference evangelists, yet as they cannot possibly reach but a few of our Circuits, we would express our conviction that it is necessary for us to emphasise the importance of the fact that each Methodist minister is not only expected to be a pastor and preacher, but also an evangelist; and the desirability of the people uniting with him to secure greater results in the conversion of souls, not only during the time when a special service is being held, but in the regular services, and in the Sunday-school.

We regret to report that there has not been a larger increase in our Connexional Funds, but we must take into consideration the fact that the past year has been one of great financial stringency.

We are thankful for what God has done for us, for what He has wrought in us by His spirit, and for what He has accomplished through us; yet in order that greater results may be reached, we need to give the Holy Spirit full control of our hearts, and to more fully consecrate our talents to His service.

W. H. BUTT, *Chairman.*
W. H. COOPER, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

Believing that a proper observance of the Christian Sabbath lies at the foundation of true success, whether of the individual, Church, or nation, we recognize the great responsibility of the Church to do her utmost to secure universal recognition and obedience to God's great commandment, to "Remember the Sabbath-day to keep it holy," and to exercise great care that her own example be pure in this respect.

While we recognize with profound gratitude, that in perhaps no country in the world is the Lord's Day more honored than in our own fair Dominion, we, nevertheless, view with concern the many forms of Sabbath desecration that are all too common in our midst, such as excursions, pleasure parties, general recreation, railway and steamboat traffic and other unnecessary labor, and we would urge upon all Christians to draw the line distinctly in these matters.

We are pained to observe the extent to which Sunday visiting is indulged in by our members and their families in many localities, and we fear this evil is growing, because the sin and evil results of the custom are not set before our people with sufficient force and frequency.

We would recommend that suitable reference be made to this evil in our Conference annual address.

Having observed that funerals are held on Sabbath more frequently than on other days, and believing that this causes much unnecessary labor, and also materially interferes with our Sabbath services and our Sunday-school work; we would recommend that our ministers, with the aid of the Quarterly Board, and in conjunction with the ministers of other denominations, exert their best influence to have all funerals on week-days as far as possible.

We are glad to be able to report that some good has been accomplished by the memorials and petitions to corporations and governments, and we have especial pleasure in calling attention to Mr. Charlton's bill, entitled, "An Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day," which passed its second reading on the 6th of March last.

We recommend the Conference, by its endorsement of this report, to express its approval of the said bill, and to pledge itself to co-operate with it by circulating petitions, and by otherwise doing its utmost to stir up the people in its behalf.

Further, we would recommend that all our ministers preach at least once each year on Sabbath observance at each appointment on their Circuit.

THOS. COSFORD, *Chairman*.
C. SMITH, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GENERAL CONFERENCE MATTERS.

Your Committee beg leave to report upon the various matters referred to them, as follows:—

1. On the resolution of the Quarterly Official Board of Sarnia, respecting changes in the law regulating the election of stewards, it is recommended that it be passed on to the General Conference, as desired.

2. Concerning the resolutions of the Sarnia Quarterly Board and of the Aylmer District Meeting, respecting the appointment of only one General Superintendent, we recommend that they be passed on to the General Conference, and that they be commended to the favorable consideration of that body.

3. Resolutions of the Sarnia Official Board and the Aylmer and Ridgeway District Meetings, concerning the federation of Victoria College with the Provincial University, your Committee recommend that the memorials be sent on to the General Conference, without comment.

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4. Concerning the resolution of the Sarnia Board, with regard to the registration of births, marriages and deaths, we deem any action on the part of the Church unnecessary, as the provisions of the State fully meet the requirements.

5. Concerning the resolution of the Ridgely District Meeting, asking that the General Conference be memorialized to regulate by law the permission to collect moneys for circuit purposes on adjacent Circuits or Districts, we recommend that no action be taken, as we deem the present regulations quite sufficient to meet all cases likely to arise.

6. Concerning resolutions and memorials from the Ridgely, Aylmer, Windsor, and St. Thomas District Meetings, and from the Windsor, Romney, and Leamington Official Boards, respecting the length of the pastoral term, we recommend that they be passed on to the General Conference, as desired.

7. Concerning resolutions of the Aylmer District Meeting, and the Official Board of the St. Thomas First Church, on the subject of quarterly tickets, we recommend that they be referred to the consideration of the General Conference.

8. Concerning the resolution of the Aylmer District Meeting, asking that a change be made in the Discipline as to the permissible modes of baptism, we recommend that no action be taken by this Conference.

9. Concerning the resolution of the Sarnia Quarterly Board, respecting the preparation and preservation of roll of members on each Circuit or Mission, we deem no action necessary as present regulations are sufficient.

10. Concerning resolutions of the Aylmer and Windsor District Meetings, asking for changes in the mode of administering the Superannuation Fund, we recommend that they be referred to the favorable consideration of the General Conference.

11. Concerning resolutions of Aylmer District Meeting, the Windsor District Meeting and Kingsville Quarterly Board, respecting the constitution of the Stationing Committee, it is recommended that they be referred to the consideration of the General Conference.

12. Concerning various resolutions from the Aylmer and St. Thomas Districts, respecting sundry changes in the administration of the Missionary Fund of the Church, it is recommended that they be sent on to the General Conference, without comment.

13. Concerning resolutions from the Aylmer and St. Thomas District Meetings, seeking for a change in the regulations respecting the election of Chairmen of Districts, we recommend that the memorials be passed on to the General Conference, without a deliverance by this Conference.

14. As to the memorial of the Aylmer District, praying the General Conference to enact some law to regulate the invitation of pastors by Quarterly Boards, your Committee recommend that it be passed on to the General Conference, with an expression of opinion that a Quarterly Board shall have the right to appear by deputy before the Stationing Committee to present and press its claims.

15. Concerning the resolution of the Ridgely District Meeting, and of the Kingsville Quarterly Board, endorsed by the Windsor District Meeting, asking this Conference to memorialize the General Conference to enlarge the boundaries and reduce the number of Annual Conferences, we recommend that this Conference give expression to its approbation

of the object of these memorials, and commend the General Conference to carefully reconsider the question of Conference boundaries.

16. Concerning the memorial of the Sarnia Quarterly Board, asking that probationers be required to obtain annual certificates of recommendation from the Quarterly Board of the Circuits upon which they have labored during the year, we recommend that it be laid upon the table.

17. Concerning the resolution of the Quarterly Board of St. Thomas First, respecting attendance at class as a condition of membership in the Methodist Church, we recommend that it be passed on to the General Conference, as desired.

18. Concerning the resolution brought before the Conference and referred to your Committee, respecting the establishment of sisterhoods in the Church, we deem the subject of sufficient importance to merit the attention of the General Conference.

19. As to the resolution asking the Conference to memorialize the General Conference to propose a course of reading for class-leaders and local preachers, we recommend it to the favorable consideration of the Conference.

20. Concerning the document known as the Laymen's Platform, which was referred to us, the recommendation of your Committee is as follows: That inasmuch as the Laymen's Platform embodies the principles argued for in the other Conferences, as well as this; and that any amendment we may propose would not, probably, in any measure change the complexion of the platform as it may come before the General Conference, we simply recommend the reference of the memorial to the General Conference.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN LEAROYD, *Chairman*,
W. J. FORD, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CENTENARY OF METHODISM.

Your Committee, having fully considered the subject referred to it, recommend the Conference to present to the General Conference the following recommendations:—

This Conference is of opinion that it is not expedient during this year to project any celebration of the Centenary of Canadian Methodism, involving thankofferings for aiding various departments of our Church work.

The financial strigency of the times, the various appeals recently made for special objects, the unfinished effort for our educational enterprises, and the existing necessity of making efforts for enterprises of a somewhat local or sectional character, all stand in the way of a successful effort for any great connexional enterprise at this time; but should the General Conference decide to proceed with a centenary celebration and arrange for thankofferings for specific purposes, then, in addition to other connexional objects, in the judgment of this Conference, the men who by their self-denial, endurance of untold hardships and devotion to the spiritual interest of the people, regardless of remuneration, by which the development, prosperity and peace of this country have been so largely promoted, should receive very earnest consideration in the shape of very largely

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G. R. SANDERSON, D.D., *Chairman*.

S. BOND, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISTIC AGENCY.

Your Committee on Evangelistic Agency beg leave to report :—

Having duly considered the resolution referred to us, it does not see its way clear to recommend the agency of Conference evangelists; and whereas, there are abroad evangelists who are not amenable to this Conference, your Committee would strongly recommend that none such be employed by the members of this Conference who are not duly authorized or certified to by some evangelical church.

J. W. ANNIS, *Chairman*.

A. G. HARRIS, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BILLETING.

Rev. J. G. Scott presented the report of Committee on Billeting, and on motion, it was resolved that

1. The Billeting Committee be composed of the minister or ministers where the Conference is held.

2. That each member of the Conference who desires a billet pay one dollar to the District Secretary, to be by him transmitted to the Secretary of the Billeting Committee; failing to do so, it will be understood he provides for himself.

3. The Billeting Committee, so far as necessary, shall use the moneys of this Fund for the purpose of providing homes for the members of the Conference.

The balance, if any, to be handed to the Treasurer of the Contingent Fund, to be applied to the purposes of that Fund.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COLLEGE DEGREES.

Your Committee concerning College Degrees report as follows :—

That the course of study of certain colleges in the State of Illinois have been before your Committee, together with some correspondence from the Faculty.

While we cheerfully acknowledge that these colleges may encourage reading in well chosen courses, and thus foster wider scholarship, yet we find that the standard of scholarship on which degrees are granted is below the level of our own institutions, and therefore these colleges are not such as we can recommend to our young men, very much preferring that they should use our own and honor and be honored by them.

W. S. PASCOE, D.D., *Chairman*.

A. C. COURTICE, B.A., B.D., *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SCHEDULES.

The Committee appointed to draft a schedule presented its report, and it was moved by Rev. B. Clement, seconded by Rev. W. G. Henderson, that the form of schedule drafted by the Committee be sent on to General Conference for their favorable consideration.

REPORT OF CHURCH FUNDS.

The interim report of the Union Church Relief Fund was received from John N. Lake, Treasurer.

GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND, 1890.

To the Members of the London Conference:—

DEAR BRETHREN,—At a meeting of the Advisory Committee of the above Fund the Chairman and Treasurer were instructed to prepare a circular to be sent to the several Annual Conferences, setting forth the present state of the Fund, and the necessity for using prompt, general and vigorous measures, so to increase the income of the Fund as to enable the Treasurer to meet the necessary expenses.

The Committee also decided that accounts should be closed on the 15th day of August, in order to allow time for the audit, and preparation of the Report for the General Conference. All sums, therefore, intended to be embraced in our regular Quadrennial Report must be in the Treasurer's hands at that date.

As the month of July is the time for taking up the collection for this Fund, there will be ample time to forward the collections of July, 1890, before the 15th August of that year, if prompt measures are adopted for that purpose, but there will be no time to spare. Promptness and punctuality will be absolutely necessary.

The following was the financial condition of the Fund as found on the 31st May, 1890:—

CONFERENCES.	Amt. payable in 4 years.	Amt. paid be- fore May 31, 1890.	Bal. due be- fore August 15, 1890.
Toronto Conference, embracing British Columbia.....	\$5,720 00	\$3,245 05	\$2,474 95
London Conference.....	4,000 00	1,886 79	2,113 21
Niagara ".....	4,000 00	2,086 39	1,913 61
Guelph ".....	3,500 00	2,032 83	1,467 17
Bay of Quinte Conference.....	3,500 00	1,537 33	1,962 67
Montreal Conference.....	4,500 00	2,844 88	1,655 12
Manitoba ".....	1,240 00	948 16	291 84
Nova Scotia ".....	1,600 00	632 45	967 55
New Brunswick and P. E. I. Conference.	1,600 00	773 40	826 60
Newfoundland Conference.....	500 00	376 49	123 51
Total.....	\$30,160 00	\$16,363 77	\$13,796 23

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The indebtedness of the Fund at the present date is about \$10,333.41, and there are still heavy claims to be met before the close of the year. If the money due be not paid before the close of the quadrennial term, the Treasurer will be unable to pay the expenses of the delegates to the General Conference.

The Advisory Committee of the Fund at its late meeting, in view of the doubts entertained as to the meaning of clause 127, page 50, in the Discipline, and for other reasons unanimously passed the following resolution, viz.: *Resolved*,—"That no delegate to the General Conference be paid any sum until the Conference itself give the meaning of the aforementioned clause, and direction as to the course to be pursued in relation to said payments.

The Treasurer has kept the several Conferences posted from year to year, both in the press and otherwise, as to the embarrassed condition of the Fund, and has urged the necessity of increased payments, but so far, apparently, without much effect. He can do no more, and now begs to notify all concerned that the Conference law will have to take its course. He can "disburse only the amount on hand for General Conference Expenses, leaving each delegate deficient in his expenses by an equal amount." The General Conference will have to explain what this clause means, and provide for its enforcement, and the Conferences will have themselves to blame if they have to pay in whole or in part for the expenses of their delegates.

JOHN SHAW, *Chairman*.

JAMES GRAY, *Sec.-Treasurer*.

Toronto, May 31st, 1890.

SUPERANNUATION FUND.

Treasurer's Annual Report and Statement for the year ending July 31st, 1889.

I am happy to be able to report that the amount raised for the Fund on our Circuits during the past year has been greater than that of any preceding year; and that all expenses have been met, and all claimants paid in full.

I cannot, however, avoid expressing my continued regret that a few of our Circuits still fail to pay in full the amounts apportioned to them; thus placing a grievous burden on the ministers laboring on these fields, who pay the deficiency rather than allow the Funds to suffer. I hope the next General Conference will be able to provide some remedy for this acknowledged evil.

The assessable income (consisting of amounts raised for ministerial support and connexional collections) has been increased, enough, I trust, to enable the Fund to meet all claims, without increasing the percentage above former years. I therefore recommend that the percentage be the same as in former years—6 per cent. on assessable income.

The Capital account has been increased during the year, through subscriptions, legacies, and donations, \$6,352.59, and it now stands at \$174,648.26.

As adopted by board.

JOHN BREDIN, *Secretary*.

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 31st, 1889.

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.		CAPITAL ACCOUNT.	
<i>Amount of Capital.</i>		<i>Investments.</i>	
To amount invested last year	\$168,295 67	By Amount in Bank.....	\$24,693 76
" Legacies.....	4,033 68	" Mortgages.....	64,728 33
" Ministers' Subscriptions		" Debentures.....	34,000 00
" (4th).....	2,073 91	" Stocks.....	8,791 75
" Donations.....	245 00	" Missionary Society.....	25,000 00
		" General Conference Fund	10,580 80
		" Albert College Board...	2,500 00
		" Commutation.....	2,471 12
		" Loans.....	1,642 50
		" Hope Road Bonds.....	240 00
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ANNUAL ACCOUNT.		ANNUAL ACCOUNT.	
<i>Receipts.</i>		<i>Disbursements.</i>	
To Amount Returned.....	\$20 00	By Back Claims.....	\$282 03
" Districts.....	48,207 44	" 190 Ministers.....	52,552 60
" Ministers' Subscriptions		" 148 Widows.....	20,555 08
" (5/6ths).....	10,369 57	" 106 Children.....	2,038 30
" Book Room Appropriation	6,000 00	" Annuitants.....	282 50
" Missionary Grant on ac-		" Refunds.....	362 63
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" Missionaries.....	4,200 00	" count.....	81 80
" Interest.....	9,352 82	" Treasurer's Salary.....	1,000 00
" Donation.....	116 00	" Expenses.....	1,110 89
	\$78,265 83		\$78,265 83

JAMES GRAY, *Clerical Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

F. BYRNE,
MARTIN N. MERRY, } *Auditors.*

Toronto, August 10th, 1889.

REPORTS OF COLLEGES.

ALBERT COLLEGE.

The report of Albert College was read by Rev. I. B. Aylesworth, M.A., LL.D., seconded by A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D., and

Resolved,—That we have heard with pleasure of the large attendance at Albert College, and the well-merited success which has attended the efforts of the Faculty. We feel that the work of Albert College, in preparing candidates for the ministry, in the preliminary course, and in preparing matriculants for Victoria University, is a work for the Methodist Church worthy of hearty support.

We pray that the divine blessing may rest on the Faculty and give the College remarkable educational and religious success.

ALMA LADIES' COLLEGE, ST. THOMAS.

The report of Alma College was presented by Judge Hughes, of St. Thomas, and addresses in the interest of the Institution were made by himself and Principal Austin.

Moved by Rev. G. R. Sanderson, D.D., seconded by Rev. Wm. McDonagh, and

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Resolved,—That we have listened with great satisfaction to the report of Alma College, read by His Honor Judge Hughes, and the accompanying address delivered by His Honor, as well as the equally admirable address of President Austin. Its success greatly cheers us, and we pledge ourselves to do all we can to sustain an institution so worthy of our Conferential patronage, and we pray that God may greatly bless the Alma College, as well as the other Ladies' Colleges under the patronage of this body, and that the report be published in the Minutes.

ONTARIO LADIES' COLLEGE, WHITBY.

The Secretary of Conference read the report of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby.

Moved by Rev. John Learoyd, seconded by Rev. J. W. Annis, M.A., and

Resolved,—That this Conference, having heard the report of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, we express our satisfaction at its great efficiency and continued prosperity, and would pledge ourselves to hearty co-operation, and that the report be published in the Minutes.

MOUNT ELGIN INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE.

The report of Mount Elgin Industrial Institute was presented by Rev. W. W. Shepherd.

It was then moved by Rev. Joseph Philp, B.D., seconded by Rev. G. H. Thompson, and

Resolved,—That, having heard the report of the Mount Elgin Institute as now presented by the Rev. Principal Shepherd, we hereby declare our gratitude to God for the success of the past year, our confidence in the wisdom and management of the worthy Principal, our hearty co-operation in the good work that is being done, and our prayers that continued prosperity may attend the Institution.

VOTES OF THANKS.

EX-PRESIDENT.

Moved by Rev. W. H. Shaw, seconded by Rev. James Graham, and

Resolved,—That we, the members of this Conference, present to the Rev. Wm. McDonagh, the retiring President, our thanks for the great ability, care and kindness with which he has discharged the important duties of his office during the year, and the Conference earnestly prays that his life may be long continued, to do valuable service for the Church of our Lord Jesus Christ.

EX-SECRETARY.

Moved by Rev. Walter Rigsby, seconded by Rev. James Graham, and

Resolved,—That the thanks of this Conference are due, and are hereby tendered to Rev. J. R. Gundy, the retiring Secretary, for his very efficient services during the year past.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES.

Moved by Rev. W. W. Shepherd, seconded by Rev. Joseph Deacon, and

Resolved,—That the thanks of this Conference be tendered to the

Assistant-Secretaries of last year, Rev. Walter Rigsby and W. H. McCutcheon, Esq.; to the Journal Secretary, Rev. W. W. Edwards; and to the Statistical Committee, Revs. S. J. Allin, T. R. McNair, C. Barltrop, J. E. Ford, S. W. Muxworthy, and Messrs. C. J. Beal, Moses Leeson, W. J. Stevens, J. H. Wigle, Chas. Thorn.

BOOK STEWARD.

Rev. Wm. Briggs, Book Steward, presented the Book Room Report, upon which it was moved by Rev. Dr. Sanderson, seconded by Rev. W. W. Edwards, and

Resolved,—That this Conference has listened to the report of the Book Steward, Rev. Dr. Briggs, with unqualified satisfaction, and greatly rejoices in the continued and increasing prosperity of the Book Room under his unwearied and judicious management. It is a great gratification to the Conference to know that the transfer of the business from King Street to Richmond Street, and the erection of the magnificent building thereon, extending as it does from Richmond Street to Temperance Street, have more than met the large expectations indulged in at the outset of the enterprise. The thanks of the Conference are accorded to Dr. Briggs, to whose wisdom and enterprise the Connexion is so largely indebted for one of the finest establishments existing in the Dominion.

DR. WITHROW.

Rev. Dr. Withrow, editor of *Methodist Magazine* and of our Sabbath-school periodicals, was introduced and addressed the Conference. It was moved by Dr. Aylsworth, seconded by Rev. W. W. Shepherd, and

Resolved,—That we have heard with pleasure the report of Rev. Dr. Withrow, and rejoice with him in the manifest signs of prosperity and rapid growth of our Sunday-school work; and we pledge ourselves to increased activity and interest in this important department of Christian labor. We also congratulate him upon the excellent literary and artistic character of the monthly magazine, and would urge its increased circulation among our people.

DR. SUTHERLAND.

Moved by Rev. W. McDonagh, seconded by Rev. Dr. Sanderson, and

Resolved,—That the cordial and deserved thanks of this Conference are due, and are hereby tendered, to our esteemed Missionary Secretary, Rev. Dr. Sutherland, for his timely, eloquent, and instructive sermon on Sabbath evening, and also for his valuable services on Tuesday evening, at the Missionary meeting; also to our successful and highly-respected Book Steward, the Rev. Dr. Briggs, for his excellent and eloquent address at the above meeting.

REV. W. McDONAGH.

Moved by Rev. J. Philp, B.D., seconded by A. G. Harris, and

Resolved,—That the best thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to the ex-President, Rev. Wm. McDonagh, for the very learned, suggestive and practical sermon preached on Sabbath morning last. We can assure our brother that the sermon was a blessing to us all, and cannot fail to produce good results in our lives for years to come.

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DR. DEWART.

Moved by Dr. Aylsworth, seconded by Rev. S. Pascoe, and

Resolved,—That the hearty thanks of this Conference are hereby tendered Rev. E. H. Dewart, D.D., Editor of the *Christian Guardian*, for his very fine address, setting forth his work as Editor, and the general interest of the Church paper, and expressing our gratitude to our Heavenly Father that he is still preserved in health and vigor, and cherishing the hope that he may long be spared to do valiant work for the Church of God.

DR. CARMAN.

Moved by Rev. Dr. Sanderson, seconded by Rev. W. McDonagh, and

Resolved,—That this Conference cordially welcomes the Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, to this Conference, and hails him as a brother beloved, and one in whose administrative ability the Conference has very great confidence; and prays the Great Head of the Church to long spare our honored brother to the Church, of which he is so valued a member, and for the discharge of the varied duties assigned him he is so largely qualified.

REV. JAMES GRAY.

Moved by Rev. James Whiting, seconded by Rev. W. W. Shepherd, and

Resolved,—That, having heard from Rev. Jas. Gray, Treasurer of the Superannuation and General Conference Funds, so clear a statement of the receipts and expenditures in connection with these funds, we hereby express our satisfaction and tender to him our thanks for his careful management and the full record he has given to this Conference of the state of these funds.

THANKS TO FRIENDS IN CHATHAM.

Moved by Rev. T. Cullen, seconded by Dr. Sanderson, and

Resolved,—That it is with pleasure we recognize the deep interest taken by our people and their friends in this fair town, in making ample preparation for the care and comfort of this Conference during its present session, and hereby tender our cordial and unanimous thanks to be conveyed to them on next Lord's Day from the pulpit of Park Street Church and that of Victoria Avenue, by their respective pastors.

We also desire to convey to the Rev. R. J. Treleaven and his colleague, Rev. A. H. Going, our equally cordial thanksefor the manner in which they secured and directed the co-operation of their people in expressing their generous hospitality.

MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS.

CONDOLENCE—REV. J. H. ROBINSON.

Moved by Rev. J. G. Scott, seconded by Rev. J. Graham, and

Resolved,—That we hereby express to our esteemed and beloved brother, the Rev. J. H. Robinson, our deep sympathy with him, in the great loss he has sustained by the death of Mrs. Robinson. We rejoice

in the grace given through which she was enabled to triumph in death, and which has sustained him in the hour of his bereavement. We regret that by reason of age and infirmity, he is absent from this annual gathering; and assure him that he is not only present in our thoughts, but lives in our hearts, and we earnestly pray that the consolations of God may not be small with him, but that in his evening time there may be light.

CONDOLENCE—REV. G. R. SANDERSON, D.D.

Moved by Rev. W. S. Pascoe, D.D., seconded by Rev. W. H. Gane, and

Resolved,—That, as a Conference, we express our strong sympathy with our venerable brother, Rev. G. R. Sanderson, D.D., in the great loss sustained by him during the past year in the death of his daughter under circumstances that could not fail to intensify a parent's grief for one so worthy of a parent's love. We thank our heavenly Father for the grace which has so abundantly supported our dear brother in his sorrow, and pray that until the end of his long and useful life he may more and more prove that "the joy of the Lord is his strength."

THE LATE DR. WILLIAMS.

Moved by Rev. Dr. Sanderson, seconded by Rev. Jas. Graham, and *Resolved*,—that this Conference desires to place on record its deep sense of the great loss sustained, not only by the London Conference, but also by Dominion Methodism, in the death of Rev. John A. Williams, D.D., for many years a member of the London Conference, filling the several offices of the Conference and enjoying all the honors the Conference had in its gift to confer.

Dr. Williams was eminently a man of God, upright in his life and warm in his affections, he justly won a place in the heart of our great Connexion, and his removal from amongst us is mourned by thousands. He was an earnest, gifted and successful preacher, and a wise and careful administrator. His life was a benediction, and his death a triumph—a victory won through our Lord Jesus Christ. "He being dead yet speaketh."

REV. A. LANGFORD.

Moved by Rev. Dr. Sanderson, seconded by Rev. W. McDonagh, and *Resolved*,—That, as by the action of the Transfer Committee the Rev. A. Langford ceases to be a member of the London Conference, of which he has been so many years a member, this Conference cannot allow him to depart without expressing to him the very great regret of this Conference at his separation from us; and to assure him that the best wishes of this Conference are now and will be for his welfare and usefulness in every field of honor and toil to which God may call him.

PULPIT SUPPLY.

Moved by Rev. J. G. Scott, seconded by Rev. W. S. Pascoe, D.D., and

Resolved,—That the present usage continue, viz.: that ministers moving be responsible for the Circuits they are leaving for two Sabbaths after the rising of Conference.

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MRS. McMECHAN,

Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society.

Moved by Rev. A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D., seconded by Rev. R. J. Treleven, and

Resolved,—That we have heard with pleasure of the advanced interest and liberality shown in the Woman's Missionary Society.

Upon their work in Japan in the girl's schools and in evangelistic effort, we pray that abundant Divine blessing may rest, and that Divine comfort may be granted to our beloved Sister Large.

Their Chinese, French, and Indian work enlists our special sympathy, and we commend it to the support of our people, glad that the heathen and the orphan are receiving blessings at their hands.

Finally, we assure the ladies through their respected representative that their yearly report and address is a welcome part of our Conference sessions.

FOREIGN DEGREES.

Moved by Rev. Wm. McDonagh, seconded by Rev. John Reynolds, and

Resolved,—That this Conference requires that the degrees from certain foreign colleges be recognized in our Minutes by the initial letters, followed by a star with a foot-note specifying the college whence it has been obtained. See report of Committee on College Degrees.

FRATERNAL GREETINGS.

Fraternal greetings by telegram were sent to the several Annual Conferences in session, viz.: Manitoba, at Brandon; Bay of Quinte, at Cobourg; Montreal, at Ottawa; Guelph, at Stratford; and Niagara, at Hamilton, from all of which replies were received.

PRESENTATION.

The young men ordained were introduced, and presented to the President a photographic group as a memento of their ordination during his term of office.

PLACE OF HOLDING THE NEXT CONFERENCE.

On motion, it was

Resolved,—That the next Conference be held in the town of Windsor, on the first Thursday of June, 1890.

PUBLISHING CONNEXIONAL FUND.

Resolved,—That the Secretary of Conference be instructed to publish amount received for Circuit purposes, so as to be in harmony with the other Conferences.

NUMBER OF MINUTES TO BE PUBLISHED.

On motion, it was

Resolved,—That the Book Steward be authorized to publish a supply sufficient to furnish each member of the Conference with one copy, to be forwarded to his address, and charged to his own account.

CONFERENCE ANNIVERSARIES.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

The Sunday-school anniversary was held in the Victoria Avenue Church, on Wednesday evening, June 4th, at 8 p.m. Rev Wm. McDonagh, President of the Conference, occupied the chair. Addresses were delivered by Ransom Pierce, of Ridgetown, and Revs. J. G. Fallis and W. G. Henderson.

TEMPERANCE.

The usual Conference Temperance Meeting was held in Victoria Avenue Church, on Thursday evening, the President in the chair. Addresses were delivered by Revs. T. R. McNair and Geo. Jackson.

RECEPTION SERVICE.

The Reception Service was held in the Park Street Church, on Friday evening, June 6th, the President, Rev. J. R. Gundy, in the chair. By request of the President, Richard Whiting and Selborne Anderson related their conversion to God and their call to the ministry. It was then moved by Rev. John Learoyd, seconded by Rev. B. F. Austin, M.A., B.D., and

Resolved,—That the above brethren, who had completed their probation, be received into full connexion and ordained on the following Sabbath.

SABBATH SERVICES.

The Conference Love-feast was held in the Park Street Church, on Sunday, June 8th, at 6.30 a.m., led by Rev. James Whiting. The ordination sermon was preached by the ex-President, Rev. Wm. McDonagh, after which Richard Whiting and Selborne Anderson were ordained to the office and work of the ministry by the imposition of hands.

EDUCATIONAL.

The Educational Meeting was held in the Park Street Church, on Monday evening, June 9th, Rev. John Learoyd in the chair. Rev. A. C. Courtice, B.A., B.D., John Milne, Esq., Essex Centre, and Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, delivered suitable addresses.

MISSIONARY.

The Conference Missionary Meeting was held in the Park Street Church, on Tuesday evening, June 10th, Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, in the chair. Addresses suitable to the occasion were delivered by Rev. Wm. Briggs, D.D., Book Steward; C. Sanders, Esq., Sarnia, and Alex. Sutherland, D.D., Missionary Secretary.

CLOSE OF CONFERENCE.

The Conference adjourned on Wednesday, June 11th, at 1 p.m. prayer being offered by Rev. Thos. Cullen, the President pronouncing the benediction.

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ANNUAL ADDRESS OF THE LONDON CONFERENCE OF
THE METHODIST CHURCH, TO THE CHURCHES
UNDER ITS CARE.

Assembled in our Annual Conference, our thoughts naturally turn towards our people, whose servants we are, in the bonds of love and truth in Jesus Christ our Lord, and whose best interests we delight to subserve. We hope that the sending forth of our annual pastoral may be more than a mere form on our part, and receive more than a cursory glance from you.

We assure the membership over whom the Master of the vineyard has appointed us as overseers, that we seek the good of the vineyard, and that its growth, vigor, and fruitfulness are to us matters of the vastest moment.

We would deplore the entrance among our people of any suspicions of unfaithfulness and self-seeking, or personal opposition, on the part of the ministry, and we invite you to join us in hearty, hopeful, trustful co-operation in carrying on the Master's work. Without such helpful co-operation, the ties which bind us together will be but as ropes of sand. We are called to be laborers together with God. Christ says, "Without Me ye can do nothing." The measure of our consecration and faith is the measure of our power. There is an intimate relationship between being and doing. We must be Christlike to do Christ's work. Let us give ourselves to service in a renewal of our consecration to God, and plead His promises until we can say, "I can do all things through Christ that strengtheneth me."

We join you in thanksgiving to God for the spirit of revival that has pervaded the Church. Many fields have borne abundant fruit. While sickness and unfavorable conditions have greatly hindered special services, we are encouraged by a net gain, over all losses by death and other causes, of 552 souls. These gracious results have been realized, not so much through special evangelists as by the hearty co-operation of ministerial brethren and the development of the working power of the Church.

We hail with delight the advent of the Epworth League, and expect from its inauguration the most desirable results. As in the best forms of family life we have the presence of all ages, from helpless infancy up to the man whose locks have been whitened by the snow of fourscore winters, so in our Churches we want all ages, grades, varieties, and shades of experience constantly blending, and would deprecate any tendency to extremeness, that would isolate the League from its place in the ordinary and regular work of the Church.

While we advocate the utmost freshness, vigor, and warmth on the part of the pulpit, we would advise, on behalf of the pew, a strong desire to keep close to the old landmarks and to avoid the tendency, seen in

some places, to make the public service an entertainment rather than a mighty effort to "rescue the perishing" who crowd our evening congregations. Let us honor the Word; it will accomplish its work when effectively spoken. (Isaiah lv. 11.)

As we thank God for the loyalty of our Canadian people to our Sovereign Lady the Queen, and to the institutions of our country, we would lift up our voices, and, as with a trumpet-blast, cry, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy." To keep it is to obey God, and to be true to the best interests of humanity. No people can oppose God and prosper. To be loyal to Him is to be blessed. Brethren, let not the hedge about the Lord's Day be broken down in any of its sections. Summer travel by land and water, some of the great engineering works of to-day, and the very spirit of this age in a thousand forms invade the sanctity of Sabbath rest, and make the poor man poorer, even though he earn a larger wage. In the keeping of the Sabbath there is great reward. Listen to the record, "If thou turn away thy foot from the Sabbath, from doing thy pleasure on my holy day, and call the Sabbath a delight, the holy of the Lord, honorable; and shalt honor Him, not doing thine own ways, nor finding thine own pleasures, nor speaking thine own words: then shalt thou delight thyself in the Lord, and I will cause thee to ride upon the high places of the earth, and feed thee with the heritage of Jacob thy father, for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it. (Isaiah lviii. 13, 14.)

We think a wider range of thought concerning, and a larger spiritual care for, our children would yield the richest revenues of moral, social and intellectual gain. We deplore the present usage of merely baptizing them, and then making no recognition of their Church relationship until they have declared themselves to be converted. We would urge upon all parents the duty of presenting their children to God by baptism in infancy, and of bringing them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, so that they may be converted in the Church, and remain within her communion until called to their home in heaven.

We recognize the work done by the women of our Church as a most important factor in connection with its work. The highest encomium placed upon Christian service by Christ was given to a woman, "She hath done what she could." The record of the past has shown plainly that there are special lines of work for which woman has an especial adaptation and talent; we refer to the Woman's Missionary, Temperance and Dorcas Societies. The little leisure which our Christian women have should not be spent entirely in the arduous work of raising money for Church purposes, the getting up of entertainments, and working for bazaars, but in Sunday-school, missionary and temperance, work and in gentle ministries to physical and spiritual necessities.

Connexional loyalty was never more sorely needed than to-day. A great educational crisis is upon us, calamity from which can only be averted by a prompt, hearty and united action on the part of all our people, lay and clerical.

Let us not allow the interests of total abstinence and prohibition to fall between inactivity on the one hand, and division and truckling to political party on the other. This should be a time of preparation for permanent victory, by educating, organizing and uniting of forces to move

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in solid phalanx against this great evil. A solid compact of evil is entrenched in the liquor traffic. We have learned by experience its terrible power, but we fight for God, home, and native land. The final victory shall be ours. Let us hasten the day.

We have to report a slight abatement of interest in some of our Connexional funds during the past year. This is, no doubt, owing in some measure to commercial stringency and also to a failure on the part of many to realize their privilege to honor the Lord with their substance in systematic giving. Christ comes to us not to live upon our bounty, or to partake of our charity, but to furnish us with wisdom, skill and capital, and to give us His blessing that maketh rich and addeth no sorrow. Let us acknowledge our indebtedness to Him as an active partner in all our life and business, and systematically divide with Him its profits.

The copious streams of wholesome literature that issue from the tireless presses of our flourishing publishing house, filling the pages of our able weekly, our superb monthly, our growing quarterly, our exquisitely interesting Sunday-school papers and the large "winnowed list" of our libraries, are cause for devout thankfulness, and for growing interest in our youth, on the part of the entire Church.

The rich heritage of our doctrinal standard never appeared in more ample and generous fulness than in the light of the creed revisions of to-day; verily the lines have fallen unto us in pleasant places and we have a goodly heritage. Here we behold the wondrous vision of the bush, burning but not consumed; and with a speechless awe that dares not move, we hear a voice proclaim, "Put off thy shoes from off thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground."

Standing upon this high vantage ground of the present, we look back over the successes and failures of the past, and also into the untried future, with earnest purpose of soul to be warned by our weaknesses, and encouraged by our achievements; we gird up the loins of our minds in sober earnestness to finish the race set before us, or to lay down our lives "in the high places of the field."

Let your motto be, "To do and dare for Jesus," "Quit you like men," "Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free." "Quench not the spirit." "Pray without ceasing." "And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ." "Brethren pray for us." "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen."

J. R. GUNDY, *President*,

WALTER RIGSBY, *Secretary*.

Chatham, June, 1890.

ALPHABETICAL LIST
OF THE
MINISTERS AND PREACHERS ON TRIAL,
1890.

The figures at the beginning of the lines show the year in which each Minister commenced his ministry; and those at the end of the lines denote his first, second and third annual appointment to his present Circuit or Station.

1874 Allin, Samuel J.	Centralia.	1
1885 Anderson, Selborne	Palce Island.	1
1875 Andrews, G. W., B.A.	Lambeth.	2
1843 Andrews, J. H., Sup'd.	Strathroy	3
1874 Andrews, J. W.	Merlin	2
1871 Annis, J. W., B.A., <i>Chairman</i>	Chatham, Park Street.	1
1871 Austin, B. F., B.D., <i>Principal</i>	Alma College.	—
1889 Ayearst, J. A.	Dorchester.	1
1855 Aylesworth, I. B., M.A., LL.D., <i>Chairman</i>	Strathroy, Frank Street.	1
1877 Baker, Geo.	Tupperville.	1
1866 Bartrop, Chas.	Fairfield.	3
1848 Bennett, Geo., Sup'd.	Lambeth.	16
1880 Blatchford, Thos. W., B.A., <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Comber.	2
1856 Bond, S.	London, King Street.	2
1878 Bristol, Chas. W.	Rodney.	3
1887 Brown, C. W., B.A.	College.	1
1856 Brown, Geo., Sup'd.	Strathroy.	4
1853 Bryers, Wm.	Kingsville.	2
1856 Burdett, Cheney, Sup'd.	Ridgetown.	4
1871 Butt, W. H.	Glencoe.	3
— Boyd, Geo.	London, Queen's Ave.	1
1890 Bate, F. J.	Amherstburg.	1
1890 Baird, John.	Charing Cross.	1
1864 Chant, J. H.	Maidstone.	1
1846 Chapman, Wm., Sup'd.	London, Queen's Ave.	17
1834 Chapple, John, Sup'd.	London, Wellington Street.	2
1862 Clement, Benj.	Petrolea.	1
1855 Cobb, Thos.	Bothwell.	1
1852 Collins, John M., Sup'd.	Melrose.	1
1880 Cooper, Wm. H.	Theford.	1
1839 Cosford, Thos., Sup'd.	London South.	7
1875 Coupland, Thos. B.	Dover.	1
1881 Courtoice, A. C., B.A., B.D.	London, Dundas Street.	2
1873 Couzens, Charles C.	Thorndale.	3
1881 Crews, H. W., M.A.	Siloam.	1
1851 Crews, Thos., Sup'd.	London, Colborne Street.	1
1871 Crichton, C.	Romney.	2
1874 Crossley, H. T.	St. Thomas, First Church.	3
1861 Cullen, Thos., <i>Chairman</i>	Sarnia.	3

1869	Deacon, Joseph	Courtright	1
1887	Down, Thos. H.	Victoria College	1
1869	Edwards, Abel S.	St. Clair	2
1866	Edwards, Wm. W.	Charing Cross	2
1827	Evans, Ephraim, D.D., Sup'd	London, Queen's Ave	16
—	Elias, Wm. A.	Walpole Island	2
1863	Fairchild, J. F.	Wilkesport	1
1872	Fallis, John G., Ph. B*	Warwick	3
1862	Fansher, Walter	Springfield	3
1875	Ferguson, John A.	Oil Springs	1
1857	Fessant, Edwin	Port Lambton	2
1869	Fife, Wm. H., Sup'd	Crediton	3
1875	Ford, James E.	Westminster	2
1868	Ford, W. J., LL.B., Fin. Sec	Parkhill	2
1875	Freeman, J. W., B.D., Sup'd	Chatham, Park Street	3
1861	Gaetz, Leonard, Sup'd	London, Queen's Avenue	7
1875	Gane, Wm. H.	Amherstburg	1
1881	Garbutt, Reuben J., LL.B	Avon	2
1882	George, T. T	Harrow	2
1872	Godwin, Wm	Blenheim	3
1884	Going, A. H.	Chatham, Victoria Ave	2
1859	Graham, James, Chairman	Ridgetown	3
1872	Griffin, Michael	Thamesville	1
1852	Griffith, A. E., Sup'd	St. Thomas, Central	7
1859	Gundy, James	Enniskillen	3
1860	Gundy, Joseph R., Pres. of Conf	Essex Centre	3
1856	Hadwin, Thomas, Sup'd	London, Wellington Street	16
1880	Hamilton, Richard D.	Fingal	3
1864	Harris, Alex. G	Forest	2
1881	Harrison, Thomas E	London, Elizabeth Street	2
1858	Hayhurst, Wm	London, Queen's Park	1
1875	Haylock, J. J	Oil City	1
1860	Hayworth, Abraham, Sup'd	Windsor	4
1858	Hazen, G. N.	Westminster	1
1875	Henderson, G. W., Fin. Sec	London, Wellington Street	2
1881	Henderson, John	Newbury	2
1845	Hill, Joseph, Sup'd	Port Lambton	13
1857	Holmes, Edwin, Sup'd	London, Dundas Street	1
1882	Holmes, James E	Grand Bend	1
1871	Holmes, John	Dresden	2
1866	Huggins, W., Sup'd	Uttoxeter	7
1841	Hughson, W. D., Sup'd	Delaware	11
1878	Hunter, John E	St. Thomas First	3
1884	Husser, James	Ravenswood and Besanquet	3
1866	Jackson, George, Fin. Sec	Brownsville	2
1860	Jackson, Thomas, Fin. Sec	Camlachie	3
1882	Jewitt, George	Harwich	1
1870	Johnson, George H.	Kinglake	1
1860	Jones, Peter W	Melrose	1
1876	Kennedy, David M.	Birr	3
1857	Kennedy, James	Lyons	1
1871	Kennedy, James B.	Staffordville	1
1875	Kerr, George J	Kerwood	3
1855	Kershaw, Edward	Talbotville	3
1881	Kirkland, John H	Appin	1
1876	Knott, Stephen	Louisville	2

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1848 Laird, John G., Sup'd	London, Dundas Street	3
1877 Lanceley, E. B.	London	2
1855 Latimer, James F., Sup'y	London, Queen's Avenue	21
1850 Lawrence, Benjamin, Sup'd	Newbury	24
1856 Learoyd, John	Windsor	2
1875 Leith, Thomas B.	Wardsville	1
1879 Little, Wm. J.	London, Hamilton Road	1
1883 Livingstone, S. G., B.A.	Woodslee	2
1879 Locke, Hugh W.	Melbourne	3
1867 Middleton, Eli, <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Dutton	3
1887 Martin, D. E.	Montreal Theological College	1
1873 Mason, Thomas	Muncey	2
1882 McAllister, W. G. H., B.A.	Alvinston	3
1876 McCutcheon, Thomas L.	Enniskillen	1
1852 McDonagh, Wm., <i>Chairman</i>	London West	2
1857 McLean, H.	Arkona	2
1885 McMullen, W.	Victoria College	4
1881 McNair, Thomas R.	Corunna	1
1884 Medd, E., Ph.B.*	Iona	2
1856 Milliken, Andrew, Sup'd	Sarnia	5
1870 Millyard, Reuben E.	Wallaceburg	1
1872 Moore, James E.	Dorchester	2
1858 Morden, John P., Sup'd	St. John's	6
1876 Myers, Peter	Mt. Brydges	2
1887 Morrison, J. H.	Montreal Theological College	1
1870 McIntyre, C. E.	London, Askin Street	1
1885 Murray, J. H.	Montreal Theological College	2
1880 Muxworthy, S. W.	St. John's	3
1853 Natrass, Timothy, Sup'd	London, Dundas Street	15
1859 Neelands, John	Brooke	2
1879 Nethercott, J. C.	Sylvan	2
1860 Orme, J. H.	Adelaide	1
1864 Parsons, R. C.	Port Stanley	3
1853 Pascoe, Wm. S., <i>Chairman</i>	Aylmer	3
1876 Penhall, Wm.	Sparta	1
1851 Pomeroy, Daniel, Sup'd	Highgate	1
1856 Phillips, J. R., Sup'd	St. Thomas Central	4
1869 Philp, Jos., B.A.	Watford	3
1881 Pickard, Mahlon	Caradoc	2
1857 Preston, Walton, Sup'd	Port Lambton	3
1851 Pomeroy, Wm. M.	Florence	3
1869 Quance, Wm.	Brigden	3
1877 Redmond, Richard	Crediton	2
1865 Reynolds, John	Highgate	3
1889 Rice, J. P.	Ruthven	2
1868 Rigsby, Walter	Wyoming	2
1830 Robinson, J. H.	(Ottawa) London, Dundas Street	16
1866 Russell, A. L., M.A., B.D., <i>Chairman</i>	Exeter	1
1861 Russell, John	Elimville	1
1858 Ryan, David, Sup'd	London, Wellington Street	15
1871 Salton, A. Samuel	Dawn Mills	2
1837 Sanderson, G. R., D.D., Sup'd	Queen's Avenue	3
1882 Scott, Chas. T.	West Lorne	3
1878 Scott, Edmund E.	Belmont	3
1869 Scott, John G.	St. Thomas, Grace Church	1
1858 Shaw, Wm. H., <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Morpeth	3

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1870	Smith, Charles, <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Strathroy	2
1885	Smith, Wm. J.	Victoria College	4
1873	Snyder, Adam I., M.A.*	Leamington	2
1876	Staples, Samuel G., B.A.	Shedden	2
1858	Stinson, Jos H., Sup'd	Sarnia	3
1854	Swift, John R., Sup'd	Newbury	17
1890	Switzer, James Cunningham	Comber	1
1873	Thomas, Richard	Marthaville	2
1869	Thompson, Geo. H.	Centralia	3
1870	Thompson, Robert	Delaware	2
1845	Tufford, J. C.	Aylmer	3
1882	Tyler, Henry D	Oneida	2
1877	Treleaven, R. J	St. Thomas First	1
1872	Veale, John	Malahide	2
1878	Vollick, Chas. W	Goldsmith	3
1873	Ward, Joseph, M.A., B.D.	Point Edward	2
1877	Warner, R. I., M.A., <i>Professor</i>	Alma College	—
1838	Webster, Thos., D.D., Sup'd	Newbury	29
1884	Wells, Chas. P	College	5
1858	Whiting, James, <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	St. Thomas, Central	3
1864	Wickett, Lewis W	Vienna	3
1885	Whiting, Richard	Brownsville	1
1832	Williston, John K., Sup'd	Strathroy	16
1875	Wilson, Jasper, M.A.	Exeter, Main Street	3
1884	Wigle, Hamilton, B.A.	South Mersea	2
1869	Yelland, John G.	Cottam	1

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Avon	47	Grand Bend	28
Aylmer	43	Harrow	70
Arner	74	Highgate	87
Belmont	46	Harwich	88
Birr	24	Iona	36
Blenheim	57	Kerwood	100
Bothwell	90	Kinglake	53
Brigden	118	Kingsville	72
Brooke	104	Lambeth	15
Brownsville	48	Leamington	78
Bryanston	25	London City—	
Camlachie	117	Dundas Street	2
Caradoc	112	King Street	5
Centralia	22	Colborne Street	4
Charing Cross	56	Queen's Avenue	1
Chatham—		Wellington Street	3
Park Street	54	Elizabeth Street	7
Victoria Avenue	55	Hamilton Road	8
Comber	81	Queen's Park	6
Corunna	125	Askin Street	9
Cottam	75	London West	10
Courtright	126	Louisville	59
Crediton	23	Lyons	45
Dawn	120	Maidstone	77
Dawn Mills	62	Malahide	50
Delaware	17	Marthaville	111
Dorchester	14	Melbourne	40
Dover	60	Melrose	26
Dresden	61	Merlin	58
Dutton	37	Moraviantown	91
Essex Centre	71	Morpeth	85
Elimville	21	Mt. Brydges	113
Enniskillen	109	Muncey	41
Exeter—		Napier	106
James Street	19	Newbury	93
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Oil Springs	119	Staffordville	52
Oneida	42	Strathroy—	
		Front Street	97
Parkhill	20	Frank Street	98
Pelee Island	83	Sylvan	27
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Point Edward	115	Talbotville	34
Port Lambton	66	Thamesville	89
Port Stanley	32	Thedford	121
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Ravenswood and Bosanquet	123	Tapperville	64
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Romney	82	Uttoxeter	107
Rodney	96		
Ruthven	73	Vienna	49
South Dawn	65	Wallaceburg	63
Sarnia	114	Walpole Island	67
Shedden	35	Wardsville	92
Siloam	12	Warwick	102
South Mersea	79	Watford	101
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Springfield	44	Wilkesport	127
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