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PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETIES.	In General Society.	In Auxiliaries.	In Mission Bands.
Barrie	75	398	435
Brandon and Portage la Prairie.....	5	263	....
Brockville	10	472	316
Bruce.....	55	147	42
Chatham.....	155	241	361
Glenboro'	8	70	20
Glangarry	400	299	281
Guelph	160	820	362
Hamilton	204	757	589
Huron	103	361	516
Kingston	155	289	138
Lanark and Renfrew	116	727	389
Lindsay	89	452	164
London	207	653	510
Maitland	7	438	269
Orangeville	43	219	160
Ottawa	101	300	217
Owen Sound	38	246	206
Paris	99	417	263
Peterborough	180	336	135
Sarnia	98	263	183
Saugeen	39	258	142
Stratford.....	159	307	378
Toronto	718	966	1,074
Westminster	25	48	12
Whitby	61	241	66
Winnipeg	90	152	127
Quebec Presbytery	57
Montreal	1	211
Regina.....	28
Calgary	1	34	38
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Total.....	3,402	10,470	7,393

Membership fee of General Society, \$1.00 per annum. Life Membership of General Society, \$25.00.

These fees may be paid through an Auxiliary or direct to the Treasurer of the General Society.

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Chesterfield Auxiliary.
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ANNUAL MEETING

The Twenty-second Annual Meeting of the Society assembled in Bloor street Church, Toronto, on the afternoon of Tuesday, May 3rd, and remained in session during the two following days. Nearly five hundred representatives had assembled from the various branches, and these, with the members and friends in the city, filled the spacious edifice at each of the several sessions almost to overflowing. The church was prettily decorated with ferns and flowers, and all possible arrangements made for the comfort and convenience of the visitors.

The President, Mrs. MacLaren, presided at every session, and was assisted at the opening devotional meeting on Tuesday by Mrs. Ross, of the Ewart W. M. Training Home, who gave a most helpful Bible reading; by Mrs. W. B. McMurrich, Toronto; Mrs. Purves, Columbus and others who voluntarily led in prayer. A devotional meeting was also held on Thursday morning while the Board met for the election of Officers. At this Mrs. Gregory, Toronto, presided, and was assisted by Mrs. Russell, India, and Mrs. (Dr.) Malcolm, China.

The Society had this year the very special privilege of meeting face to face with seven of our returned missionaries. Dr. Margaret O'Hara, India, gave an address on Wednesday afternoon, and Miss May Dougan, India, and Dr. Malcolm, Honan, China, spoke on Thursday morning of the work in their fields. A most interesting address on Mission Work in Egypt, was also given by Mrs. (Prof.) G. L. Robinson of Toronto, and Mrs. MacGillivray, Toronto, contributed a carefully prepared paper on "Reflex Influence of Foreign Missions." The closing words were given by Mrs. A. D. Mackay, Winnipeg, who exhorted all the members to carry into the world and their Societies some of the enthusiasm and missionary zeal which they had received while at the meeting.

The Question Drawer, in charge of Mrs. McQuesten, Hamilton, brought forth considerable discussion on questions submitted, and profitable hints were gleaned.

Conference.

On Tuesday evening, the Board, comprising the thirty-six Managers and Presidents of Presbyterial, Auxiliary and Mission Bands, with Presbyterial Secretaries and Treasurers (or their sub-

stitutes), met in conference over matters to be submitted to the General Society. Valuation of clothing sent to the North-West, time of annual meeting, grant to the Training Home, work of nominating committees in Presbyterian Societies, and other subjects were considered and discussed. A conference of Mission Band Workers was also held on Wednesday, presided over by the Home Secretary, and addressed by Miss Caven, Toronto, and Mrs. Sinclair, Oliver's Ferry. A discussion followed, in which many delegates took part.

Greetings.

Miss Roger, representing the Baptist Society; Mrs. Nasmith, the Congregational Church; Miss Watson, the Jewish Mission; Mrs. Kerr, the Methodist Church; Mrs. Watt, the Leper Mission; Mrs. Helmer, the China Inland Mission; Mrs. Howitt, the McAll Mission; and Mrs. McMaster, the Montreal Woman's Missionary Society, all spoke briefly of their own work, and extended cordial greetings and good wishes to the W. F. M. S.

Letters of greeting were also read by Mrs. Hugh Campbell, from the Philadelphia W. F. M. S.; the New York W. B. F. M.; the St. Louis South-west W. B. F. M.; the San Francisco Occidental W. B. F. M.; the Chicago W. B. of North-west; the Portland North Pacific B. W. M.; from Mrs. Sutherland, Nebraska; Queensland W. M. Union; the Provincial W. A. Church of England; the Eastern Division W. F. M. S., Halifax; Winnipeg Presbyterian Society; Brandon and Portage la Prairie Presbyterian, and Vancouver, St. Andrew's and Mount Pleasant Auxiliaries.

Public Meeting.

The public meeting on Wednesday evening was held in Cooke's Church. The gathering was a very large one, the spacious church being filled to the doors. Dr. Moore, Convener of General Assembly's Foreign Mission Committee, presided. The Rev. Mr. Wallace, of Bloor St. Church, on behalf of the Presbyterians of Toronto, extended a cordial welcome to the delegates. A report of the work of the W. F. M. S. was presented by the Rev. Dr. MacLaren, and addresses were given by three of our returned missionaries, Dr. Margaret McKellar, Rev. N. H. Russell and the Rev. D. MacGillivray.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions were presented to the Society and accepted:—

On the death of our late President, Mrs. Ewart.

Resolved,—That we, the members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (Western

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Division), assembled at our Annual Meeting in Bloor St. Church, Toronto, on the fourth day of May, 1898, place on record our profound sorrow and regret at the removal by death of our much esteemed and honored President, Mrs. Ewart, and our deep sense of the inestimable value of the services rendered by her to our Society. Our dearly beloved President was a singularly gifted woman ; to a highly cultivated mind and refined tastes were added a marvellously clear intellect, quick perception, sound judgment, and an excellent memory. All these gifts were freely and generously used in the work of our Society. She counted neither time nor strength dear unto herself ; gladly she gave herself, heart and soul, to the saving of the world for Christ, thinking no labor too arduous, no detail too trifling for her careful attention. We recall with wondering admiration those sixteen years, during which Mrs. Ewart presided over our affairs with unflinching devotion and untiring diligence. Especially do we linger in loving memory over those Annual Meetings, so full of bright and happy recollections for us all, over which our revered President reigned with that admirable grace and dignity so peculiarly her own ; and her yearly addresses, full of encouragement and wise counsel and warning, urging us on to nobler deeds and higher aims, never omitting sweet and gracious words of thanks to her fellow workers, and above all, humbly and gratefully acknowledging the hand of the Divine Helper, without whose blessing we labor in vain. Then again we see her in our business meetings, alert, clear-headed, fair dealing, guiding with consummate skill and tact, ever treating us with such infinite patience, courtesy and consideration. Now that she is gone we realize more than ever the beauty of her life and character, and how inexpressibly valuable were the services rendered by her, not only to our own Society, but to the whole Presbyterian Church, and we thank God for giving her to us for so long a time, and that He permitted her to continue in active service to the very end of her days, and then—" She was not, for God took her."

We would also convey to the members of the bereaved family these heartfelt, though but feeble, expressions of high appreciation and loving remembrance, assuring them of our warmest sympathy, and committing each one to the care of an all-wise Father, a tender Saviour, and the Holy Spirit the Comforter, that they may be comforted with that comfort with which God doth comfort His people.

On the retirement of Mrs. G. H. Robinson from the office of editor of the " Tidings."

Resolved,—That in view of the fact that Mrs. G. H. Robinson retires this year from the office of editor of the " Foreign Missionary

Tidings," we desire to express our high appreciation of the valuable services which she has rendered to the Society during the years in which the care and supervision of our little monthly visitant has devolved upon her. We deeply regret that she has found it her duty to retire from this branch of our work, but feel grateful that we may still retain her as a member whose counsel and advice may always be relied upon.

On the removal to another city of Mrs. (Prof.) G. L. Robinson.

Resolved,—We desire to place on record an expression of sincere regret at the departure from amongst us of our fellow-member, Mrs. G. L. Robinson. We are deeply sensible of the value of the services she has rendered to our Society, and to the Church at large, in her willingness to address our Branches, and her success in rousing enthusiasm for mission work. We part from her as from a dear sister and fellow-worker, and heartily wish her God-speed in the new home and surroundings to which she is going.

Allocation of the Money.

1. Moved by Miss George, Toronto, seconded by Mrs. Cook and agreed to:—"That the Treasurer of the W.F.M.S. be empowered to pay to the Foreign Mission Committee the sum of \$19,000, to be by them applied towards the expenses of the W.F.M.S. for the current year."

2. Moved by Mrs. McLean, Guelph, seconded by Mrs. McAllister, Iroquois, and agreed to:—"That the Board be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding \$1,000 to meet the expenses of the Ewart Training Home during the ensuing year."

Time and Place of Next Annual Meeting.

An invitation to hold the next annual meeting in Woodstock was extended by Mrs. McMullen, and accepted by the Society. It was also agreed to hold it during the first week in May.

Votes of Thanks.

On motion of Mrs. Cameron, Glencoe, and Miss Bethune, Toronto, a very hearty vote of thanks was passed to the missionaries present for their able and inspiring addresses.

A standing vote of thanks was given to Miss B. MacMurchy for her untiring work as Railway Secretary. Hearty votes of thanks were also passed to the ladies of Bloor-street Church, and to all friends in Toronto for their kind hospitality; to the Organists and Choirs; to the Trustees and Managers of Bloor-street and Cooke's Churches; to the Rev. Dr. Warden for auditing the Treasurer's books; to the Press for reports of the meeting, and to the Railway Companies for reduced fares.

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PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

DEAR CHRISTIAN FRIENDS,—The twenty-second year of our existence as a Woman's Foreign Missionary Society has come to a close, and we are met together this morning to thank God for His goodness to us during the past year, and also to render an account of our stewardship. The printed reports of the various Secretaries and Treasurers of the Board have been placed in your hands, giving a full account of the work done during the year, so that nothing more remains to be said in that regard; nor is it necessary for me to take up the valuable time of the Society with anything more than a few introductory remarks.

I well know that one thought is present to the minds of every one before me, as to-day we miss the familiar face and form of our late beloved President, who for sixteen years was wont to preside over our annual gatherings. On the afternoon of the 7th May last, God was pleased to call Mrs. Ewart suddenly, out from the shadows of earth, into the sunlight of His immediate presence. Her work on earth was done, and "she was not, for God took her" to enter on higher service in Heaven. She truly "fell asleep in Jesus" so gently was she gathered home. To day we miss her presence here—we have missed her at our weekly Board meetings during the year—and I need hardly say how much I, personally, have missed the wise counsel and companionship of her, by whose side I have sat, week by week, for so many years.

While we thank God for sparing Mrs. Ewart so long, to go in and out among us, and for all she has been to this Society, we at the same time rejoice that, although the workers are called away one by one, the work itself goes on.

Your Board had at once to brace itself for action, and take up the burden laid down by our President. It has endeavored to carry on the work to the end of the year, in the way she would have wished it done. It was also agreed to appoint no other President to fill the blank, until the Annual Meeting, the first Vice-President being left to discharge the office.

We all know how much the subject of a Missionary Training Home for young women looking forward to missionary work, whether in the Foreign or Home field, occupied the attention of Mrs. Ewart and the Board for several years. You will also remember that at our last Annual Meeting it was decided to set apart the sum of \$800 to meet the expenses of the Home for the year, and it was left with the Board to take the necessary steps to initiate the enterprise.

A joint committee of seven had entrusted to it the educational department. This body consisted of three members of the

Foreign Mission Committee, appointed by them, and four ladies appointed by the Board of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. A committee of twelve ladies was also chosen by the Board to take the oversight of the internal management of the Home. At a meeting of the joint committee, it was decided to carry on the work of instruction, much on the same lines as had been followed in 1877, the year after the formation of this Society. The services of the Professors of Knox College, and other competent teachers, were enlisted, and courses of lectures, Biblical, Doctrinal and Practical, were given in Knox College during the winter, for the benefit of the students in the Training Home and any other ladies who might wish to attend.

We feel truly thankful that God has gone before us in this work, removing difficulties as they arose, and enabling us to trust Him in every step of the way. To-day we rejoice that "with the good hand of our God upon us," we are able to report the "Ewart Missionary Training Home" an accomplished fact, and that many ladies, besides the students of the Training Home, have availed themselves of the privilege given to attend the lectures.

We much regret that Mrs. Robinson, editor of the "Foreign Missionary Tidings," has found it necessary to resign the work in which she was so long engaged and has conducted with such ability. But although retiring from this office, we trust the Board may still continue to have the benefit of Mrs. Robinson's valuable experience and counsel. We are glad, however, to state that the Board is able to present for the office to-morrow morning the name of one who it feels sure will prove a suitable successor.

The Board has been cheered from week to week, as the Home Secretary has read many encouraging items, which indicate that throughout the country a growing interest is apparent in the work, more systematic methods are employed for conducting the meetings, a quickened spiritual life evinced in many quarters, and an encouraging measure of liberality manifested.

The Treasurer's statement shows that the receipts are greater than those of last year. And we are sincerely thankful that the Society continues from year to year, as it has from the beginning, to make substantial advance in the amount of its givings.

At our last Annual Meeting, the deficit in the Foreign Mission funds of our Church pressed heavily on the heart of our late beloved President, and in her address she strongly urged us, as individuals, to help the Foreign Mission Committee to free themselves of this burden. A motion was adopted, that each member of our Society be asked to contribute at least 10 cents, as a thank-offering to God, for permitting us to exist as a Society for twenty-one years, with ever increasing prosperity and blessing; and that the money so contributed be forwarded, through the Treasurer of

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the W. F. M. Society, to the Foreign Mission Committee, to be applied by them towards reducing their deficit. While we regret that this request was not as largely responded to as we could have desired, probably on account of the time of year when the effort was made, still we are glad to know that a considerable sum was realized.

We all rejoice that this year there is no deficit in the funds of the various schemes of the Church, with one exception, and it is to be hoped that even for this scheme the amount may yet be forthcoming before the meeting of the General Assembly.

This year another call comes to the women of our Church, in which we cannot but feel a deep interest. Our Home missionaries in the Klondike are calling for consecrated Christian nurses, to care for the sick and dying. Can we, as Christian women, remain unmoved by this appeal? We may not, personally, have either sons or brothers there, but have we not the love of Christ in our hearts, which wells up strong within us, as we think of the many young men who have left comfortable homes and kind friends, and gone to encounter the privations and dangers of this new country? They may at any time be laid aside by illness, without having the care of a faithful Christian nurse, who can speak to them words of cheer and hope in their hours of pain and weakness. It is not our province, as a W. F. M. Society, to take up this work, but I am sure, as individuals, we will gladly do our part to help it on. Although we cannot go ourselves on this mission, we can send our substitutes, in the persons of consecrated Christian nurses. Our missionaries ask for them and we can give our means to send them forth; to be workers together with those devoted men who have left home and dear ones that they may there preach the gospel of Christ, which is "the power of God unto salvation, to every one that believeth." We have a special interest in this enterprise, because our Training Home prepares workers, both for the Home and Foreign fields, and it may yet be honored to provide laborers for this department of service.

Dear friends, God has been pleased to take from us our earthly leader, but Jesús, the Captain of our salvation, abides with us, and His promise, "Lo, I am with you alway," is ever sure. Committing ourselves to His leadership, we can look forward to the future with confidence. He will not deny us the wisdom and strength we need for His work.

And finally, let me say that, as in past years, the various branches of the Society have always given to the Board a cordial and loyal support, I would bespeak for our successors in office the same kind consideration. And may He who has been with us hitherto, and blessed us so richly, help us to be faithful to Him in the great work He has committed to our trust.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

In the report of the Board of Management of the W.F.M.S. submitted in 1897 it was noted that during the year there had been no change in the personnel of the Board. We cannot again say this, for scarcely had the work of the new year been entered upon when our beloved President, Mrs. Ewart, was taken from us, from the service she loved on earth to the higher service in the presence of the Master. Suddenly the call came, and with "no sadness of farewell" she went forth to meet her Lord. She had been connected with the Society since its formation, and for sixteen consecutive years had as president guided with wisdom, tact and untiring faithfulness the work committed to her charge. For us who remain may her memory ever be an inspiration to more earnest and devoted effort.

Many messages of sympathy from our Branches, from friends and from sister societies, all breathing respect and affection for her whom we loved and mourn, were received by the Board, and we know that she was worthy of all these tributes and loving memories.

Mrs. MacLaren, First Vice-President, at the request of your Board, has during the year presided over the meetings and guided the work of the Society.

Sorrow also came to the home of our Second Vice-President, Mrs. Ball, and for some months, since the death of her husband, she has resided in another city, and has only occasionally been able to be present at a meeting.

Owing to sickness and bereavement the Secretary of Publications was for a time unable to attend the meetings, and Miss Telfer was asked to fill the vacancy on the Board that she might present the work of the department.

We are grieved to report that the efficient and faithful editor of the *Tidings*, Mrs. G. H. Robinson, finds it necessary to retire from the position, and has sent in her resignation. The Board feels this withdrawal to be a serious loss to the Society. You will be asked to elect her successor. In connection with this the suggestion has been made that, if in the future it be found advisable to incorporate the editing of the *Tidings* with the work of the Literature Secretary, the question of remuneration for services in that department of the work would be a subject for consideration by the Society.

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In glancing through the records of the Board during the last twelve months we find that much of the time has been occupied with the usual routine work consequent to the management of so large an organization as the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society has now become. The many important items and details will be taken up in order by the several Secretaries, and presented to you in their reports. Your Board of Management would simply draw attention to a few facts coming more especially from the minutes. Thirty-nine regular weekly meetings have been held, and also fifteen of the Executive. At all of these the attendance has been satisfactory. During June, July and August only monthly meetings were held, as many members were out of town. Very frequently we have been privileged to have present fellow-workers from our Branches and others who may be temporarily in the city, and their word of greeting is always an encouragement. Mrs. Mackenzie and Miss McKellar, our missionaries on furlough, have also at times joined our Tuesday gathering and for the latter the Board undertook to arrange her tour among the Societies.

The day of special prayer on behalf of Foreign Missions was arranged for as usual in February, and the subjects for prayer given to our Branches through the *Tidings*. We trust that in other places meetings held were as earnest and inspiring as the one in Toronto.

The subject of the proposed Training Home, left at last annual meeting in the hands of the Board to mature, received early and earnest consideration, and after careful thought, by the blessing of God, arrangements were made to open the Home under the superintendence of Mrs. Ross, formerly of Brucefield. As a tribute of affectionate regard for the memory of our late President, with whom the founding of this Home had been a long-cherished desire, it was decided that it should be called 'The Ewart Woman's Missionary Training Home.' A report of the Secretaries of the Training Home Committees is here appended.

In closing our report we would again acknowledge with grateful hearts the guiding hand of our Heavenly Father, who has safely led us through another year. We rejoice in the progress made, and in the measure of success granted, and we pray that He will accept our feeble service and enable us to "press forward in humble confidence to do what in us lies to win the world for Christ."

ANNIE PLAYFAIR,

• Recording Secretary.

REPORT OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON INSTRUCTION FOR EWART MISSIONARY TRAINING HOME.

The Joint Committee on Instruction, appointed in accordance with the terms of the Constitution of the Training Home consists of three representatives from the Foreign Mission Committee and four representatives from the Board of the W.F.M.S. The Joint Committee for the first year, 1897-98, consisted of the Rev. Dr. Moore, Convener of the F. M. Committee, Rev. Dr. MacLaren, Rev. R. P. Mackay, Mrs. MacLaren, Mrs. Shortreed, Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Robinson, with Rev. Dr. MacLaren as Chairman, and Mrs. Robinson, Secretary. Five meetings of the Committee were held during the year. On September 21st a Plan of Study for the Training Home was adopted. This plan comprised courses of lectures, biblical, doctrinal and practical extending over six months, free, not only to students in the Home but to all women who might desire to attend.

In response to the request of the Committee a public Commencement Lecture on the "Missionary and Theological Training of Women," was delivered by Rev. Principal MacVicar of Montreal, in Knox College, on the 11th of October, 1897.

Classes in the various subjects named in the curriculum opened at Knox College on the 12th of October and continued till the close of the session. The attendance was good and a deep interest in the work was manifested. A Bible class was regularly conducted throughout the session in the Training Home by the Superintendent. One hour a week was also given to the study of elocution under the tuition of Miss Martha Smith, B.E.

With the kind consent of the Nursing-at-Home Mission, the students were privileged to attend a course of lectures by well-known medical men of the city on subjects connected with the study of nursing.

Examinations were held at the close of the lectures given at Knox College and also in elocution, by Miss Smith, with the pleasing result that the four students resident in the Home during the year passed creditably in all the subjects, ninety-four to ninety-eight per cent. being reached in several of the papers. Twelve ladies, outside of the Home, who had been attending the classes, also wrote on one or more of the examinations and received certificates of standing.

In addition to the scholastic training of the students, practical training in visiting and ministering to the sick poor of the city was

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carried on in association with the Toronto Nursing-at-Home Mission on four days of each week almost throughout the Term. Gratifying testimony as to the adaptability of the young women to this work and the efficient service rendered by them has been received from the Superintendent of the Mission.

By invitation of the Matron of the Mercer Reformatory, our students were able also to devote a small portion of time to Mission work for women in that institution.

The Committee gladly take this opportunity to acknowledge their deep indebtedness to the Rev. Principal Caven for a course of two lectures a week on the New Testament ; to Rev. Professor G. L. Robinson for two lectures a week on the Old Testament ; to Rev. Professor MacLaren for two lectures a week on Christian Doctrine ; to Rev. Professor Ballantyne for one lecture a week on Evidences of Christianity ; to Rev. Alexander McMillan for one lecture a week on Church History ; to Rev. J. W. Rae for one lecture a week, for half the term, on Teaching Methods and Sabbath-school Work ; to Rev. R. P. Mackay for one lecture a week, for half the term, on Missions and Mission Work, and to Dr. P. H. Bryce for six lectures on Health and Sanitation. Special thanks are due also to Miss Martha Smith, B. E., for Elocution lessons gratuitously given for the benefit of the Home.

These friends, by their hearty co-operation with the Committee, and by their valuable services so unselfishly rendered, have made it possible to initiate, in connection with the Training Home, a course of academic training which we do not hesitate to say is unsurpassed in thoroughness and excellence by any similar institution.

Along with the special training of missionary workers, in itself of immeasurable importance, we are convinced that much good will result in directing the attention of a considerable number of women, besides those in actual training, to the study of subjects eminently fitted to enlarge and enrich their minds and to qualify them for intelligent Christian service in all the walks of life.

The Committee are happy to announce that arrangements are being made to complete the second year's course of lectures along the same lines on which the first year's study has been so satisfactorily conducted.

With the sanction of the Committee a plan has been announced for summer work in the Home under the personal supervision of Mrs. Ross. This will embrace Bible and missionary study with practical work among the poor of the city, and will, it is hoped, be found useful to some who may not feel prepared to take the full course of training, or to any who may wish by this means to fit themselves more fully for S. S. work or for leaders of Auxiliaries or Mission Bands,

We are under deep obligation to the Managing Board of Knox College for the free use of the class-rooms of the College, and beg to return hearty thanks for this favor. We would also record our appreciation of the kindness of the Rev. Principal MacVicar in coming from Montreal to deliver the opening lecture. To the President and Board of the Nursing-at-Home Mission, of this city, we return sincere thanks for their kindness and courtesy in permitting our students to share in their most beneficent work for the suffering poor.

The Committee cannot close this report without placing on record an expression of humble and devout thanksgiving to the Giver of all good for guidance in the work undertaken throughout the year, and for tokens of the Divine favor and blessing on what has been accomplished.

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REPORT OF THE TRAINING HOME COMMITTEE.

The Committee appointed for the general oversight of the Training Home, with regard to the internal economy, consists of twelve members, who have control of the domestic arrangements, with power to make regulations for the maintenance of order and for the comfort and well-being of the household.

After the last Annual Meeting, this Society, having approved of the establishment of a Home and made a grant for the purpose, your late President, who had given the matter much thought, at once began the necessary arrangements. On the death of Mrs. Ewart it was learned that, ever mindful of the cause she had at heart, she had bequeathed to the Home her furniture and household effects, including books to form the nucleus of a library, and it was decided it should be named as a memorial of her, "The Ewart Missionary Training Home."

The services of Mrs. Anna Ross, as Superintendent, were secured, and, after much consideration, 540 Church St., the house occupied by the late Mrs. Ewart, was taken and has proved very comfortable. It is sufficiently commodious for a beginning, and it is peculiarly fitting that this house, hallowed by so many prayers for the cause, should be the first Training Home.

The opening service was held in the Home on the 8th of October. There was then only one candidate, shortly afterwards two more were received, and in December another, thus making four.

The Committee meet monthly on the first Tuesday of the month, and there have been during the year twelve special meetings. Members of the Committee have from month to month been in turn appointed weekly visitors to the Home. Their duty and endeavor has been not only to arrange for the comfort and needs of the household, but also to meet with the candidates from time to time and learn something of their fitness and adaptability for their future work.

As stated in the report of the Joint Committee, arrangements have been made for a short summer course of Biblical and biographical study under the charge of Mrs. Ross. This course may be from one to three months, and those taking it will reside in the Home. It is entirely distinct from the winter course prescribed for candidates, but there are, it is thought, many who will be glad of this opportunity for a few weeks' study in the Home during the summer months.

Now, at the close of the first season's work, we would thankfully acknowledge the Divine guidance and God's goodness in leading us step by step and in opening up the way before us. It was Mrs. Ewart's wish, and that of her co-workers, that the Home should be begun in a small way and grow as the need increased. This idea of a small beginning has so far been carried out. Our hope and prayer is that, in God's continued providence, the day of greater things is at hand, and that the Ewart Missionary Training Home may prove in the years to come a much-blessed link between the Church and the workers at home and those who go out from it to labor in the foreign field.

A. BELL,
Secretary of Committee.

ELIZABETH MACLENNAN, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE
EWART MISSIONARY TRAINING HOME.

RECEIPTS.

1897.			
To received from Treasurer W.F.M.S	\$800 00		
" Sale of Chiffonniere	5 00		
" Subscription from Mrs. Anderson	10 00		
" Interest on Bank Account	3 24		
			<u>\$818 24</u>

EXPENDITURES.

1897.			
By Mrs. Ross towards expenses	\$200 00		
" Rent to May 1st, 1898	145 00		
" Furnishing, Repairs, etc	54 70		
" Coal and Wood	57 65		
" Water Rate	6 20		
" Gas	16 39		
" Books, Printing, etc	28 36		
" Postage of Secretaries	1 45		
" Janitor Knox College, for services	5 00		
" Balance in Bank April 14th, 1898		\$514 75	
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PUBLICATION REPORT FOR 1897-98.

We feel that the report of a Publication Secretary is almost a report of what our different Auxiliaries and Mission Bands have been doing during the year. We cannot report any success unless it has come from you. If you were to withhold your support our work would come to a standstill. We might almost test the life of an Auxiliary by its thirst for information. If you are to be a progressive Society that information must be sought and gained. We do not say you must always seek it through our Society; there are many outside agencies that may be able to give you the desired information, but our Society seeks to do all in its power to help the Presidents and those appointed to lead the meetings to get all the latest news from not only our own mission fields, but from all parts where the Master's work is being carried on. We expect you to aid us in our work, and thus show your appreciation of the efforts the Society is putting forth to gather this information for you. We are glad to report a year of success in the work of the *Tidings*. The enlargement and change of name in our leaflet has given great satisfaction. Enlarged though it has been, the difficulty still exists of finding room for all the interesting matter that has been received from our many mission fields. Our editor has had to exercise a large amount of ingenuity at times to give a proper selection from the many letters put into her hands for the month's issue.

Last year we reported 14,800 as the issue of the *Letter Leaflet*; since the enlargement the subscribers have increased to 15,600. Still, considering the number of our members, we think the periodical of our Society should in the near future reach 20,000. This could be done by a little effort on the part of the Auxiliaries to have the *Tidings* in the home of every member. We commend the example of some of our churches who have adopted this plan with marked success. We have spent on the enlargement of *Tidings* \$122, the cover cost \$12, but we think it repaid the Society in the improved appearance it gave to our *Tidings*.

We have received from sale of *Tidings* during the year \$1,816.35, with interest of \$26.02, making a total of \$1,842.37; and have disbursed for the same \$1,319.85, leaving a balance of \$522.52.

We have now come to a part of our report which we are very sorry indeed to record, and which we know the Society will deeply regret. Mrs. Robinson, who for so long has been our able Editor, feels called upon from circumstances to relinquish her much-loved

work. This, we feel, will be a great loss to our work. All who are subscribers to the *Tidings* can bear testimony to the ability and good judgment she has always exercised as editor. The *Tidings* will ever remain as a monument of her work, and so long as our leaflet lasts the name of our first editor will ever be associated with it.

To our faithful young ladies who have helped the Secretaries to mail the *Tidings* we feel deeply indebted, and trust the Master will own the labor of their hands as a loving service done from a desire to help forward His cause.

Literature.

This part of the work has fallen short during the past year; our funds show a falling off of over \$84. There are one or two causes that may have tended to bring this about. We have always larger sales when the meeting is in Toronto. Another reason has been the want of maps; we have had few or none for the last two years. Though we cannot count our success in money, yet we feel our work has not at all diminished, but, on the contrary, increased. God has blessed it in bringing in some who formerly stood aloof. Many of our Presidents, and others interested in the work, have distributed large quantities of our free literature. This in some cases has led to the desire of helping in the work, and in a number of cases in the forming of new Auxiliaries in the district. Our Thank-offering leaflets and envelopes were in advance of last year. We were a little disappointed in the sales of the missionary annuals. We expect to have in time for our annual meeting a number of pamphlets of the "Pioneer Missionaries of the Church" at a price within the reach of everyone, namely, 5 cents. The Rev. Donald MacGillivray has kindly prepared for use in our Society a valuable pamphlet on the "Condition of Women in China." We desire in the name of the Board to tender to Mr. MacGillivray our appreciation of his valuable gift, and know it will help those who lead in our work to better understand the condition of society in that successful mission. We have a number of small leaflets, with a map attached to them, called "Flash Lights." These are of India, China, Syria, etc. You will find them on the literature table with a number of new publications.

Our mite boxes and envelopes are a little behind. The Scattered Helpers have been much used in our Auxiliaries, their use and mode of working being better understood. They are felt to be helpful in interesting those who cannot through circumstances attend our meetings.

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We are pleased to say that at last we have succeeded in securing a good map of the North-West the last issued by the Dominion Government. Those on paper, unmounted, we are able to sell at 50 cents, mounted, \$1.50. We have also secured a number of the mounted maps of India. These were in the hands of one of our publishing houses. We hope soon, with the aid of the Rev. R. P. Mackay, to have a full set of all the mission fields of our Church.

Another year of work in this department has closed. The results are in God's hands. It is our part to sow the seed, His to bless it. Let us not rest till by our efforts we have aroused all the women in our churches to realize the honor put upon them in being helpers in bringing a lost world to own Christ as its Lord and Master

RECEIPTS.

From sale of <i>F. M. Tidings</i>	\$1,816 35
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Arbuthnot Bros. & Co., <i>F. M. Tidings</i>	\$1,244 25
Presbyterian Publishing Co.	70 95
Contribution envelopes	56 30
Thank-offering envelopes	37 50
Fleming H. Revell Co.	45 71
Mite Boxes	20 40
Mr. N. T. Wilson, M. B. Exercises	4 00
Rev. R. P. Mackay, pamphlets	4 00
Life of Dr. Paton	2 25
Home Secretary's Record	6 50
Slips for day of Prayer	2 00
Wraps and Envelopes for <i>Tidings</i>	20 75
Reprinting wraps	1 50
Twine	2 67
Mounting map of Indore	1 25
Editor's postage	70
Secretary's postage on <i>Tidings</i>	27 20
Secretary's postage on Toronto P. S.	14 28
Express and parcel post on literature	42 45
Sundry small accounts	2 67
Balance paid general treasurer	578 71
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Audited and found correct, April 16th, 1898,

MARGARET CRAIG.

LITERATURE SOLD 1897-98.

<i>F. M. Tidings</i>	182,051
General Leaflets	24,171
Contribution envelopes ...	4,409
Thank-offering envelopes..	26,200
Mite boxes	2,504
Pamphlets	308
Missionary annuals	171
Scattered Helpers.....	1,291
Leaflet binders	8
Maps	3
Receipt books.....	26
Mission Band Exercises ..	9

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FREE LITERATURE.

<i>F. M. Tidings</i>	2,383
General Leaflets.....	5,065
Prayer cards	2,985
Envelopes	40
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REPORT OF FOREIGN SECRETARY.

Mission to Central India.

<i>Station.</i>	<i>Lady Missionaries.</i>	<i>Date of Arrival.</i>
Indore	Miss Marion Oliver, M.D.	January, 1886
"	Miss J. V. Sinclair	" 1889
"	*Miss Margaret McKellar, M.D.	October, 1890
"	Miss Janet White	November, 1893
"	Miss Jessie Grier	" 1893
"	Miss Bella Ptolemy	" 1895
"	Miss Rachel Chase, B.A.	" 1895
"	Miss Harriet Thomson	" 1896
Mhow	Miss I. Ross (resigned)	January, 1883
"	Miss Catherine Calder	November, 1892
"	Miss Jean Leyden	" 1896
Neemuch	Miss Agnes Turnbull, M.D.	" 1892
"	Miss Jessie Duncan	" 1892
"	Miss Catherine Campbell	December, 1894
Ujjain	Miss M. Jamieson	" 1889
"	Miss Jessie Weir	November, 1896
Dhar	*Miss Margaret O'Hara, M.D.	December, 1891
"	†Miss M. C. Dougan	November, 1893

WIVES OF MISSIONARIES.

Indore	Mrs. J. Wilkie	December, 1879
"	†Mrs. A. P. Ledingham	November, 1895
Rutlam	Mrs. J. F. Campbell	December, 1876
Mhow	*Mrs. N. H. Russell	" 1890
"	Mrs. J. F. Smith	" 1896
Neemuch	Mrs. W. A. Wilson	" 1884
Ujjain	†Mrs. J. Jamieson	" 1890
"	Mrs. C. R. Woods	" 1893
Dhar	Mrs. F. H. Russell	"
Amkhut	†Mrs. J. Buchanan	" 1888

Mission to China.

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Chu Wang	Miss M. J. McIntosh	November, 1889
"	Miss Jeannie J. Dow, M.B.	" 1895
Chang te Fu	Miss M. A. Pyke	October, 1896

WIVES OF MISSIONARIES.

Chang te Fu	Mrs. J. Goforth	March, 1888
"	Mrs. J. Menzies	October, 1896
Chu Wang	Mrs. M. McKenzie	November, 1886
"	Mrs. W. McClure	October, 1889
Hsin Chen	†Mrs. Wm. Malcolm	" 1898

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Mrs. G. L. MacKay (resident Formosa).	
Mrs. W. Gauld	November, 1892

* Home on Furlough.

† Sick Leave.

MISSIONS IN INDIA.

Indore.

CANADIAN WOMAN'S HOSPITAL.—Miss Marion Oliver, M.D., and Miss Thomson. No better way of approach to the hearts of the heathen can be found than through the ministry of medical missionaries, and especially while the patients are under treatment in the hospitals. Our missionaries were deeply conscious of this fact, and took due advantage of every opportunity to reach the hearts of the in-patients. Many women who came to the hospital weary of life because of their suffering, went away rejoicing in health, and with a new interest in their lives. In some cases those who returned to their homes made known to others what they had learned, and influenced them to come and hear for themselves. Care was taken to use no effort or inducement to attract these women, other than simply giving them the Gospel message and remembering them in prayer. The results, in several instances, testify that the Holy Spirit has been working in their hearts. A number of the famine orphans were under treatment as in-patients at different times; the matron's help in caring for these children was invaluable.

Out Patients.—In the hospital dispensary the Bible woman taught and conversed with the women while they waited for treatment. At Christmas the assistant, Annibai, yielded to the temptation of a larger salary and left to take a position in a government hospital. The dispensary in the city was part of her work; since she went away it has been open only two hours daily.

Village Work.—Visiting among the villages was not carried on as regularly as in the previous year. The matron spent her afternoon off duty, each week, in going with the Bible woman either to a village or mohulla. She also went daily with Miss Chase for a month. Dr Oliver made occasional visits, and in this way continued interest was shown in the village people.

The Hospital Dispensary was open for two hours twice a week to any who were willing to pay a small fee. These patients were Eurasians or Parsi women, who did not care to sit in the waiting room when it was full of women.

Workers' Meeting.—A morning meeting was held daily, at which the workers studied the Acts of the Apostles and the Epistles of James and John.

Sabbath School Work.—For several years a Sabbath school has been held in the waiting room of the hospital. It is composed mainly of women, several of them quite old, and the average attendance about twenty-five. Prizes were awarded to several of the

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Miss Thomson assisted in the hospital and other work as she was able, but devoted herself more especially to the study of the language. We are glad to report that she passed her first examination most satisfactorily.

Statistical Summary.—Number of in-patients, 269; of these 31 were famine orphans; average stay in hospital 14.6 days; number of out-patients, 66.33; number of treatments, 20,113; major operations, 47; minor operations, 217; receipts from sale of medicines, R. 205-10-6; fees, R. 426; total receipts, R. 631-10-6.

GIRLS' BOARDING SCHOOL.—Miss Sinclair. There were twenty-six girls in the school at the beginning of the year; some of them left and their places were filled by others. There are now twenty-nine, three of whom are from the Friends' Mission at Sehore. There are also four Parsi girls, all of the priest class, who come as day pupils for English. Two of the girls learned to play the little organ, and now read any hymn at sight; they always play the organ at their Y. W. C. A. and other meetings.

Several of the boarding school girls were married and are now teaching in different stations of our mission where their husbands are working. Gazaribai, one of the homeless, neglected ones taken into the school some years ago, assists Miss Grier in one of her city schools. She is the first unmarried girl to go out as a teacher, and has so far shown herself to be an earnest, consistent Christian. She earns a dollar and a half a month, out of which she gives a tithe to the Master, seventy-five cents for her board, and clothes herself with the balance. Two of the girls act very satisfactorily as pupil teachers in the boarding school. The Brahman pandit, who has been in connection with the school for years, is still doing good work, teaching up to the V. standard in the vernacular. In the English department the classes range from the primer to the V. standard, and all are taught by Miss Sinclair. In December little Daya, a sweet, gentle child, who had been more than five years in the school, died after a lingering illness.

Y. W. C. A.—The meetings were carried on by the girls. There was such an unusual amount of sewing to do that Miss Sinclair was unable to give the time to encourage them in making articles for sale; their earnings have, therefore, been less than ever before. The boarding school fees for the year amounted to R. 357-6-9.

Famine Orphans.—The event of the year was the coming of the famine children. The care of them entailed upon Miss Sinclair a great deal of extra work and anxiety, and for some time she had no matron to assist her. The battle against dirt, disease and death was one long to be remembered. In spite of watchful care and

nursing, twenty of them died, some of them quite suddenly, while others lingered for weeks. Miss Sinclair writes most appreciatively of the valuable service rendered by Dr. Oliver through that dreadful time of sickness and death. For eight months the orphans lived in Miss Rogers' old school-house, quite separate from the boarding school girls; now they live in the boarding school, but still cook and eat separately, as separate accounts have to be kept of the two departments. There are now twenty-eight orphans, all in good health; they are good workers and have made satisfactory progress in sewing and other branches. In August a most capable matron was engaged, who has greatly relieved and assisted Miss Sinclair in her heavy duties.

Sabbath School Work.—Dr. Oliver has for years had charge of this department, but there are now more pupils than one person can well manage. In the past year she taught the more advanced girls, Gazaribai, the younger boarding school girls, and Miss Sinclair the orphans and "wee bairns." The latter states that "the capacity of the children of India, be they Christian or heathen, for absorbing Bible instruction is most remarkable."

MANG WOMAN'S CLASS.—Miss White. Thirty-four women in attendance. Some had to leave the mohulla for a time to work in the fields in distant villages, and in this way the average was reduced. The interest in the Bible was always encouraging, and the meetings grew more devotional in character. Several of the women would lead in short earnest prayers, touchingly simple and humble in their expression of implicit trust in God. Six of them were awarded prizes by the Examining Committee, and a special prize was given to Girgi, one of the young women, for repeating the first twenty five questions of the Shorter Catechism without mistake. Fifteen were learning to read and write. All attended once a week for sewing and knitting; Bible lessons were given at all the meetings. The Sabbath meeting was conducted by Hannahbai, who has been associated with the Mang mohulla work ever since its beginning.

Zenana Work.—Visits were made almost daily by Miss White and her Bible woman. Thirty-two houses were open to them, and eighty-five women, Hindoo, Mahomedan and Parsi, were thus reached. In the rainy season death entered some of these homes, and gave special opportunity to speak of the love and sympathy of our Lord. Through the influence of one zenana pupil, whose husband was taken from her at that time, three houses were opened to Miss White in another part of the city, enabling her to reach sixteen women, through whom invitations came to visit other houses, and thus the way was opened up in

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The Camp School.—This school was opened in the camp bazaar in September. Teaching was carried on for two hours a day and zenanas visited before and after school hours. The attendance steadily increased, beginning with fifteen, there are now twenty-nine in regular attendance, besides some who come occasionally out of curiosity. Much interest was shown in the daily Bible lesson. Five prizes were awarded to the school by the Examining Committee. Fair progress was made in their regular studies; sewing was taught twice a week, and knitting promised to the best sewers. In January Miss White secured as a teacher Tulsiebai, one of the first and most advanced girls in the Industrial Home. So far she has proved very helpful. She is a fair scholar, and is still keeping up her studies under Mrs. Johory.

Sabbath School Work.—On Sabbath all met for a service; attendance about the same as in the day school.

Normal School Classes.—The difficulties met with in organizing this work seem to be almost overcome. School management was again Miss White's department. Previous subjects were entered into more fully, and to them were added kindergarten object lessons, moral training, registration, etc. Written examinations were held from time to time, with much better results than in previous year. Practical work was on the whole satisfactory.

PINJARI BAKAL (HINDI) SCHOOL.—Miss Grier. The staff is a good one; Gazaribai, another girl from the boarding school, is one of the teachers. There is an average attendance of forty. A girls' school was opened in Mullar Gunj; this school is in a wealthy part of Indore, and it was hoped that the people would be interested in having their girls educated. At first it was very successful, but after a time the attendance grew less owing to the circulation of foolish stories as to the dreadful things that would happen to the children attending the Miss Sahib's school. Huriebai is the only teacher in this school. There were about twenty in attendance.

Zenana Work.—Miss Grier was without a Bible woman, and the only visiting she could do was after school hours. Eight houses were visited regularly, and it is believed these visits were looked forward to with eagerness. Two of the calling women profess now to worship only the true God, and to pray morning and evening, but so far have not had courage to confess Christ in baptism. During the first part of the year no record of visits was kept, but since July 128 have been made.

MARATHI SCHOOL.—Miss Ptolemy. There was considerable sickness and one death among the teachers, also a good deal of

sickness among the children, during the rainy season. The rate of attendance was thus materially lessened; present average is eighty-eight. Many of the large girls continued to come, even some who are married. Many of them made good progress in their studies. Miss Ptolemy felt the necessity of providing them with good reading matter, and started a Marathi library in the school; the teachers are as yet the only ones who have made good use of it. In addition to the usual school subjects, sewing was taught for an hour each week, and the older girls have nearly finished a large patch-work quilt. A class in English was started for the more advanced girls.

Evangelistic.—It is difficult to separate the Sabbath school work from the daily Scripture lessons and say from which they learn most. On Sundays the life of Christ was taught, and during the week other special portions of Scripture. During the first part of the year the Bible woman worked in connection with the Marathi School on week days and taught a class in Sunday school. In December a Christian teacher was engaged to take the place of the one who died, and since then she and the Bible woman have visited houses regularly two days each week, and at other times when specially invited.

Normal Training Class.—Miss Ptolemy taught "Methods of Teaching." There were eight regular students, with others who came occasionally. They all passed a fairly satisfactory examination. More advanced work was taken up than in previous year. In practical work the improvement was especially marked.

COLLEGE WORK.—Miss Chase, in addition to her studies preparatory to her second year examination in Urdu, continued to teach F. A. and B. A. English in the Mission College, with an attendance of twenty-six students in all her classes.

Zenana Work—Four zenanas were visited once a week since they were opened to her. These houses are on the railway police lines, and she hopes that in time the whole line will be opened to her.

Sabbath School Work.—With the help of one of Miss Grier's teachers, she superintended the Sabbath school in connection with the day school in Mullar Ganj, which was opened by Miss Grier in July. On the first Sabbath there were twenty pupils, the number rapidly increased for some months until a false story was circulated, which reduced the attendance during the last quarter to about twenty-seven.

Village Work.—During a week's holiday, Miss Chase, with Miss Thomson and Dr. Oliver's Bible woman, visited eight villages around Simrole. After the Christmas holidays nineteen visits

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Mrs. Wilkie did not report on special work, but we know that much of her time and energies were devoted to the interests of the Industrial Home. In this institution the larger boys and girls are trained to industrious habits and to a knowledge of the way of salvation. The famine girls who were too large for the boarding school were placed in it. When last heard from there were sixty girls in the home.

Mhow.

SCHOOL WORK.—Miss Calder. In addition to her own work Miss Calder had supervision of the schools formerly under the care of Miss Ross. She reports seven schools and the attendance good throughout the year. The Bible woman and zenana teachers did good work.

Sabbath Schools.—These schools were well attended, and much interest manifested by the little girls.

Women's Class—This class was held on Sabbath and Friday afternoons, and the time thus spent with the women was profitable and pleasant to all concerned. The people were constantly asking Miss Calder to visit them in their homes, but it was impossible for her to overtake village work as formerly. The need for more workers at Mhow is most pressing. One person cannot begin to overtake the work, and the strain of such a charge is too great for any missionary to endure without resulting in ill effects sooner or later.

Miss Leyden reports having had excellent health, excepting during the rainy season, when she suffered from a severe illness which hindered her somewhat in her studies. She assisted in the native Sabbath school and other work as she was able, but most of her time was given to the study of the language.

Neemuch.

MEDICAL WORK.—Miss Agnes Turnbull, M.D. Three dispensaries were kept open throughout the year with a decided increase in numbers. Miss Bayley had charge of the work at Jawad, under the supervision of Dr. Turnbull and Miss Duncan. Her influence among the people of that place was very helpful. The Borah women showed especial interest in the teaching of the Scripture. One girl who gave up Mahommedism, and who is now being taught Christianity, is very happy in her new life. Her action raised

opposition and prevented some of the Mahommedans from attending the dispensary. There is much need in Neemuch for a home for such girls. Many poor creatures might then be rescued from ruin. More than the usual number of patients from the villages were treated in the dispensary, some major and many minor operations, and in the homes a number of most critical major ones. Many cases were the result of most inhuman treatment from relatives

House Visitation.—Among the patients visited in their homes was the wife of the City Governor. Her case was one of the few where all that loving care could do was done for the young wife, but without avail. Dr. Turnbull was frequently sent for to visit sick women in distant villages. In one critical case to which she was called, twelve miles distant, the Brahman priest interfered and she was not permitted to give the much needed help. Dr. Turnbull had no Bible woman of her own, but was assisted for a few weeks in the hot season by Miss Duncan's. Mrs. James rendered valuable service, and was ever ready to tell the gospel story in both of the Neemuch dispensaries in addition to all her other work. She also visited a large number of patients in their homes.

Village Work.—A number of villages were visited. Where previous visits had been made the people eagerly crowded around to receive treatment, in the new villages they were more timid. Many sad cases, resulting from neglect, were witnessed.

Famine Orphans.—These required a fourth dispensary, or kind of hospital. Most of them arrived in a very miserable state of health, many of them seriously ill, and all required careful treatment. Five died from complications due to starvation. The surviving twenty-nine have steadily improved, and although still under treatment for minor affections, they are now, without exception, strong and well.

Statistical Statement.—Number of patients, including dispensary and house patients, 4,576. Number of treatments, including dispensary, house and orphans, 27,671. Receipts from fees, sale of drugs, etc., R. 429-12-6.

CAMP AND CITY SCHOOLS.—Miss Duncan. The four schools were kept open nearly all the year. For some months teachers could not be secured for either the Chamar or City schools, but the former was managed nicely with the help of a Christian catechist kindly spared by Mr. Wilson, and the latter with the help of a heathen woman. Capable teachers have at last been engaged, a man and his wife. Under the former the Chamar school is in much better condition than ever before. This school was open in the evening most of the year with a good attendance of night pupils.

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The City School has advanced in some respects, but the attendance is not yet all that could be desired.

Camp School, No. 3.—This school increased much in numbers and efficiency. Two of the girls are studying English, after completing the fourth book of Hindi. There are classes in each book up to the fourth, and two of the girls regularly read the New Testament. The larger girls were taught the life of Christ and the Acts of the Apostles.

Jawad School was in a most flourishing condition during the greater part of the year. Miss Bayley has latterly had almost entire charge of it, assisted by the daughter of the Christian teacher. The Bible lessons were taught more thoroughly, and in many ways the school made advance.

Sabbath School Work.—Services were held in the four schools each Sabbath. The class for heathen women in the bungalow was continued for only half the year.

Zenana Work.—This work was carried on regularly, and was done after school hours. 1,106 visits were made in the city and camp in about forty-five houses. In December it gave place to village work. Rebecca's substitute continued to do a little, and latterly Marthabai has regularly visited eight families in the city. The blind woman sent to the Industrial Home, Indore, died last September. Before her death she gave evidence of a change of heart. Many of the zenana pupils are much interested in Christianity. Pecuniary aid was given regularly to a number of old people. In two of the schools a number of meetings were held for the women of those districts, and were well attended.

Village Work.—Much more was accomplished than during any previous winter. 4,600 people heard the Gospel by this means; 115 different villages were visited, which had never before been reached by Miss Duncan and Rebecca. Total number of visits, 122. In most cases they were received gladly, many seemed to listen earnestly, and not a few said they would never worship idols again. A week was spent in Jawad, and about twenty villages visited in that district.

SCHOOL WORK.—Miss Campbell. *Camp School No. 1* suffered many changes. A number of the larger girls went to the homes of their mothers-in-law, others were unwilling to come out of the bazaar to school, and as the rent of the building was high it was decided to remove to the bazaar. Then the famine orphans arrived, and the teacher was required to assist in caring for them. For three and a half months the school was closed for lack of a teacher, and because a building could not be secured to use as a Christian school. The rooms now occupied are not suited to the purpose, but even they cannot be retained, as the owner has asked

that they be vacated. The bunias own most of the houses in Neemuch, and they do not believe in female education, much less by Christian teachers. Only sixteen of the present pupils began the year in the school, but those who came later are rapidly falling into school ways. After the school was closed the fathers of some of the children asked if it might be re-opened as they were "unwilling to have their girls play about all day and learn to be idle and bad."

Camp School No. 2 has made good advance. At the close of 1896-97 the young teacher was struggling with about thirty unruly pupils, only one of whom had reached the second reader. The last report shows the same teacher with an assistant, and almost the same pupils, the latter much advanced in all their studies, and giving evidence that they have learned self-control in a marked degree.

Sabbath School Work.—The Orphanage Sabbath School opens at 9.30 every Sabbath morning; Camp School No. 2 at 10.30. The class in the bungalow for the children of the compound was kept up one-half of the year.

Zenana Work.—Ten houses were visited regularly until September 19th; after that Miss Campbell was compelled to devote her time and energies to the orphanage and schools. In January the new teacher began zenana visiting after school hours. Fifteen houses were open to her. Aged or crippled people in the bazaar were helped as in previous year.

Orphanage.—Thirty-three orphan girls and one little boy arrived in Neemuch on September 19th, many of them in an emaciated condition. A suitable house was rented in the bazaar, and the children placed in it in charge of Phifibai. Four days after their arrival Miss Campbell was taken ill, and Dr. Turnbull and Miss Duncan took her place in caring for the orphans during her illness. For some months they required almost hourly attendance, and Dr. Turnbull and her assistant spared no effort, but in spite of all that could be done five of them died. Measles broke out among them, but all got nicely over them. Miss Duncan attended to their food, clothing, etc., also to their mental and moral training, giving them as much time as she could spare from her own work. When Miss Campbell returned she found them much improved, and ready for regular work. School was opened on December 1st, with Mrs. James' daughter as teacher. Fairly good progress has been made; the girls do their own sweeping cooking, etc. On February 18th twenty-three orphans were taken in, making a total of fifty-two in the orphanage. These are also suffering from sore mouths, heads, fever, etc., but are on the whole a healthier lot than the first; only one of them is seriously ill. A more commodious building is now required.

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MRS. WILSON did not estimate for work, but assisted Mr. Wilson as she was able. Her special charge was the school at Bagana, and most interesting and full reports of it and the Jawad school have already been given through the "Foreign Missionary Tidings." It is not necessary, therefore, to repeat them, further than to emphasize the general efficiency of these schools, and the need of encouragement to those who are thus spending their strength to win souls and lives for Christ.

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MRS. CAMPBELL writes that the ordinary work among women and children was much hindered by the arrival of the famine people, and later by her own illness. The little girls' school reported last year was continued, but as it is not satisfactory at present it is proposed to unite it with one lately started by Mrs. Isaac's daughter, an experienced teacher. The school is continued at Jaora, and the little girls, all low caste, are making good progress. Visiting in the homes was continued as in former years.

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Sabjeemandee and Kote.—Miss Jamieson. Most of the scholars of last year have either left the city or are no longer allowed out of the zenanas. Those attending for some time have made good progress. A school was opened by the state, and special inducements offered to attract. As the parents preferred to send their children where Christian training was not given, the result was a reduction of numbers in both our high caste schools.

Mang School.—Irregularity in attendance, evil influence of the children's home life, and the limited accommodation the school-room affords hinder progress; but there is also much to encourage. Nearly all the children in the mohulla attend the school. Their ages range from four to eighteen; they are bright and readily influenced by kind treatment. Elementary Christian truths were taught them, and careful attention given to aid them to practise these principles in their lives. Signs of improvement are already apparent.

Blind Children.—One of the number died during the year, leaving a total of eight; five of these were famine orphans, the remainder day pupils. They were taught reading, writing and mental arithmetic; some of the boys were also taught basket making. Three have asked for baptism. One of the famine orphans is being trained for a teacher; another is now able to support himself as a servant. Only two of them were left at the close of the year.

Mohulla Work.—Seven different mohullas were visited with fair regularity. As a result of this work two young women wished to come to the mission to learn more about Christianity and to escape cruel treatment at home, but they could not be received for lack of a suitable place in which to protect them. An evening class for young women was held, at which sewing was taught in addition to Scripture lessons and singing of hymns. The Christian women and children met on Saturday afternoons. The children were taught by Miss Jamieson and Miss Weir, and the women gave reports of their week's work. The Sabbath school lessons and the Book of Hebrews were the subjects studied in the class during the year. The usual Sabbath School work was carried on in three of the day schools.

Miss Weir assisted in the work as she was able, but most of her time and attention were given to the study of the language. She passed her first year's examination very creditably, and intends taking up the study of Gugarati in place of Urdu for her second year, to enable her to work among the Borahs in Ujjain.

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Dr. Margaret O'Hara has completed her first term of mission service in India, and has been exceptionally blessed with good health throughout the whole term.

The New Dispensary was formally opened on June 22nd. It is beautifully situated, commodious, and in every way suited to the requirements. This dispensary is a practical expression of the interest of friends in India.

City Dispensary.—The attendance varied according to the season. Many sad and interesting cases were cared for during the months when food was so scarce. Ten of the little famine-orphans remained at the mission; there were blind, maimed, lame and diseased among them. Mrs. Russell and Sonibai gave much attention and care to them, and the change in their condition is truly wonderful.

Bible Women.—Gaujabai assisted in the city dispensary, and also visited several families giving Bible instruction and teaching the women sewing, etc. Murabai an old woman over sixty years of age, conducted the services in the new dispensary, visited one village near the city twice a week and preached the Word in season and out of season.

Miss Dougan's two Bible women worked together visiting the zenanas and mohullas. Since Miss Dougan left, Mrs. Russell has had one of them to help her with the orphans, the other continued to visit the houses and districts as formerly.

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Village Work.—This was undertaken in company with Mr. and Mrs. Russell and two catechists. Gospel meetings were held and medicines dispensed gratuitously. Many pitiable sights were witnessed and whenever possible, helpful treatment was given. In most cases it was received gratefully.

School Work was carried on by Miss Dougan amidst many difficulties, not the least of them being her own ill-health. She struggled on bravely until compelled to give up and return to Canada. The attendance has been more regular during the last quarter than in the previous three. There were three teachers for part of the year, but one had to give up on account of illness.

Sabbath Schools.—There are two Sabbath schools for girls in connection with the day schools, and the attendance is about the same as on week days. In the dispensary, all the Christian children meet one hour before the evening service. Since the orphans came they also attend, and have committed to memory the Golden Texts and a number of hymns. Several of the children in this school profess to have had a change of heart.

Statistical Statement.—No. of in-patients, 63 ; house patients, 257 ; treatments in houses, 619 ; treatments in villages, 1,168 ; No. of dispensary patients, 5,634 ; No. of dispensary treatments, 10,073 ; receipts from fees and sale of drugs, R. 212-6.

MISSIONS IN JAPAN.

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No report has been received of the work of the Bible women, Matron and Coolies connected with the girls school. Our society is responsible for a specified sum for the maintenance of the pupils and for the salaries of these native workers.

MISSIONS IN CHINA.

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CHU-WANG.—Miss McIntosh reports encouragement in the work. A class, begun two years ago with three women, now numbers ten and five others are on probation. Three of them rendered valuable assistance in instructing the station class, and all are willing to assist in visiting in the town or villages as opportunity offers.

Station Work.—Morning worship, attended by the servants, in-patients and a few near neighbors, was conducted by the ladies in rotation. Arrangements were made in the chapel so that the women were able to meet for public worship.

Bible Class.—The attendance at this class was well kept up.

While the missionaries were absent from the station, the women met at the house of one of their number, and, as a proof of their presence, they contributed a cash a week. The amount thus given was placed in the collection basket after the return of the missionaries.

Training Class.—For some months a class was taught five days in the week. At the end of May, five of its members were recorded catechumens. It has now taken the form of a training class, which meets twice a week, and has for its object the education of its members in the elementary principles of Christianity. Mrs. Chang was baptized last autumn, and has shown a beautiful spirit of humility, constantly bearing witness for her Saviour. The first Christian marriage ceremony was performed in the women's chapel, the bridegroom being the youngest son of Mrs. Chang. The young couple and mother, who is a widow have family worship each evening, and already influences are reaching out from that little Christian home that must tell for good in the years to come.

Station Class.—This class was continued for seventeen days. Four of the women came from a distance, two of them bringing their infants with them. They were taught a simple catechism, Scripture lessons, hymns and Chinese characters. At the close of the session three of them were received on probation, the fourth was already on the list.

Evangelistic Work.—This work was carried on constantly amongst in-patients and out-patients, and most of them had opportunity to hear more or less of the Gospel, and in this way the Word has been carried far and near. In Chu-wang twenty-four visits were paid, the missionaries in most cases being accompanied by Mrs. Chang or some of the other women.

Village Work.—Fourteen visits, eight of which were in new villages, were made, and with one exception a kindly reception was given. No regular, systematic work has as yet been attempted in any of these villages.

MISS JEANNIE DOW, M.B., reports that most of the time, as before, was given to Chinese study. On February 14th she began Sabbath School with five little girls. For the twenty-seven Sabbaths on which the children gathered, the attendance averaged eight, no record being kept of those who were present only once. Seven were present twenty days or over. These little girls, though but a handful, are not without promise. Since October, the conducting of morning Chinese worship has fallen to Dr. Dow every third week, and she writes that "it is good to be once more in the way of receiving the stimulus to one's spiritual life which accrues from ministering to the souls of the weak and unsaved." The Woman's Dispensary and Chapel were opened on November 15th ; since that

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date the weather has been cold, and there have not been many patients, few from a distance venturing to face the discomfort of travelling in winter. Total treatments from Nov. 15th to Dec. 31st, 467; number of patients treated, 122, including 7 surgical operations.

CHANG TE-FU.—Mrs. Goforth gave all the time and strength she could to mission service, but additional family cares rendered it impossible for her to meet the many demands of outside work. She reports a specially busy time during the Chinese New Year's season. Day after day for several weeks crowds of women and children visited the mission. For some Sabbaths she was compelled to hold the Woman's Bible Class outside because of the numbers.

Station Class.—This was a curiously mixed class of all ages, with three grades of study, the Primer Catechism, and New Testament. Mrs. Goforth has long felt the need of a Bible woman, and is now encouraged to believe that Mrs. Chang is a woman called of God to fill that position; she gives promise of doing efficient service for the Master.

MISS PIKE taught a class of girls twice a week, and assisted in such other Mission work as was possible, in addition to her study of the language. Her health has been good, and she seems to have enjoyed her first year in Honan.

Gifts and Prizes.

Peterborough Presbyterial Society provided very liberally for this department. Generous donations were also sent from other Auxiliaries and Bands throughout the Society. The gifts and goods thus contributed for our mission schools in India were on the whole most appropriate, and many expressions of gratitude have been received from the missionaries in charge. The boxes were sent by freight and shipped for Bombay on the 21st of September, but did not reach the several mission stations in time for distribution on Christmas Day. They all arrived safely, however, and in time for their contents to be of valuable help to our missionaries. The total weight of goods shipped to India was 1,700 lbs.

The box of gifts sent to Trinidad by Chalmers Church Auxiliary, Quebec, was much appreciated by Mrs. Morton. The gifts were most suitable, and a great encouragement to all concerned. We are glad to state that the valuable box addressed to Miss Sinclair, which was reported missing last year, reached her most unexpectedly some months later. Its contents afforded the pupils of the boarding school much profitable recreation and study.

The report of our Foreign work for 1897-98 is now before us in general outline. It speaks to us of love for Christ, and His needy ones, as manifested in the unwearying, self-denying service of those who represent us in our distant mission fields. But the half has not been told! The many details of the work which occupy so much of the time and attention of the workers, and make such heavy demands upon their strength of mind and body, cannot find a place within the limits of a report. The past year was one of severe trial to many of our missionaries. Some were laid aside by serious illness and subsequent weakness. The famine orphans were a heavy drain upon the sympathies and strength of those who had them in charge, restrictions in carrying on the work because of limited means, and scarcity of helpers; these and other burdens scarcely alluded to in the report added very materially to the daily cares of our missionaries. Yet in their reports there was little that told of discouragement. On the contrary, there was thankfulness expressed for past guidance and mercies, and a brave determination to prove loyal to the Master, and press forward in His work trusting Him to scatter the clouds that darken the present outlook, and prosper His work in His own good time and way.

The great loss that came to our Society and to many of us as individuals in the removal of our beloved and esteemed President, Mrs. Ewart, was deeply felt by our missionaries who had learned to look to her as to a dear "Mother in Israel," for loving counsel and sympathy in their times of perplexity and trial. Many grateful tributes to her memory were received from them, all testifying to an affectionate regard for a tender and true friend.

Continued ill health compelled Miss Dougan and four of the married missionaries to return to Canada. Mrs. Buchanan was unable to accompany her husband when he returned to India and Mrs. Ledingham has lately come to New York to seek special treatment for her little daughter. Our sympathies are with these afflicted ones. May the way be opened up before them and deliverance and blessing given according to the infinite love and wisdom of Him who doeth all things well. Mrs. McKenzie's child has greatly improved in health by his sojourn in Canada, and it is expected that mother and son will shortly rejoin Mr. McKenzie in Honan.

The work has progressed in various directions in spite of the many hindrances, and the power of the Holy Spirit has been evidenced by marked change in not a few lives. The Gospel message has been given to multitudes and, in many instances, faith in idolatrous worship has been shaken. We believe that the good seed thus scattered far and wide will yet bring forth an abundant harvest to the glory of God. The Home Secretary refers in her report to the good work done by Dr. Margaret McKellar in inspiring our

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home workers to a deeper interest in Foreign Missions. We rejoice in what she has accomplished, but realize that it was at far too great a cost. For many weeks she has been laid aside from all active work, and for a time doubts were entertained as to whether she would ever be able to resume her duties. She has, however, been graciously restored to health, and we trust this experience will make us, as a society, more careful in our demands from our missionaries. They return to us eager to help the work at home as well as abroad, and the home workers all desire to be stimulated by their words. But we need to remember that their furlough is given them that they may be refreshed in mind and strengthened in body before returning to their field of labor, and that it is an injustice to them and a weakness to the work to deprive them of the quiet and rest that is their due when on furlough. Let us, as Auxiliaries and Bands, *rouse ourselves* to deeper interest and strengthen our faithful missionaries by our sympathies and prayers and give them opportunity for needed rest. Miss Ross has not gained in health as she had hoped, and has lately handed in her resignation to the F.M.C. as she feels that it would not be possible for her to return to India when her furlough ceases. It is a matter of deepest regret when one of our tried and faithful missionaries feels called upon to give up the work she loves so well, and which needs her so much. May she be yet strengthened to do good service for the Master where it may be His will to place her.

One point in the reports from India and Honan we wish to emphasize, that is, the appeal for more workers. The present staff is altogether inadequate to the requirements of these mission fields. Especially is there need for lady medical missionaries. New portions of the fields cannot be entered because the laborers are few, and many parts already taken possession of cannot be worked with efficiency because the burden is too great for those who are left to carry on the work. May the Lord of the harvest touch the hearts of some our consecrated young women of ability and education to respond to this call for laborers, and may the women of our Church give with increasing liberality to meet the requirements of the work; then shall the hearts of our missionaries be encouraged, and the work of the Lord strengthened.

M. SHORTREED,

Foreign Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY FOR INDIAN WORK IN THE NORTH-WEST AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Names of Missionaries, Teachers and Matrons.

MISSION.	STAFF.
Mistawasis	Rev. W. S. Moore, Missionary. Mrs. Moore. Miss Gillespie, Teacher.
Makoce Waste Reserve. (Prince Albert)	Miss Lucy M. Baker, Teacher. Miss McIlwaine, Assistant.
Regina School.....	Rev. A. J. McLeod, Principal. Mrs. McLeod. Mr. H. Stewart, Assistant Principal. Miss Cummings, Matron. Miss Dunsmore, Teacher. Miss Nicoll, Teacher. Mrs. Moffat, Sewing Instructress.
Lakesend School.....	No Missionary.
Muscowpetung } Piapot } Pasquah } File Hills School.....	Jacob Bear. Mr. A. Skene, Teacher. Mrs. Skene, Matron.
Round Lake	Rev. Hugh McKay, Missionary. Mrs. McKay, Matron. Mr. D. A. McKay, Teacher.
Crowstand	Rev. Neil Gilmour, Missionary. Miss Carson, Matron. Miss Gilmour, Assistant Matron. Miss Petch, Teacher.
Birtle School	Mr. W. J. Small, Principal. Miss McLaren, Matron. Miss McLeod, Assistant Matron.
Birdtail	Rev. John McArthur, Missionary. Mrs. McArthur.
Okanase	Mr. R. C. McPherson, Missionary and Teacher Mrs. McPherson.
Rolling River.....	Mr. W. J. Wright, Missionary. Mrs. Wright.
Portage la Prairie.....	Miss Fraser, Matron. Miss Laidlaw, Teacher Mr. H. Laidlaw, Assistant Teacher
Pipestone	Mr. John Thunder, Missionary. Mrs. Thunder.
Lizard Point	Mr. John Black, Missionary.
Hurricane Hills	Rev. Ewan McKenzie, Missionary. Mrs. McKenzie.
Moose Mountain.....	Mr. F. T. Dodds, Missionary. Mrs. Dodds.

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The reports received from our missionaries are nearly all very encouraging ; only in one or two is there a note of discouragement, owing to the tendency of some of the Christian Indians to take part in pagan religious dances, and to yield to the temptation to strong drink. As is usually the case the work amongst the young is the most prosperous. Two of the boys who have been trained in our Mission Schools are rendering good service, having charge of the outdoor work at Alberni and Birtle, and several others are acting as interpreters. In the report of Indian affairs for 1897 it is stated that there is no decrease in the number of Indians in the Dominion ; it remains about the same—100,000.

Mistawasis.—Latterly there has been a marked improvement in the spiritual tone of this community, and two young people have come forward testifying to their conversion, and others are enquiring the way. Four have been added to the Communion roll during the year, and 9 removed—2 by death and 7 for discipline ; 14 infants have also been baptized. Twenty-seven dollars were contributed by the congregation for the Schemes of the Church. This is not a large sum, but individual Indians gave regularly, and are beginning to realize their obligation in the matter.

School.—Miss Gillespie, formerly of Crowstand, succeeded Miss Laura McIntosh as teacher in this school. The attendance has increased, and there is a marked improvement in the interest taken by the children in their work. Miss Gillespie writes : “ The work is most encouraging. All are interested in the way of salvation ; six have told me they have given their hearts to Jesus. We have certainly great cause to praise and magnify His name.”

Lakesend School.—We are sorry to report that this school is still closed. Owing to the deficit in the F. M. Funds, the estimates for Indian work were so reduced that the N. W. F. M. Committee were unable to make any appointment.

Muscowpetung, Pasquah and Piapots Reserves.—Mr. Jacob Bear, the Rev. Hugh McKay's Indian assistant, has spent part of the year among these Indians. The following is an extract from his report, written after leaving these bands : “ I trust the people in the west have a missionary of their own by this time, or they (the Indians) will be much disappointed. They were thinking that the Church was throwing away her children when they were left without a missionary, and they did not like that their children or any person dying should be buried as the heathen, and they feel bad when there is no missionary to gather them together on the Sabbath and teach them good things.” Much of Mr. Bear's work was done in the homes, where he would read God's Word and pray with them. On Sabbath, from 6 or 8 to 25 of them would gather together for service. Mrs. Bear accompanied her husband

and was a great help to him. She reads the Bible both in English and Cree; she visited the women in their homes, talked to them about their salvation, and the old women would listen to her when they would not to a man. There are 24 professed Christians in these bands.

File Hills School.—"The work during the past year has moved on very smoothly. Four of the boys were working out last summer, and gave good satisfaction; two of them go back to their old places with increased wages." Eight of the children, six boys and two girls, having expressed a desire for baptism, their wish was complied with, the Rev. Mr. Burton administering the ordinance. Mr. Skene says: "I am thankful they have taken this step; I feel satisfied they are honest as far as their knowledge goes." The government gave a grant of \$240 for the enlarging of the school building. This was done, and the schoolroom is now large, light and comfortable. The Indians have lived very well this winter, nothing of the destitution of former years, but when they come to spiritual things they are as much in the dark as ever. The grant for maintenance has been increased from 10 to 12 children.

Round Lake.—Mr. McKay writes: "It is with feelings of gratitude to God that we send this report at the close of year's work at Round Lake. The Lord has given to His servants health and strength, and many of the comforts and joys of life. While engaged in His work we have felt that His promise has been kept, 'Lo, I am with you always.' Services have been held at Goose Lake, Gaddies, Kewestahaws, Kennies and Round Lake, with an average attendance of 10, 20, 15, 15, 50. The number of Indian communicants is 24, not Indian, 9; added during the year, 4; removed by death, 2; from other causes, 4; adult baptisms, 2; infant baptisms, 8. We have been trying to keep up services at the different stations in our field, and in visiting the west end we have a drive of eighty miles. The two church members who were removed by death gave us a beautiful proof of the fact that 'the Gospel is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth.' One young woman whom I visited often, spoke with a beautiful assurance; I always found her Bible on her pillow, and as long as she was able she went to it for comfort. She always asked me to read; one time it was 'Let not your heart be troubled,' at another 'Who is he that condemneth?' The night before she died she was scarcely able to lift the book, but she whispered, 'Read God so—loved—the world—that—He—gave—His—only—begotten—Son. That—is—the best—of all.' The attendance at the school has increased; there are 35 names on the roll, and the average attendance was 33. The Indian Department increased the grant for maintenance from 20 to 30 children.

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"Cottage Hospitals.—We had two small houses near the mission, where not a few old people were kept through the winter; during the months of January and February about twenty were almost entirely supported by the mission; they were old men and women over sixty years of age and a few sick people. The supply of clothing was a blessing, and I know many poor old hearts blessed God for putting it into the hearts of the good women of the east to show pity to the poor Indian."

Birtle School.—The average attendance for the year was 42, and the number registered at the close of the year was 48. The progress made has been very satisfactory, especially among the younger ones. At the age of 4 or 5 they learn the English language very quickly, and in the schoolroom make the best progress, thus showing the advantage of early attendance at school. Two of the children were baptized during the year, on their expressing a desire to be followers of Christ. The industrial record of the school has been very good, 5 girls and 4 boys were working out last summer, and all gave good satisfaction. These children have nearly all been asked for again this summer, by those who employed them last year. Hugh McKay, a former pupil of this school, and of the Regina Industrial School, is now a member of the staff, and is giving good satisfaction. In the report of Indian affairs for 1897, Mr. Markle, the agent, writes as follows: "Hugh is a beacon that so far has not proved to be a false light, but one who I believe is illuminating the shoal and rocky waters for his race to follow through into a secure harbor. This is cited to give evidence of the good work the schools are accomplishing, and in the hope that those who instructed him, and others engaged in like noble work, will thereby be encouraged." The Principal, in concluding his report, says: "We do not know what we would do were it not for the kindly and intense interest of the W.F.M.S. It gives us courage when we remember that we have such power at our backs."

Bird Tail Reserve.—Mr. McArthur writes: "We have much cause for thankfulness to God for tokens of His blessing on His work during the past year. There are now on the communion roll 23 names; 5 were added during the year, 4 were removed by death; 7 adults were baptized, and 8 infants. Total contributions for church purposes, \$52—of this \$32 was from the W. F. M. Auxiliary—\$10 was for the missionary's salary, and \$10 for the Schemes of the Church. The Indians hold a prayer-meeting themselves every Saturday night from house to house. The Tuesday evening meeting was given up during the winter on account of the cold. The Auxiliary meets every Thursday, and the women find the meeting a great blessing. A congregational meeting was

held last Tuesday to see what the Indians could do in the way of helping to build a church, which is very much needed. They entered heartily into the matter, and undertook to haul all the stone for the foundation, the material for the church, and to do such work as they were able to do in the building, also to provide, if possible, the flooring. The women are to try to provide the seats. We hope the F.M. funds will be such as to enable us to go on with the church this summer." A daughter of Solomon Tuncausicyie, the first missionary to this reserve, came here with her husband last fall, he was not then a professing Christian, but attended the services regularly, and after a time asked for baptism. This ordinance was administered a few weeks ago."

Okanase Reserve.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McPherson are still in charge of the work, and report that they have many reasons for encouragement and thankfulness to God, although there have been some discouragements. Service is conducted twice on Sabbath in the new school-house, which was built last summer by the Indian Department. The attendance at church and school is now regular since the new building was erected, it being on the reserve, and nearer the homes of the Indians. The average attendance at church through the winter was 60 in the morning and 30 in the afternoon. About 20 attend the Wednesday evening prayer-meeting, and several will lead in prayer. The attendance at school has also increased, and is more regular; the children are making good progress. Mrs. McPherson has charge of the industrial part of the work; the girls are taught sewing and knitting; the instruction they receive in thrift, order and neatness will surely tell on their future well-being. A new house was erected last fall for the missionary, who reports it as very warm and comfortable. During the year the Rev. George Flett has been called home; he entered the service of our Church, in connection with the Indian work, at its inception, with the Rev. James Nisbet. He will be much missed by his people, among whom he labored faithfully for many years.

Rolling River.—Mr. Wright, the missionary on this reserve, is rejoicing over the first convert, "who, a short time, was one of the greatest enemies of the Gospel but now has taken his stand for Christ, and is living by faith in the Son of God." Mr. Wright has had no interpreter for some months, and writes that he has learned more of the language in that time than in the previous three years and nine months. There are two services every Sabbath, and the attendance shows an increased interest.

The Indians have worked well, have provided for their families, and are becoming much more independent. Only two or three keep up their old habit of begging.

Portage la Prairie.—Miss Fraser writes: "The school work on

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the whole has been encouraging. There has been an increase both in numbers and interest, and in the home life and religious training decided progress has been made. In November, Mr. H. Laidlaw was appointed assistant in school work, and he has aided the ladies very materially. The girls who were trained in the school, and are now earning their own livelihood, continue to do well, and there are constant demands for the services of others. The work at the Indian village has been very interesting. Services have been well attended when the Indians were at home, and they are year by year, showing more disposition to depend on themselves. While we see progress in material things, we have reason to rejoice in their spiritual advancement. The first communion service at the Indian church was held last fall, and five members were received on profession of faith.

Pipestone Reserve.—During the year the old chief, Shunka Washta; was baptized, and has exhibited a Christian spirit under much persecution from his family and friends. There are now two baptized Christians on this reserve (in addition to the native missionary and his wife), and another has asked for baptism. The missionary has experienced much opposition from his fellow-countrymen, but has been encouraged by seeing some fruit of his labors. There were two services on the Sabbath—in the morning at eleven o'clock, with an attendance of from 15 to 18; in the afternoon, Bible study, at which 6 or 8 were present. The people listen attentively, and enjoy the singing. Mrs. Thunder has carried on a class for sewing and knitting among the women, with an attendance of 8, who have made considerable progress. The Pipestone Indians sent, through their missionary, a contribution amounting to \$15.60 for mission work in China.

Hurricane Hills Reserve.—The Rev. Neil Gilmour was transferred from this mission to Crowstand in July, and Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie were appointed to this reserve. The Sabbath services are well attended, the average attendance at both morning and evening services being about 40. Mrs. McKenzie conducts a Bible class at 3 p.m., and although the attendance is irregular, it is nevertheless interesting. A week-day class has been conducted for young men with an attendance of four. None of the Indians have made a decided profession of faith in Christ, but God's Word is touching their consciences, and they feel it. We understand the people better now; we receive no opposition, and can enter their homes at any time. Mrs. McKenzie has taught several of the women to sew, and four quilts have been made. Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie are studying the language with the aid of the interpreter, who is the chief's son, and was educated at Regina Industrial School.

Crowstand Reserve.—On the resignation of the Rev. C. W. Whyte last June, the Rev. Neil Gilmour was appointed to the charge of this reserve. He conducts two services on the Sabbath—one in the church, which Mr. Gilmour says is not as well attended as it should be, and the second at Two Creeks, twelve miles distant, in one of the Indian houses. There are some very earnest Christians among them, but many who profess to be followers of Christ have not yet given up all their heathen practices.

School.—There are 37 pupils enrolled in this school, and the average attendance last quarter was 34. Miss Petch succeeded Miss Gillespie as teacher. Excellent work has been done in the classroom; the girls are also taught housework in its various branches, and the boys farming, care of stock, etc. The older children attend the morning service at the church; all attend Sabbath school in the afternoon. A children's service is held at the school in the evening, which some of the Indians living near the school also attend. On Monday evening they meet for Bible study, and on Wednesday evening the Christian Endeavor Society, to which all the older children belong, holds its meeting; then on Saturday evening an hour is given to the study of the Sabbath school lesson. The children are well instructed in Bible truths, and will compare favorably with any Sabbath school children in the east.

Regina Industrial School.—Number of pupils on the roll, March 31st, 1855, but on April 28th (graduation day) 33 of these boys and girls will receive an honorable discharge. Some of these will go out to work, and some back to their reserves.

On April 2nd, Mr. McLeod completed his seventh year of faithful work. Very great changes have taken place in that time; many who entered the school uncivilized pagans are now earnest Christian young men and women. "A very interesting prayer-meeting, sometimes conducted by a teacher and sometimes by one of the pupils, is held every Wednesday evening. On an average, about four hundred Bible verses are memorized each week. The interest in the different societies in the school continues to increase. The Literary Meetings have been very good; the C. E. Society has not increased much in numbers, but the spiritual life has greatly improved within the last year; the members take the meetings in turn. Two of the boys, Herman and James Friday, have become teachers in the Sabbath School, the Primary Class, numbering 35, having been divided between them. The Mission Band is not losing interest in the work; they have quite a number of articles made and ready for a sale."

Makoce Waste Reserve.—Miss Baker writes: "You will rejoice with us that the opposition to sending the girls to school has

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Miss Cameron, who has assisted Miss Baker in this work for so many years, was obliged to retire on January 1st on account of the death of her father, and Miss McIlwain, formerly of Crowstand, was appointed her successor.

Lizard Point Reserve.—Mr. John Black, missionary on this reserve, writes: "Service is conducted every Sabbath. Five infants have been baptized during the year, and two adults have turned from their evil ways to serve Christ."

Moose Mountain Reserve.—There are three reserves included in this mission. The Indians on White Bear's reserve, near which the mission house is situated, are Assinaboines, and the other two bands on the western end of the mountain, about thirty-five miles distant, are Crees; so that the missionary labors under the disadvantage of having charge of bands separated not only by distance, but by language and nationality. Mr. and Mrs. Dodds were appointed to this mission last summer, and have been very successful in winning the confidence of the Indians. Many, who would not listen to the Bible, are now quite interested in hearing it read. Several of the Indians can read and write in the syllabic characters, and there seems to be a growing desire amongst them to learn more of the Bible; they speak freely of what they read and ask questions about anything they do not understand. A mission house was erected early in the spring, which the missionaries have found very comfortable. A room was added in the fall for the use of the Indians, and has been a great help; indeed, Mr. Dodds says he does not know what he would have done without it. This room is kept warm, and the Indians can come in at any time and be comfortable. "At the time of the last treaty payments, there were 208 Indians on this reserve, including men, women and children."

Mission to the Indians in British Columbia.

Names of Missionaries, Teachers, etc.

MISSION.	STAFF.
Alberni	Miss Johnston, Matron. Mr. Bishop, Teacher.
Dodger's Cove	Mr. Swartout, Missionary. Mrs. Swartout.
Ucluelet	Miss Armstrong, Teacher.
Ahousaht	Mr. Russell, Teacher. Mrs. Russell.

Alberni.—The boarding school, under Miss Johnston, continues to prosper. There are 30 children in attendance. Mr. Ross resigned his position as teacher last fall, and Mr. Bishop was appointed his successor. The children are making good progress in their studies and assist in all the work of the Home. Ten of them were baptized last summer by Mr. Taylor, the home missionary, who had instructed and examined them before administering the ordinance. Harry, a former pupil, has charge of the outside work, and is very faithful in the discharge of his duties; he also acts as interpreter at the Sabbath services, and is listened to attentively by the Indians. No grant for maintenance has as yet been given by the Indian Department.

Ahousaht.—Mr. and Mrs J. W. Russell are in charge both of the school and the evangelistic work. Mr. Russell writes "that the school has steadily advanced since they removed to the comfortably situated building erected by the W. F. M. S., and at no time in the short history of the school has the outlook been so bright. The programme of study provided by the Government is adhered to. Our great desire is to enable the children to read the Bible intelligently. There were 58 names on the roll last quarter; of these one-third were young men who cannot attend regularly. Some of these, since school opened here, are able to read well part second of the First Book, and to translate it into their own language. All the younger ones are advancing surely and steadily." Evangelistic work.—"Here, too, we are greatly encouraged, though it has been questioned as to whether 'any good can come out of Nazareth'? Services are held regularly in the school house at 11 a.m, with an attendance of from 100 to 170. At 2.30 p.m. a service more especially for the children, at which there is a regular attendance of from 120 to 150. There are 70 men on the schooners, nearly all of whom would attend were they at home. Many listen attentively, many are thinking of the new truths presented to them, and the Spirit is working in others. Jesus shall rule in Ahousaht, we trust, in the near future; we have the earnest now. Last summer a young man conducted service on his schooner while in Behring Sea; he also visited another tribe on another schooner while lying in harbor, and told them of Jesus. This winter he publicly confessed Christ before a large congregation, renouncing his former way of life. His testing has been almost beyond my expectation, and his life bears witness to his sincerity. This year he conducts service regularly on his schooner, and many of his comrades hear him gladly. At 6.30 a.m. we have a service specially for the old people, at which we have had as many as 45 present. I do not think I have had more joy in addressing any congregation. It is a most touching sight to see them—some

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lame, some sick some nearly blind very poor and destitute, and all in need of Jesus. The joy of speaking to them will only be eclipsed by the joy of seeing the first one of them accepting that Saviour of whom they are, at the late age of sixty or seventy, hearing for the first time." Mr. Russell pleads very earnestly for additional teachers. There are nearly one thousand Indians in this locality to whom no Protestant missionary has been sent. "Before I close I must tell you of the kindness of two ladies of Victoria B.C., Mrs. Ewart and Mrs. Carden, who, with the assistance of six little girls in the Sabbath school, sent a box of pretty Christmas presents and cards. A Christmas tree was decorated, the first the people had ever seen. It was a very happy time for all."

Ucluelet.—Miss Armstrong has charge of the work in the day school here, has 30 children in attendance, and good work is being done. Septice the young Christian Indian who was doing "the work of an evangelist" among his people, died a short time ago, and will be very much missed by the missionaries. "He died as he lived, a Christian, desiring to live for the sake of his poor, benighted people, but willing to go if that were the Master's will. The truth is steadily advancing, and the prayer meetings (led in the absence of others by Septice) three nights in the week, have been joyous experiences. There are several young men who are on the borderland, desirous of giving themselves wholly to Jesus, but not yet determined to make the break with the tribe that will follow baptism." It is only three years since the first Protestant mission was established here.

Dodger's Cove.—There is at present no school here, as Mr. Swartout found it impossible to attend to both school and evangelistic work. "Travelling as I do a great deal among the four tribes of Barclay Sound, scattered miles apart, detained by storms and strong tidal currents, my school work had to be given up." Mr. Swartout spends part of his time at Ucluelet. "There are in all in these tribes about six hundred souls, the most of whom can only be reached in their own language. Sabbath services are well attended. It is only two years since work was established in Dodger's Cove and Ahousaht. Under these circumstances we have much to be thankful for, and much hope for the future."

Supplies Sent to the North-West and British Columbia.

A very large supply of clothing (35,000 lbs.) was sent last year to our missionaries. All have been well supplied, and all speak in grateful terms of the assistance thus rendered them in their work, also of the pleasure given by the Christmas presents sent by our

Mission Bands. In addition to the supplies sent by our own Presbyterian Auxiliaries, the W. F. M. S. in Georgetown and English River, Russelltown and Covey Hill Salt Springs, Pictou Co., Nova Scotia, Scotch Ridge. St. James, N. B., and the Bethel Union S. S., Fisherville, have sent valuable contributions in the shape of ready-made dresses, shirts, stockings, etc., which have been highly prized by our missionaries. The Indian Department have again refunded the money paid for freight, amounting to \$794.74.

C. M. JEFFREY,

Sec. for Indian Work in the North-West and British Columbia.

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HOME SECRETARY'S REPORT.

"Days and moments quickly flying" have brought us to the twenty-second anniversary of our formation as a society, and with thankful hearts we would offer our tribute of praise to our Heavenly Father, who has guided us every step of the way, even unto the present hour.

The year began in sorrow, for we had scarcely commenced its work ere our dearly-loved President was taken from us: called hence to enjoy the recompense and reward of many years of faithful service. No longer was it permitted us to have the benefit of her firm and judicious administration or her wise and loving counsel. Her loss was felt throughout the Society; but He, whose servant she was, and whom we also are trying to serve, has not left us, but has given to our officers and members the grace and wisdom needed for carrying on the work.

Although we may not—nay, certainly, have not—done all that we might have done, still we rejoice over what we have been enabled to accomplish in the year which has just closed; for, while some may have given carelessly or with indifference, and still others even prayerlessly, we are confident that a large proportion of the contributions are the result of faithful, thoughtful love, and were accompanied by earnest prayers that they may further the advancement of Christ's kingdom.

While this is true, it is a matter of great regret that our membership includes so small a proportion of the women of our Church. This is referred to in many of the reports. The great question still is, as it has been ever since the Society was formed, how shall we enlist the sympathy, interest and co-operation of those who are not engaged in this work? If all the women in our churches realized how important our share of the work is here at home, and in how many ways we can aid, not only by giving of our money but also by our hearts and voices, to extend an interest in the work, who can estimate how powerful for good our influence would be! Prayer is the key which unlocks every spiritual door, and if each one of our twenty thousand members will faithfully use this means of drawing others to unite with us, the results are sure. Have we all been faithful in this respect? There is no other work so important, or so delightful to those who enter upon it with hearts filled with love to Christ.

Once more it is our privilege and joy to report an increase in every department. The Auxiliary membership is apparently much smaller than last year, but we believe this is due entirely to the greater accuracy in making the returns, and that fewer members have been counted twice. Every other column shows an advance. We are especially glad to mark the increase in the average attendance at the monthly meetings, for this is the outward indication of the increased interest and growth in spirituality which is spoken of by many of the secretaries.

Presbyterial Societies.

We are glad to be able again to note an increase in the number of our Presbyterial Societies, one having been recently formed on the western border of the continent, in the Presbytery of Westminster. This, the most western and youngest of our Presbyterial Societies, is also the smallest, comprising only three Auxiliaries and one Mission Band; but we feel confident from the enthusiastic way in which the officers are entering upon their duties, that this number will be more than doubled before our next report is presented. We heartily congratulate them upon their more thorough organization.

To the Paris Presbyterial Society we are twice indebted, firstly for the suggestion which led to the raising of the Memorial Fund, and secondly, through their very thorough and painstaking secretary for the draft of the new "record," which, with very few alterations, was adopted by the Board.

Seven Presbyterial Societies have given less this year than last year, one has remained stationary, and nineteen have increased their contributions, London for the third time leading in this respect, although Brandon and Portage la Prairie are only a few dollars behind.

Ten Presbyterial Societies have increased the number of their branches without losing any; one has neither lost or gained; and, of the remainder, eight have only lost one.

To Dr. Margaret McKellar we are greatly indebted for the very interesting and instructive addresses which she has given to a number of our branches and in other places. More than one of our new Auxiliaries owe their origin to the information given by her the enthusiasm aroused and the consequent desire to help in this work. We regret very greatly, principally for her own sake, but also for the sake of others, that she has been laid aside and therefore unable to continue the work which has been such a source of blessing to many,

Wherever the Presbyterial President has been able to visit the branches, grateful mention has been made of the fact, and more

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than once it was added that her visit has prevented the disbanding of the society by her encouraging and inspiring words. One president, being unable to visit, sent a circular letter to each branch, "full of earnest, loving counsel." We cannot too strongly urge upon the officers of Presbyterial Societies the importance of visiting each branch during the year, thus making the smaller and more distant societies realize that they, too, are a part of the whole.

A word of thanks to the secretaries who so promptly forwarded their reports, and another word of praise for the accuracy which characterized so many of them; thus very materially lightening the work of preparing the report.

Auxiliaries.

Many, indeed nearly all, of the reports from Auxiliaries are cheering and hopeful, giving assurance of increased interest in and greater knowledge of the work and those engaged in it; no very great progress to report, but quiet, steady, faithful work. Scarcely a note of discouragement has come to us; even where the year's work has been less fruitful than in previous years there is a hopeful, resolute word for the future, and a determination that, with God's blessing, the coming year shall be more productive. One Auxiliary reports an average of \$5.60 per member, raised entirely by personal and direct contribution—a very high average, which we hope is extended to the other Schemes of the Church. A number of Auxiliaries report that every member has taken some share in the meetings during the year; and others, that not a single refusal to take the part assigned has been received. As an instance of fidelity to duty we may mention the President of Ellangowan Auxiliary, aged 92, who has presided at every meeting during the year.

Still, there are ten Auxiliaries who have ceased working and whose names must be dropped from our list, at least for the present. In some cases we are told that there was good and sufficient reason for this withdrawal from work but we regret deeply that, year after year, we lose those who have for a time strengthened us by their contributions and prayers.

We have now two Auxiliaries in the North-West composed of Indian women; a new one having been formed on Mistawasis Reserve, of which Mrs. McKay, the widow of our faithful and devoted missionary, is the President. Although only recently organized, a very cheering report has been sent. Beulah Auxiliary has sent a good contribution, "the result of hard work and continued self-denial." The women would not like to give up the missionary meetings. The eagerness of those who have so recently

heard of a Saviour's love to send the knowledge of His name to those who have not yet heard of Him, ought to stimulate us, who have known Him all our lives, to greater devotion and more untiring effort for the extension of His kingdom.

Methods of work continue largely the same. From time to time we hear of Auxiliaries having adopted a plan which has been suggested and having found it helpful. We would therefore suggest that any new idea which has proved successful be reported, that others may share the benefit. Two Auxiliaries have increased their membership by a house-to-house canvass of the congregation. The "Watch Tower" is also mentioned by a number as having been very successful. An Auxiliary circulating library has proved useful, and "especially helpful when one is preparing a paper." In another Auxiliary, a mission field was assigned to each member, with a request that she would bring a short report of the work carried on in that particular field. This was found helpful.

Not the least encouraging feature of the Auxiliary reports is that some of those in the far west and other sparsely-settled districts now find it possible to keep up their meetings during the entire year. We might add that a number of Auxiliaries have this year attained their majority.

Mission Bands.

In the Mission Bands, too, the interest appears to be increasing. There is a slight decrease in the number that have dropped out of our ranks; fourteen, as against sixteen last year, and twenty-two the previous year. This is a step in the right direction, but we cannot feel satisfied until the number is very much less. Circumstances may arise which will necessitate the disbanding or absorption of one or two Bands; but friendly oversight and a little fostering care on the part of Auxiliaries will do much to retain and encourage those who are ready to give up. More than one Band complains of the little interest taken in them by the Auxiliaries.

The retention and proper training of the members of these Mission Bands is of the utmost importance, for in them lie all the possibilities of the future of our woman's work. Among their members we expect that most of our future missionaries will be found; and the most generous supporters of mission work will surely be those who are thus early taught to pray and work and give that the name of Christ may be known and His kingdom extended to the utmost bounds of the earth.

As in previous years, lack of competent leaders is the greatest cause of discouragement. This, we hope, will be in part remedied by the plan proposed by Mrs. Ross, in connection with the

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Training Home, which will be fully explained elsewhere. We trust that many may be able to take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded.

The tone of the larger part of the reports is very good, giving evidence of great care and thoughtfulness on the part of the leaders, and appreciation of this by the members. We give a few sentences from their reports, showing the way in which the work is carried on: "Outlines of different countries from the Manual of Missions, are committed to memory." "We have three committees, Programme, Arrangement and Visiting, and find them helpful." "Have divided the Band into senior and junior departments, all under fourteen being in the latter." "One member appointed each meeting to make a synopsis of the contents of *F. M. Tidings* for next meeting, the result being intelligent grasp of its contents, and added interest." "Meetings held every Sunday before service, with good results." "Each member chooses a missionary and tries to find out all she can about her. In answer to roll-call, she gives the name of the missionary and states a fact." "Have studied the North-West. Excellent maps of the North-West and different reserves were drawn by the girls, and altogether work has been very interesting." "We have had regular history and geography lessons about the mission fields, and found them very interesting."

These extracts, and others that might be given, show painstaking effort on the part of many of the leaders to instruct and educate, as well as interest, the young people, which cannot fail of its reward in increased knowledge of the needs and claims of mission work; and consequent endeavor to supply those needs.

The Thanksgiving Meeting

has so approved itself to our members that there are very few Auxiliaries in which it is not observed; and it is everywhere spoken of as not only an occasion of enjoyment and blessing to the members, but also an opportunity for imparting information regarding our work to others outside the Society. In a few instances, at least, this has aroused so much interest that new members have been added.

The meeting for special prayer, at the beginning of the year, is also growing in favor, and, when it is once held, will so commend itself that we are sure its observance will be continued every year.

Scattered Helpers

still continue to prove a source of strength, and are year by year increasing in number, over one hundred having been added this year. One Presbyterial Society alone (and that one in the west, where all the members are more or less scattered) has not adopted

this method of increasing and spreading the interest ; though two others have only six each on their lists. Hamilton Presbyterial heads this column, while Glengarry only lacks one of having the same number. One Society has three S.S. classes as Scattered Helpers. May we again recommend this scheme to the earnest consideration of every Auxiliary and Young Woman's Band.

The record of the year's work is closed. May the one upon which we are just entering be one in which more earnest work than ever before may be attempted ; a higher plane of service reached, more faithfulness, more prayerfulness, characterize our daily life, and one motive alone love to Christ and a desire to save perishing souls, inspire all our efforts.

Summary of Home Work as Reported.

Presbyterial Societies.....	27
New Auxiliaries	33
New Mission Bands.....	31
Auxiliaries unreported or disbanded	10
Mission Bands unreported or disbanded	14
Total number of Auxiliaries.....	635
Total number of Mission Bands.....	304
Auxiliary membership	10,470
Mission Band membership	7,393
Yearly members of general Society	3,402
Total membership	21,265
Life members added during year	74
Total number of life members.....	1,036
Scattered Helpers { Number	1,183
{ Contributions	\$913 26
Total contributions from all sources.....	44,276 97
Amount raised for Memorial Fund	1,368 34

The Memorial Fund was raised to reduce the deficit which existed in the general Foreign Mission Fund at the beginning of the year, and is not included in the "total contributions from all sources." It was commenced as a token of thankfulness to mark the attainment of our majority as a Society, but was afterwards also associated with memories of Mrs. Ewart, who had expressed a desire that we should thus assist the Foreign Mission Committee.

M. H. GRANT,

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INTERNATIONAL SECRETARY'S REPORT.

We have to report this year an addition of one to the Societies embraced in the International Union, that of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Union of South Australia, making in all twenty-eight. Two of these are on the continent of Europe, eight in the British Isles, twelve in the United States and Canada, one in Africa four in Australia, and one in New Zealand.

As most of you are aware, the special object of this Union is the acquaintance of each association with the other Societies' methods of work, by interchange of reports and suggestions.

As in former years we have exchanged reports with these Societies, and have again to acknowledge with thanks, from the Women's Missionary Union of the Dutch Reformed Church of South Africa, and the Woman's Missionary Society of the Free Church of Scotland, the receipt of their monthly publications. We have had pleasant correspondence with the Societies of Australia and New Zealand. Mrs. Bannerman President of the New Zealand Society, in acknowledging literature sent from us, writes: "Thank your kind ladies for the reports of their work; all are most welcome. Your valuable leaflets are distributed far and wide here. I could gladly do with twice as many. I assure you they are doing a good work very quietly. I read your annual report with deep interest; I feel as if I knew you all when I read over the names. I wonder that some take no interest in reports. My warmest love to you all. May your work prosper more and more." We extend thanks to the Woman's Occidental Board of Foreign Missions for samples of new leaflets published by them and sent to us during the year.

In July, a letter of sympathy, on the occasion of the death of our President, was received from Miss Matthews, Secretary of the International Union. This letter was presented to the Board and acknowledged.

While the work of our own Church naturally claims our first attention, should we not follow with intelligent interest what is being done in the various parts of the world, and fully sympathize with the workers, and thus accomplish the end aimed at in the formation of the Missionary Union. "For we, being many, are one body in Christ, and every one members one of another."

JEAN F. CAVEN,

Secy. of International Conference.

**THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN
CANADA (Western Division)**

In Account with Isabella L. George, Treasurer, for the Year
Ending April 18th, 1898.

REVENUE.

Balance on hand, April 22nd, 1897.....	\$36,329 30	
Less paid Dr. Warden, as per resolution of annual meeting, April, 1897	35,020 34	
	<hr/>	\$1,308 96
Receipts from Auxiliaries.....	36,557 81	
" Mission Bands	6,271 35	
" Collections, donations, interest, etc., after deducting reported expenses and balances retained by Presbyterial Treasurers	438 61	
Receipts from other sources, as per detailed statement	1,009 20	
	<hr/>	44,276 97
		<u><u>\$45,585 93</u></u>

EXPENDITURE.

For Missionary purposes, \$174.87, viz. :—		
Cree hymn books.....	\$ 4 20	
Postage on Bibles...	2 36	
Pump at Portage la Prairie	6 10	
Sewing Machine for Crowstand	38 00	
Freight charges	14 37	
Advance to Secretary of Supplies	18 30	
Miss McKellar's travelling expenses.....	91 54	
	<hr/>	\$174 87
For expenses of management, \$567.15, viz. :—		
Printing and distributing annual reports	477 94	
Expenses of annual meeting, 1897	26 82	
Postage, etc, Foreign Secretary.....	11 69	
" Secretary for North-West.....	13 05	
" Home Secretary	13 05	
" Corresponding Secretary	5 60	
" International Secretary.....	75	
" Life Member's Secretary	6 36	
" Treasurer	6 89	
Postcards	3 00	
Mailing tubes	2 00	
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Paid Dr. Warden balance due on estimate for 1897-98.....	\$22,798 00
Paid Dr. Warden additional balance due on estimate, 1896-97.....	746 77
Paid Dr. Warden interest due, 1896-97	297 56
Ewart Missionary Training Home.....	\$23,842 33
Balance on hand, April 18th, 1898	800 00
	<u>20,201 58</u>
	<u>\$45,585 93</u>

This certifies that I have this day audited the cash book of Miss George, Treasurer of the W.F.M.S., and compared the payments with the vouchers. The balance on hand, which corresponds with the balance to the credit of the Society in the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is twenty thousand two hundred and one dollars and fifty-eight cents, as per the foregoing statement.

Toronto, 22nd April, 1898.

ROBT. H. WARDEN.

DETAILED RECEIPTS.

Collection taken at Annual Meeting.....		\$80 80
Mrs. McRae, Eburne, B.C.....	\$ 5 00	
Mrs. Stewart, Eburne, B.C.....	1 00	
Mrs. A. Stevenson, St. Andrew's Manse, Danville	1 00	
Tweed Presbyterian Church.....	16 00	
Proceeds of sale of ring.....	10 00	
Mrs. H. Kennedy, St. Ann's	2 50	
Medicine Hat.....	13 00	
A Friend.....	2 00	
Donation.....	2 00	
Miss Agnes A. Park, Cromarty	1 00	
Chalmers Church, Montreal, J. S. C. E	5 52	
Mrs. and Miss Stewart, Southampton.....	2 00	
Stratford, Knox Church Y. P. S. C. E.	25 20	
Kelso, Quebec, C. E. S.	20 00	
M. A. Flesher, Minnedosa, Man.....	5 00	
Mrs. J. L. Campbell, Chic utimi, Que.....	5 00	
Maple Grove Mission Band	7 00	
"In His Name," per Mrs. Telfer.....	1 00	
"Friends of the Work," Drumbo	4 50	
Interest from "Sarah McClelland Waddell Memorial Fund".....	42 75	
Thank-offering, Member of Bloor st. Church, Toronto.....	1 00	
Refunded by Secretary of Supplies	18 30	
Willing Workers M. B., Floss Township.....	20 00	
Refunded for Miss McKellar's Travell'g Expenses	59 44	
Interest on General Treasurer's Bank Account..	79 48	
		<u>349 69</u>
Balance in hand Secretary-Treasurer of Publications, after paying expenses, now paid into General Fund		578 71
		<u>\$1,009 20</u>

Barrie Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	\$1,068 42	
Mission Bands	277 39	
Presbyterial Fund.....	24 93	
Interest	3 70	
		<u>\$1,374 44</u>

Brandon and Portage la Prairie Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	1,175 63	
Burnside Mission Band.....	15 90	
Special Collection, Wellington	7 00	
Interest	8 48	
		<u>1,207 01</u>

Brockville Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	1,228 76	
Mission Bands.....	171 24	
		<u>1,400 00</u>

Bruce Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	505 42	
Mission Bands	6 13	
Collection, etc., less expenses.....	2 45	
		<u>514 00</u>

Chatham Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	1,099 64	
Mission Bands	216 58	
		<u>1,316 22</u>

Glenboro Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	278 77	
Mission Bands	19 30	
		<u>298 07</u>

Glengarry Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	2,177 35	
Mission Bands	181 01	
		<u>2,358 36</u>

Guelph Presbyterial Society--

Auxiliaries	1,892 10	
Mission Bands	277 25	
Galt, Knox Church Bible Class.....	18 00	
		<u>2,187 35</u>
Expenses in excess of Collection, Interest, etc....	72	
		<u>2,186 63</u>

Hamilton Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	2,501 95	
Mission Bands	685 55	
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Interest, Collection, etc., less expenses....	28 50	
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Huron Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	\$1,264 27
Mission Bands.....	298 01
Life Member Certificate	25 00
Interest.....	8 99

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Kingston Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	922 36
Mission Bands.....	121 50

 1,043 86

Lanark and Renfrew Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	2,767 41
Mission Bands.....	459 81

 3,227 22

 Expenses in excess of Collection, Interest, etc...

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Lindsay Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	1,408 88
Mission Bands.....	141 16
Scattered Helpers.....	9 50
Life Member Certificate.....	25 00

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London Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	2,321 10
Mission Bands	535 52
Interest	5 00

 2,861 62

Maitland Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	1,320 14
Mission Bands	212 05
Collection, etc., less expenses.....	10 09

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Orangeville Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	467 78
Mission Bands	119 27
Collections	12 95

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Ottawa Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	1,325 96
Mission Bands	170 54

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Owen Sound Presbyterial Society—

Auxiliaries	637 16
Mission Bands.....	103 28
Special Collection	8 00

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Paris Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	\$1,333 86	
Mission Bands	335 24	
	<hr/>	\$1,669 10
Peterborough Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	1,452 61	
Mission Bands	188 40	
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Sarnia Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	739 84	
Mission Bands	166 60	
Four Life Members' Certificates	100 00	
	<hr/>	1,006 44
Saugeen Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	690 16	
Mission Bands	101 33	
Collection and Interest, less expenses	2 23	
Refunded Freight	21 66	
	<hr/>	815 38
Stratford Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	920 18	
Mission Bands	169 03	
	<hr/>	1,089 21
Expenses in excess of collection, interest, etc....	26 58	
	<hr/>	1,062 63
Toronto Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	4,534 23	
Mission Bands.	1,134 23	
Interest	12 34	
	<hr/>	5,680 80
Whitby Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	954 26	
Mission Bands	23 93	
	<hr/>	978 19
Winnipeg Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries	894 99	
Mission Bands	103 60	
Balance from Annual Collection ..	2 79	
	<hr/>	1,001 38
Westminster Presbyterian Society—		
Auxiliaries		232 15
Calgary Presbytery—		
Calgary, McKellar Auxiliary	37 00	
Lethbridge, Knox Church Auxiliary ..	46 00	
Lethbridge, Alberta Mission Band	30 00	
Lethbridge Chinese Class, 1896-97	41 00	
Lethbridge Chinese Class	26 00	
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Montreal Presbytery—

Dundee, Zion Church Auxiliary ...	\$67 15	
Ormistown Auxiliary	165 00	
Life Member, Miss Janet McDougal, Ormistown	25 00	
		\$257 15

Quebec Presbytery—

Quebec, Chalmers Church Auxiliary	113 00	
Sherbrooke, St. Andrew's Church Auxiliary	32 41	
		145 41

Regina Presbytery—

Mistawasis Auxiliary	3 54	
Moose Jaw Auxiliary	22 85	
Moosomin Auxiliary	12 50	
Moosomin Mission Band	7 50	
		46 39
		\$44,276 97

EXPENDITURE FOR THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MIS-
SIONARY SOCIETY BY THE FOREIGN
MISSION COMMITTEE, 1896-97.

1. North-West Indians.

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Mr. W. J. Small (salary)	\$600 00	
Miss McLaren (salary)	450 00	
W. Martin (salary)	215 00	
Miss McLeod (salary)	350 00	
Maintenance	198 00	
Building	5 25	
Furnishing	58 50	
Insurance	54 00	
Service during holidays	27 00	
		\$1,957 75

Crowstand.

Mr. James Hamilton (salary)	183 40	
Miss K. Gillespie (salary)	450 00	
Miss Carson (salary)	370 00	
Miss McIlwaine (salary)	185 00	
Miss McIlwaine (travelling expenses)	41 40	
Mrs. Simons	30 00	
Maintenance	225 00	
Insurance	36 00	
Furnishing	29 72	
		1,550 52

<i>File Hills.</i>		
Mr. Alex. Skene (half salary).....	\$350 00	
Maintenance	270 00	
Service	180 00	
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<i>Hurricane Hills.</i>		
Mr. N. Gilmour (half salary)	300 00	
Building	1,900 00	
Furnishing	150 00	
Insurance	41 10	
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<i>Lakesend.</i>		
Miss E. McWilliams (salary)	297 09	
Mrs. Leckie (salary)	180 00	
Maintenance	412 28	
Travelling expenses.....	93 55	
Insurance	34 25	
Building	43 50	
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<i>Lizard Point.</i>		
Mr. John Black (half salary)	185 00	
Furnishing.....	32 00	
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<i>Mistawasis.</i>		
Miss McIntosh (part salary).....	150 00	
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<i>Prince Albert.</i>		
Miss Baker (salary)	450 00	
Miss Cameron (salary)	150 00	
Building	43 00	
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<i>Portage la Prairie.</i>		
Miss Fraser (salary)	300 00	
Miss Laidlaw (salary).....	300 00	
Mr. David Ross (salary)	36 00	
Maintenance	154 98	
Insurance	22 40	
Taxes	75 00	
Service during holidays.....	35 00	
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<i>Rolling River.</i>		
Mr. W. J. Wright (part salary).....	400 00	
Building and furnishing	70 00	
	<hr/>	470 00
<i>Round Lake.</i>		
Mr. W. Sahlmark (salary)	225 00	
Mr. J. Bear (salary)	360 00	
Mr. R. G. McKay (salary)	225 00	
Mr. R. G. McKay (travelling expenses)	42 50	
Maintenance	200 00	
Building	400 00	
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<i>Okanase.</i>		
Mr. R. C. McPherson (salary).....	300 00	
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	<i>Pipestone.</i>		
	Mr. John Thunder (part salary).....	\$260 00	
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	<i>Moose Mountain.</i>		
	Mr. D. A. McKenzie (part salary).....	256 00	
	Building, half-cost.....	461 00	
	Furnishing	56 00	
	Insurance	14 00	
		<hr/>	787 00
	Conference expenses		123 30
	Convener's expenses (in part).....		150 00
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			\$13,236 22

2. British Columbia Indians.

	<i>Salaries.</i>		
	Miss Johnston.....	360 00	
	Miss Armstrong	150 00	
	Mr. John Ross	60 00	
	Mr. Russell.....	375 00	
	Mr. Easton.....	150 00	
	Maintenance	1,000 00	
	Building at Ahousaht	356 50	
	Balance on building at Alberni.....	108 60	
	Plough and ensign	11 82	
	Day schools, Ucluelet, Ahousaht, Dodger's Cove....	388 45	
		<hr/>	2,960 37

3. Central India.

	<i>Neemuch.</i>		
	Miss A. Turnbull, M.D. (salary)	730 00	
	House rent.....	178 00	
	Evangelistic.....	7 68	
	Medical	795 00	
	Miscellaneous	39 00	
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	Less sale of medicines.....	1,749 68	
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	Miss Duncan (salary).....	730 00	
	Evangelistic	33 00	
	Educational	321 00	
	Miscellaneous	23 00	
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	Less fees.....	1,107 00	
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	Miss Campbell (salary)	730 00	
	Evangelistic	6 50	
	Educational	160 00	
	Miscellaneous	28 00	
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		924 50	

Less sale of books	\$1 00	
		\$923 50

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Mrs. J. F. Campbell, Bible-women, etc.....	161 00	
Girls' school.....	28 00	
		189 00

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Miss Jamieson (salary)	730 00	
Evangelistic... ..	62 00	
Educational	250 00	
Miscellaneous	4 00	
		1,046 00

Miss Weir (salary).....	300 00	
Pundit.....	21 00	
Travel	293 70	
Outfit.....	250 00	
		864 70

Indore.

Miss Oliver (salary).....	730 00	
Evangelistic.....	44 00	
Medical	1,218 00	
Building	85 00	
Miscellaneous	15 00	
		2,092 00

Less fees and medicines.....	256 00	
		1,836 00

Miss McKellar (salary)	730 00	
Travelling expenses.....	300 00	
		1,030 00

Miss White (salary)	730 00	
Evangelistic.....	17 00	
Educational	315 00	
Miscellaneous	25 00	
		1,087 00

Miss Grier (salary)	730 00	
Evangelistic	42 00	
Educational	324 00	
Miscellaneous	3 00	
		1,099 00

Miss Ptolemy (salary)	730 00	
Evangelistic	11 00	
Educational	106 00	
Miscellaneous	27 00	
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Miss Chase (salary).....	\$730 00	
Miscellaneous	33 00	

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Miss Sinclair (salary).....	300 00	
Furlough.....	150 00	
Travelling expenses.....	310 72	
Educational	181 00	
Miscellaneous	20 00	

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Building veranda.....	821 00	
Freight on boxes	104 96	

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Miss Thomson (salary)	300 00	
Travelling expenses.....	292 40	
Outfit	250 00	
Pundit.....	7 00	

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Miss Ross (salary)	730 00	
Travelling expenses.....	300 00	
Evangelistic	176 00	
Rent.....	184 00	
Educational	478 00	

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Miss Calder (salary)	730 00	
Evangelistic.....	56 00	
Educational	476 00	
Miscellaneous	1 00	

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Mrs. N. H. Russell		
Evangelistic	51 00	
Girls' school	47 00	

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Miss Leyden (salary)	300 00	
Travelling expenses.....	298 65	
Outfit.....	250 00	
Miscellaneous	8 00	

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Miss Fraser (furlough)	300 00	
Travelling expenses	300 00	

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Miss Dougan (salary)	730 00	
Evangelistic.....	7 00	
Educational	73 00	
Miscellaneous	20 00	

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Mrs. F. H. Russell		
Evangelistic	\$17 00	
		\$17 00
Ladies' bungalow	3,286 00	
		3,286 00
Miss O'Hara (salary)	730 00	
Rent	25 00	
Evangelistic	183 00	
Medical	460 00	
Miscellaneous	8 50	
		1,406 50
		\$25,430 11
Primary Schools for Boys—		
Neemuch, Mandsaur, Jawad and Bajana.....	1,660 00	
		\$27,090 11

4. Formosa.

Matrons and Bible-women	700 00	
Girls' school (coolies)	60 00	
Food	50 00	
Clothing	25 00	
Teachers in day schools	254 27	
		1,089 27

5. Honan.

Miss McIntosh (salary)	500 00	
Miss J. Dow, M.D. (salary)	500 00	
Miss Pyke (salary)	250 00	
Miss Pyke (outfit)	250 00	
Miss Pyke (travelling expenses)	369 11	
Miss Robb (salary)	250 00	
Miss Robb (outfit)	250 00	
Miss Robb (travelling expenses)	367 16	
Bible-women	15 53	
Proportion of station expenses (850)	850 00	
		3,601 80
Less received from Montreal M.S., salary of Miss Dow	500 00	
		3,101 80
Medical examinations ..		18 00

Summary.

North-West Indians	\$13,236 22
British Columbia Indians	2,960 37
Central India	25,430 11
Primary schools (Central India)	1,660 00
Formosa	1,089 27
Honan	3,101 80
Medical examinations	18 00
Interest	297 56
 Total expenditure.....	 <u>\$47,793 33</u>

Memorial Fund.

Total amount received for the Memorial Fund	\$1,368 00
Paid Rev. R. H. Warden, D.D.	1,368 00

ISABELLA L. GEORGE, *Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct,

E. MACLENNAN.

March 1st, 1898.

REPORTS OF PRESBYTERIAL SECRETARIES.

BARRIE.

Miss Kean.

The officers of this Society in presenting their eleventh annual report would gladly acknowledge the loving kindness of our Heavenly Father who has brought us to the close of another year.

Many of the reports are very encouraging, showing a spirit of courage and devotion and gratitude for the many blessings enjoyed during the year. In a few cases we find greater liberality, but, we are sorry to report, in the majority the financial statement is behind that of last year. Believing that this arises out of the general business depression, we will hope that with our brighter outlook the year '98 will surpass all former efforts.

The Thank-offering service and the January meeting for prayer have become all but universal.

Several of our societies have been visited by Miss McKellar, Indore, and Mr. McKenzie, Honan.

A number of Auxiliaries and Bands also report having received encouragement and stimulus from the visits of Mrs. Grant Mrs. McCrae, Mrs. Cameron and others.

Our Presbyterian Society has been materially strengthened by the addition of two Mission Bands, viz. : "Ivy Twiners" of Ivy and "Faithful Workers" of Penetanguishene, making our roll consist of twenty-eight Auxiliaries and twenty Bands.

We are glad to note an increase in the value of the clothing sent to the North-West, also the hearty interest that has been shown in the preparation of these bales. Twenty-two Auxiliaries and sixteen Bands have assisted in this work.

Five hundred and sixty-two "Foreign Missionary Tidings" have been circulated during the year.

Several of our Societies have been called upon to suffer the loss of some of their most earnest workers through death ; one Auxiliary and one Band having lost their president. To all of these we extend our sincerest sympathy.

BRANDON AND PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE.

Mrs. J. H. Murray.

Reports have been received from eighteen Auxiliaries and one Mission Band. These are uniformly cheerful in tone and present more encouraging features than in former years. Increased

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interest in the work is reported, practical evidence of which is given in larger contributions from nearly all the Auxiliaries. The Thank-offering meeting grows in favor, and also the special prayer service at the beginning of the year. Two hundred and seventy copies of the "Missionary Tidings" are subscribed for, and earnest words of commendation are recorded in favor of the improved edition.

Our present standing as a United Presbyterial of Brandon and Portage La Prairie is, twenty two Auxiliaries and one Mission Band; three of the Auxiliaries, Oak River, Robertson Church and Austin, have been added during the last month by the Organizing Committee appointed at our last annual meeting. We expect that in the early summer this Committee will be better able to prosecute the work of organization, and we hope that important additions may be made to our list of Societies.

Through force of circumstances our Pioneer Mission Band at Carberry has disbanded, but we expect only for a time. Two deaths are reported, and the loss of many valued members by removal to other spheres of labor.

BROCKVILLE.

Mrs. A. Greenhill.

The thirteenth annual report of the Brockville Presbyterial is the best we have yet been able to present.

Any note of discouragement comes from some of the smaller Auxiliaries, but it is owing to the fidelity of the few, in these, that their meetings are continued. Two of the weak Societies which had been disbanded for a time have been re-organized, and one Auxiliary added at Toledo. A few are rejoicing in an advance in every department but most report honest, faithful work, and no material change in attendance or gifts, but a deepening interest in and an increasing knowledge of the needs of the work. This is encouraging and should show themselves in increased giving also.

As many as possible of the Societies have been visited during the year, and the President has made a special effort to establish Mission Bands, with the result that five have been added. There is great difficulty, however, in securing good and permanent officers for these in many places. Several of the bright young secretaries send in very excellent reports, quite putting to the blush some of the older officers. The Thank-offering meeting is very generally observed, and three or four report the meeting for special prayer. A box containing fifty-five dolls was sent to India

through Mrs. Blair's efforts, and one thousand pounds of clothing, valued at \$575, was sent to the North-West.

The subscribers to the "Foreign Missionary Tidings" number 501, and two life members have been added. There is a slight increase in membership and average attendance, but this is due to the addition of the Bands. We now number thirty Auxiliaries and eighteen Mission Bands. The Scattered Helpers and their contributions both appear small, but in several cases the latter were merged in the Thank-offering. Quite a number of the Auxiliaries have been weakened by removals and the death of six members is reported. One of these, long known and loved as a friend of missions, was Mrs. Jacques, Honorary President of the Merrickville Auxiliary. May we follow in her steps in as far as she followed the Master, emulating her zeal and love, so may we hope to hear "Well done, good and faithful servant."

BRUCE.

Mrs. Ferguson.

In presenting the tenth annual report of this Society we would express our gratitude to our Heavenly Father for the measure of success that has attended our work this year. We now consist of eight Auxiliaries and two Mission Bands, one Auxiliary having been discontinued, we regret to say.

From the reports received it is evident that the work has gone on steadily and quietly; regular meetings have been held with deeper interest and an increase in the average attendance. Some Auxiliaries have added new members. One deeply mourns the loss of three members by death, and others by removal. One life member has been added, making our total five.

We have been visited by several outside workers, and our esteemed President, although not able personally to visit each Auxiliary, sent a written address full of earnest loving counsel urging all to greater effort, and to consecrate our all—money, time, talents, and self to our Saviour Christ.

A Literary Secretary has been appointed, Mrs. Munro, of Port Elgin, to whom all papers written in any of the Auxiliaries are sent, and by her distributed to the others. In this way good papers have been circulated, which help to unite our Auxiliaries and make them better acquainted with each other.

Bible readings have been held, and the meeting for special prayer observed in many of the Auxiliaries. The Thank-offering meeting is very generally held, and mentioned as a source of blessing, and of arousing interest in many outsiders.

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The sewing meetings are still a bond of union and a source of interest ; reports speak of the pleasure taken in preparing the box.

The "Foreign Missionary Tidings" is taken by all the Auxiliaries ; two hundred and thirty-seven copies are received, and are greatly appreciated, as they contain missionary intelligence that we can gain from no other source. One Auxiliary has placed the "Foreign Missionary Tidings" and "Presbyterian Record" in the public reading-room of their town.

Our Mission Bands are in country places, and it is difficult for the children to meet regularly on account of distance and storms, but they are striving to hold together and to contribute their mite. While it is discouraging to report decrease in any part of the work, we are hopeful, and trust that the coming year may be more prosperous, and that we may receive a larger share of blessing than in any previous year.

CHATHAM.

Mrs. J. W. Peddie.

Our Society consists of twenty-two Auxiliaries and fourteen Mission Bands. Enthusiasm and zeal characterize many of the reports. We would specially notice the three Auxiliaries, Dresden, Leamington and Comber, which were formed last year. These have shown by the practical results which have followed their work an example to older Societies. Marked success has also followed the forming of two Auxiliaries in Chatham instead of one, as formerly. The faithful visiting of our President, Miss Walker, has been of great benefit, reviving interest in many places where discouragements had come. Mrs. McDonald of Mull also cheered a number of Societies. Four of our Auxiliaries had the privilege of hearing Dr. Margaret McKellar, and were inspired to greater zeal. Thank-offering meetings were almost universally held. Three hundred and fifteen copies of "Foreign Missionary Tidings" are distributed monthly. A large quantity of clothing was sent to the North-West to Mistawasis Reserve. We have lost five earnest workers from our Presbytery this year : Mrs. Davidson of Bothwell, Mrs. Hunter of Ridgetown, Mrs. Gilchrist of Goldsmith, Miss McNaughton and Miss L. McNaughton (our late Secretary) of Chatham. Our earnest prayers follow them to whatever sphere of work they may be called.

We are glad to report that two Mission Bands have been organized during this last year, the "Anderson" Band, Dresden, and the "Star" Band, Leamington. The "Rosebud" Band,

Thamesville, has been reorganized, making a total of fourteen Mission Bands.

Florence reports that they have disbanded for the present. We hope, however, they may soon resume work, and find much to cheer them in doing it.

The Bothwell Secretary writes that they have not done much this year, having only held three meetings, and have thus no report to give, but they have started out with renewed interest for 1898, and the prospects are that they will carry on the work with greater success than ever. With these two exceptions the reports from the various Bands are good, and we find much in them to assure us that the work of our Mission Bands is making steady progress. Nearly all report meetings held regularly, and in many cases the programme is largely rendered by the younger members of the Band. The reports give evidence that the meetings are well conducted, that many excellent papers are read and much information given. Another feature of the reports is that much money is raised by Mite Boxes and Thank-offering collections. We cannot report any advance in the total amount of money given by the Bands this year. Many of the Bands have contributed less but with an increase from others, and with what the new Bands have given, the total contribution is very little less than that of last year.

GLENBORO.

Mrs. W. R. Black.

We regret to record the loss by removal of Mrs. Haig, of Glenboro, who held the office of 1st Vice-President of our Presbyterian and was also the President of the Glenboro Auxiliary since its organization. To her zeal and perseverance is largely due the success that has attended that flourishing Auxiliary.

The general tone of the reports is highly satisfactory throughout all; the interest has not only been maintained, but increased.

In the Mission Bands the work is being carried on with enthusiasm by nearly all. One Mission Band has evidently disorganized, but the others are doing their work nobly and well. The prospects for work among the young for the new year are bright and hopeful.

Our monthly meetings are growing more devotional in their character, and the Thank-offering meeting is held by all our Auxiliaries.

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We look forward in this new year, and we pray the great Head of the Church to greatly increase our numbers and sphere of influence, and to so transform our lives by the indwelling of His Holy Spirit that our service may be acceptable to Him and profitable to our own souls.

GLENGARRY.

Miss A. M. Cline.

Glengarry has completed fourteen years as a Presbyterial Society, and in that time there have been many changes. In 1883, the date of our organization, we had nine Auxiliaries and one Mission Band; now we have thirty Auxiliaries and twelve Mission Bands. Three of those nine Societies, viz., Lancaster, Lochiel and Vankleek Hill, have attained their majority, having been organized in 1876, and we are glad to be able to congratulate them on their long service. Our Presbytery has been divided into five districts, and placed under the supervision of our President and her five able Vice-Presidents, with power to hold meetings in those districts at any convenient time, or when considered necessary to strengthen their work. A new Auxiliary was organized at Munroe's Mills, but we regret to say we have lost East Lancaster, so we remain the same, viz., thirty Auxiliaries. We have gained two Mission Bands, giving us now twelve, but, notwithstanding this addition, their contribution has fallen short, Picnic Grove being the only one that shows an increase. We would urge upon them greater zeal for 1898. At our annual meeting in June, our President, Mrs. Alguire, asked the Secretaries to report more fully upon the Thank-offering meetings. She said it was a point brought forward and urged upon all by our late President, Mrs. Ewart, at the annual meeting in Hamilton and by doing so we were honoring one of her last requests to the Society. In complying with her wishes, we find that twenty-two of our Auxiliaries and Mission Bands have held such meetings and found them satisfactory, and three who have not had Thank-offering meetings in the past intend holding them this year. In glancing over the tabulated form, we find quite an increase in every column except the contributions from Scattered Helpers, so we can safely say it has been a good year with us, and being thus encouraged, let us press on to better service in the future, for the needs are becoming greater every year.

Three hundred and ninety-eight leaflets were taken by twenty-nine Auxiliaries, fifteen more than last year.

GUELPH.

Miss Kerr.

The reports from our Auxiliaries and Mission Bands are, on the whole, satisfactory, and the giving slightly in advance of last year. In some Societies it has been less, while in others it has increased. Most of the reports speak of interest sustained, and good, varied programmes for the year, in which an increasing number have taken part. Our own mission fields have been studied, and they have also been making acquaintance with the work of missions and missionaries scattered abroad. From many we hear of "steady work," "increased interest and deepened spirituality among the members." Others tell of sickness and the difficulty of getting to meetings, owing to distance and bad roads. From the Mission Bands we have very pleasant reports. The young folk are growing in knowledge, for they are studying the mission fields. In one instance they were helped by magic lantern views of Trinidad explained to them. One lesson mentioned is, "repeating regularly the names and locations of our missionaries." They read mission papers prepared by themselves, pieced quilts and sewed carpet-rags. One Mission Band found the talent system answer, others kept to mite boxes, and all felt the blessing of learning to help. One Mission Band has been disbanded and reorganized as a free band, to give to anything required.

Two thousand, one hundred and forty pounds of good clothing, quilts and other material, valued at upwards of \$600, were sent to Portage la Prairie Indian School. In January these were followed by a much-needed reed organ—second-hand it is true, but well preserved and in good order—warranted to give satisfaction for many years to come. One little Band sent a few dolls to Indore. Most of the Societies have helped the Memorial Fund.

"The Missionary Tidings" Secretary reports a circulation of 1,140 copies, subscribed for.

Mrs. Maclean, our President, has visited and addressed nearly all the Societies, giving in everything all the help in her power. Dr. McKellar addressed large meetings in several of our towns, while we are indebted to four of the C. I. M. staff for a large amount of information and assistance in visiting and interesting our Societies.

During the year several of our Auxiliary officers have been laid aside by illness, and two of our Presbyterial officers have suffered from bereavement. To them all we give our deepest sympathy.

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HAMILTON.

Miss Findlay.

Eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, with its record of work faithfully done, of sacrifices made for the Master's sake, as well as of lost opportunities, is gone forever, but we trust that the influence wielded by our Auxiliaries and Mission Bands has been such that very many have been permanently benefited; and we pray that the offerings sent into the treasury may be blessed of God in the salvation of many souls.

We have no new Auxiliaries to report, but there are two new Mission Bands, one at St. Catharines and one at Hagersville. There is more real studying of our various mission fields among our Bands than formerly, and this we consider a hopeful sign. Knowledge of the work and its necessities will result in intelligent giving of time and money.

Our members in every Auxiliary are more willing to help either by reading, giving out a hymn or leading in prayer, while we notice the writing of original papers is more common than it was a few years ago.

Dr. Margaret McKellar's visit to a few centres in our Presbytery was much appreciated by all who were privileged to hear her. It must at times be disappointing to our returned missionaries to see so little enthusiasm, so little real, practical result from their many addresses. If we could only see through their eyes we would labour more earnestly.

The call for clothing for Round Lake Reserve was well responded to; and afterwards, when we learned that Rev. Hugh McKay had taken in more children, we sent him a supplementary bale.

Our Presbyterial has unfortunately fallen off in the number of leaflets subscribed for, the number being 1,068, which is sixty-one less than in 1896. We feel that this is a mistake, for we certainly cannot either become more interested in or begin to take interest in anything that we do not know about, and as our "Foreign Missionary Tidings" is the only channel of information about the missionaries we support, we must read it if we are to know how they are and what they are doing.

We cannot close our report without a reference to the death of our beloved President, Mrs. Ewart. Her faithful work, during the sixteen years that she filled that important office, endeared her to many hearts, and there are people all over the world who will mourn for her. There is great cause for thankfulness in that she was spared any suffering, and that she entered into the pres-

ence of her Lord in the midst of the work she loved so well. Her loving, helpful words at the annual meeting in our city, a few weeks before the Lord called her home, will remain with us, and her example of faithful stewardship will ever stimulate us to more consecrated work for the Master.

HURON.

Mrs. R. Irwin.

We are glad to report our contribution as more than one hundred dollars increase over last year; while a few gave less, others gave more. The reports from the various Auxiliaries and Mission Bands spoke of increased interest, a better attendance, and more willing to take part in the meeting. The Thank-offering meetings are gaining favor, and proving a great source of blessing. We could not do without them now.

One new Mission Band has been formed, the "Jubilee" and one re-organized at Clinton. We now have sixteen Auxiliaries and ten Mission Bands.

The sewing meeting to prepare clothing for the North-West Indians, promotes sociability among the members, and is the means of sending out old clothes in better condition, and making many new articles.

Quite a number of Auxiliaries and Mission Bands have been visited by our President, and many have been encouraged thereby to better work. We are looking forward with hope for 1898.

KINGSTON.

Miss Fowler.

A good number of the reports speak of increasing interest and a greater willingness on the part of the members to take part in the meetings and engage in prayer. There is general regret that more women of the Church do not belong to the Society, and all are trying to arouse interest and increase the membership. Our membership is not as large as last year, but the falling off is principally due to the Mission Bands. We regret exceedingly that so many of our Mission Bands have disbanded within the last two years. A different reason for this has been given in nearly every case. One feels the loss of a President, another the removal of a number of active members from the place, and still another gives

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up in order to enter another branch of mission work. We would suggest that the members of Auxiliaries take a more active interest in the Mission Bands connected with the churches, and perhaps they might in some degree render the obstacles that present themselves less formidable.

One new Auxiliary was organized this year, that of Queensboro'.

The visit of the Presbyterian President and other missionary workers to some of the Societies has been productive of much good, and is always referred to as having been very enjoyable. Unfortunately Miss McKellar and Rev. Norman Russell were prevented by ill health from fulfilling their engagements.

The Thank-offering service still continues to be a source of blessing, and is spoken of as being a time of special interest and profit to many outside the membership of the Society. The meeting for special prayer in January has been observed by several of the Auxiliaries, the programme presented in the "Missionary Tidings" being generally found very helpful.

Four hundred and forty-one copies of the "Missionary Tidings" were taken this year. Ten bales of clothing weighing 1,080 lbs., were sent to Miss Baker, Prince Albert. The Secretary of Supplies reports this contribution as being most serviceable.

It is discouraging to report a decrease in our finances, yet we hope that the interest in the work is not abated, but that we may be led to a greater realization of its needs, and may put forward all our energy and enthusiasm to aid in the great mission of winning "The World for Christ."

LANARK AND RENFREW.

Miss B. Sinclair.

In reviewing the work for the past year we find that we have much cause for thanksgiving and abundant ground for encouragement. Several of our Auxiliaries have increased their contributions this year. Port Elmsley Auxiliary is worthy of special notice. Last year they contributed \$3.00, but this year it is ten times as much, \$30.80—wonderful increase. Some of them just hold their own, and a few have fallen behind, but let not these be discouraged. If faith, prayer, and personal effort be the motto, the result is sure. The Secretaries of the Auxiliaries in most cases express encouragement and an increasing interest among the members. A few touching incidents are recorded in

the reports of devoted faithful officers and members having passed from earthly service. They have ceased from earthly effort, but their influence is still a living voice calling those who are left to earnest, faithful endeavor in the Master's cause.

Several of our Auxiliaries have been visited during the year by the President, whose words of counsel and encouragement have done very much to establish and strengthen them, and many seem to have been stirred to renewed exertion, a deeper and more spiritual interest in the work, more looking on it as a great joy and privilege.

The reports from Mission Bands this year, on the whole, have been very encouraging, and some show a marked increase in contribution. A deep desire for better and more earnest work seems breathed through many of the reports. This is a blessed sign, betokening that the motive power is love for Christ and His work. May our members ever work zealously, not with any spirit of rivalry, but with the constant desire to merit the commendation given to one of old: "She hath done what she could."

We are sorry to report Mattawa as falling in the ranks, probably owing to the wholesale departure from that town. No report was sent, though the Treasurer received a small sum conscientiously sent. Douglas has suffered through sickness and has been closed for some time. One new Band has been organized—Burnstown—and Lochwinnoch organized a branch Band at Goshen that the members there might be able to attend the meetings more regularly. Pembroke this year heads the contribution list.

LINDSAY.

Miss L. H. MacLennan.

On the whole we feel that the past year has been one of progress. Our membership is slightly smaller than in the previous year, but this is due in a great measure to removals. The average attendance and contributions both show marked increase, our contributions being \$88.55 in excess of last year. The call for clothing to the North-West received a hearty response. We have added two Mission Bands during the year, one at Grant's School, and one at Sunderland. We regret to have to report the disorganization of the Mission Band at Fenelon Falls. There is plenty of material for a Mission Band there, but no one willing to take hold of the work. At Balsover and Kirkfield we have a number of workers who do not feel strong enough to be called

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Auxiliaries, but who are working as Scattered Helpers. The "Missionary Tidings" is welcomed by all our members; about 450 copies are subscribed for. We have found the half-yearly meetings very helpful; we hold them in the smaller places which cannot entertain the annual meeting. Dr. Margaret McKellar was present at our semi-annual, and gave us a very interesting address. We are thankful for the degree of success that has crowned our efforts, and we hope that the interest will continue to increase until every woman of our Church is a member of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

LONDON.

Miss L. M. Fraser.

The past year has been the most successful and encouraging that we have yet enjoyed.

The membership has increased ninety-one, although there is a slight decrease in the average attendance at meetings. This we know is not due to lack of interest, but, in the case of several Societies, to sickness in the homes of members and removals, and also to death, taking away two beloved Presidents from Auxiliaries—Mrs. Robson of Vanneck, and Mrs. J. A. Young of Thamesford, who was also a Vice-President of our Presbyterial Society.

The reports of Societies were never more hopeful or cheering or stronger in their resolve to go forward. One Auxiliary and one Mission Band have discontinued; the Auxiliary is anxious to reorganize at once, and the members of the Mission Band, who have not removed to the city, have joined the Auxiliary, so that in neither case is it a loss to us, except in the number of organizations.

We have one new Auxiliary and two new Mission Bands to welcome into our Presbyterial Society, "Carlisle Church Auxiliary," "The Cheerful Helpers," of Bryanston Church, and the "St. George's Church Mission Band" at Pottersburg. Six new life members have also been added.

Growth during the past ten years has been steady but slow. In 1887 we had twenty-one Auxiliaries and two Mission Bands—twenty-three Societies; now we have fifty-two organizations. Contributions, both to the North-West and to the general fund, have more than doubled; and yet we have neither as many members nor as many organizations as we should have. Still, we know that

earnest faithful work is being done by both Auxiliaries and Mission Bands. Thank-offering meetings are held by all our Societies, and the offerings are more liberal each year. The outfits sent to the children of Birtle School showed that care and time, as well as money, had been expended. The gifts and toys prepared for making a Merry Christmas at Birtle, by our Mission Bands were a joy to those who packed them, and we know from Miss McLaren that the hearts of the little dark-eyed children who received them were made glad and happy.

Some of our Societies have had the great pleasure and privilege of hearing Dr. Margaret McKellar tell of the progress of the Gospel in India. Her earnest words will stimulate the workers at home, and loving deeds and fervent prayer and thanksgiving will be the fruit of her untiring and enthusiastic devotion to the cause she has so much at heart.

The death of dear Mrs. Ewart, our beloved President, caused sorrow throughout all our Societies; not soon will her place be as ably filled. Hers was a life of effort and consecration to the cause of Christ and she was taken away gently to be forever with the Lord, and to us "she being dead, yet speaketh."

The Library was last year divided and sent to three Societies. It has proved to the members of these Auxiliaries a source of pleasure and profit.

We believe that God has helped and sustained us as individuals and as a society, and we would return thanks to Him for the privilege He has given us of being co-workers with Himself; and we pray that He may renew our strength and give us more love to Him and to each other; that we may continue to use every energy of mind and spirit for the welfare of others; that we may work earnestly and pray earnestly that His Kingdom may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

MAITLAND.

Mrs. MacNabb.

Another year has come and gone and placed its record in the hands of God. We would with gratitude to our Heavenly Father acknowledge the grace that has kept alive the flame of love to God, and the desire and will to do what we can for the cause of God and our fellow-creatures.

We have in a feeble way employed the talents committed to our trust. We may not have realized the full measure of our responsibility, and would humbly bow before our Lord with con-

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fession of many shortcomings, and give thanks to God for any success accomplished.

It is interesting to take a look at the work of the different Auxiliaries and Mission Bands as reported. As each brings its record of work done, it varies little from that of former years; we have from many the same expressions of Christian zeal and love, of increased interest, and of earnest toil in the Master's service. The motto is: "Go forward in our Master's strength."

Our Mission Bands have carried on a good work during the year. A member of one of the Bands accumulated twenty-five dollars on the talent system, from five cents, with which she made herself a life member. The younger members have kept themselves busy in various ways, making scrap books, quilts, etc. A week of self-denial was observed by one of our Bands. The Auxiliaries and Mission Bands contributed 1,720 pounds of clothing, sent to the Rev. John McArthur, Beulah Reserve.

As a Society we deeply sympathize with Knox Church, Ripley Auxiliary, in the removal of Mrs. Sutherland, its President for many years, to Nebraska. Her warm interest in the work of the Society and self-denying efforts to advance the cause of Christ will not be forgotten, and though a mother in Israel is absent from us to-day her influence remains.

ORANGEVILLE.

Mrs. Myers.

Although we regret to have to report a decrease in the contributions, still the reports of the various Secretaries are encouraging on the whole, and speak hopefully of the coming year, emphasizing the fact that where there is a decrease it is not through lack of interest. One new Auxiliary, Ballinafad, was organized this year, and has worked well. Caledon has reorganized and sends in a good report. The Primrose Auxiliary found it necessary to disband, but formed a Mission Band instead, which has sent in a good account of itself. Two Auxiliaries do not report, but hope to do good work next year. Some of the Auxiliaries have had the privilege of hearing Rev. N. H. Russell, of Mhow; Rev. D. MacGillivray, of Honan; also the inspiring addresses of Dr. Margaret McKellar, of Indore, Central India.

There has been a slight increase in the number of subscribers to the "Foreign Missionary Tidings." Two hundred and seventy-five copies of this excellent little paper are taken in this Presbyterial. Nine hundred pounds of clothing were sent to Mr. John Black, Lizard Point Reserve, and were received and distributed by him.

OTTAWA.

Miss H. E. Durie.

Motto : " With good will doing service, ' For Love's Sake.' "

In presenting the eleventh annual report of our Society we are glad to be able to record an addition of two Auxiliaries and three Mission Bands. On the other hand we regret having to drop off the list the names of two Auxiliaries—Campbell's Bay and Lowry. The Young Woman's Union Band of Ottawa has also disbanded, leaving a record of good work done during the past twelve years. The names of the new Auxiliaries are Richmond and Poltimore. The new Mission Bands are the " Jubilee " Band, Portage du Fort ; " Golden Links " Band, under the fostering care of Bank Street Church Auxiliary ; and the " Paton " Band, in the Orphans' Home, Ottawa.

Our membership has increased and the average attendance at meetings is better than last year.

About 1,590 pounds of clothing, etc., were sent this year to Mr. Alexander Skene, Qu Appelle. As usual all united most heartily in contributing to the supplies for the North-West.

With the increase in the other departments, we are pleased to notice an enlarged circulation of " Foreign Missionary Tidings ; " 486 copies are taken, an increase of 68 subscribers.

 OWEN SOUND.

Mrs. T. M. McGill.

The glad strain of Jubilee that has sounded throughout our land during the past year, finds a re-echo in our hearts, while reviewing the work of our Presbyterial Society in this our tenth annual report.

We are able to report an increase in nearly every department of the work. Apart from the financial progress, there is a marked spiritual advancement, spoken of in various reports, which places the work on a higher plane than duty, namely, a " blessed privilege."

Two life members have been added during the year ; three new Auxiliaries formed and one " Young People's Band," which is the outgrowth of a Mission Band.

There are now twenty Auxiliaries and eight Mission Bands. While some have no marked progress to report only one speaks

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of being discouraged, and all unite in saying their meetings are both pleasant and profitable. The average attendance in many Societies ranges about seven, some as low as four, but all are nobly persevering in the face of every difficulty that may arise.

Recognizing the fact that a knowledge of the work is necessary in order to maintain interest, earnest effort is being made by the Auxiliaries and Bands to study the work in mission fields; also to have papers or items of interest read by the members at each meeting. Two good results are obtained by this plan: first, individual interest is awakened; second, the responsibility of the meetings is not borne by the Presidents alone. Addresses from returned Missionaries, from the Presbyterial President and other earnest workers are greatly appreciated, while the annual meeting held in June was found very helpful in creating new interest and zeal.

The benefit derived from the "Missionary Tidings" cannot be too highly spoken of as a valuable source of information; 324 copies are now in circulation. The "Thank-offering Leaflet," distributed with an envelope (previous to the Thank-offering Meeting) is reported by one Auxiliary which tried the plan, as having brought in the largest contribution they had ever received.

One noticeable feature of the work is the growing interest in preparing the bale of clothing; eleven hundred pounds were shipped to the North-West. Very few of the Societies fail to contribute, while the valuable gifts made by the members of the Mission Bands show plainly the pleasure it gives them to fulfil the words of our Master, "I was naked and ye clothed Me." May they reap the reward which follows with the "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these My brethren, ye have done it unto Me."

If each Christian woman in our land could realize that "every privilege brings with it a corresponding duty," and, comparing our life with that of women in heathen lands, rise to a sense of her responsibility in this cause, how soon would we realize the truth of our motto, "The World for Christ."

PARIS.

Mrs. W. D. Watson.

The thirteenth annual report of this Society is not marked by any special feature of interest, yet we have many reasons to thank God for His goodness to us. Every branch of the Society has been heard from, and while the reports give a general idea of the plan of work adopted by each, it is when "reading between

the lines" that one enters into the quiet tone of thankfulness conveyed by some, sympathizes with the discouragements of others, and *feels* the deepening interest in the work that binds us together as a Society. The Topic Card has been generally followed, and in addition, the interest has been sustained by Bible readings, fact meetings and missionary addresses. Thank-offering meetings are still a feature of the year's programme, and have been found helpful in gathering in many who are not members, who perhaps cannot attend all the meetings, but who by their presence and contributions at that meeting testify to their interest and sympathy. For this reason we have urged the "Scattered Helpers" scheme, feeling that our number could easily be increased by a little effort. We welcome to our number the sisters of one new Auxiliary near Woodstock, and one Mission Band in Ingersoll. We have now a total of twenty one Auxiliaries and fifteen Mission Bands. Six life members have been added during the year, and from five Societies loved members have gone to be "Forever with the Lord."

Five hundred and twenty-one copies of the "Foreign Missionary Tidings" are circulated, and more than one Society has made the study of its contents a feature of the meetings.

A generous response was made to the appeal for clothing for Crowstand Reserve, the supply sent being abundant and of excellent quality, while in addition we were able to add a good outfit of granite dishes, etc., for the school.

The resolution *re* "Memorial Fund," sent from this Presbyterian a year ago and adopted by the General Society, was responded to by fourteen Auxiliaries and five Mission Bands in the Paris Presbyterian, and we note with thankfulness the net result from all sources. We are very pleased to report a slight increase in contributions. And now in conclusion it is only true to add, that while we have much to encourage, more than one Secretary deplors the lack of general interest, the small membership, compared with the number of women in the congregation, and it impresses anew the personal responsibility resting upon each one; but, with increased faithfulness and more earnest prayer, we shall yet realize the promise that "If two of you shall agree on earth as touching anything that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father which is in Heaven."

PETERBOROUGH.

Miss M. Dickson.

The year which has just closed has been a marked one in many ways. We, as a Missionary Society, have had our first great sorrow, the removal by death of our much loved President,

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the late Mrs. Ewart. To know her was to love and esteem her. Full of love to the Master, with a heart so charged with missionary enthusiasm that it responded to every cry from all corners of the missionary field, she was endowed with rare gifts for service; her devoted life ought to be an inspiration to us for future work. Two of our Auxiliaries have each lost a member by death. Westwood mourns the loss of their oldest member, Mrs. Cameron, and Centreville has lost one of their most active members, Miss Deyell. The lesson for each one of us is to be up and doing, not knowing when the Master may call us.

The work in our Presbyterial has suffered not a little by the loss of our President, Miss Gilchrist, who has been removed to a distant field of labor; though absent, we know that she watches with interest everything connected with our work. The Society has also felt the loss of Mrs. W. M. Graham, who for many years discharged the duties of Corresponding Secretary so efficiently.

We are not able to report any increase in the number of Auxiliaries, although the effort has been made to do so. Our Mission Bands have been increased by three. An Intermediate Band was organized in St. Andrew's, Peterborough, a Junior in St. Paul's, and a Junior in Coldsprings.

The Auxiliaries and Bands prepared gifts and prizes for our schools in Central India, also hospital supplies.

In many of the reports for the past year there is much encouragement, not in the way of increased membership, but in the increased interest manifested by the members and their willingness to assist at the monthly meetings. This is a cause for thankfulness. On the other hand the fact is mentioned that the membership is small, compared with the number of women in the different congregations. This year the falling off in the Mission Bands is very noticeable and is much to be regretted. This is something which calls for our serious consideration. Do Auxiliaries as a rule take the interest which they should in these Bands? How many members of the Auxiliaries have during the past year enquired as to how the Band was getting on? How many have attended Band meetings? And in how many Auxiliaries have they been a subject for constant prayer?

SARNIA.

Miss J. Brebner.

We cannot report a year of great progress, but one of faithful, earnest work in the Auxiliaries and Mission Bands. Many have had much to discourage them, but all are looking forward with brighter hopes for the new year of work.

In spite of a decrease in our membership and our short year of ten months, made by changing the time of our meeting from January to November, still we are able to show an increase of some dollars over last year. We now number sixteen Auxiliaries and ten Bands, an increase of two Auxiliaries, one re-organized and one new.

All enjoy the "Foreign Mission Tidings," and many pass it among those who are not connected with our Society.

A large supply of clothing was sent to the Industrial School at Regina. This seemed to appeal strongly to the Mission Bands, and many of them supplied complete outfits for boys and girls of their own ages. Much new material was sent, and gifts for the children at Christmas.

We are pleased to report an increase in our Scattered Helpers, and hope to do more in this branch during the next year; also that the majority of our Bands have now General Society members.

So we go on to another year's work, trusting that as our efforts have been blessed in the past they will be crowned with greater success in the future.

SAUGEEN.

Miss Kate Young.

The contributions of our Society have increased some \$60 over the previous year. The response to the call for clothing for the North-West Indians was also liberal; 1,100 pounds of new and second-hand clothing, also a large number of quilts, were sent to Moose Mountain Reserve. One new Mission Band was organized and one life member added to our Society.

The reports from the various Auxiliaries and Mission Bands were on the whole encouraging.

The "Missionary Tidings" continues to increase in favor, and each year notes a larger subscription for it.

Thank-offering meetings are now held in all our Auxiliaries, and have proved to be a great help, both by increasing the interest of those who are not members of the Society, and also adding largely to the contributions.

STRATFORD.

Miss M. Hamilton.

On account of the change in the date of our annual meeting this year our report of this Presbyterial will only be for nine months. On the whole the work has kept up to the standard of last year. Membership remains much the same in the Auxiliaries

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but increased in the Mission Bands. The average attendance at all meetings is larger than last year and the interest taken in the Foreign Mission work is greater than before. Several Auxiliaries report loss of members either by death or removal from the neighborhood, others have discontinued regular membership because of ill-health, but keep up their contributions as Scattered Helpers. N. Nissouri was reorganized this summer, making twenty-four Auxiliaries in the Presbytery. One new Mission Band was organized in N. E. Hope, making twelve Mission Bands. Two new life members were reported.

The Thank-offering meeting has been a means of much good, interesting and influencing many who are not members, and spreading a knowledge of our mission fields and the work carried on there throughout the congregations. Several places have been visited by one or more of the missionaries home on furlough, and this, bringing in touch the workers at home and the workers from abroad, has tended to increased knowledge and widened the sympathies of the home workers.

The "Foreign Missionary Tidings" has become a regular institution, and there are few Auxiliaries now in which every member does not take a copy.

The supply of clothing to the North-West Indians was as usual a liberal one. Fourteen hundred and twenty pounds of clothing was sent to Regina Industrial School. The Mission Bands joined heartily in this work and contributed a good deal towards it. Some of the Bands, especially in the country districts, have had a hard struggle to keep up the attendance at their meetings, but have so far been very faithful in doing their utmost.

We, as a Presbyterial, desire to record with what regret and sorrow we heard of the death of our late President, Mrs. Ewart. We as a Society will miss much her influence and the inspiration that she had been to all engaged in the work, and we can sympathize deeply with the Board who were associated with her more nearly and dearly and must feel very keenly the lack of her cheerful and hopeful presence and wise counsels. May the thought of her noble work stimulate us to greater zeal and more earnest work in the Master's cause.

TORONTO.

Miss Craiq.

In presenting this our thirteenth annual report, it is with feelings of thankfulness to God that we have to report progress both in the number of Societies and in membership, also in the interest taken in the work by the members of both Auxiliaries and Mission

Bands and in the hopefulness with which they look forward to another year's work.

We are happy to welcome two new Societies, Bethesda and Fairbank Auxiliaries, and that the Auxiliary reported disbanded last year sent in a donation of ten dollars and to use their own words, "That although we have not held any meeting during the year, they had not lost all interest in the work."

Only one note of discouragement was sounded this year in the reports, and that in the only Auxiliary that does not take the "Foreign Missionary Tidings."

In reports from Mission Bands these words have been repeated more than once, "We see the interest deepening in the children, and hope to do better in the coming year." Where Auxiliaries are thoroughly alive and deeply interested, the Bands seem to catch the enthusiasm. May this not be a lesson to us?

We have also welcomed to our Presbyterian three new Mission Bands, the Penny-Seekers of Milliken, the Cowan Avenue Mission Band—both of which, though so recently organized, have sent in very encouraging reports—and Bloor Street West Young Woman's Band. The Golden Rule of Toronto Junction and the Laskay Mission Bands have disbanded, the former from inability to obtain suitable officers, and from Laskay, the Secretary, in her own childish way, reports, "I am the only one of the Band left here."

There are now fifty-eight Auxiliaries and thirty-five Mission Bands making a total of ninety-three Societies.

It is to be regretted that there are still five Auxiliaries and twelve Mission Bands who have no general Society members, and, therefore, cannot send a delegate to annual meeting. The Scattered Helpers, as reported, show an increase of thirty-one.

Our supply department still continues to be a centre of interest, and nearly all reports speak of the pleasure they take in this work. The Supply Committee received \$199.60 in money, and have been able to supply all requests sent to them from the Board. About four thousand pounds of clothing have been sent to four stations, and many of the Mission Bands sent in dolls and scrap-books for India.

The circulation of the "Foreign Missionary Tidings" still continues to increase; 2,452 are now distributed through the Presbyterian, being an increase of 103 over last year.

It is with sorrow we have to report this year a decrease in our offerings of \$161.35.

Miss McKellar, of India, has addressed three meetings in different parts of the Presbyterian, and all who have heard her speak of the pleasure it was and the interest she deepened in them.

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In closing permit us to leave this thought: What am I, who am living in the full Light of the Glorious Sun of Righteousness, doing to keep burning the feeble lights in heathen lands?

WHITBY.

Miss C. Thomson.

Our report for 1897 is, on the whole, a cheering one. The large majority of our Societies report a prosperous year, as indicated by growing attendance at meetings and increased contributions toward the great work in which we are engaged. From a few points our friends speak of difficulties and discouragement, though in some, even of these, the determination is expressed to work on bravely and hope for better things. Eleven Auxiliaries (including Scattered Helpers) report a larger or smaller increase in contribution, while seven have failed to reach last year's standard. As we have one Band less, we have necessarily a smaller membership in that department of our work, and have also a smaller sum contributed by the Bands as a whole. We trust another year may find the hope expressed by one of them realized, and that we may be able to report an advance in this department for 1898.

Our annual contribution of clothing in connection with Indian work in the North-West has quite equalled in quantity and value that of 1896, and we were especially glad to welcome as new contributors our friends at Utica.

In regard to our numerical strength it is exceedingly difficult to speak definitely owing to imperfect reporting by many Societies. In some cases, either no statistics of any kind, or only partial ones were given, resulting, in spite of every effort to secure accuracy, in unreliable returns. Notwithstanding this difficulty it is believed that in numbers also we are fully holding our ground.

Our bright little monthly, "F. M. Tidings," is doing its work in all our Societies. In some, every member of Auxiliary is stated to be a subscriber, and in others the number taken is greatly in excess of the membership.

In October we were much gratified by a visit to our Presbyterian of Dr. Margaret McKellar, a pleasure tempered with regret that her strength would not allow her to visit every Auxiliary within our bounds. The four addresses she was able to give were, without exception, characterized as among the most able and profitable ever given among us, and we trust their influence will continue to be felt for a long time to come.

On the whole, as a Presbyterial, our past year has been prosperous. If not all we could wish for, it is much that in the face of adverse circumstances, last year's financial position has been maintained, and in not a few Auxiliaries a good advance has been made, while growing interest in the work is claimed as prevailing in most of our Societies.

In others it is hoped that unfavorable conditions may prove of short duration, and that individually and collectively we may hear—and heed—the voice of the Master, amid all difficulties saying to us for the year to come, “Speak to My people that they Go FORWARD.”

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Mrs. A. D. Mackay.

The reports received are very encouraging. That of the Literature Secretary shows that 403 copies of “Foreign Missionary Tidings” had been received and distributed throughout the Presbyterial. Original papers are prepared and circulated among the various Auxiliaries. Missionary and other religious literature is sent out from the city Auxiliaries to several places in the Presbytery where no Auxiliary or Mission Band exists.

One new Auxiliary—Morris—and one Mission Band—Little Britain—were organized during the year. The membership has increased and six life members were received. The average attendance at the monthly meetings, while very good in some cases, is not nearly as high as it ought to be. The meetings are reported as very helpful and interesting, exceedingly so in some Auxiliaries. Prominence is given to Bible study and papers or addresses on missionary topics, as in former years. The Mission Bands enjoy their meetings, some of them sew, making clothing, quilts and Xmas gifts for Indian children. Two Bands sent parcels to India for distribution in the girls' schools.

Several public meetings were held under the auspices of the Presbyterial. We listened with great pleasure to Dr. Margaret McKellar, on her way home from India. We had also inspiring and very helpful addresses from Rev. Norman Russell, Rev. M. MacKenzie and Dr. Buchanan. We feel we were highly favored in having so many missionaries with us in one year.

The Thank-offering meeting is very generally observed by Auxiliaries, and proves a great blessing. A “missionary tea” was given by one Auxiliary and was very successful.

Miss Hamilton, our second Vice-President, removed to Bois-sevain congregation, and Mrs. Dodds, our third Vice-President, to

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Moose Mountain, to labor as a missionary among the Indians, and our prayers and best wishes follow them. We record with sorrow the death of our esteemed head of the General Society, Mrs. Ewart, but we have no local deaths reported. Our year has been crowned with prosperity; there has been increase in membership, in finances, and general interest.

NOT IN PRESBYTERIAL ORDER.

Home Secretary.

The isolated branches reported last year are all in good working order and all except two have increased their contributions. Thank-offering meetings have been held in some of them, and the general tone of the reports indicates steady, quiet progress.

The Chinese class in connection with Lethbridge Auxiliary has again sent a contribution to help dispel the darkness among their fellow-countrymen.

Moosomin M. B., which was rather disheartened at the beginning of the year, has taken a fresh start.

"Ledingham" Auxiliary, Moose Jaw, and "McKellar" Auxiliary, Calgary, are new branches, the result of meetings which were addressed by Dr. Margaret McKellar.

Another Auxiliary has also been formed among the Indian women on Mistawasis Reserve. Though only organized a few months ago they have sent a cheering report. The report from "Purab Ka Tara" Auxiliary has not yet been received.

One new Auxiliary and one Mission Band have been formed in the Presbytery of Westminster. These, with the two Auxiliaries already in existence, have been organized into the Presbyterial Society of Westminster. May they and all our other distant branches receive an outpouring of the Holy Spirit, that so they may be enabled to undertake and accomplish much for the Master,

TABULATED REPORTS OF

EXPLANATION.—The letters "N. V." in the tabulated statement stand for Mission Fields," opposite the names of Societies that have contributed without have not sent clothing. Opposite the names of Presbyterial Secretaries the M., Mission Band ; and A., Assistant.

Name of Society.	Date of Organization.	President.	Treasurer.
BARRIE PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.		Mrs. McCrae, President, Collingwood	Mrs. Cameron, Allandale
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Allandale	1895	Mrs. Cameron	Mrs. Harker
Allistca	1888	" Burnett.	Miss Rose
Ardtree	1892	Miss Reed	" Butterfield
Barrie	1885	Mrs. Gallie	Mrs. Ross
Beeton	1890	" McDonald	" Mitchell
Bond Head	1887	" Abernethy	" Sutherland
Bradford	1887	" Smith	Miss P. Henderson.
Bracebridge	1891	" Clarke	Mrs. Tillson
Churchill	1887	" Ross	Miss Reive
Collingwood	1883	" McCrae	Mrs. Bonnar
Duntroon	1891	" McLean	Miss Searle
First Essa	1895		
Gravenhurst	1884	" Young	Mrs. Sharpe
Ivy	1896	" Barber	" Ganley
Midland	1891	" Playfair	Miss McKay
North Bay	1894	" McAdams	Mrs. Smith
Nottawasaga	1895	" Holden	Mrs. Patterson
Orillia	1886	" Grant	Miss World
Oro, 'Essen Church'	1893	" Anderson	Mrs. McMahan

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PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETIES.

the words "no valuation" in the column for "Value of Clothing, etc., to setting a value. Where "N.V." does not appear, the inference is that they letter C. signifies Corresponding ; R., Recording ; S., Supply ; L., Leaflet ;

Secretary and Post Office.	Members of Auxiliary.	Members of Gen. Society	Total Membership, 1898.		Average attendance at Mtgs.		Contribution, 1896.		Contribution, 1897.		Value of Clothing, etc., sent to North-West.		Scattered Helpers.	Scattered Helpers' Contributions.	
							\$	c.	\$	c.	\$	c.		\$	c.
Miss Robertson, Collingwood.															
A., Miss McConkey, Barrie.															
S., Mrs. Smith, Orillia.															
Mrs. McIntosh, Allandale.	11	1	12	9	50	00	46	00	46	00	4	00	..	..	..
" Edmonds, Alliston ..	10	8	18	9	29	40	22	00	22	00	21	00	..	..	..
Miss L. Robinson, Ardtrea	12	1	13	6	7	70	6	20	6	20	5	00	..	..	..
Mrs. Dougall, Barrie ..	21	9	30	15	76	19	68	22	68	22	31	75	..	..	..
Miss M. Smart, Beeton ..	16	2	18	6	26	68	23	45	23	45	34	52	2	3	95
Mrs. W. Howard, Bond Hd	17	1	18	6	42	00	55	00	55	00	..	..	..	..	..
Miss J. Henderson, Bradford.	28	..	28	10	73	00	55	00	55	00	19	25	..	..	..
Mrs. Tillson, Bracebridge.	5	..	5	4	23	55	14	37	14	37	7	00	..	..	..
Miss A. J. Allan, Churchhill.	10	2	12	7	27	74	27	51	27	51	*30	20	..	..	..
Mrs. McCraney, Collingwood.	31	15	46	23	101	47	116	00	116	00	31	25	..	..	..
Miss Livingstone, Duntroon	10	..	10	5	17	00	12	00	12	00	18	50	..	..	..
Mrs. McJanet, Gravenh'rst	14	1	15	9	42	55	60	00	60	00	61	50	..	..	..
" Lyons, Ivy ..	18	..	18	5	18	63	13	00	13	00	..	..	..	..	..
" Hunter, Midland ..	22	..	22	11	28	00	35	00	35	00	7	85	..	..	..
" Browning, North Bay	16	1	17	8	26	00	26	21	26	21	8	60	..	..	..
Miss McMurchy, Collingwood.	10	..	10	5	20	00	13	00	13	00	..	..	..	..	..
Mrs. Harvey, Orillia ..	32	11	43	30	243	46	190	21	190	21
" Tudhope, Rugby ..	17	3	20	6	45	00	44	00	44	00	12	65

* \$6.35 cash sent.

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<i>Auxiliaries—Con.</i>			
Oro, 'Guthrie Church' ...	1894	Mrs. Brown	Miss Muir
Oro, 'Central Church' ...	1894	" Campbell	" Smith
Oro, 'Willis Church'	1896	" Webster	" Thompson
Penetanguishene	1894	" Johnson	" McGuire
Severn Bridge	1895	" Rainey	" Boyd
Stayner	1888	" McFaul	" Buie
Sunnidale	1890	" Brown	" Schell
West Gwillimbury	1891	" Fraser	Mrs. Sutherland
Tottenham	1891	" Nichol	Miss Temple
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Allandale, 'Gauld' (juv.) .	1892	Mrs. McIntosh	Miss Cowie
Alliston, 'Happy Gather- ers'	1892	" Scott	" Allan
Barrie (Y.W.)	1886	" Stevenson	" Woods
Barrie, 'King's Workers' (juv.)	1892	" Moodie	" Kennedy
Bracebridge, 'Busy Bees' (juv.)	1896	Miss Clarke	" Ida Kirk
Bradford, 'Goforth' (Y.W.)	1896	" Dennis	" Thompson
Churchill, 'Palm Leaf'	1895	Mrs. Adams	" Rogerson
Collingwood (Y.W.)	1888	" Foote	" Ferguson
Collingwood, 'Little Fol- lowers'	1893	" Bonnar	" Copeland
Duntroon, 'Willing Work- ers' (jun.)	1894	Miss Kelly	" Campbell
Gravenhurst, 'Northern Light'	1890	" Young	" McInnis
Kilworthy, 'Sparrow Lake'	1891	" Lehman
Orillia, 'Couchiching'	1887	" Wesley	" Harvey

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					\$ c.	\$ c.	\$ c.		\$ c.
Mrs. Robertson, Shanty Bay.....	6	..	6	6	8 00	8 00	30 85
Miss McArthur, Mitchell Square	8	..	8	5	23 70	24 65	14 50
Mrs. Leatherdale, Jarratt's Corners	5	..	5	6	10 00	19 00	.....	4	2 00
Miss Beck, Penetang'ishene	9	1	10	8	20 00	25 00	17 00	..	..
Mrs. Christie, Severn B'dge	12	..	12	12	7 73	14 60	5 90	..	..
Miss Sutherland, Stayner	19	4	23	10	40 00	63 00	44 10	..	..
" Burrows, Stayner....	15	..	15	10	17 00	15 00	42 65	..	..
" Faris, Bradford.....	12	3	15	6	52 20	43 30	14 00	..	..
Mrs. Abbott, Tottenham..	12	..	12	6	15 76	28 70	17 00	..	..
Miss Steggles, Allandale..	9	..	9	15	6 25	5 15	4 00	..	..
" Edmonds, Alliston...	9	..	9	7	10 00	15 00	..	..	..
" McClain, Barrie	10	2	12	7	68 44	57 57	10 00	..	..
" L. McLeod, Barrie..	15	..	15	10	3 00	17 00	.....	..	..
" Edna Henderson, Bracebridge	15	..	15	7	6 50	6 45	3 00	..	..
" Rogerson, Bradford..	16	..	16	9	6 50	9 38	11 00	..	..
" Berdie Adams, Lefroy	14	..	14	10	6 18	3 29	5 00	..	..
" McCraney, Collingwood.....	13	3	16	10	24 00	23 59	23 50	..	..
" M. Hunter, Box 627 Collingwood	49	..	49	28	25 00	19 00	3 50	..	..
" Sullivan, Duntroon..	19	1	20	9	1 48	5 16	1 50
" Wilson, Gravenhurst.	32	5	37	20	32 50	24 26	12 50
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" Dallas, Orillia.....	18	..	18	20	30 55	39 00	11 45

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<i>Mission Bands—Con.</i>			
Orillia, 'Bright Sunbeams' (juv.)	1893	Miss Miller	Miss M. Eaton
Oro, Central, 'Earnest Helpers'	1894	Mrs. Campbell	" Reid
Oro, Guthrie, 'Willing Workers'	1894	Miss Campbell	" Watt
Midland, 'Paton'	1893	" Tulley	
Stayner, 'Friends of India'	1889	Mrs. Bell	" J.M.Campbell.
Penetanguishene 'Faithful Workers'	1897	Mrs. Nettleton	" Scott
Ivy, 'Ivy Twiners'	1897	Miss Parker	" Burton
Presbyterial Fund, \$24.93 ;	Int.	\$3.70	
BRANDON AND PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1886	Mrs. Ross, Douglas	Mrs. J. McDairmid, Brandon
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Alexander	1891	Mrs. Joseph Spiers	Mrs. Geo. Broatch
Arden	1896	" Alex. McKenzie	" John T. Wilson
Brandon	1886	" J. H. Murray	" A. McLeod
Burnside	1893	" McRae	Miss Lizzie Gair
Beulah	1889		
Chater	1886	" R. Richards	" A. Richards
Carberry	1888	" Carswell	Mrs. Walker
Douglas	1888	" G. Ross	" Mutrie
East Prospect	1890	" J. W. Neelin	" L. A. Bradley.

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Miss Elsie Main, Orillia..	45	..	45	27	35 00	11 72	14 55
" Pearsall, Oro.....	23	..	23	12	7 00	2 50
Master Alex. Graham, Gilchrist	40	..	40	15	23 40	6 82	12 05
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Miss M. Bingham, Stayner	28	..	28	16	18 00	16 00	6 00
" Ida Nevills, Penetang	35	..	35	21	5 00	4 00
Master H. Parker, Ivy....	16	..	16	17	7 00
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Mrs. Creighton, Alexander	14	..	14	6	50 90	48 00
" McClung, Arden ...	4	..	4	3	8 40	2 50
" J. McDonald, Brand'n	36	3	39	18	151 85	221 00
Miss Jennie Robertson, Burnside	10	..	10	5	31 85	61 37	5	5 00
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Mrs. R. McKay, Chater...	7	1	8	5	37 00	37 00
" A. Robertson, Car- berry	17	..	17	7	86 00	99 50
Mrs. Berry, Douglas	5	..	5	4	48 40	54 00
" J. Beaton, Portage la Prairie	16	..	16	8	36 00	76 45

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<i>Auxiliaries - Con.</i>			
Gladstone	1896	Mrs. J. Findlay	Mrs. R. Galloway ..
Humesville.	1886	" Kennedy	" Rea
McDonald	1893	" J. White	" J. Whimster..
Portage la Prairie	1886	" S. R. Marlatt ..	" Jas. Brown....
Petrel	1890	" McKinnon	Miss Murchison
Roseland	1889	" W. Peacock	Mrs. J. Ferrier
Rounthwaite	1890	" T. R. Shearer ..	Miss McKay
Summerville	1890	Miss Maggie Muirhead	" J. Muirhead .
Wellwood	1891	Mrs. J. Aikenhead....	" M. Hume:ton..
Zion Church, N. Brandon.	1886	" D. McEwen	" McConechy ..
Oak River.....	1898	" D. D. Frazer....	" J. Frazer.....
Robertson Church	1898	" Pettapiece	Mrs. Sinklater.....
Austin	1898	" J. M. Dick	" H. Hall
Contribution from Welling- ton..
<i>Mission Band.</i>			
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Mrs. J. E. Munroe, Gladstone	12	..	12	4	12 75	30 00	2	* c.
Miss Lizzie Forsyth, Brandon	15	..	15	6	40 00	60 00
Mrs. J. Whimster, Portage la Prairie.....	7	1	8	4	28 56	28 60
“ A. E. Cox, Portage la Prairie .. .	53	..	53	..	158 30	176 60	12	10 55
“ A. McIntosh, Petrel.	4	..	4	3	30 00	17 00
“ J. Ferrier, Roseland.	12	..	12	6	35 62	40 71	1	1 00
“ R. Inglis, Rounthwaite.....	28	..	28	13	73 57	110 30	6	20 00
Miss Jennie Fitzsimmons, Carberry	7	..	7	5	10 70	9 55
“ M. Humeston, Wellwood.....	*	29 00
“ Leila McCuning, Brandon	16	..	16	9	65 00	71 05
“ McIntosh, Oak River
“ Annie Shanks, Rapid City
“ Letta Campbell
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BROCKVILLE PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1885	Mrs. J. Dowsley	Mrs. M. Gibson....
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Athens	1887	Mrs. Cameron	Mrs. Thompson
Brockville, First Church..	1889	" Moore	Miss J. Dowsley ...
Brockville, St. John's	1889	" McLennan	Mrs. Gordon Starr .
Caintown	1892	" J. Purvis	" J. Tennant....
Cardinal	1886	" Thompson	" Gow
Chesterville	1895	" J. M. Kellock ..	" Casselman
Colquhoun	1886	" J. E. Colquhoun	Miss M. Wallace...
Dixon's Corners	1892	" J. Bell.....	Mrs. A. Clark
Elizabethtown.....	1895	" E. Billings.....	" H. Glazier....
Hallville	1892	" C. Hyndman....	" H. Shar
Heckston	1892	" Spencer.....	Secretary-Treasurer.
Iroquois.....	1889	" Macalister	Mrs. C. E. Harkness
Jaspar			
Lyn.....	1886	" Armstrong.....	Miss Halliday
Mainsville	1894	" Van Camp	Mrs. Adams
Mallorytown	1890	Miss Goodbody.....	" A. W. Mallory
Merrickville.....	1887	Mrs. Acton	" A. Wills
Morewood.....	1890	" Kellock.....	Miss E. Moffat.....
Morrisburg	1885	" Gibson.....	Mrs. Kilgour.....
North Williamsburg	1890	" J. H. Merkley..	" McEachern ...
Pittston	[reorganized 1897	" T. Riddell	" J. Byers.....
Pleasant Valley	1893	" S. Stirling	" J. McShane...
Prescott.....	1884	" Blair	" J. Raney
Roebuck	1890	" J. Robinson	" A. Starr

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Mrs. Lewis, Athens	13	..	13	6	20 00	18 60	8 00
" C. H. French, box 247, Brockville	49	1	50	19	208 00	203 00	125 25
" J. J. Cranstoun, box 136, Brockville	20	1	21	17	51 86	46 91	40 75	2	*
Miss M. Gibson, Caintown	20	..	20	8	60 00	61 00	9 00	..	..
Mrs. Ross, Cardinal.....	36	2	38	11	91 07	97 04	28 00	3	*
" R. Beattie, Chesterv'l	9	..	9	6	21 80	28 13	..	..	..
Miss M. Colquhoun, Beckstead P.O.....	13	..	13	8	25 00	27 00	6 35	..	..
Mrs. A. Crobar, Dixon's C.	10	..	10	4	12 00	10 00	..	..	..
" J. Gardiner, Brockv'l	15	..	15	8	6 77	8 00	..	..	..
" R. J. Dougall, Hallv'l	17	..	17	5	32 00	32 00	43 00	..	..
" H. G. Graham, Millar's Corners.....	15	..	15	6	29 00	20 00	..	..	..
" C. E. Keeler, Iroquois	14	2	16	9	43 85	80 40	41 00	3	1 50
Miss Bullock, Lyn	17	2	19	10	12 00	8 65	..	..	..
Mrs. Holmes, Brouseville.	17	..	17	6	60 00	65 00	..	..	..
" J. Kelly, Malloryto'n	13	..	13	6	25 00	24 00	6 00	..	..
" J. Carnwith, Merrickville	11	..	11	5	40 00	53 00	..	..	..
Miss M. Carlyle, Morewood	16	..	16	7	24 00	20 55	..	..	..
Mrs. F. C. Denesha, Morrisburg	11	..	11	6	35 00	45 00	..	..	..
" G. E. Merkle, N. Williamsburg.....	8	..	8	4	71 00	57 00	32 55	..	..
" John Riddell, Pittst'n	8	..	8	7	40 00	30 85	18 00	3	..
Miss L. Montgomery, Pleasant Valley ...	7	..	7	10	8 50	8 50	..	..	..
" Ida Brown, Prescott	14	2	16	11	9 00	13 00	10 50
Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, Roebuck	14	..	14	8	90 00	88 86	45 00	..	†
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† A box of dolls for India.

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<i>Auxiliaries - Con.</i>			
South Mountain.....	1896	Mrs. McFarland	Miss Tena M'Tavish
Spencerville	1885	" J. A. Sinclair...	Mrs. R. Fairbairn..
Toledo	1897	Miss M. J. Duncan...	" Greenwood....
Winchester	1889	Mrs. Connery	" Holmes
Winchester Springs	1895	" R. Greer.....	" J. Salter
Ventnor	1894	" A. Riley.....	Miss M.M.Ferguson
Osgoode Line.....	1897	" W. Reid.. ..	Mrs. J. Allen.....
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Athens 'The Daisy'.....	1896	Miss F. Cadwell .....	.....
Brockville, First Church (Y.L.)	1889	Mrs. James Moore ..	Miss M. McEwan ..
Brockville, St. John's (Y. L.)	1892	" MacNaughton ..	" S. A. Miller...
Brockville, St. John's (juv.)	1889	" D. Strachan.....	" M. Grant.....
Cardinal, 'Little Mission- aries' (juv.) ..	1893	" McArthur .....	.....
Iroquois, 'Mission Help- ers' (juv.)	1893	Miss M. Cameron	" M. Keeler....
Kemptonville, 'Mission Bees' (juv.)	1895	" S. Mundle	Mrs. D. Hyndman..
Morrisburg, 'Willing Workers' (juv.)	1894	" Libbie Gillespie.	Miss Clara Gibson..
South Mountain (juv.)	1895	Mrs. McFarland... ..	.....
Roebuck, 'Happy Band' (juv.)	1894	" A. Lawrence....	" M. Bovaird ..
Spencerville, 'Lighted Lamps' (Y.L.)	1889	" Black	" K. Fairbairn..

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Mrs. Pearl Farrel, South Mountain	20	..	20	8	43 00	46 00	4	4 46
" G. Fairbairn, Spencerville	23	..	23	4	26 00	30 00	18 75
Miss E. McClure, Toledo..	8	..	8
Mrs. W. J. Fraser, Winchester	25	..	25	11	63 00	70 00	13 00
Miss Nellie Bell, Winchester Springs	6	..	6	4	12 00	9 00
" A. M. Lockerbie, Ventnor	16	..	16	8	34 00	36 00
" C. E. Porteous, Reid's Mills	7	..	7	4	18 60
.....	13	..	13	7	7 00	..	*
Miss Jen. Ellis, Brockville	17	..	17	9	13 30	17 00	2 50
" Jess. Henderson, "	14	..	14	9	6 00	10 63	13 55
" Muirhead, "	29	..	29	22	29 00	15 00	9 55	..	†
" H. Byers	4 84	7 00
" D. Coulter, Iroquois.	25	..	25	20	8 22	17 76	5 50
Mrs. J. R. Wallace, Kemptville	35	..	35	19	33 00	23 96	59 40
Miss Bessie Kilgour, Morrisburg	20	..	20	14	25 00	20 00	22 00
.....	18	..	18	9	5 00
Miss M. Robertson, Roebuck	16	..	16	8	2 50	25 00	6 80
" L. White, Spencerville	14	..	14	6	26 00	21 00	2 75

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Spencerville, 'Helping Hands' (juv.)	1889	Mrs. Sinclair	Ernest Carmichael..
Winchester, 'St. Paul's' (juv.)	1895	" Ross	Mary Rowat
Pleasant Valley 'Bright Diamonds' (juv.)	1897	" J. McShane.....	Miss P. Crowder....
Elizabethtown, 'Talent' (juv.)	1897	" H. Glazier.....	" E. Greer.....
Lyn, 'Jubilee' (juv.)	1897	Miss K. McNish	H. Armstrong.. ..
Chesterville, 'Royal' (juv.)	1897	Mrs. Sancier	Miss M. York
Heckston (juv.)	1897	" W. Cowley	" E. Cowden....
Less expenses, and balance on hand, \$12.89			
BRUCE PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1888	Mrs. Johnston, Paisley.	Miss Jean Miller, Paisley
Centre Bruce.....	1888	Mrs. Young	Mrs. Hill
Chesley	1889	" E. A. McKenzie.	" Chas. Armer..
Paisley	1888	" Johnston	" Grant.....
Port Elgin	1887	" Drumm	" Dalrymple
Tara	1888	" McMaster	Miss Hamilton
Underwood	1887	" I. Fitzpatrick....	Mrs. Hugh Murray.
Walkerton	1887	" Guthrie	Miss A. Robertson..
West Brant.....	1892	Miss Chisholm	" A. Wales

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Miss Jennie Martin, Spensville.....	19	..	19	10	\$ 5 00	\$ 2 26	\$	\$..
Lena Christie, Winchester	25	..	25	14	2 35
Miss N. Barrign, Pleasant Valley	16	..	16	13
“ F. Johnson, Spring Valley	14	..	14	8	3 25
“ Emma McNish, Lyn ..	12	..	12	10	*
“ M. Hummel, Chester-ville	19	..	19	13
Mrs. J. McGee, Millar's Corners	10	..	10
	788	10	798	417	1400 00	1432 30	575 00	15	5 96
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Mrs. Ferguson, Chesley S., Mrs. Robertson, Walkerton									
Mrs. James Mills, Gresham P.O.	11	2	13	6	25 81	23 20	9 25
“ James Grant, Chesley ..	6	16	22	11	70 00	95 00	45 00	1
“ W.J. Chisholm, Paisley	58	7	65	26	108 05	124 00	46 70
“ John Forrester, Port Elgin	21	4	25	14	35 13	50 00	20 73
“ Wm. Young, Tara ..	14	..	14	6	77 00	30 00	4 00
“ Amos Hilker, Underwood	13	13	26	11	40 00	45 22	11 70
“ Marr, Walkerton ...	14	11	25	13	162 70	116 00	66 10
Miss T. Buchan, Walkerton	10	..	10	9	19 23	22 00	13 35

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Centre Bruce, 'God's Blossoms' (juv.)	1894	Mrs. Young	Maggie Mewhurney.
Underwood (juv.)	1888	" Fitzpatrick	Jessie Hilker
Collection and interest, less expenses			
CHATHAM PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1885	Miss Walker, Chatham.	Mrs. Geo. Bartlet, Windsor.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Blenheim	1885	Mrs. J. McLaren	Mrs. W. Elliott
Bethel	1894	" McDonald	Miss F. Laddington.
Botany	1892	" Gage	Mrs. J. Hutchinson.
Bothwell Chatham, First Church	1881 1897	" McKenzie " J. H. Larkin	Miss Marion Blair Mrs. T. M. Glenn
Chatham, St Andrew's Chatham Township	1897 1881	" Duncan " W. J. Stark	" Sommerville " J. McIsaac
Comber	1896	" Geo. Ainslie, sr.	" Geo. Ainslie, jr.
Dover	1888	" Jas. Walker	Miss M. Angus
Duart	1891	" Argo	Mrs. Currie
Dresden	1896	" McCullough	" Thos. Laird
Fletcher	1892	" Alex. Gracey	" R. E. Armstrong
Florence	1888	" Wm. Webster	" David Corbett.

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Sadie Currie, Gresham, P.O.	6	1	7	5	\$ 1 65	\$ 2 00		\$..
Georgie Henderson, Underwood.....	36	1	37	17	5 20	4 13
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C., Mrs. Peddie, Windsor.									
R., Mrs. Laughton, Bothwell.									
M.B., Miss Annie Walker, Chatham. [ham.									
S., Mrs. A. McKay, Chatham									
Mrs. C. L. Von Gunten, Blenheim.....	22	9	31	14	51 72	68 65	25 00	5	1 95
Miss Euphemia McCoig, Mull	18	5	23	13	100 47	113 00	30 00	5	2 62
Mrs. J. C. Fletcher, Botany	9	6	15	5	36 00	18 15	15 00
" Wright, Bothwell....	6	13	19	8	45 92	35 16	28 82
Miss Margaret Stone, Chatham	5	29	34	17	158 67	135 91	15 00
Mrs. Stanworth, Chatham.	8	17	25	15	100 00
" W. McNeilage, Darrell	4	5	9	6	23 45	32 13	7 00	13 85
" S. T. Anderson, Comber.....	18	18	7	4 00	25 00
" R. McKenzie, Oungah	4	7	11	6	21 10	30 00
" A. R. McDonald, Duart	17	5	22	8	45 00	45 00	34 20
" S. McVean, Dresden.	16	4	20	8	4 71	45 21	N.V.
Miss M. Sinclair, Fletcher.	11	2	13	8	34 00	45 86	38 00
" N. Spittal, Florence.	13	13	7	22 50	22 50	26 00

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Goldsmith..	1893	Mrs. Geo. Hooker	Mrs. Hy. Fufflimere.
Leamington	1896	" Forest	" Patterson
Ridgetown	1887	" McCullough	Miss Willson
Strangfield	1893	" Prendergast	Mrs. D. Ellis
Thamesville	1886	" Becket	Miss L. Sherman
Tilbury Centre	1888	" Forbes	Mrs. J. L. Richardson
Knox Ch., West Tilbury..	1897	" Wm. Allyn	Miss Emma Morris..
Valetta	1887	" John Fletcher	Mrs. D. R. Farquhar- son
Windsor	1887	" Geo. Bartlet	" C. McDonald .
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Blenheim, 'Loyal'	1888	Miss Nellie Campbell.	Miss E. Von Gunten
Blytheswood	1893	Mrs. W. Gillanders	" Bella Hope
Bothwell	1893	Miss Marion Blair	" M. McRitchie.
Chatham, 'May'	1886	" Nellie Cummings	" Bella Riddell..
Chatham, 'Oliver'	1886	" B. Walker	" Ina Smith
Dresden, 'Anderson'	1897	" May Watson	" Daisy Cuthbert
Eberts, 'United Workers' .	1893	Mrs. Geo. Oliver	John Forsyth
Florence	1889	Disbanded . . . . .	.....
Goldsmith, 'Faithful Stewards'	1890	Mrs. Geo. Bullock	Miss Edith Coulter.
Jeannette's Creek	1895	Miss Isa Forbes	" Grace Fields ..
Leamington, 'Star'	1897	" E. Nichol	" Elsie Mann
Ridgetown	1890	.....	.....
Thamesville	1897	Mrs. Edwards	Miss M. Edwards . . .
Windsor	1894	Miss Alice Fortune	" E. McGregor

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Miss Annie Hooker, Goldsmith.....	9	..	9	7	20 35	10 75	7 00
Mrs. Parnall, Leamington.	14	..	14	6	17 16	36 72	23 35
" Pringle, Ridgetown..	15	..	15	9	40 35	31 00
Miss L. Prendergast, Staungfield.....	7	..	7	5	20 50	18 35
Mrs. Taylor, Thamesville ..	15	..	15	6	24 44	23 00	11 50
Miss M. Carless, Tilbury.. " A. Dodson, Comber..	16 13	9 ..	25 13	11 8	43 82	42 00 8 00	13 15
Mrs. R. M. Gardiner, Valletta	8	9	17	11	71 83	51 60	N.V.
" J. C. Tolmie, Windsor	8	20	28	17	160 00	160 00	60 00
Miss Margaret Carmichael, Blenheim	44	..	44	27	18 00	26 00	8 00
" Etta Reid, Blytheswood	18	..	18	10	17 45	15 00
" L. McLean, Bothwell	16	..	16	8	11 00	1 00
" V. Watson, Chatham	20	..	20	22	37 00	28 00
" L. M. Gordon, Chatham	37	..	37	20	31 52	40 00	6 00
" Annie Sheppard, Dresden	22	..	22	8	1 92
" M. Robertson, Eberts	33	..	33	26	12 50 2 25	11 38 1 00	3 00
Miss Etta Coulter, Comber	21	..	21	7	10 00	1 55
" L. Hamilton, Jeanette's Creek.....	15	..	15	9	2 30	3 00	3 00
" M. McDonald, Leamington.....	24	..	24	15	1 65
Mrs. Taylor, Thamesville.	29	..	29	18	13 77	3 25
Miss J. Peddie, Windsor..	55	..	55	20	20 00
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<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Boissevain	1897	" Hettle	" A. Holiday ...
Camille	1896	Miss Hall	" Robertson ...
Carman	1892	Mrs. H. C. Sutherland	" James Bruce..
Cypress River	1888	" Wm. Campbell..	" C. Knight
Glenboro	1892	" Thomson	" R. T. Butchart
Treherne	1892	" McTavish	" J. T. Reid....
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Carmen, 'Busy Bee' (Y.W.)	1894	" Harper	Miss Maggie Bruce .
Glenboro (juv.)	1896	.....	.....
GLENGARRY PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1883	Mrs. Agnes Alguire, Lunenburg.	Mrs. J. D. MacLennan, Cornwall.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Alexandria	1887	Mrs. D. McLaren	Miss Bessie Simpson
Apple Hill	1890	" D. D. MacLennan	Mrs. A. F. McRae..
Avonmore	1882	" Weir	" H. G. Wert...
Beulah	1896	" Mary McLennan	" James A. Fraser
Cornwall	1883	" J. D. McLennan	" J. P. Watson .
Crysler	1896	" James Pollock ..	Miss A. Dillabough.
Dalhousie Mills	1887	" John Hutchinson	" S. L. Stackhouse

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	19	7	26	10	45 60	38 92	40 00
	4	..	4	4	72 50	74 00
	8	..	8	7	28 35	42 20
	11	1	12	7	45 00	50 00
	20	..	20	13	6 10	12 30
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East Lancaster (disbanded)	1885
Glen Gordon	1885	Mrs. James Hill	Mrs. R. McIntosh
Gravel Hill	1887	" James Begg	" C. Munroe
Indian Lands	1880	" R. C. McGregor.	" John Fisher
Kenyon	1883	" Campbell	Miss M. C. Boyd
King's Road	1881	Miss Jane McIntyre	Mrs. Bowen
Lancaster	1876	Mrs. A. Graham	" W. Henderson.
Lochiel (Kirkhill)	1876	" James McMaster	Miss M. McMillan
Lunenburg	1892	" A. Russell	Mrs. W. Markell
Martintown	1892	" Hugh Kennedy	Miss Kate McGregor
Maxville	1888	" Dan. Robertson	Mrs. John Davidson.
Mizpah	1891	" D. J. McLennan	" J D-McLennan
Munroe's Mills	1897	" Campbell	" P.A.McDermid
Newington	1894	" George Jardine	Miss Lizzie Doran
North Branch	1885	" D. H. McDougall	" C. Munro
Pleasant Valley	1895	" Isaiah Hollister	Mrs. Samuel Robison
Roxborough	1884	" McKenzie	" D.D. McIntyre
South Branch	1896	" A. A. Grant	Miss M. J. Grant
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Mrs. R. McIntosh ..	Miss C. M. Fraser, Lancaster	13 05
" C. Munroe	Mrs. A. McRae, Gravel Hill	5	22	27	16	100 00	113 00	23 50	..
" John Fisher ...	" Peter McGregor, St. Elmo	2	4	6	4	31 50	25 65	7 00	20 6 01
Miss M. C. Boyd ...	Miss Flora McKenzie, Skye	15	40	55	9	72 31	86 21	54 97	..
Mrs. Bowen	" Maggie McGregor, Martintown	19	31	50	7	75 00	93 80	33 00	..
" W. Henderson.	Mrs. A. E. Henderson, Lancaster	11	16	27	15	77 75	66 70	25 23	..
Miss M. McMillan..	Miss K. McMillan, Laggan	9	16	25	14	95 50	107 50	19 70	..
Mrs. W. Markell ...	Mrs. Isaiah Rombough, Lunenburg	34	32	66	9	8. 00	73 60	57 00	..
Miss Kate McGregor	" C. Wilmot, Martintown	9	9	18	6	108 26	75 60	21 00	..
Mrs. John Davidson.	" M. L. Stewart, Maxville	2	18	20	13	58 00	108 00	16 35	12 8 30
" J D. McLennan	Miss J. A. McGregor, St. Raphael West	..	44	44	9	110 75	110 32	21 35	34 13 75
" P.A. McDermid	Mrs. Thos. Carlyle, Munroe's Mills	1	3	4	4	31 00	18 10	7 00	2 2 75
Miss Lizzie Doran ..	" Maggie Jardine, Newington	9	..	9	6	.....	9 25	.....	..
" C. Munro	Miss M. Munro, Martintown	17	..	17	10	44 27	57 61	21 00	..
Mrs. Samuel Robison	Mrs. James E. Dougharty, Osnabruck Centre	..	11	11	5	35 10	44 13	12 00	3 7 70
" D.D. McIntyre	" Stuart L. Begg, Moose Creek	16	..	16	7	45 00	23 80	29 00	2 1 00
Miss M. J. Grant...	" Wm. McDonald, Glen Donald	4	23	27	9	92 20	61 58	*41 25	27 22 70
" Annie Munroe	" D. P. McKinnon, South Finch	13	..	13	10	8 85	8 46	24 35	6 70
		2	16	18	7	39 10	41 50	36 00	..

* Cash, \$6.25; goods, \$35.00.

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The Ridge	1895	Mrs. Annie Barr	Miss Mary Fraser...
Vankleek Hill	1876	" MacLeod	" S. McInnes ...
Wales	1895	" J. R. Manning ..	Mrs. Allan Grant...
Williamstown	1885	" George Symons..	Miss Kate Dingwall.
Woodlands	1886	" G. R. Markell ..	Mrs. Jennie Shaver.
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Avonmore, 'Workers for Jesus'	1883	Miss Mamie Wert....	Miss M. Coventry ..
Cornwall, 'King's Daughters' (Y.W.)	1887	" Binnie	" Carrie Alguire.
Cornwall, 'Light Bearers' (Y.W. & juv.)	1888	Mrs. J. D. MacLennan.	" Mary Bilsland.
Farran's Point (juv.)	1896	Miss Annie Steen ...	" Gertie Gibson.
Laggan (juv.)	1885	Mrs. James McMaster	Mr. D. McLean (tchr.)
Maxville, 'Hopeful Workers'	1885	" J. Cormack	Miss E. McNaughton
McGillivray's B'dge (Y.W.)	1897	Miss C. A. Scott. ...	" G. E. Bowen..
Newington, 'Busy Bees' ..	1897	Mrs. A. Patterson....	Master Elburn Poapst
Picnic Grove	1891	Miss H. S. McLennan	Miss Bertha Fraser.
Sandringham, 'Hopeful Workers'	1889	" Ida McGregor...	" Clara Bennett.
Vankleek Hill (juv.)	1894	" A. B. McInnes..	" Isabel McInnes
Woodlands, 'Cheerful Gleaners' (juv.)	1894	" Agnes Tulloch ..	" Mab' Campbell
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Miss M. Campbell, Vankleek Hill ..	8	3	11	5	14 70	11 37	24 15
" Jean McIntosh, Vankleek Hill ..	19	4	23	10	104 91	113 17	38 00
" Annie Martin, Wales	13	4	17	6	57 00	38 70	8 37	13	4 35
" F. McLennan, Williamstown ..	14	14	28	14	47 56	43 50	11 35
" Mary Young, Osna- bruck Centre . . .	18	8	26	12	95 00	178 34	10 25	41	11 70
Master W. Brownell, Avon- more ..	14	1	15	9	26 60	21 76	..	9	2 55
Miss Hollenbeck, Cornwall	13	..	13	10	35 21	26 30	13 00
" H. Somers, Cornwall.	35	..	35	14	52 05	41 50	22 30
" Bertha Sheets, Far- ran's Point ..	54	..	54	39	9 00	5 45
Mrs. McMaster, Laggan ..	12	..	12	..	5 50	5 00
Miss E. Robertson, Maxville	20	..	20	14	2 10	1 60
" H. C. McArthur, Wil- liamstown ..	10	..	10	8 67	1 40
" L. Martin, Newington	45	..	45	28	..	8 76
" H. McCuaig, Lancaster	20	1	21	13	7 00	16 00	6 00
" G. McKercher, Sand- ringham ..	12	1	13	13	10 00	8 00
" Ella Cheney, Vankleek Hill ..	21	..	21	10	8 45	5 09
Bracie Brown, Woodlands.	25	..	25	14	41 68	32 88	2 00
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GUELPH PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1885	Mrs. K. McLean, Guelph.	Miss H. Cant, Galt.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Acton	1887	Mrs. Macpherson	Mrs. Cobban
Alma	1889	" T. A. Watson ..	Miss L. Halls
Belwood	1885	" McLaren	Mrs. Dow
Berlin	1885	Miss Workman	Miss Zryd
Branchton	1891	Mrs. D. H. McKenzie	" M. McDonald.
Campbellville, 'St. David's	1886	Miss K. M. Reid	" T. Lynn
Eden Mills	1891	Mrs. Ramsey	Mrs. Robertson
Elora, Chalmers	1888	" Leslie	Miss Adamson
Elora, Knox	1889	Miss Annie Watt	Mrs. G. Hobbs
Eramosa	1886	Mrs. Wilkie	Miss L. Armstrong ..
Fergus, Melville ..	1879	" Smellie	" Argo
Fergus, St. Andrew's ..	1886	" Mullan	Mrs. Munro
Galt, Central	1889	" J. A. R. Dickson	Miss H. Coulthard..
Galt, Knox	1883	Miss Cant	Mrs. Jas. Hood ..
Glenallan	1895	Mrs. McKinnon	" McNaughton..
Guelph, Chalmers	1888	" Hart	" Auld
Guelph, Knox	1888	Miss M. Steven	" McCandless ..
Guelph, St. Andrew's ..	1888	Mrs. Beattie	" Higinbotham..
Hespeler	1887	Miss Kribs	" R. J. Lockhart
Mimosa	1888	Mrs. P. McDonald ..	Miss M. McGregor..
Nassagaweya	1895	" Logie	" Jennie Logie..
Nichol	1895	" Aiken	" Aiken
Preston	1896	" J. Malloy	" M. Gillies
Puslinch, Duff's Church ..	1887	" W. Robertson ..	" Annie Munro ..
Waterloo	1892	Miss H. A. Bruce ..	" Webb
Winterbourne	1886	Mrs. Cummings	" M. Mitchell..

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								\$	c.	\$	c.	\$	c.			\$	c.
		29	2	31	18			85	00	77	43	37	60			2	00
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		20	..	20	13			26	00	26	00	20	00				
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		12	4	16	12			66	00	64	00	24	30				
		29	6	35	25			62	00	83	00	72	46				
		11	15	26	10			39	00	41	00	7	00				
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		30	15	45	18			135	00	130	00	60	00				
		34	6	40	25			93	38	94	60	28	70				
		42	5	47	24			95	65	126	96	53	20				
		19	..	19	8			37	50	32	45	40	12				
		146	38	184	64			322	36	321	32	24	80				
		79	12	91	50			159	34	182	46	53	00				
		34	9	43	30			117	35	108	62	45	00				
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Alma, 'Wallace'	1895	Mrs. Watson	Miss Agnes Smith..
Elora, 'King's Helpers' (juv.)	1891	" Horne	" B. Farquhar ..
Elora, 'Knox' (juv)	1895	" Rose	" Jennie Brown..
Fergus, 'Harvesters' (Y.W.)	1889	Miss Dow	" Agnes Dow ...
Fergus, 'Messengers of Light' (juv.)	1888	" L. M. Semple...	" L. Godfrey
Fergus, 'Willing Workers'	1885	" Smellie	" Mary Castell..
Galt, 'Central' (Y.W.)...	1889	" Kerr.....	" W. Spaulding.
Galt, 'Cheerful Gleaners' (juv.)	1889	Mrs. Forster	" Lottie Smith..
Glenallan, 'Busy Bees' (juv.)	1895	Miss Ida Sutherland..	" Louisa Watson
Guelph, 'Chalmers' (juv.)	1887	" K. Watt ...	" M. Armstrong.
Guelph, 'Ivy' (Y.W.)....	1887	Mrs. Galbraith	" M. Morrow ...
Guelph, 'Knox' (juv.) dis- banded	1891	.....	.....
Guelph, 'Mosboro'	1896	Miss Ella Manderson..	Miss M. O'Droskie .
Hespeler, 'McWilliams'..	1888	" Kribs	" Bella Jardine .
Preston, 'Light Bearers'..	1897	Mrs. Schaffer	" M. Adams....
Waterloo, 'Willing Work- ers' (juv.)	1892	" Howie	" Nellie Dearing.
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Miss A. Godfrey, Alma ..	21	..	21	10	5 00	15 00	20 00	4	3 50
" Jennie Hume, Elora..	18	1	19	14	17 00	16 00	2 25
" Kate Rose, Elora....	35	..	35	22	40 75	26 11	21 95
" M. Castell, Fergus ..	29	..	29	13	22 43	24 64	4 00
" M. Moore, Fergus...	15	..	15	9	12 50	19 00	3 00
" Maud Kay, Fergus ..	29	..	29	15	54 92	43 90	4 00
" Jessie Turnbull, Galt	25	1	26	13	29 74	35 81	13 50
" F. McDonald, Galt..	28	..	28	11	9 38	6 73
" C. Jackson, Glenallan	17	..	17	11	4 00	3 00	4 00
Master W. Hart, Guelph..	25	..	25	20	11 68	12 70
Miss M. Morrow, Guelph.	33	2	35	19	12 60	27 86	2 00
Miss Jennie B. McIntosh,	11 57
Mosboro	17	1	18	17	6 24	12 00	8 00
" E. McNaught, Hes-	22	..	22	12	19 74	18 00	5 00
peler	27	..	27	12	..	8 50	4 85
" Bella Pease, Preston.	21	..	21	12	6 00	8 00	N.V.
" B. Habbick, Waterloo	17 00	18 00
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<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Abingdon	1895	Mrs. J. M. Jackson ..	Mrs. T. F. Clough..
Beamsville	1890	" J. B. Osborne...	" T. Astle
Blackheath.....	1889	Miss M. A. Gibson ..	Miss F. Cummings .
Burlington	1878	Mrs. Abraham	" Kate Burns...
Caledonia	1879	Miss Ferrier	" Walker
Carluke	1883	Mrs. Chesnut	Mrs. Wm. Urie.....
Cayuga	1896	" Kerr.....	Miss Fleming
Chippawa	1894	Miss Mary Black	" Helen Davidson
Dunnville	1894	Mrs. Gourlay.....	Mrs. J. A. McIndoe
Dundas	1880	" J. B. Hamilton..	Miss Crawford.....
Grimsby	1891	" Murray	" Forbes
Hagersville.....	1896	" Lowry	Mrs. Martin.....
Hamilton, Central Church	1887	" Lyle	" James Dunlop.
Hamilton, Erskine Church	1886	" Clunas	Miss Eda Turnbull.
Hamilton, Knox Church..	1884	" Given.....	Mrs. Bain
Hamilton, M'NabSt Ch'rch	1887	" J. B. McQuesten	Miss Shaw
Hamilton, St. John's Ch'rch	1893	" Wm. Strong	Mrs. Alex. Whyte..
Hamilton, St. Paul's Ch'rch	1887	" Bellhouse	" Hood
Hamilton, Wentw'th St. Ch	1892	" W. R. Leckie ..	" Nash
Jarvis.....	1893	" Maclennan.....	Miss M. Morrison..

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L., Miss L. McKenzie, 155 Hughson St.S., Hamilton									
S., Miss Bellhouse, 150 Catherine St.S., Hamilt'n									
Mrs. A. Pearson, Abingdon	13	..	13	7	21 88	28 39	11 75	2	1 45
" J.A. Comfort, Beamsville	14	..	14	7	29 00	36 50	26 00	2	2 00
Miss F. Peteh, Blackheath	15	1	16	10	38 09	39 57	4 50	..	..
Mrs. A. Galloway, Burlington	13	..	13	17	20 00	21 00	18 00	..	..
Mrs. J. M. Forbes, Caledonia	17	3	20	15	48 00	53 46	3 75	7	4 25
Miss M.M. Calder, Carluke	44	1	45	12	94 80	107 00	38 30	..	..
" Macfarlane, Cayuga	14	..	14	6	10 60	29 00	16 90	..	..
" Jessie Clark, Chipp'wa	9	2	11	5	23 59	30 48	20 22	10	13 48
Mrs. E.E. Smith, Dunnville	14	..	14	11	12 12	5 75	18 05	..	..
" Thos. Reid, Dundas..	32	2	34	16	138 64	136 21	85 40	..	..
Miss Dora Smith, Grimsby	11	9	20	9	48 50	37 00	16 50	2	..
Mrs. W. Young, Hagersville	18	..	18	9	.....	*65 20	.....	6	3 00
Miss G. Gillespie, 25 Emerald St. South	28	12	40	22	170 00	191 00	74 00	..	..
Mrs. John Pringle, 117 Pearl St. North....	53	7	60	25	135 53	160 26	17 50	7	5 33
" W. H. McLaren, 73 East ave. N.	33	6	39	22	117 00	118 53	16 75	..	..
" McKean, 44 Young St	14	29	43	20	171 84	201 00	62 75	37	4 97
" Hugh S. Brennan, 394 Main St. E.	39	15	54	27	139 51	102 87	10 00	..	..
Mrs. W. O. Sealey, 95 Victoria ave. S	42	10	52	26	95 17	138 88	68 79	4	8 75
" J. M. Robinson, 100 Birch ave	23	5	28	28	68 33	111 36	22 30
" Jacques, box 18, Jarvis	7	2	9	6	12 10	8 85

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Niagara	1887	" R.N. Ball.	" Davidson
Niagara Falls	1888	" Dickson... ..	Mrs. Burgar.. . . .
Niagara Falls South	1888	" Wilson	" Allan.....
North Pelham.....	1895	" Buchanan	Miss Kate Comfort .
Oneida	1889	" Helm	Mrs. Gailing
Port Dover.....	1888	" Gillies	" Silas Butler...
Simcoe	1888	" Dey	" W. F. Kydd ..
Smithville.....	1895	" Eastman	" Hill
Strabane	1887	" Cameron... ..	" Sheridan
St. Ann's	1888	" F. Mingle.	Miss Amanda Taylor
St. Catharines, First Church	1890	" W.J. McCalla...	Mrs. Geo. Armstrong
St. Catharines, Knox Ch'rch	1890	" Laurie
St. David's	1890	Miss Mary Butler	Mrs. L. Mowers
Thorold	1886	Mrs. W. A. Cook	Miss Mina Dougan..
Vittoria	1890	" Nelson Collver ..	" Ella Reid
Waterdown	1876	" McEachren	Mrs. Bleakley.
Welland	1892	" Lennox	" A. Robertson..
West Flamboro	1885	Miss Weir	Miss B. Inksetter ..
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Miss A. J. Cameron, Kilbride.....	4	1	5	4	22 00	20 35	2	0 35
" C. N. Dickson, Kirkwall.....	28	1	29	17	72 00	84 30	18 35
" C. Davidson, Nelson.	3	7	10	7	38 50	32 16	41 87	..	..
" Bella McIntyre, Niagara.....	15	3	18	9	20 50	24 75	27 29	..	..
Mrs. Crawford, Niagara Falls.....	52	1	53	10	72 00	43 00	21 00	..	..
" Shirriff, Box 226 Niagara Falls South....	23	7	30	16	110 00	105 70	10 00	..	..
" E. S. Atkins, Fenwick P.O.....	12	..	12	8	17 00	6 50	16 00	..	..
" Turnbull, Clanbrassil	19	6	25	6	40 20	50 50	.....	..	..
Miss Sarah Shand.....	12	..	12	8	14 50	18 00	5 00	7	3 17
Mrs. J.T. Mitchell, Simcoe	16	2	18	12	73 57	49 85	17 25	4	2 00
" Woodlaw, Smithville	5	4	9	6	13 00	11 00	25 00	..	..
" Balison, Strabane ...	18	1	19	10	68 81	74 25	21 25	10	13 00
" Hiram Kennedy, St. Ann's.....	6	1	7	6	28 55	7 33	2 50	..	..
" Janet Graham, Box 760, St. Catharines.	14	8	22	12	33 27	57 42	.....	..	..
Miss Rankin, St. Catharines.....	21	25	46	24	90 00	120 00	.....	..	..
" Emma Woodruff, St. David's.....	13	..	13	8	22 55	12 00	35 75	..	..
Mrs. McClure, Thorold...	5	6	11	7	40 60	36 00	12 00	..	..
Miss Susie Maehon, Vittor'a	..	..	..	..	10 00	13 50	2 00	..	..
Mrs. McClenahan, Water-down.....	16	2	18	10	35 35	28 10	.....	4	50
" Pearl, Welland	7	2	9	6	31 65	11 75	5
" Shaver, West Flamboro.....	15	4	19	9	68 00	73 18	11 50
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<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Blackheath, 'Little Branch' (juv.).....	1895	Miss A. Simenton	Miss Annie Mitchell
Caledonia, 'Golden Rule' (boys).....	1887	Mrs. Wm. Brown.....	Master R. Hamilton
Caledonia, 'Salem Cottage' (juv.)	1897	" Conning .....	.....
Caledonia, 'Salem Cottage' (senior)	1886	Miss Jane Ferrier	Miss Jane Ferrier ..
Carluke, 'Hearts and Hands' (juv.)	1883	Mrs. John Morton ...	" NellieJohnston
Grimsby, 'Youthful Gleaners' (juv.)	1892	Miss Gesner	" Maggie Beamer
Hamilton, Central Church (senior)	1894	Mrs. Walter Woods...	" E. S. Fraser ..
Hamilton, Erskine Church, 'Co-workers'	1891	Miss Lawson.....	Edward Montgomery
Hamilton, McNab St. Ch., 'Friends of India' (Y.W)	1879	" Mary Cook.....	Miss Dingwall
Hamilton, McNab St. Ch., (juv.)	1885	" Mackay.....	" W. McKeand.
Hamilton, St. Paul's Ch., 'Home Circle' (Y.W.)..	1878	" Milne.....	" McLaren
Hagersville, 'Mizpah Band'	1897	Mrs. Lowry	" Jean Duncan..
Kirkwall, 'Little Workers' (juv.)	1887	" John Jamieson..	Robt. Parker.....
Lynedoch 'Lighted Lamps' (juv.)	1889	Miss Minnie Charlton.	Miss Olive Charlton.

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Miss Beatrice Blain, Blackheath	42	1	43	18	\$ 9 15	\$ 5 00	\$ 2 00
Wilson Avery, Caledonia .	17	1	18	9	6 40	8 00	2	1 50
Miss Jean Brown, Caledonia.....	30	..	30	20	..	18 25
" L. Earl, Caledonia ..	20	..	20	14	25 00	16 75	2 50
" Maggie Brown, Carlisle.....	33	..	33	10	20 45	15 03
" L. Beamer, Grimsby.	15	..	15	..	8 50	4 75
" E. S. Fraser, 30 Stinson St.....	21	1	22	9	100 00	110 00	18
" Mazie Evans	43	1	44	29	26 00	30 48	..	5	6 06
" Helen Macdonald, 38 Herkmer St	21	5	26	11	130 00	100 00	32	24 00
" Effie McFarlane, George St	25	..	25	14	50 00	50 00
Miss J. Traill, 261 McNab St. South	45	..	45	18	100 00	130.47	7	3 10
" Minnie Scott, Hagersville.....	34	..	34
" Maggie Riddle, Kinkwall	51	..	51	28	19 00	27 30	4 50
" Eunice Coutts, Lyndoch	18	..	18	12	15 00	25 00

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Port Dover, 'Morning Star' (juv.)	1890	Miss Hoffman	Miss Sadie McQueen
Niagara Falls, 'Golden Links' (juv.)	1896	" Henderson	" Logan
Simcoe, 'Wayside Gather- ers' (juv.)	1889	.....	.....
Smithville, 'Fearnots' (juv)	1895	" Laura Merritt...	" N. Martin . . .
Strabane, 'White Stone' (juv.)	1894	Mrs. Cameron. . . .	" Bertie Lothian
St. Ann's 'Duty must be done' (juv.)	1896	Miss Annie Kennedy.	" Louise Bates..
St. Catharines, 'First Ch. Willing Workers' (juv.).	1887	Mrs. Henderson	" M. Henderson.
St. Catharines, Haynes' ave., 'Lend-a-hand' (juv.)	1887	Miss S. Wynne.....	" Annie White..
St. Catharines, Knox Ch..	1898	" Carroll.....	" K. McMillan..
Welland, 'Busy Bees' (juv.)	1894	" A. Sawle.....	" Nellie Ross ...
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Miss E. Norquay, Port Dover	27	..	27	20	7 00	6
" Robertson, Niagara Falls	25	1	26	20	7 67	9 00
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" Della Lacy, Smithville.....	17	..	17	16	3 00	10 00	60
" Minnie Warren, Strabane	14	1	15	12	12 95	47 70
" Emma Kennedy, St. Ann's	10	..	10	6	67
" Alice E. Hodgetts, St. Catharines	26	4	30	24	15 50	10 00
Mrs. W. H. Geddes, St. Catharines.....	28	2	30	24	13 00	15 00
Miss Helen Black, St. Catharines	11	1	12	12
" Berta McAllister, Welland.....	16	1	17	9	10 00	10 00	51 18
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HURON PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY. <i>Auxiliaries.</i>	1885	Mrs. (Rev.) C. Fletcher, Thames Road.	Mrs. Ellen Scott, Seaforth.
Bayfield Road	1888	Mrs. J. A. McDonald	Miss Jane Johnston
Blake	1895	" James Esler . . .	" Sarah Manson
Blyth	1885	" (Rev.) McLean..	Mrs. McKinnon . . .
Brucefield	1877	" " Muir	" P. McGregor . . .
Clinton, Willis Church . . .	1876	" W. R. Lough . . .	" Lilly Manning
Egmondville	1888	Miss H. I. Graham . . .	Miss Lizzie Gemmell
Goderich, Knox Church . . .	1884	Mrs. Warnock	Mrs. Colin Campbell
Goderich Township (union)	1896	Miss Sarah Davidson.	" George Young.
Hensall, 'Carmel'	1892	Mrs. (Rev.) J. S. Henderson	" W. Moir
Kirkton	1886	" (Dr.) Ferguson..	" John Urquhart
Leeburn	1896	" A. Clutton	" D. Lawson
Londesboro and Hullet (union)	1893	" (Rev.) J. A. Hamilton	Miss Kate Reid
Manchester	1888	" (Rev.) R. Henderson	Mrs. R. M. Canning
Seaforth	1877	" E. McFaul	" D. D. Wilson
Smith's Hill	1888	Miss M. Morris	Miss S. Bell
Thames Road	1885	Mrs. (Rev.) Fletcher..	Mrs. Jos. Monteith.
Life Membership			
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Bayfield Road, 'Jubilee' *.	1897	Mrs. R. Pollock	Master Ol'rMcGloun
Bayfield, 'Lou Graham' . . .	1896	" (Rev.) Graham..	Miss A. Donaldson.
Brucefield, 'Little Disciples'	1887	Miss Bessie McGregor	" Katie Hart
Clinton, 'Willis Church' .	1897	Mrs. W. J. Coats	Mr. Stewart McPherson

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Mrs. Hattie Irwin, Clinton.									
Miss Lizzie Brownett, Bayfield.....	14	3	17	8	\$ 9 50	\$ 18 00	\$ 13 03	*3	\$ 2 97
Miss Marg't Allen, Blake	15	..	15	12	20 25	20 57	20 40	..	5 45
Mrs. Marie Curtis, Blyth	23	3	26	18	86 00	107 36	30 00	..	..
Miss G. Marks, Brucefield	27	5	32	14	66 22	84 26	..	..	2 00
Mrs. R. Irwin, Clinton...	31	8	39	21	163 80	165 00	36 94	..	..
" (Rev.) Shaw, Seaforth	12	6	18	10	93 00	111 00	39 44	..	..
Miss B. Wilson, Goderich	30	24	54	..	113 00	71 48	63 95	..	..
" Ella McMath, "	14	..	14	11	6 00	12 00	6 00	..	..
" Keith, Hensall.....	45	6	51	23	132 20	148 08	61 10	..	..
" M Copeland, Kirkton	18	3	21	11	31 50	44 35	15 15	..	..
" Helen Clark, Dunlop	11	..	11	7	13 00	17 00	12 00	..	..
" Jessie Reid, Harlock	21	..	21	13	39 00	42 41	33 35	..	..
" E. W. Arthur, Auburn	12	3	15	7	42 50	29 10	19 81	3	2 25
Mrs. J. G. Wilson, Seaforth	51	17	68	27	254 36	230 58	31 85	..	9 00
Miss Tillie S. Stirling, Carlow	21	3	24	20	31 33	42 08	14 14	..	†8 24
" Jennie Madge, Exeter	16	6	22	12	91 50	121 00	12 18
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Miss Annie Foster, Varna	15
" F. M. Stanbury, Bayfield	35	..	35	22	37 50	8 00	23 20
" Helen Higgins, Brucefield	25	3	28	16	17 00	21 05	..	2	2 00
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Goderich, 'McGillivray' ..	1886	Miss Lottie Polley ...	Percy Tye
Exeter, 'Willing Workers'	1895	" Fannie Bowden.	Miss Lilla Ross
Hensal, 'Golden'	1893	" Hunter	Master A. McArthur
Kippen, 'Gauld'	1895	Mrs. S. Acheson	Miss Bella Cooper..
Seaforth, 'Sunshine'	1894	Miss Tena Wilson....	" E. Henderson.
Thames Road, 'Busy Bees' Interest	1888	" Ella Monteith...	" Gert. Monteith
KINGSTON PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1886	Mrs. Matheson, Belleville.	Mrs. Clarke Hamilton Kingston.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Amherst Island	1881	Mrs. Cumberland	Mrs. McMaster
Belleville, St. Andrew's...	1883	" M. W. Maclean	Miss Urquhart
Belleville, John St.....	1883	" Tannahill	Mrs. Templeton
Camden and Newburgh ...	1891	" Gandier	" T.A. Dunwoody
Consecon	1888	" McLean	Miss Florence Locie.
Gananoque	1877	" Byers	Mrs. Matthew
Kingston, St. Andrew's ...	1888	" R. S. Dobbs ...	" Campb. Strange
Kingston, Chalmers	1887	" D. Ross	Miss Richmond
Kingston, Cooke's	1888	" Claxton	" McFarlane ...
Lansdowne	1891	" Fairlie	" Emma Keating
Lonsdale	1893	" Jas. Dunwoody..	Mrs. Jas. Whiteman
Madoc, St. Paul's	1893	" Doughty	Miss J. Gordon
Madoc, St. Peter's	1886	" Lynde	Mrs. Cross
Melrose	1893	" D. O. McArthur.	Miss Marg. McLaren

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Miss M. Dunlop, Goderich		220	4	224	92	76 00	113 65
" Nellie Martin, Exeter		38	..	38	17	36 00	40 00	16 80
" L. Moir, Hensall....		50	5	55	21	27 00	31 16	21 05	..	..
Mrs. T. Forsyth, Kippen.		20	..	20	10	39 00	24 00	7 30	..	..
Miss Edith Davidson, Seaforth		50	2	52	24	29 22	25 15	10 10
" H'lena Madge, Exeter		23	2	25	..	27 35	35 00	2 00
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C., Miss Fowler, 121 Union St., Kingston.										
S., Miss Holden, Belleville.										
Miss E. Spiers, Amherst Is.		10	10	6	23 00	22 00	18 10
Mrs. A. Matheson, Bellev'le		....	22	22	11	91 00	89 65	41 27	6	20 00
Miss Mackay, Rear St., Belleville.....		22	1	23	12	120 00	105 00	28 20	3	.....
Mrs. J. A. Longmore, Camden East		30	1	31	10	52 00	62 00	17 30	..	.....
Miss Helena Arthur, Conseccon.....		6	..	6	4	6 00	6 20	.....	..	.....
Mrs. Bryce, Gananoque...		10	10	20	8	40 00	38 50	16 02	..	.....
" Ramsay Duff, Bagot St., Kingston.....		5	19	24	10	50 14	65 73	39 28	..	.....
" G. M. Macdonnell, Kingston.....		14	12	26	10	109 29	56 00	19 10	..	.....
Miss Neill, King St., Kingston.....		17	10	27	8	30 00	30 50	11 50	..	.....
" L. McNeil, Lansd'wne		19	1	20	11	7 00	9 00	11 75	..	.....
" M. Frizzell, Kingsford		10	..	10	5	15 50	16 00	.....	..	.....
Mrs. J. Claxton, Eldorado.		12	1	13	5	10 00	10 00	17 55	5	.....
" Fred. Rollins, Madoc		15	19	34	9	45 00	58 00	11 25
Miss E. Anderson, Melrose		20	..	20	6	60 00	60 00	10 70

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<i>Auxiliaries—Con.</i>			
McDonald's Corners	1883	Mrs. Binnie	Miss C. McLennan.
Napanee	1892	" W. Dey	" S. McLaurin..
Picton	1884	" Stirling	" J. Jamieson...
Queensboro'	1897	" Harper	Mrs. T. Lesslie
Rylstone	1887	" Rutherford	" Allen
Seymour	1887	Miss Alice Hume ..	" Walter Todd..
Shannonville	1893	Mrs. Amelia Campbell	" Matthew Hill.
St. Columba	1891	" P. Vankleek	" H. Rollins
Stirling	1884	" Wm. Crosby	Miss Judd
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Amherst Island, St. Paul's	1896	Mrs. Cumberland
Belleville, St. Andrew's,	1896	" Crang	Miss May Matthews
(juv.)	1885	" Gracey	" Ellis
Gananoque, 'Thousand Is.'	1878	Miss Maggie Houston.	" Jeanie Scott ..
Kingston, Cooke's Church,			
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Miss Amy McLennan, McDonald's Corners ..	2	16	18	5		\$ 53 67	\$ 47 23	\$ 46 09		
" M. Nicol, Napanee ..	24	4	28	12		45 75	52 00	27 15		
" A. H. Gillespie, Picton	6	16	22	5		24 85	18 04	53 50		
" L. Eagleson, Queensboro'	13	..	13	6		24 60	25 00		
Mrs. W. J. Meiklejohn, Rylstone	14	..	14	7		26 00	30 50	14 59		
Miss J. Rannie, Hoard's ..	15	..	15	6		30 47	44 81		
Mrs. J. S. Kerr, Shannonville	11	..	11	8		25 00	26 00	11 26		
Miss C. Stewart, Cooper ..	9	1	10	4		15 47	28 60	13 53		
Mrs. E. F. Parker, Stirling	15	12	27	9		16 00	22 00		
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Master W. McCreary, Belleville	60	..	60	48		20 00	20 00	4 60		
Miss Bryce, Gananoque ..	33	..	33	15		27 00	23 50	16 03		
" Sadie Potter, Centre St., Kingston.	35	..	35	20		20 00	20 00		
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<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Arnprior.....	1887	Mrs. A. Burwash.....	Mrs. McNamara....
Almonte, St. John's.	1887	" A. E. Mitchell...	" Andrew Young
Almonte, St. Andrew's....	1887	" Hutcheon.	" Geo. Patterson
Appleton.....	1887	" Andrew Wilson.	Miss Jessie Turner..
Ashton.....	1883	" G. T. Bayne.....	Mrs. Simpson.....
Admaston.....	1887	" R. Harkness.....	Miss M. Campbell..
Alice.	1897	" James White...	" Katie Anderson
Balderson	1885	Miss Maggie M'Gregor	" Lily Cowie....
Beachburg.....	1887	Mrs. R. McNab....	" S. Cameron....
Burnstown	1888	Miss Mary Anderson..	Mrs. D. McRae.....
Bromley, Barr's Settle'nt..	1887	Mrs. James Simpson..	" Jos. Reid.....
Chalk River.....	1889	" George Clark....	" W. Law.
Cobden.....	1889	" R. Burton.....	Miss Addie M'Laren
Clayton	1891	Miss M. Sutherland...	" J. Robertson..
Castleford	1887	Mrs. Macklam.....	Mrs. D. Henderson..
Charleton Pl., St. Andrew's	1891	Miss M. E. Gillies....	Miss Nettie Millar..
Charleton Place, Zion Ch...	1891	Mrs. E. McEwen.....	" L. I. Stark....
Chalabogie.	1891	" F. A. Baxters...	" Laura Hawley.
Douglas	1887	" S. S. Stitt. . . .	Mrs. Jas. Thompson
Duganville.	1887	" James Rattray..	" Jas. Gourlay..
Elmsley	1887	" Sinclair.....	Miss McEwen.....
Franktown and Beckwith.	1892	" A. H. McFarlane	Mrs. R. White....

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C., Miss B. Sinclair, Carleton Place.									
M., Mrs. Sinclair, Oliver's Ferry.									
Mrs. A. T. Hughton, Arn- prior.....	30	7	37	18	90 00	100 00	135 00
" Hugh McEwen, Al- monte.....	62	15	77	15	196 05	173 86	..	..	..
" J. W. Wylie, Almonte	22	10	32	10	152 45	130 91	89 85	..	..
Miss J. Baird, Appleton..	19	..	19	7	60 65	63 10	..	..	..
Mrs. Blair, Ashton.....	12	1	13	6	50 13	54 57	..	..	..
Miss M. Campbell, Admas- ton.....	12	0	12	7	48 00	48 25	..	..	..
" Nellie Cochrane, Pembroke.....	13	0	13	6	..	9 25	..	..	..
Mrs. McIlraith, Balderson.	6	1	7	5	30 00	32 00	..	..	..
Miss S. Cameron, Beach- burg.....	..	..	..	4	23 70	27 85	21 00	3 4 35	..
" A. Banning, Burns- town.....	21	..	21	10	52 00	45 00	30 00	5 2 50	..
" Agnes Scott, Dunm're	8	..	8	5	36 75	34 08	66 62	7 5 43	..
Mrs. W. Wilson, Chalk River.....	10	..	10	6	10 00	10 10	7 00	..	..
Miss M. A. Childerhose, Cobden.....	7	..	7	4	28 00	19 00	..	3 1 89	..
" A. R. Brown, Clayton	17	..	17	8	36 00	19 00	25 00	..	..
Mrs. J. M. Lindsay, Loch Winnoch.....	21	..	21	11	42 45	42 80	36 65	7 1 85	..
" R. C. Patterson, C. Place.....	31	8	39	14	116 40	175 00	42 00	..	..
" Jas. Cavers, C. Place.	47	8	55	24	214 95	176 95	83 50	..	..
Miss Kate Gunn, Calabogie	11	..	11	7	44 22	34 60	..	..	..
" L. McNab, Douglas..	11	..	11	7	33 00	35 50	..	..	..
" M. Moore, Eganville.	13	..	13	7	68 25	63 00	..	4 40	..
" Janet McIntyre, Port Elmsley.....	3	1	4	5	3 00	30 80	..	1 1 00	..
Mrs. P. McLaren, Frankt'n	26	1	27	15	175 27	150 00	..	25 59 19	..

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Grattan.....	1894	Miss J. Riddell	Mrs. Robt. Foster...
Lanark.....	1888	Mrs. Cameron	Miss A. Deachman..
Mattawa.....	1887	" McNab	Mrs. Rankin.....
Northcote.....	1892	" R. Harkness	Miss Jessie Gibbons.
Oliver's Ferry.....	1895	" James Morrison.	Mrs. P. Coutts.....
Perth, Knox Church.....	1893	" Malloch.....	" Bower.....
Perth, St. Andrew's.....	1893	" McPhail	" Weatherhead..
Pembroke, Calvin Church.	1884	" J. P. Millar.....	" S.S. M. Hunter
Pakenham.....	1884	" James Cowan....	" R. Bayne
Ross	1886	Miss Kate Matheson..	" G.H. M'Caskill
Renfrew.....	1885	Mrs. Chas. McDowell.	Miss Ward.....
Ramsay.....	1884	" J. McDougall...	Mrs. Wm. Coxford..
Smith's Falls, St. Paul's...	1889	" J. M. Clark.	" F. Whitcomb..
Smith's Falls, St. Andrew's	1889	" C. H. Cooke....	Miss McGillivary...
White Lake.....	1884	" D. J. Graham...	Mrs. John Stewart..
Westmeath.....	1897	" Wm. Thompson.	Miss Hattie Carswell
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Arnprior, ' Ardent Hope '	1887	Miss Cameron.....	Miss McLachlin....
Admaston.....	1889	" Annie Wilson...	" F. Campbell...
Ashton, ' Volunteer '.....	1890	Mrs. Thomas Fleming.	" H. A. Bayne..
Beachburg, ' Coral Workers '	1890	Miss Mary Lyttle	" Maggie Brown.
Burnsto'n, ' Jubilee W'kers '	1897	" Mary Anderson..	" Marion Forrest
Carleton Pl., ' Zion Ch'rch '	1887	Mrs. T. Mitchell.....	" B. McLaren...
Douglas, ' Little Gleaners '	1890		
Elmsley, ' Cedar '.....	1887	Miss L. Stone.....	" A. Findlay....

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Miss A. McFarlane, Grattan	10	..	10	6	17 15	27 40	14 50
Mrs. R. Beatty, Lanark ..	23	..	23	12	42 75	54 40	23 00
" Hurdman, Mattawa..	6	..	6	3	29 70	1 86	..	..	..
Miss J. Curtis, Northcote.	16	6	22	8	21 00	37 00	..	..	..
Mrs. W. R. McLean, Oliver's Ferry	15	2	17	5	47 45	44 50	..	..	..
Miss G. Riddell, Perth...	34	10	44	22	169 18	162 93	32 00	..	..
Mrs. J. M'Lenaghan, Perth	24	5	29	14	118 00	132 00	85 75	7	11 26
" F. S. Thom, Pembr'ke	37	21	58	20	132 00	144 10	21 15	..	..
" B. W. Dunnett, Pak- enham.....	10	..	10	5	46 00	16 00	..	..	..
" P. Thrasher, Forres- ter's Falls.....	..	..	..	4	19 25	52 00	..	1	50
Miss B. Mitchell, Renfrew	52	9	61	26	241 00	310 30	60 00	11	13 34
" L. Young, Blakeney.	18	..	18	8	61 00	65 00	..	..	..
Mrs. F. T. Frost, S. Falls..	25	1	26	17	95 46	73 90	27 65	..	..
" A. M. Robb, S. Falls.	43	9	52	27	168 00	130 00	84 80	..	..
" C. Simpson, Waba...	..	..	..	8	31 00	35 00	..	..	..
Miss C. Fraser, Westme'th	12	..	12	10	.....	5 50	..	..	..
Miss Johnson, Arnprior...	23	..	23	14	50 00	85 00	..	..	..
" F. Campbell, Admas- ton.....	..	..	..	..	.....	12 50	..	..	..
" B. Potter, Ashton....	5	..	5	7	7 23	2 09	8 80	..	..
" C. Hazelton, Beach- burg.....	..	..	..	6	23 00	24 00	..	..	..
" T. Robertson, Burns- town.....	38	..	38	23	.....	9 25	..	1	25
" E. J. McRostie, Car- leton Place	35	..	35	18	29 45	33 69	10 00
" May McTavish, Port Elmsley.....	12	..	12	6	9 67	10 96

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{ Loch Winnoch, 'Maple Leaf'.....	1889	Miss M. McInnes.....	Miss J. Lindsay....
{ Goschen Branch.....	1897
Mattawa.....	1890	" M. Shanks.....	" Lydia Bell...
New Glasgow.....	1893	Mrs. A. Young.....	" M.D.Anderson
Oliver's Ferry, 'Rideau'..	1887	Miss Munsie.....	" Lizzie Crozier.
Pembroke, 'Mission Bees'	1885	" Lizzie Gordon...	" Annie Grieve..
Renfrew, 'Beehive'.....	1887	Mrs. Dr. Campbell....	" Ida McMartin.
Smith's Falls, St. Andrew's	1889	Miss McDonald	" Aggie Baird...
'Willing Helpers'.....	1885	Mrs. R. Graham.....	.....
Smith's Falls, St. Paul's,	1885	.....	.....
'Shining Lights' (sen.)..	1897	Miss Riddell.....	" Elsie M'Gregor
'Shining Lights' (jun.)..
Perth, Knox Ch. 'Juveniles'
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LINDSAY PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1882	Mrs. Robert Ross, Lindsay.	Mrs. J. D. Walker, Uxbridge.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Beaverton	1879	Mrs. Bruce	Miss Robinson.....
Cambray	1887	" J. C. Scott	" Jessie Scott ..
Cannington	1885	" McPhaden	Mrs. R. Edwards ..
Eldon	1888	" D. D. McDonald	Miss Tina Smith....
Fenelon Falls	1892	" M. McKinnon ..	Mrs. W. Walsh

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Miss N. Early, Castleford Station	28	..	28	15	100 00	58 00
" L. Bell, Mattawa....	15	..	15	12	41 09	3 87
" Mary E. Murphy, Harvey.....	78
" B. McLean, O. Ferry	14	1	15	9	20 00	12 00	76 00
" A. Beatty, Pembroke	10	..	10	8	10 21	9 56
" L. Campbell, Renfr'w	42	..	42	22	68 20	100 97
" J. Allan, S. Falls....	60	..	60	20	22 00	50 00
" C. Houston, S. Falls.	15	25 00	15 00
" M. Hendry, Perth...	27	..	27	19	18 00	13 30
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S., Mrs. Thos. Stewart, Lindsay.									
L., Mrs. McKinnon, Fenelon Falls.									
M.B., Miss D. Denoon, Cannington.									
Miss M.M. Leslie, Beavert'n	32	29	61	8	84 00	82 00	13 13
Mrs. H. Reazin, Lindsay ..	9	..	9	3	10 00	7 50
Miss E. Smith, Cannington	11	4	15	9	30 00	41 36	17 15
Mrs. H.C. Hamill, Lornev'le	24	..	24	15	77 80	79 23	21 22
Miss S. J. McArthur, Fenelon Falls	10	..	10	7	36 57	41 00	37 00

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Somerville	1893	Mrs. Wm. Fell	Mrs. Benjamin Smith
Glenarm	1894	" McDonald	Miss Annie McNabb
Gamebridge	1887	" A. Westcott	" Jennie Kean ..
Greenbank	1884	" Somerville	Mrs. John Stone....
Leaskdale	1882	" W. M. Reid.....	" Geo. Leask.....
Lindsay	1882	" Robert Ross	Miss L. H. MacLennan
St. Andrew's, Scott	1884	" Campbell	Mrs. Jos. Ferguson .
Sunderland	1884	" Jardine	" R. J. Shiel....
Sonya	1888	Miss Annie Innes	" Black
Cresswell	1896	Mrs. Purves	Miss Ida McInnies..
Uxbridge	1876	Miss Struthers.. ..	Mrs. McKinnell
Oakwood	1894	Mrs. Read	" Perrin
Woodville	1888	" Duncan	" McTaggart....
Wick	1883	" Cameron.....	Miss Ann. Cumming
Woodville, Grant's School.	1891	" W. Grant	Mrs. H. Grant
Zephyr	1889	" W. Armstrong ..	" Phair
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Beaverton, 'Johnson'	1891	Miss Lily H. Gilchrist.	Miss Madge Turner.
Cannington, 'Helping Hands'	1888	" Sinclair	" Effie Campbell.
Fenelon Falls, 'Volunteer'	1893	disorganized .....	.....
Greenbank, 'Helpers'....	1894	Miss Jean Leask	" A. McWilliam.
Grant's School, 'Little Cor- ner'	1897	" Belle McDougall.	" Mary E. Ross..
Lindsay, 'Ivy'	1885	" L. H. MacLennan	" Helena Needler
Wick, 'McMillan-Leask'..	1896	" E. Stewart.....	" Eliza McCully.
Woodville, 'Willing Work- ers'	1896	" Ray	" Jessie Bingham

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Miss Maggie Howie, Bury's Green	10	..	10	7	39 69	40 00	19 17
" J. Jamieson, Glenarm ..	32	1	33	13	67 18	77 27	27 02	12	9 62
" Tina Campbell, Game-bridge	16	4	20	8	105 62	83 50	37 00	..	..
" Maggie McMillan, Greenbank	12	6	18	11	47 75	46 10	15 00	..	..
" L. Quigley, Leaskdale ..	16	..	16	8	20 00	29 00	18 00	..	..
" M. Needler, Lindsay ..	90	16	106	53	231 14	228 18	19 95	..	..
" T. Smith, Sandford..	22	7	29	7	79 63	73 52	.....	..	..
Mrs. H. Baldwin, Sunderland	24	2	26	9	107 08	105 23	19 75	..	..
" T. H. Watson, Sonya ..	15	..	15	7	64 97	58 26	.....	20	21 20
" Elliker, Cresswell ..	8	..	8	5	.....	15 57	.....	..	..
" Frankish, Uxbridge..	22	1	23	19	101 33	104 03	25 39	..	..
Miss Stella Rennie, Oakw'd ..	16	..	16	8	18 40	18 65	5 00	..	..
Mrs. Mackay, Woodville ..	36	9	45	16	64 42	126 32	32 50	..	..
Miss Annie Baird, Wick..	18	4	22	15	76 03	56 60	20 45	..	..
" Graham, Woodville..	19	..	19	12	54 01	54 00	42 35	..	..
Mrs. J. Lawrie, Zephyr...	10	4	14	6	42 00	41 56	.....	..	..
Miss Janet MacDonald, Beaverton	12	2	14	11	30 00	25 00	6 10	..	..
" Annie McLachlan, Cannington.....	23	..	23	16	12 68	12 67	3 35	..	..
" Lizzie McArthur, Greenbank	24	..	24	19	20 86	30 39	3 00	..	..
" Crissie McCrimmon, Woodville	6	..	6	5	.....	2 10	.....	..	..
" M. Eagleson, Lindsay ..	35	..	35	22	48 51	47 82	20 00	..	..
" M. A. Clarke, Wick..	27	..	27	17	9 27	12 11	3 00
" May Jamieson, Woodville	17	..	17	11	8 05	8 30	8 00

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LONDON PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1884	Mrs. John Currie, Belmont.	Mrs. A. Thomson, 96 Elmwood Place South London.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Ailsa Craig.....	1884	Mrs. D. L. Dewar....	Mrs. John Alexander
Argyle, Crinan.....	1886	" Milloy	" W.H. McLean.
Aylmer	1889	Miss Belle Murray....	" John Low.....
Appin.....	1894	.....	.....
Belmont, Knox Church ..	1895	Mrs. Currie	Miss C. Kennedy...
Bryanston.....	1896	" Grant.....	Mrs. James Elliott .
Crumlin.....	1887	" Wilson	Miss Mary Weir....
Cowal, Chalmers Church..	1887	" McNeil	" Annie Morrison
Carlisle Church.....	1897	" McLurg	Mrs. Seddlas
Dorchester Station.....	1886	" Kay	Miss M. Sutherland
Glencoe	1885	" McKinnon	Mrs. Robertson....
Hyde Park.....	1892	" Wyllie	Miss Mamie Weir ..
Ilderton.....	1894	Miss Nellie Charlton..	Mrs. Guthrie.
Komoka.....	1888
Kintore	1886	Mrs. Munroe.....	Miss Bella McKenzie

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Miss F. Doble, Sunderland	20	..	20	14	..	2 77				
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C., Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, St. Thomas.													
R., Miss Murray, Aylmer.													
B., Miss M. Boyle, 446 King st., London.													
S., Miss M. Kennedy, Tal- bot st., London.													
Miss Helena Stewart, Ailsa Craig	12	4	16	9	60	29	56	69	120	80	22	14	66
" Jane McCallum, Box 57, Crinan.....	16	..	16	9	40	00	38	89	26	72
" C. Simpson, Aylmer.	4	..	4	4	8	50	10	13	27	40
" Sara McCord, Belm'nt	..	2	2	00	2	00	20	00
" Josie Sinclair, Bry- anston	5	11	16	10	19	85	23	82	130	55
" Jane Woods Crumlin	12	..	12	5	4	30	8	03	3	00
" Maggie Campbell, Cowal	10	..	10	6	25	00	20	00	24	20
"	3	12	15	7	31	00	19	20
Mrs. G.L. Shipley, Falkirk	25	..	25
" A. Campbell, Mossley	16	2	18	9	51	00	53	00	50	00
Miss A. McEachren, Glen- coe.....	31	2	33	17	84	50	73	35	64	25
" E. Skippen, Hyde P'k	11	8	19	11	26	12	24	45	31	00
" Jennie Telfer, Telfer	9	..	9	7	8	50	10	00	8	00
Mrs. Pender, Komoka	7	..	7	4	19	50	18	25	5	00	1	1	30
Miss Annie Chalmers, Kin- tore	30	5	35	13	40	00	38	25	52	00

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Kintyre	1890	Mrs. John Steel	Miss K. Lamont....
Lobo	1887	" Lindsay	Mrs. M.C. Campbell
London, St. Andrew's Ch.	1875	" Johnstone	" Ross, 181 Sydenham St....
London East	1884	" Hutchens	" Geo. Campbell
London, First Church.....	1887	" George Hodge...	" Harkness
London South, Knox Ch...	1887	" McKenzie	" McQueen
London, St. James Church	1893	" D.C. Johnston ..	Miss Mary Scott ...
Largie, Duff's Church.....	1890	" McNeil	Mrs. D. McMillan..
Mosa Auxiliary.....	1886	" Wm. Gow	Miss Susan McNeil.
North Westminster, First Church.....	1884	" Sawers.....	" M. Nichol
Proof Line	1883	" Little, Birr.....	" Lang, Birr
Rodney	1890	" Scott.....	Mrs. Cunningham ..
South Westminster	1887	" J. H. Elliot.....	" J. McLachlan.
St. Thomas, Knox Church.	1884	" J. P. Finley	" A. E. Wallace.
St. Thomas, Alma Street..	1892	" Forsythe..	" Donnelly.
Thamesford	1884	" Gunn	" Day
Tait's Corners	1894	" D. McEachren ..	Miss H. Grant. Adolphe P. O
Vanneck	1883	Miss Bella Douglas ...	" A. M. Scott... ..
West Lorne	1894	Mrs. McMillan	Mrs. Hugh McColl .
Yarmouth, Kilmartin Ch.	1893	" Currie	Miss M. Campbell..
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Ailsa Craig, 'Sunbeam'...	1892	Mrs. J. A. Hodgins...	Miss Lillie Robson..
Bryanston, 'The Cheerful Helpers'	1897	" Grant, Bryanston	" Mabel Grant..

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	Mrs. E. McMillan, Rodney	8	2	10	8	107 56	106 00	72 00		
	Miss Annie Cameron.....	20	..	20	10	35 00	35 00	28 20
	“ Skinner, English st..	82	32	114	69	279 60	328 16	211 82	..	..
	Mrs. G. Campbell, 802 Queen's ave.....	12	..	12	7	30 00	17 80	12 00	..	..
	Miss M. Boyle, 446 King st	55	6	61	31	175 25	207 54	134 75	..	..
	“ A. E. McKenzie, 94 Askin st.....	39	4	43	24	150 55	149 58	159 00	..	..
	“ McKenzie, 550½ Richmond st.....	14	4	18	10	40 09	37 20	50 00	..	..
	“ S. McMillen, Dutton.	13	4	17	9	33 00	40 00	37 00	..	..
	“ Euphemia Campbell, Kilmartin .....	..	10	10	5	29 50	31 00	8 50	..	..
	“ T. Baty, Wilton Grove	31	4	35	20	141 05	159 30	37 00	..	..
	Miss C. Carmichael, Arva.	16	2	18	8	32 65	25 37	9 30	8	8 75
	Mrs. Waterman, Rodney..	7	2	9	7	47 16	70 00	9 00	1	1 00
	Miss L. A. Cameron, Glenworth	10	6	16	7	61 25	45 00	14 81	..	..
	Mrs. J. A. Bell, St. Thomas	73	27	100	40	205 00	322 55	129 08	..	..
	Miss E. B. Gauld, Box 1313, St. Thomas.....	11	3	14	8	64 00	33 00	59 55	..	..
	Mrs. Dundas, Thamesford.	32	18	50	26	100 00	145 00	73 30	..	..
	Miss Maggie A. Berdon, Strathburn	6	10	16	9	100 00	72 00	30 50	5	1 96
	“ Elsie Robson, Vanne'k	15	9	24	9	25 75	34 45	16 00	..	..
	“ A. Gilles, Box 625 West Lorne.....	13	..	13	7	21 25	21 29	41 47	2	1 38
	“ Flora A. Taylor, Mapleton	5	11	16	10	40 00	28 00	116 05	25	5 25
	“ Annie McKay.....	23	1	24	20	65 68	44 00	90 10
	“ Vina Barnard, St. Ives	15	..	15	8	3 80

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Glencoe (Y. W.)	1889	Miss A. Sutherland ..	Miss Mary Crothers
London, St. Andrew's, 'King's Messengers'	1886	" Fairbairn	" Nellie Morris..
London, St. Andrew's, 'Outlook'	1895	" L. M. Fraser ...	" Margaret Gunn
London, St. Andrew's, 'Murray'	1895	Mrs. Murray	" Jean Dearness.
London, First Church, 'Victoria'	1887	Miss Edith Ferguson..	" M. Kennedy..
London, Chalmers Church, 'The Columbia'	1893	" Kate McGregor .	Mrs. Templeton .. .
London East, 'Golden Links'	1890	" McDermid	Miss W. Forsythe ..
London, St. James, 'Little Workers'	1892	Mrs. Omond	" Alice Kendrick
London South, 'Gleaners'	1896	Miss Armstrong	" Jessie Rowat..
Kintore, 'Day Star'	1894	" Aggie Henderson	" Mary McGee..
Proof Line, 'The Sinclair'	1896	Mrs. Bowes	" Clara Decker..
Pottersburg, St. George's Church (Y. W.)	1898	" George C. Cross.	Mr. Fisher
South Westminster, 'The Lilly'	1890	.....	.....
St. Thomas, Knox Ch. (YW)	1896	Miss M. Fraser	Miss E. Sipprell ...
St. Thomas Knox Ch., 'The Excelsior'	1896	" Marty, M. A ...	" N. Lindsay...
St. Thomas, Alma St., 'Golden Rule'	1890	Mrs. Trump	" Ruby Stewart.
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Miss Helen Younge	36	..	36	21	26 74	16 00	3 00
" May Fraser, 464 King st., London.....	45	..	45	22	63 80	83 35	27 00
" Irine Love, 34 Hope st., London.....	61	1	62	40	60 81	60 55	14 75
" M. Essen, Colborne st	42	1	43	22	32 62	34 18	38 35
" Maggie Burns, Park avenue	48	2	50	32	82 54	106 00	30 00
" Nina McGregor, 254 Wellington st	34	..	34	22	18 00	18 00	34 00
" I. Hutchens, 565 York st	14	1	15	12	7 00	12 25	4 00
" B. Grant, 169 Kent st	20	..	20	10	10 54	6 02	8 00
" C. Perry, 46 Stanley st	35	..	35	15	6 67	13 22	21 00
" Annie Robson, Kint're	10	..	10	8	6 00	8 00
" A. Coleman, Birr....	16	..	16	8	5 25	5 49	5 10
" Little, Pottersburg ..	25	..	25
.....	7	..	7	5	12 40	3 00	3 00	2	1 27
" M. Field, St. Thomas	42	..	42	13	76 30	79 68	17 47
" Annie Lisle	24	1	25	21	..	35 00	2 50
" Lizzie McIntyre	13	..	13	8	10 00	7 00	10 00
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TOTAL	1163	207	1370	722	2640 02	2861 62	2140 42	66	35 57

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MAITLAND PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1884	Mrs. Murray, Kincardine.	Miss J. A. Mather, Kincardine.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Ashfield.....	1891	Mrs. Miller	Mrs. D. MacDonald
Belgrave	1887	" Hall	Miss Wightman
Bluevale	1887	.....	.....
Bervie	1885	.....	.....
Brussels, Melville Church.	1884	" J. Ross.....	Mrs. Deadman
Chalmers.....	1893	" M. C. Mathison	" W. Robertson.
Dungannon, Erskine Ch...	1894	" Fairbairn	" Stewart.....
Eadies	1887	.....	.....
East Ashfield.....	1889	" S. Kickley.....	Miss M. Farrich ...
Ethel	1885	" J. Laird	Mrs. W. Routley...
Kincardine	1881	" J. L. Murray ...	" F. E. Coombe.
Langside	1893	" W. Cannel	" A. Gordon
Lucknow.....	1883	" MacKay	" W. Anderson .
Molesworth	1893	" Wood.....	" J. Terry
Pine River	1885	.....	.....
Ripley, Knox Church.....	1885	.....	" Munn
Ripley, Huron Church....	1897	Mrs. MacLeod	" Jackson
South Kinloss	1888	" MacLennan.....	" D. MacDonald
St. Helens.....	1884	Miss MacDonald	" Saunders.....
Teeswater	1878	Mrs. Malcolm.....	" W. Daniel
Whitechurch	1887	" MacNab	Miss A. Clow
Wingham	1887	" Perrie	" Vanstone
Wroxeter	1887	Miss Anderson	Mrs. T. F. Miller ..
North Kinloss.....	1897	Mrs. Hunter	Miss M. Campbell..

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Molesworth

" MacMurchy, Ripley.

Miss I. MacInnis, Ripley.

Mrs. MacNabb, Lucknow.

Miss M. MacPherson, St.
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Mrs. Chadwick, Teeswater

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Mrs. Gillespie, Wingham.

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C., Mrs. MacNabb, Lucknow.	14	14	10	59 00	80 00	35 00			
S., Miss A. Stewart, Wingham.	13	13	6	50 00	51 00				
L., Miss Anderson, Wroxeter.									
Mrs. J. Armstrong, Lochalsh	14	14	10	59 00	80 00	35 00			
Miss Meiklejohn, Belgrave	13	13	6	50 00	51 00				
Mrs. A. Strachan, Brussels	30	30	20	168 20	111 00	20 00			
Miss E. MacLeod, Armow	12	12	6	14 00	11 00	14 00			
" M. Mallough, Dun- gannon	4	4	3	13 00	7 40				
" N. Johnston, Lanes ..	21	21	11	25 00	35 00				
Mrs. Ferguson, Ethel	10	11	6	32 23	39 53	25 30			
Miss J. Mather, Kincardine	54	54	24	19 00	21 00	65 00			
" A. Mirehouse, Lang- side	8	8	4	193 00	181 01	24 20			
" M. C. Murdoch, Lucknow	20	20	10	5 50	6 50			75	
Mrs. Wm. J. Mackie, Molesworth	22	22	11	59 00	58 00	103 80			
" MacMurchy, Ripley.	25	25	12	66 00	60 00	34 00			
Miss I. MacInnis, Ripley.	25	25	12	30 00	28 00				
Mrs. MacNabb, Lucknow.	30	30	18	72 00	68 00	64 35			
Miss M. MacPherson, St. Helens	27	27	14	31 50	32 00				
Mrs. Chadwick, Teeswater	65	67	34	25 00	23 00				
Miss J. A. Waddel, Wing- ham	13	13	7	55 00	69 00	37 00			
Mrs. Gillespie, Wingham.	33	34	18	158 00	177 0	47 00	9	9 75	
" W. Wilson, Wroxeter	27	27	15	29 00	38 00	8 17		6 50	
" B. S. Maxwell, Kin- loss	10	12	11	120 40	114 60	73 00			
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<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Kincardine, 'Willing Workers'	1886	Mrs. Eagan	Miss L. Mather....
Brussels, 'Little Stars'...	1895	Miss Ross.....	Norman Smith
Chalmers, 'Little Jewels'	1894	.....	.....
Lucknow, 'Sepoy'.....	1896	Miss T. K. MacNabb.	Miss M. Campbell..
Lanes, 'Goforth'.....	1896	.....	.....
Ripley, Knox Church, 'Sutherland'	1896	Miss B. MacKenzie..	Miss I. Martyn
St. Helens, 'Harris'	1889	" A. Clark.....	" J. C. Todd....
South Kinloss	1893	Mrs. MacLennan....	" K. MacDonald
Teeswater..... Wingham, 'Happy Gleaners'	1895	Miss Farquharson ...	Miss E. Deans
Wroxeter, 'Anderson' ..	1896	" Anderson	" M. Linton ...
Life Membership..... Collections in excess of ex- penses .....	.....	.....	.....
ORANGEVILLE PRESBY- TERIAL SOCIETY.	1886	Mrs. J. J. Elliott, Hillsburg.	Miss Turnbull, Orangeville.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Alton	1888	No report .....	.....
Ballinafad	1897	Mrs. John McLean ..	Mrs. C. Russell
Caledon	1885	" Matheson	Miss J. Maxwell....

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Miss J. Malcolm, Kincardine	42	..	42	28	40 00	23 03
" J. MacLauchlin, Brussels	64	..	64	32	22 26	25 00
Miss M. MacKenzie, Lucknow	14	..	14	8	7 00	17 00
Miss G. MacMurchy, Ripley			11 50	10 35
" V. E. Gordon, St. Helens	21	..	21	17	6 36	8 25
" M. Morrison, Lucknow	30	..	30	18	2 00	1 00
Miss A. Cumming, Wingham	67	..	67	30	24 00	52 00
" A. Hamilton, Wroxbeter	31	..	31	15	36 00	40 00	..	3	..
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Mrs. Myers, Orangeville. L., Mrs. H. D. Fraser, Orangeville.	707	7	714	388	1575 00	1542 28	590 81	12	17 00
Miss Edith Campbell, Balinafad	12	2	14	10	7 50
" E. Dodds, Caledon			23 83
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<i>Auxiliaries—Con.</i>			
Camilla	1890	Mrs. E. J. Cobean....	Miss M. Montgomery
Cheltenham	1885	" Nixon	" Maggie Henry.
Claude	1887	" Farquharson	Mrs. McGregor
Dundalk	1894	" E. A. Harrison..	" S. Moorhead..
Erin	1885	" Fowlie	" Martin
Grand Valley	1887	" Crozier	" Phillip
Hillsburg	1888	" John Carmichael	" Jas. Carmichael
Horning's Mills	1890	" Neilly	" Irwin
Mayfield	1892	" Little.....	Miss Ella Griffin....
Melville Church, Caledon .	1888	" T. R. Foster	Mrs. D.R. McDonald
Mount Pleasant	1885	" E. J. McKinney.	" John Hunter..
Orangeville	1885	" Lalor	Miss Caldwell . . .
Price's Corners	1887	" J. J. Elliott	" Mary Keith ..
Shelburne	1886	" McRobbie	Mrs. McVanel
Ventry	1894	" T. Carr	" R. Fowler
Rosemont			
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Cheltenham, 'Maybell'...	1891	Miss Henderson	Miss Ella Lewis....
Claude	1894	" Farquharson	
Hillsburg, 'Faithful, Wil-	1890	Mrs. J. J. Elliott.....	Miss Evelyn Reed ..
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Mount Pleasant, 'Willing	1891	Miss Eliza McMeekin.	" M. McClure...
Hearts'			
Orangeville, 'Coral' Work-	1892	Mrs. McArthur	" Mary Fraser..
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Miss L. Henry, Mono C'ntr	4		\$ 9 20	\$ 12 00	\$ 11 00
" M. Hunter, Cheltenham	16	..	16	9	25 27	13 28	18 00
" J. Balmer, Inglewood	13	5	18	12	45 10	36 89	48 10	..	..
Mrs. J.T. Bowerman, Dundalk	16	..	16	8	11 60	20 83	.....	..	..
Miss M. Young, Ballinafad	41	6	47	12	68 50	43 61	28 00	..	..
" M. Mackenzie, Grand Valley	12	2	14	7	30 00	30 00	8 00	..	..
Mrs. J.J. Elliott, Hillsburg	3	11	14	8	32 00	33 00	30 85	..	..
" Wm. Hunter, Horn- ing's Mills	14	..	14	7	22 00	19 00	25 00	..	..
Miss M. H. Modeland, Campbell's Cross	18	4	22	8	35 70	29 00	15 95	..	..
Mrs. J. Kirkwood, Rockside	10	..	10	7	29 00	31 25	12 50	..	..
Miss A. M. McClure, Brampton, Box 323.	15	2	17	11	53 04	42 35	12 00	6 4 00	..
Mrs. H.D. Fraser, Orangeville	7	5	12	8	27 81	30 00	3 20	..	..
Miss M. Simpson, Orton..	6	1	7	7	11 50	15 50	18 40	..	..
Mrs. Fennell, Shelburne ..	20	4	24	10	52 50	38 49	60 00
Miss A.J. Mitchell, Ventry	16	..	16	9	16 74	21 00	20 00
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Miss E. Young, Cheltenham	25	..	25	12	12 45	7 20
" May Primrose.....	2 75	3 50
" Bessie Carmichael, Hillsburg	28	1	29	16	19 77	23 25	9 35
" Florence Dobson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 59	.....	..	..
" Stella Campbell, Orangeville.....	25	..	25	15	36 06	20 00	13 00
" L. Madill, Shelburne	40	..	40	16	37 44	30 73

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Primrose Ventry, 'King's Messen- gers' Collection	1888 1895	Miss Johnston " M. Mitchell	Miss Oliver " Jessie Carr....
OTTAWA PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1887	Mrs. Geo. Hay, Echo Bank, Ottawa.	Miss E. H. Gibson, 397 Cooper st. Ottawa.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Aylmer	1885	Miss Parker	Miss M. Taylor
Bristol	1887	Mrs. T. A. Nelson....	Mrs. D. Duff
Chelsea	1886	" J. Stothers.....	Miss A. Brooks
Carp	1893	" M. H. Sinclair..	Mrs. Alex. Andrews
Kenmore	1893	" A. G. Robertson.	" Peter Comrie..
Masham	1887	" Harbison	" Nesbitt
Metcalf	1887	" Mrs. J. Dow....	" E. Whiteside..
Manotick	1888	" Mansfield	Miss M. Mansfield..
Merivale	1888	" Robt. Whillans..	Mrs. Wm. Henry ..
North Gower	1891	" Lohead	" Callander ...
Ottawa, Bank st. Ch	1894	" John Hardie....	" Jno. Dewar ..
" Bethany Ch.....	1893	Miss Isabella Durie ..	" MacCrae.....
" Erskine Ch.....	1889	" McCuaig	" Wm. Anderson
" Knox Ch.....	1893	Mrs. J. Alexander...	Miss M. Jamieson ..
" St. Andrew's Ch..	1893	Miss Harmon	Mrs. Levi Crannell .

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Miss A. T. Johnston, Primrose	17	..	17	11	16 03	13 00	5 00
" M. Hendry, Ventry	25	..	25	12	6 50	6 00	3 00
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Miss H. E. Durie, Ottawa.									
Mrs. Church Kenney, Aylmer, Que.	3	5	8	4	26 00	34 66	*32 10	5	1 99
" R. R. Cuthbertson, Bristol, Que	25	2	27	9	104 00	100 50	40 00	..	.....
" J. G. Church, Chelsea, Que.	4	..	4	4	14 00	12 00	18 00	..	.....
Miss Florie Wilson, Carp, O	12	1	13	6	21 12	30 35	13 50	1	+
Mrs. Wm. Good, Marvelville, Ont.	12	..	12	6	50 00	40 60	25 55	..	.....
Miss Annie Hamilton, Lascelles P. O., Que.	8	1	9	4	15 00	24 80	24 40	1	.....
" N. Grey, Metcalfe, O.	10	..	10	5	.....	37 00	35 40	..	.....
" Effie Lindsay	4	2	6	6	48 70	30 50	63 05	13	15 50
Mrs. G. Angus, Merivale, O.	14	..	14	6	27 00	28 00	8 00	..	.....
Miss E. Scott, N. Gower, O.	4	..	4	4	13 82	9 25	.....	..	.....
" Moore, 278 O'Connor st., Ottawa	12	26	38	25	158 84	134 73	32 35	9	3 00
" Reid, Hintonburgh P.O., Ont.	14	7	21	17	38 87	38 84	25 00	2	96
Mrs. Younger, 13 Le Breton st., Ottawa.	21	..	21	12	56 32	51 75	62 00	39	9 87
" C. Davis, Albert st., Ottawa	24	14	38	14	146 00	221 00	72 00	12	11 50
" F. Bronson, 196 Metcalfe st., Ottawa.	8	22	30	12	193 00	201 60	41 38	1	10 00

* Billing's Bridge Ladies Aid, \$23.10. † One quilt.

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" Stewarton Ch.	1895	" Ardley.....	" Graham
Portage du Fort	1891	" Jas. Cuthbertson	" W. Cameron..
Poltimore	1897	Miss A. A. Chamberlin	" J. Frappier ..
Russell	1884	Miss M. Turnbull	" D. Mehara....
Richmond.....	1897	Mrs. Jas Bryant.....	" R. H. McElroy
Vernon	1889	" J. M. Goodwillie	" T. Bow
Wakefield	1890	" Gamble .....	.....
Zion Ch., Hull.....	1894	" M. H. Scott	" S. S. Cushman
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Aylmer, 'Zion Ch.'.....	1888	Miss McLean .....	.....
Bristol, 'Cheerful Workers'	1891	Aggie McCreedy	Miss Ethel Russell..
Ottawa, Bank St., 'Golden Links'	1898	Miss Geggie.....	" Mabel Wright.
" Erskine Ch. 'Golden Band'	1892	Mrs. J. F. Stewart ..	" Hettie Hope ..
Kenmore, Miss. Band	1894	Miss Brunton	" Annie Newham
P. du Fort 'Jubilee Band'	1897	" Beckett	George Stark
Ottawa, Paton Band, O.H.	1898	" Horne	Miss Katie Shields..
Vernon, Miss. Band	1896	Mrs. T. Bow	" J. Campbell ..
Ottawa, Union Miss. Band (Y. W.)	1885	Miss Masson	" Maggie Young
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Miss Cummings, Cummings Bridge, Ottawa ..	37	13	50	25	129 95	137 83	15 87	7	13 38
" McLean, Bank st. rd., Ottawa	19	4	23	10	54 13	23 15	15 00
" Jennie Beckett, P. du Fort, Que.....	7	1	8	6	11 36	6 46	17 00	1	..
Mrs. C. W. Higgins, Hol- land's M'ls P.O., Q.	9	..	9	3 09
" D. Mehara, Russell, Ont.	7	..	7	5	34 35	32 78	11 19
Miss L. M. Lindsay, Rich- mond, Ont.	9	..	9	4	..	9 33	20 25
Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Ver- non, Ont.	10	..	10	5	89 65	62 50	35 00
" McAfee, Wakefield, Que.	8	..	8	3	22 22	21 67	45 00
" C. A. Dunning, Hull, Que.	19	2	21	14	22 00	24 25	8 00
S.-T., Miss Birdie Smith, Aylmer, Que.	25	..	25	17	34 00	25 37	6 00
Miss Mary Cuthbertson, Bristol, Que.	25	..	25	18	4 00	19 25
" Tanner	34	..	34
" Olive Dickson	47	1	48	21	21 00	28 63	54 18
" Maggie Brunton	20	..	20	11	22 00	24 75	5 10
" A. Cuthbertson	19	..	19	10	..	1 80	1 20
Ernest Ross, 291 Elgin st., Ottawa	12	..	12
Miss Milly Howell, Ver- non, Ont.	15	..	15	11	2 60	10 00	2 00
" L. Watters, Ottawa..	20	..	20	15	44 73	60 74	18 50
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OWEN SOUND PRESBY- TERIAL SOCIETY.	1889	Mrs. Somerville, Owen Sound.	Mrs. Waits, Owen Sound.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Annan (Union Meeting, held by Dr. Buchanan).....	1890	.....	.....
Annan	1890	Mrs. J. B. Fraser	Miss Hogg
Crawford (not reported)	1890	.....	.....
Chatsworth	1885	Mrs. Thompson	Mrs. G. Lyttle
Daywood and Johnson	1885	" W. Baker	" Johnson
Desboro	1889	" Millburn	" Smith
Heathcote	1898	" Black	Miss Cruickshank ..
Keady	1890	" Burnett	" Bremner
Kilsyth	1892	" Ford.....	Mrs. Moore
Latona	1894	" J. Little.....	" Smith
Leith	1890	" Fraser	Miss Gilchrist
Meaford.....	1894	" Eastman	Mrs. Brown
Owen Sound, Division St. Church	1889	" Somerville	" Sword
Owen Sound, Knox Church	1890	" Waites	" Benner
Peabody	1889	" Burnett	" Elder
Sydenham, St. Paul's	1892	" McCullough	Miss Jack
St. Vincent, Knox Church	1894	" Davidson	Mrs. Davidson.....
Temple Hill	1892	" McLaren	Miss Patton
Thornbury and Clarksburg	1898	" McKinley	" Idle
Woodford	1896	" Riddel	Mrs. McCutcheon ..
Wiaraton	1897	" Acheson	" Parke
Mrs. Dunlop, Knox Ch., Sydenham
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Annan (juv.)	1895	Miss Fraser	Miss Jean Harkness.
Keady (juv.).....	1891	Mrs. Burnett	" Duncan

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Meaford.....	1896	Miss Christie	Master Ernest Silcox
Owen Sound, Division St. Church, 'Cheerful Workers'	1890	" Martin	Mr. And. Thompson
Owen Sound, Division St. Church, Young People's.	1898	.....	.....
Owen Sound, Knox Church, 'Willing Workers' (Y. W.)	1893	" Sloane	Miss A. Sloane ...
Sydenham, St. Paul's, 'Joyful Workers' (juv.)	1893	" Reid	" Sword
Peabody (juv.)	1896	Mrs. James Anderson.	" McLean
PARIS PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1885	Mrs. Shearer, Drumbo.	Mrs. Robertson, Ingersoll.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Ayr (disbanded Feb., 1897) .....	.....	.....	.....
Ayr, Knox Church	1897	Mrs. Thomson.....	Mrs. W. D. Watson.
Ayr, Stanley St. Church..	1889	" J. S. Hardie	" A. J. Reid....
Brantford, "Farrington" ..	1892	" Geo. Houlding ..	Miss M. Foulds ...
Brantford, First Church ..	1894	Miss Eliza Wood	Mrs. John Meyers..
Brantford, Zion Church...	1891	Mrs. W. B. Wood....	Miss Wood
Blenheim, St. Andrew's...	1887	" Leslie	" C. Blackmore .
Burford	1896	" Pentland.....	" Taylor
Chesterfield	1893	" A. Bell	Mrs. Johnston.....
Drumbo	1887	" Shearer	Miss Lillico
Embro	1878	" Patterson	Mrs. D. R. Ross....
E. Oxford, St. Andrew's ..	1887	" Leslie	Miss Helen Weir ..
Glenmorris	1884	" Pettigrew	Mrs. M. McDonald.

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Miss Maggie Common, Meaford	40	..	40	..	16 20	20 00	15 10
" B. Black, Owen Sound	60	..	60	40	24 00	34 00	15 15
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" M. Cowie, Owen Sound	19	..	19	..	3 90	15 25	20 00
" N. Thom, Bognor	27	..	27	9	11 85	12 72	7 05
" G. A. Patterson, Peabody	19	..	19	14	9 00	11 00	3 75
Total	452	38	490	224	674 24	748 44	566 80	19	13 44
C., Mrs. W. D. Watson, Ayr.									
R., Mrs. John Qua, Paris.									
Miss Lizzie Edgar, Ayr	8	18	26	15	96 70	2 70	..	..	..
" McKnight, Ayr.....	13	5	18	14	26 60	108 69	29 56	13	12 00
Mrs. G. Whittaker, 154 Market st., Brantford	43	2	45	18	81 58	28 00	34 40	..	..
" Hamilton, 94 Wellington st., Brantford ..	35	..	35	16	40 00	105 25	31 45	..	..
Miss Watt, 93 West street, Brantford	21	10	31	17	40 00	41 60	50 00	..	..
" E. Edmiston, Drumbo	13	..	13	9	101 80	110 00	58 45	..	..
" Gibson, Burford.....	14	2	16	9	17 00	18 50	9 70	..	..
" M. Risk, Chesterfield	11	..	11	7	..	20 00	28 90	..	..
Mrs. Laidlaw, Drumbo.....	31	5	36	19	33 00	24 00	24 00	..	..
Miss M. D. Murray, Embro	20	19	39	11	34 61	62 33	20 42	..	..
" B. McKenzie, Vande-car	12	..	12	6	160 00	160 10	69 10
" A. McPherson, Glenmorris.....	15	5	20	8	27 00	22 00	15 08
					48 00	44 00	25 63

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Ingersoll	1890	Miss Baxter	Miss Emily Capron.
Paris	1885	Mrs. Cockburn	Mrs. J. Qua
Princeton	1887	" Shearer	" Rutherford
Ratho	1891	" A. Hebertson	Miss Ida Brash
St. George	1886	" D. Y. Ross	Mrs. J. H. Fleming.
Tilsonburg	1893	" W. Livingstone	" Wm. Imrie
Woodstock, Knox Church.	1894	" Angus Rose	" Suitter
Woodstock, Chalmers Ch.	1887	" John Weir	Miss Essie McKay..
Woodstock, Tenth Line...	1897	" D. Dingwall	" Lizzie Weir ...
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Ayr, 'Beehive' (juv.)	1888	Mrs. W. D. Watson ..	Miss Olive Scott... .
Ayr, 'King's Daughters' ..	1886	Miss Telfer	Mrs. M. Lillico
Ayr, 'Mission Students' ..	1887	Mrs. W. D. Watson ..	Miss J. Anderson...
Ayr, 'Whatsoever' (juv.) ..	1889	" Codling	" May Bickell ..
Ayr, 'Inglis'	1889	" R. T. Morton	" Gertie Bickell.
Ayr, 'Anthony Marshall' ..	1895	Miss M. Marshall	" Bessie Hall ...
Brantford, 'Zion Ch.' (juv.)	1888	" J. Spratt	" L. Knowles ..
Brantford, 'Mis. Students'	1894	" Duncan	" Ethel Nicol ...
Ingersoll, 'St. Paul's' (juv.)	1896	Mrs. R. J. Robertson.	" M. Stewart ...
Ingersoll, 'Victoria'	1897	Miss M. Morrison	" B. Jamison
Innerkip, 'Maple Leaf' ...	1895	Mrs. Straith	" Isbister
Paris, 'Y.W.M. Society' ..	1889	Miss J. Smith	" Kintrea
St. George, 'Gordon' (juv.)	1887	Mrs. Reed	" Wilma Elliot..
Woodstock, 'Heart and	1888	" A. Cameron	" L. McKay
Woodstock, 'Knox Church'	1886	Miss McMullen	" Jean Currie ..
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Miss Eva Boles, Ingersoll .	25	3	28	22	98	00	86	00	62	73			
" Young, Paris.....	18		18	12	130	00	108	02	63	40			
" A. Brown, Princeton	8	5	13	6	34	75	25	00	17	25			
" N. Dickie, Bright ...	12	2	14	8	27	00	27	00	27	00	10	3	30
Mrs. E. E. Kitchen, St. George.....	20	1	21	12	16	38	33	77	36	30			
" R. Shannon, Tilson- burg	15		15	8	27	84	42	69	8	21			
" Sykes, Woodstock... Miss J. Anderson, Wood- stock.....	44	5	49	20	197	72	173	76	49	00			
Miss J. Anderson, Wood- stock.....	19	3	22	12	60	86	75	83	28	58	1		75
" M. Hart, Woodstock	20		20	9			14	62	4	72			
Miss M. Cameron, Ayr ...	12	1	13	6	3	33	4	11					
" Maggie Laurie, Ayr.	15	5	20	10	86	16	80	27	8	50			
" Emily Fair, Ayr	5	1	6	5	8	03	4	00					
" Mary Young, Ayr... " Bessie Wilson, Ayr... " A. Hall, Washington " L. Knowles, 36 Duf- ferin ave., Brantford	30		30	15					7	40			
" Edna Strathdee, 79 Brant ave., Brantfd	14		14	8	2	25	3	00	6	85			
" N. Hutt, Ingersoll .. " B. Chambers, Ingersoll " Isbister, Innerkip... " C. Malcolm, Paris... " M. Robb, St. George.	10	1	11	6	6	20	6	17	8	35			
" G. Robertson, Wood- stock	20		20	8	2	30	6	64	3	40			
" Hayward, Woodstock	30	1	31	16	37	00	34	00	27	52			
	24	1	25	12			14	00					
	15		15	11			7	60					
	10	2	12	8	10	00	42	00					
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	23		23	13	16	28	2	91					
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PETERBOROUGH PRESBY- TERIAL SOCIETY.	1882	Mrs. W. M. Roger, Peterboro'.	Miss James Craick, Port Hope.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Baltimore	1883	Miss Ida Moffatt	Miss M. Mann
Bobcaygeon	1886	Mrs. Innes	Mrs. Van Norman..
Campbellford	1886	" J. Shannon	Miss J. Wood
Centreville	1886	" D. H. Armstrong	" Greer
Cobourg	1883	" Burnet	" J. Whitelaw ..
Cold Springs	1883	" Geo. Kerr	Mrs. J. Grieve
Ellangowan	1887	Miss T. B. Greely....	Miss J. McGregor..
Garden Hill.... ..	1889	" Martin	Mrs. Alex. Hamill..
Grafton	1883	Mrs. Lord	Miss J. Underwood.
Hastings	1886	" Thomson	" L. Fowlds
Havelock	1895	" Hamilton	Mrs. Childs
Keene	1883	" English	" Tucker
Lakefield	1876	" A. Reeves	" T. H. Benson .
Millbrook	1894	" Wm. Johnston..	" E. E. Eakins..
Norwood	1892	" J.F. Sommerville	" T. Rork
Peterboro', St. Andrew's ..	1889	" Stewart	" Geo. Laing....
Peterboro', St. Paul's	1876	Miss Dickson	Miss Kingan
Port Hope, First Church..	1876	Mrs. J. K. Smith	Mrs. R. Mulholland.
Port Hope, Mill Street ...	1884	" Alex. Laird	Miss Michael
Vernonville	1886	" Lord	" Jessie Robson.
Warkworth	1892	" Sutherland.....	Mrs. J. H. Douglas.
Westwood.....	1892	" John Hope, jr...	Miss Harrison

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C., Miss Martha Dickson, Peterboro'. R. & L., Miss Craick. Port Hope.																
Miss M. McDonald, Bal- timore	9	9	18	12	\$	57 15	\$	49 50	\$	16 00						
Mrs. W. Fluell, Bob- caygeon	10	..	10	6		29 00		36 00		10 50						
“ J. Warwick, Camp- bellford	27	..	27	21		57 40		94 00		11 82		5		9	13	
Miss Dodds, Bensfort	11	..	11	9		22 00		22 00		8 58		3		1	85	
“ E. Russell, Cobourg. “ Nellie Bowman, Cold Springs	19	12	31	15		85 25		98 00		13 52		..		..	..
“ M. E. Rutherford, Colborne, Drawer 20	25	5	30	28		63 00		54 00		13 63		5		2	25	
“ J. H. Dodds, Perry- town	2	9	11	5		33 00		11 00		6 00		..		..	..
“ Grace Ross, Grafton. “ L. Fowlds, Hastings.	7	2	9	3		26 00		25 00		3 89		3		3	00	
Mrs. Tarriff, Havelock ..	9	17	26	14		71 80		64 38		15 56		..		..	..
Miss Read, Keene	11	..	11	6		26 74		27 00		5 70		1		1	50	
“ T. B. McEwen, Lake- field	7	3	10	5		11 40		12 00		5 56		..		..	..
“ E. Hunter, c/o John Hunter, Millbrook.	25	..	25	12		52 00		54 00		13 00		..		..	..
Mrs. J. Davidson, Norwood	6	17	23	10		56 00		70 00		28 36		..		..	..
“ J. Tully, Peterboro'	14	1	15	6		23 25		17 55		..		..		..	..
“ A. E. Leck, Peterboro'	17	1	18	9		37 00		69 71		21 41		16		2	18	
“ Jas. Craick, Pt. Hope	27	7	34	21		177 00		127 50		20 59		..		..	..
Miss A. McNaughton, Pt. Hope	39	65	104	35		276 83		306 40		32 40		..		..	..
Mrs. John Blacklock, Ver- nonville	21	15	36	13		100 30		104 30		15 10		7		1	85	
“ D. Robertson, Wark- worth	19	..	19	8		36 60		36 03		14 75		..		..	..
Mrs. MacNaughton, West- wood	8	9	17	9		58 00		47 24		9 15		2		1	25	
	7	6	13	5		70 00		70 00		16 38		11		14	83	
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Baltimore, 'Aye Ready' (juv.)	1893	Miss M. Moffatt.....	Miss Lettie Brown..
Cobourg, 'Daisy' (juv.) ..	1890	Mrs. W. J. Hamilton.	" N. Carruthers.
Keene, 'Earnest Workers' (Y. W.)	1892	Miss Clara Campbell..	" M. Campbell..
Lakefield, 'Pansy' (Y. W.)	1889	" M. Nelson	" Lillie Kidpath.
Peterboro, 'Fraser' (Y. W.)	1888	" Roper	" Aggie Hall....
Peterboro, 'Faithful Workers' (juv.)	1897	" Laura Davidson.	" M. Meldrum..
Port Hope, 'Helping Hands' (Y. W.)	1886	" Craick	" E. O'Brien ...
Port Hope, 'Mill St.'	1888	" A. Truesdale....	" B. Irwin.. ...
Cold Springs, 'Jubilee' (juv.)	1897	" Lucy Graham ..	" NettieBowman
St. Andrew's, Peterboro' (Intermediate)	1897	Mrs. J. G. Potter	" L. Currie
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SARNIA PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1888	Mrs. McTavish, Parkhill.	Miss Geddes, Strathroy.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Alvinston	1896	Mrs. Fortune	Mrs. McDiarmid ..
Beechwood	1889	" Stewart	" Fletcher
Copleston	1894	" McLean	" G. P. Kerby ..
Corunna	1897	" Urquhart	Miss Kate McRae.
Forest	1888	" McPherson	" Brodie
Lieury	1886	" J. F. Laughlin..	Mrs. W. T. Am

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Mandaumin	1891	Mrs. A. MacDonald..	Mrs. M. MacDonald
Nairn	1887	" Elliott	Miss Maggie Sutherland
Parkhill.....	1886	" McTavish.....	Mrs. Elliot
Petrolea.....	1888	" Walker	" Stokes
Sarnia	1877	" D. Mackenzie...	" Brehner
Springbank	1897	" McKinnon ...	Miss A. McLean ..
Strathroy	1887	" Geddes	Mrs. Cuddy
South Plympton.....	1891	" A. Y. Anderson	" McEwen.....
Thedford	1893	" McCallum	" D. Weir
Watford	1887	" Alexander	Miss Cameron.....
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Beechwood	1895	Mrs. John MacIntosh	Miss Lena Graham.
Copleston, 'Sunshine'....	1896	" Morrison	" Gertie Wolsey
Forest, 'Pansy'	1889	Miss McCroste	" Tillie Brodie..
Lieury, 'Busy Bees'	1895	Mrs. J. C. Reid... ..	" Maggie Reid..
Mandaumin, 'Sinclair'... ..	1896	" A. L. Budge....	" Bella Calvert .
Nairn, 'Jewels'	1892	Miss Stewart.....	" Mamie McIntosh
Parkhill, 'Jubilee'	1887	Mrs. Aylward.....	" Bella Ross
Petrolea, 'Primrose'.....	1893	" Wm. English ...	" Eva Jones

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Miss Agnes Ferguson, Mandaumin	10	..	10	7	46 40	51 34	38 12
" C. Dimond, Nairn	22	9	31	8	22 75	21 45	35 80
Mrs. W. J. Mitchell, Parkhill	19	3	22	14	81 91	81 76	49 75	2	1 85
" McHattie, Petrolea	27	7	34	13	70 98	62 71	209 00	..	..
" MacLean, Sarnia	34	5	39	23	104 00	103 05	124 00	..	..
Miss Annie Macdonald, Sables	10	3	13	9	.. ..	41 58	.. ..	9	14 37
" Geddes, Strathroy	26	28	54	15	61 25	55 47	100 00	..	..
" Minnie McPhedran Wanstead	..	27	27	15	52 00	34 50	18 80	..	..
Mrs. Ironside, Thedford	13	4	17	9	69 00	90 55	54 70	..	..
Miss Adolph, Watford	9	3	12	8	25 85	25 82	42 00	1	1 10
Miss Ada Melville, Fernhill	13	..	13	11	6 10	4 00	13 30	..	..
" Mary Weir, Copleston	11	..	11	5	1 32	15 00	11 85	1	1 10
" Jessie Lochead, Forest	21	..	21	17	8 00	17 00	.. ..	..	..
" Lena Laughlin, Lieury	30	..	30	17	4 36	2 00	4 00	..	..
" Carrie Knight, Mandaumin	13	1	14	7	2 00	11 30	2 00	3	1 15
" Lettie Potter, Nairn	6	1	7	..	10 50	3 30	.. ..	..	..
" Jean Hanilton, Parkhill	21	1	22	21	21 00	9 00	10 40
" Hattie Lawson, Petrolea	20	1	21	9	38 61	35 30	13 95

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SAUGEEN PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1887	Mrs. Morrison, Cedarville.	Mrs. McMurchy, Harriston.
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Arthur.....	1887	Miss Bella Goodall....	Mrs. McDonald.....
Belmore.....	1894	Mrs. A. C. Stewart...	" D.N.M'Donald
Cedarville.....	1893	" J. Morrison.....	" Luhan.....
Clifford.....	1887	" S. Young.....	Miss A. Adie.....
Dromore.....	1894	Miss B. Henderson..	" B. Lothian...
Durham.....	1887	" H. M. Smith....	" A. McKenzie..
Gorrie.....	1888	Mrs. T. H. M'Laughlin	Mrs. W. McLaughlin
Harriston, Guthrie Ch...	1888	" G. Munro.....	" Harvey.....
Harriston, Knox Church..	1888	" Cameron.....	" McCollough...
Holstein.....	1887	" Dickson.....	" J. McKenzie..
McIntosh.....	1894	" A. C. Stewart...	" B. Inglis.....
Moorefield	1893	" Tate.....	" Usher.....
Mount Forest.....	1887	" Filshie.....	Miss Hall.....
Palmerston.....	1892	" Aull.....	Mrs. Foote..
Rothsay.....	1893	" Edmison	" Fotheringham.
Scotch Block.....	1892	" Edmison	" J. McEachern.
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Arthur, 'Heathens' Friend'	1887	Disbanded.....	
Clifford, 'Happy Workers'	1897	Mrs. McTaggart	Miss Fanny Fraser..
Harriston, 'Guthrie Ch.'..	1889	" Scarr	" Jean Waddell.

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Mrs. W. Scott, Arthur....	14	12	26	8	61	20	56	43	55	65
Miss M. Fleming, Belmore	12	1	13	8	30	00	35	00	15	12
“ M. A. Bell, Cedarville	10	1	11	5	11	72	26	80	17	00	15	8 94
“ K. Young, Clifford..	15	4	19	7	52	00	41	42	41	00	..	..
Mrs. G. Cushnie, Dromore	15	..	15	7	23	96	27	00	33	35	..	..
Miss M. Russell, Durham.	20	1	21	9	23	44	48	50	46	35	..	..
Mrs. J. B. Campbell, Gorrie	14	1	15	9	49	00	50	00	11	00	..	..
“ Glenney, Harriston..	25	5	30	13	116	75	95	00	47	25	..	..
Miss M. Wilson, Harriston	22	..	22	14	51	00	60	00	58	00	..	..
“ Stevenson, Holstein..	24	..	24	10	41	00	66	69	30	75	17	10 00
“ L. N. Inglis, Belmore	11	..	11	7	28	00	32	00	18	37	..	..
Mrs. Anderson, Moorefield	15	..	15	9	13	53	28	50	20	20	..	..
“ Leslie, Mount Forest.	16	8	24	12	72	50	53	57	84	50	..	..
“ Pettit, Palmerston..	14	1	15	..	25	03	37	25	..	..	..	..
“ Pollock, Rothsay....	14	1	15	..	10	00	16	00	19	25
Miss B. McEachern, Cots- wold	17	2	19	10	7	25	16	00	11	00

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“ F. A. S. Munro, Har- riston	41	..	41	17	25	94	22	32	15	00

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<i>Mission Bands—Con.</i>			
Harriston, 'McGregor'...	1888	Miss M. Smith.	Andrew McCauly...
Mount Forest, 'Bickell'...	1892	" McNicol	Miss Jones.
Palmerston, 'Munro'	1894	No Report.
Balance from interest and Presbyterial meeting
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STRATFORD PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1881	Mrs. Grant, St. Mary's	Mrs. Wm. Gibb, St. Mary's.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Atwood	1884	Mrs. P. A McLeod.	Mrs. Robt. Knox ..
Avonbank.	1884	" A. Watson.	Miss M. Gillies
Avonton	1888	" Graham	" J. Murray
Brooksdale	1885	" Geo. Manson.	" M. Lunes
Carlingford	1891	" J. Wiley.	" S. Blacklock ..
East Zorra, Burns Ch.	1885	Miss J. Murray	" M. Ferguson..
Granton	1894	Mrs. Lang.	" M. McGowan..
Harrington	1877	Miss T. McKenzie.	" May Bradshaw
Listowel.	1884	" Nesbit	Mrs. J. Thompson..
Lucan	1886	Mrs. Wm. Matheson..	" Perley
Millbank	1887	" J. W. Chalmers..
Milverton	1893	Miss Munro.	Miss E. Riddell

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Miss T. McIntyre, Harris- ton.....	45	..	45	30	..	37 01
" M. Filshie, Mount Forest.....	33	..	33	17	39 00 20 30	22 00	15 00
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C., Miss Hamilton, Motherwell.									
R., " McPherson, Stratford.									
S., Mrs. J. D. Stanley, St. Mary's.									
Mrs. T. G. Ballantyne, At- wood	14	11	25	9	72 30	66 50	23 75	4	10 00
Miss Belle Oliver, Mother- well.....	14	3	17	8	48 00	39 63	18 00
" R. Wood, Avonton..	16	2	18	11	25 00	14 00	11 10	4	3 25
" M. G. McDonald, Brooksdale	4	5	9	6	14 00	13 25	1	1 00
" M. Davidson, Carl- ingford	11	2	13	5	25 00	19 09	7 00
Mrs. D. Burke, Braemar..	7	6	13	6	18 50	19 76	42 15	7	6 22
Miss M. McGowan, Granton	11	1	12	8	21 92	8 08	11 10
" M. B. Ross, Harring- ton	7	21	28	9	44 12	57 25	15 00
Mrs. S. T. Rutherford, Listowel.....	14	6	20	8	43 42	42 27	24 00
" McNamee, Lucan ..	12	1	13	8	36 00	31 00	26 80
Miss M. Hall, Millbank ..	9	3	12	6	17 00	20 00	12 50
" E. Goodale, Milver- ton	8	..	8	6	33 44	17 79	36 35

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Mitchell.....	1880	Mrs. Bradley	Miss J. Machan
Monkton	1890	" H. McNaught ..	Mrs. A. Chalmers ..
Motherwell	1884	" Jos. McIntyre ..	" R. Roger
N. Easthope.....	1884	" J. McMillan	Miss B. Forbes
" St. Andrew's	1890	" J. Fraser	Mrs. Jos. McMillan.
N. Mornington	1884	Miss E. Whaley.....	" Jos. Peffers ..
N. Nissouri	1897	" Crow	Miss L. Brown
S. Nissouri	1892	" Crow	" S. Gillis
Stratford, Knox Ch.....	1877	Mrs. Hislop	Mrs. Hossie
" St. Andrew's ..	1885	" Panton	" Jeffrey.....
St. Mary's, First Ch.....	1886	" D. Murray.....	" Caspell.....
" Knox Ch.....	1886	" Grant	Miss B. Love
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Atwood 'Calder' (juv.) ..	1891	Miss Alice Hammond.	Miss M. Murray....
Avonbank (juv.).....	1896	" Hamilton	" I. Oliver.....
Avonton, 'Little Star'	1896	" Smith	" A. Thompson..
(juv.)	1896	" J. Hamilton	Master Bertie Knott.
Carlingford, 'Golden Rule'	1896	" S. Stevenson. ..	Miss M. Roy
(juv.)	1892	" McDougall.....	" A. Gilfillan ..
Listowel, 'Campbell' (juv.)	1893	" Mulheron	" E. Archer
Lucan, 'Ormiston' (juv.)..	1893	" Mulheron	" E. Archer
Mitchell, 'Busy Bees' (juv.)	1893	" Mulheron	" E. Archer
N. Easthope, 'Harvey Grant'	1896	Mrs. R. F. Cameron..	" A. McLaren ..
(juv.)	1896	Mrs. R. F. Cameron..	" A. McLaren ..
N. Easthope, St. Andrew's,	1896	Miss A. M. Rennie ...	" J. McTavish..
'Helpful Workers' (juv.)	1896	Miss A. M. Rennie ...	" J. McTavish..

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Miss J. Machan, Mitchell	15	4	19	10			\$ 21 53	\$ 21 35	\$ 20 00		\$ c
Mrs. George Brown, Carmuncock	18	1	19	11			20 56	19 56	5 00		
Miss J. Baird, Motherwell	11	13	24	7			58 00	58 00	49 00		
" M. Freeborn, Shakespeare	13	3	16	5			25 75	21 75	10 93		
" A. M. Rennie, New Hamburg	4	11	15	10			60 00	35 00	31 90		
Mrs. Wm. Dowd, Burns	16	2	18	7			24 63	52 96	10 00		
Miss J. Sutherland, St. Mary's	8	1	9	6							
" M. Headrick, Belton	21	1	22	10			36 86	44 50	8 30		
Mrs. Geo. Malcolm, Stratford	41	9	50	18			163 31	125 15	68 60		
Miss McGregor, Stratford.	18	5	23	10			60 00	50 00			
Mrs. W. Gibb, St. Mary's	..	30	30	14			105 00	80 75	35 70		
" J. D. Stanley, St. Mary's	15	10	25	10			58 00	61 54	67 80		
Miss M. E. Cuthbertson, Atwood	29	1	30	12			7 75	6 85	5 00		
" Jean Rodger, Motherwell	28	1	29	13							
" S. Armstrong, Avon-ton	29	..	29	14				2 33			
" M. Jamieson, Carl- ingford	34	..	34	17				3 00			
" M. Roy, Listowel	40	..	40	16			8 00		7 35		
" C. McFalls, Lucan	18	..	18	9			25 00	16 00	8 95	1	1 00
" B. Dow, Mitchell.	21	1	22	13			3 25	17 13	11 50		
" M. Home, Gad's Hill	29	1	30	21				2 83			
" L. Paterson, Shakes- peare	34	..	34	20			11 00	22 00	5 00		

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Stratford, 'Gordon' (Y.W.) St. Mary's, First Ch. 'Faithful Gleaners (juv.)	1885	Miss Moderwell	Miss M. Beamoch..
St. Mary's, 'Wilson Grant' (juv.)	1896	Mrs. Cosgrove	" Ella Gibb
Wellesley	1892	" R. Shepherd	" L. Crocker
Collection, interest and balance from Supply Treasurer			
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TORONTO PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1885	Mrs. Gray, 22 Borden Street, Toronto.	Miss Reid, 177 Bloor Street E., Toronto.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Agincourt	1888	Miss J. Henry	Miss I. Clark
Aurora	1885	Mrs. Amos	Mrs. W. Watson
Bethesda	1897	" Atkinson	" R. Bond
Bolton, Cavan Church	1886	" McLachlan	Miss Bonnor
Brampton	1885	" G. McClure	" M.C. Kirkwood
Cashel	1888	" W. Scott	Mrs. Wm. Jenkins
Deer Park	1890	" Dick	" T. Murray
East Toronto, Emmanuel	1893	" Givens	" Wm. Allan
Eglinton	1891	" Gartshore	" Kerswell
Esquesing, Boston Church	1889	" Milne	" Sproat
Eversley & Temperance'le	1888	" A. Ferguson	Miss A. Ferguson
Fairbanks	1898	Miss Gardiner	" Robinson
Georgetown	1886	Mrs. Perrin	Mrs. McLeod
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Miss T. McIntosh, Stratford	28	2	30	10	\$ 72 c. 55	\$ 52 c. 19	\$ 10 c. 15
Master Percy Coupland, St. Mary's	50	..	50	28	30 00	9 70
Miss L. Thompson, St. Mary's	38	2	40	29	37 15	16 70	16 70
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Mrs. J. A. Brown	18	22	40	13	121 23	137 99	26 50	1	3 50
" Eade	10	8	18	13	38 10	48 71	12 00
Miss Heron, Don P.O.	10	1	11	5	7 45
" Caldwell	21	..	21	10	68 00	73 00	50 00	1	2 00
" A. C. Robertson	32	15	47	31	98 31	75 38	43 00	21	7 76
" J. G. Bruce, Almira.	6	6	12	6	32 90	35 53	2 00	14	5 28
" H. Spears, Deer Park	6	6	12	7	43 29	46 88	12 65
Mrs. Wm. Allan	12	3	15	7	37 76	46 45	25 00
Miss Duncan, Davisville..	15	6	21	8	84 42	21 28	10 00
Mrs. Campbell, Milton, B.L	13	11	24	14	62 12	76 42	29 10	12	7 75
Miss J. Ness, Eversley	20	3	23	15	52 91	64 25	14 06	3	4 21
" Shorley	7	3	10
" Pringle	14	7	21	9	71 71	101 58	30 50
" H. Davis, Nobleton	17	2	19	12	28 00	33 00	40 00

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King, St. Andrew's	1892	Mrs. Carmichael	Miss J. Ross
King, St. Paul's	1894	" Wm. Stewart	" A. McDevitt
Laskay	1893	" J. Watt	Mrs. J. Watson
Limehouse	1891	" John Henderson	" G. T. Coe
Maple, St. Andrew's	1891	" J. Watson	Miss Walkington
Markham, St. Andrew's	1886	" Carmichael	Mrs. E. Burke
Milliken, St. John's	1888	"	"
Milton	1889	" Mahaffy	Mrs. Campbell
Newmarket	1886	" J. Somerville	Miss L. Ross
Norval, Alexander	1894	" R. Noble	" F. Harper
Oakville	1885	" Craig	" Balmer
Richmond Hill	1896	" J. A. Grant	" C. McDonald
Streetsville	1887	Miss Hewitt	Mrs. W. G. Webster
Scarboro, St. Andrew's	1889	" J. Thomson	" McDonald
Stouffville, St. James'	1894	Mrs. Duncan	" Low
Toronto, Burns' W. Church	1884	" Breckenridge	" Miller
Toronto, Central Church	1881	Mrs. McTavish	Miss Mather
Toronto, Chalmers Church	1886	" Mutch	Mrs. Matheson
Toronto, College St. Ch.	1887	" Gray	" R. Wilson
Toronto, Cooke's Church	1886	" Patterson	" Gilday
Toronto, Dovercourt Ch	1891	" S. Carruthers	" Newton
Toronto, East Church	1886	" Morison	" Ross
Toronto, Erskine Church	1886	" J. A. Paterson	" E. S. Macdonald
Toronto, Kew Beach	1895	" C. Thompson	" A. Varley
Toronto, Mackay, Cowan av	1895	" Rochester	" Hendry
Toronto, Maclaren, Bloor W	1888	" W. B. McMurrich	" Davidson
Toronto, Murray-Mitchell, St. James Square	1881	" Jordon	" Mercer Adam
Toronto, McCaul, Ch. of the Covenant	1893	" Hamilton	Miss Lawson
Toronto, Old St. Andrew's	1887	" W. C. Harris	Mrs. J. Cavan

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Miss O. McCallum, Strange	34	8	42	18	86 60	91 40	44 00		
" L. Stewart, Linton	13	1	14	6	10 00	11 00	14 00		
" M. Gray	11	1	12	5	17 89	14 56	9 05		
" M. Lindsay	9	4	13	8	23 00	28 00			
" M. Gilles, Teston	19		19	10	25 00	25 00	33 53	1	
Mrs. J. B. Reeve	14	2	16	6	61 54	47 90	8 50	1	5 00
Miss Mitchell	18		18		10 00	10 00			
" N. Forsyth	21	2	23	11	21 48	18 00	25 00		
" L. Watkins	11	9	20	8	27 88	42 39	22 50		
" I. S. Cameron	10	5	15	9	44 80	47 29			
Mrs. R. J. Campbell	9	2	11	6	39 91	36 91	25 70		
Miss M. E. Blain	12	5	17	7	36 67	21 00			
" Carnaghan, Woburn.	23	3	26	13	18 80	28 68	26 60		
" Russell	8	1	9	5	96 70	105 52	14 65	1	1 00
Mrs. A.R. Williamson, 139 Grange ave.	16	14	30	22	11 84	12 60		1	55
" Campbell, 11 Chapel	36	45	81	27	173 00	152 00	23 50		
Miss Bruce, 243 Shaw	23	8	31	17	230 28	224 40	11 50	15	12 40
" E. Clark, 79 Nassau.	28	24	52	25	94 50	55 00		4	6 50
" C.G. Kerr, 118 Mutual	10	28	38	21	124 50	133 50	38 25		
Mrs. T. Carruthers, 12 Hamburg ave.	14	2	16	10	159 97	139 23			
" Bryans, 386 Parliame't	19	9	28	13	43 10	39 44	2 00		
" R.G. McLaughlin, 32 Breadalbane	11	18	29	17	59 84	52 94	13 00		
Miss Henderson, care Imperial Bank, city	14	2	16	8	98 00	89 00	33 15	3	1 50
" King, 88 Macdonnell a	26	13	39	17	12 59	16 93	11 00	5	1 20
Mrs. McDonald, 75 Prince Arthur ave.	48	34	82	46	88 94	80 43	56 50		
" H. Brown, 117 Carlet'n	6	76	82	55	179 08	200 00	22 00		
" Gordon, 316 1/2 Ave. rd.	24	6	30	13	411 51	366 59	69 25	11	10 20
Miss B. MacMurphy, 254 Sherbourne st	1	64	65	33	50 00	33 34	21 00		
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Toronto, St. Andrew's	1889	" E. Fisher	" A. McMichael.
Toronto, St. Fnoch's	1890	" Gibson.....	Miss Adams.....
Toronto, St. John's.....	1889	" A. E. Tupper ..	Mrs. Pollock
Toronto, St. Mark's	1890	" P. E. Nichol....	" J. C. Hibbert..
Toronto, St. Paul's	1893	" Fasken	" Wood
Toronto, Southside Church	1894	" McKinley	Miss Millar
Toronto, Knox Church....	1885	" Parsons	" Sanders
Toronto, Westminster Ch.	1886	" Playfair	Mrs. Carman
Toronto Junction	1887	" Rae	Miss Rork
Unionville	1891	" Duncan	Mrs. M. F. Hagerman
Vaughan, Knox Church ..	1895	" Somerville	Miss M. Bell
Vaughan, St. Paul's Ch ..	1891	" McNeil	" M. Egan
Wexford, Zion Ch	1892	" E. Sproule	Mrs. A. Richardson.
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Agincourt, 'Cheerful Work- ers' (Y. W.)	1886	Miss J. H. Paterson ..	Miss M. Gordon
Brampton, 'McLaren' (j.) ..	1889	" Sharp.....	" A. Malloy.....
Deer Park, 'Hopeful Work- ers' (j.)	1894	" T. Crean.....	" E. McLaughlin
Eglint'n, 'Leslie Harrison' (j)	1894	.....	.....
Eversley and Temperance- ville, 'Mizpah'	1891	Mrs. Ferguson.....	" A. E. Lawse ..
Georgetown, 'Golden Sheaf'	1896	Miss A. Evans.....	" E. Somerville..
Milliken, 'Penny Seekers' (j)	1897	" E. Hood.....	Master R. French ..
Newmarket, 'Faithful Workers' (j.)	1892	Mrs. McNabb	Miss E. Dickson....
Norval 'Eager Helpers' (j.)	1892	Miss L. Rice	" Lottie Rice....
Oakville, 'Hopeful Help- ers' (j.)	1895	" M. Balmer.....	" B. Street
Richmond Hill, 'Grant' ..	1896	Mrs. Campbell	" G. Boyle.....

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Miss E. Carson, Strange..	22	..	22	11	4 47	10 00	5 80
" Sampson, 141 Beverly	10	..	10	5	38 47	16 32	10 00
Master A. Taylor, 50 Mc-Kenzie Cres	117	1	118	52	45 05	40 54	59 89
Miss Hammes, 254 Clarem'nt	12	1	13	12	24 00	16 04	4 00
" E. Kinnear, 20 Spadina rd.....	37	1	38	25	87 29	97 24	154 00
" Marshall, 1286 King w.	48	2	50	1 60	3 00
" Gillis, 954 Doverc't rd	28	1	29	20	15 96	15 74	N. V.
" Robinson, 12 Clara..	22	1	23	14	7 53	9 31	17 61
" Craig, 115 St. Patrick	20	..	20	12	75 00	34 00	12 70
" Hart, 61 William st.	30	..	30	11	52 00	50 00	17 00
" Murray, 71 Lowther a	58	2	60	28	28 42	21 50
" Langmuir, cor. Bløor and Huron st.....									
" M. Reid, 87 Pembroke	40	2	42	28	212 79	205 37	57 50
" Keith, 155 Cumberl'd	80	3	83	33	53 56	80 00
" Shortreed, 224 Jarvis	37	1	38	29	120 00	121 00	10 00
" Mitchell, 23 Rose ave	20	..	20	13	24 69	21 25	N. V.
" Hall, 21 Elm Grove a	32	1	33	16	11 53	13 00	39 00
" Trotter, 54 Strange..	51	..	51	20	1 68	15 00	2 00
" Keith, 172 Carleton..	26	1	27	18	37 70	45 36	14 00	1	..
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Toronto, Knox Ch. 'Willing Workers' (j.)	1876	Miss Parsons	Mstr. G. Longbottom
Toronto, Westminster Ch. 'Cheerful Givers' (Y. W.)	1877	" Purse	Miss Johnston
Toronto, Westminster 'Seed Sowers' (j.)	1885	Mrs. Clarke	" S. Collett
Unionville 'Pearl Seekers' (j.)	1894	" Stiver	" A. Hagerman
Laskay (Disbanded)	1893		
Toronto Junction, 'Golden Rule' (Disbanded)	1887		
Mrs. Cook, Union			
Y.P.S.C.E. East Ch.			
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WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1898	Mrs. Scouler, New Westminster.	Mrs. Geo. Campbell, Vancouver.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
St. Columbia, St. Andrew's Church, N. Westminster	1891	Mrs. T. Scouler.	Miss Edith McNab.
Mount Pleasant, Vancouver, St. Andrew's Church	1893	" Johnston	Mrs. A. A. Sterritt.
Vancouver, St. Andrew's Church	1897	" E. D. McLaren.	" N. McLeod...
<i>Mission Band.</i>			
'Daisy,' M. B., St. Andrew's Church, N. Westminster.	1897	Mrs. Alex. Lamb	Miss Maggie Rankin

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Miss M. Lucas, 56 Louisa.	18	1	19	16	88 32	37 15	7 00
“ Adair, 107 Bloor w..	32	6	38	22	113 50	131 00	24 00
“ Naylor, 41 Alexander	44	1	45	20	22 00	28 30	13 00
“ A. Elliot.....	26	..	26	12	3 57	14 54
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Mrs. Alex. Lamb, Box 77, New Westminster, B. C.	2040	718	2758	1474	5842 15	5680 80	1754 89	160	96 88
Mrs. A. Lamb, Box 77, New Westminster..	24	24	22	140 00	130 00	*25 00
“ Geo. Campbell.....	17	..	17	10	23 40	50 00	15 00
“ J. F. Mowat, 1022 Barclay st., Vanc'er	31	..	31	15	52 15	40 00
Miss Bertie Youdall, St. George st., N. W..	12	1	13	25 00
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WHITBY PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1880	Mrs. A. McAuley, Pickering.	Mrs. C. V. Currie, Port Perry.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Ashburn.....	1876		Miss Garduer.....
Blackstock and Cadmus...	1893	Mrs. R. M. Phalen...	" L. J. Hooey...
Bowmanville.....	1878	" R. D. Fraser ...	" Colville.....
Brooklin.....	1881		
Claremont.....	1885	Miss R. Gregg.....	Mrs. M. Henderson.
Columbus.....	1881	" Mary Ormiston..	Miss J. Ormiston..
Dunbarton.....	1878	Mrs. J. Chisholm...	Mrs. J. Annan.....
Enniskillen.....	1893	" Moroney.....	Miss Etta Brown...
Kendall.....	1883		
Newcastle.....	1881	Mrs. G. B. McLeod...	Mrs. W. T. Lockhart
Newsonville.....	1881	Miss E. A. Thompson.	" R. Johnston...
Orono.....	1883	" A. Thompson...	" E. Hall.....
Oshawa.....	1877	Mrs. Hicks.....	Miss Park.....
Pickering.....	1883	" A. McAuley.....	Mrs. J. Sommerville
Port Perry.....	1880	" McMechan.....	Miss Carrie Scenes..
Scarboro, Melville Church.	1884	" H. Westney.....	Mrs. R. Cowan.....
Whitby.....	1876	" D. Galbraith....	Miss Borrowman...
<i>Scattered Helpers.</i>			
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<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
(all juveniles)			
Orono, 'Happy Family'..	1887	Miss Lizzie Waddell..	Miss Clara Pollard..
Oshawa, 'Olive Branch'..	1885	" E. Small.....	" Tina Storie....
Pickering, 'Autumn Leaf'.	1894	" McAuley.....	" Irene Dunbar.
Port Perry, 'God's Blossoms' (Disbanded).....			

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C., Miss Thomson, Whitby	7	..	7	..	\$ c.	\$ c.	\$ c.		\$ c.
R., " Galbraith, Bowmanville.....	15	..	15	6	7 00	5 00
L., " Bassett, Bown'le	20	18	38	15	20 00	25 00	19 35
S., " M'Gillivray, W'by	143 80	186 51	37 75	11	*
Mrs. J. Davidson, Ashburn	13	1	14	5	50 00	31 00	5 75
" Kinsman, Blackstock	14	1	15	9	40 68	46 00	9 75
Miss M 'Conochie, Bown'le	19	..	19	9	37 27	35 80	13 00
Miss J. Young, Claremont	9	..	9	7	17 00	20 00	16 35	3	1 75
" R. Burns, Raglan....	6	..	6	..	1 50	2 00
" A. Thom, Dunbarton	7	7	14	8	58 37	51 00
" L. Mills, Enniskillen	14	1	15	12	20 00	36 25
Mrs. R. C. Cowan, Kendall	16	10	26	9	45 36	54 00	22 50
" M'Naughton, N'castle	30	7	37	12	96 21	79 40	27 50	6	1 82
Miss E. Lockhart, Clarke.	18	3	21	9	64 00	65 50	20 80
Mrs. G. Pollard, Orono....	15	5	20	9	73 00	50 00	13 15
" H. Felt, Oshawa....	22	..	22	10	48 55	60 00	22 45
" W. Dunbar, Pickering	22	7	29	15	100 00	110 00	45 00
" L. Bowman, Pt. Perry
" G. W. Scott, Malvern
Miss McGillivray, Whitby
Mrs. J. Baird, Manchester	4 30	5 80	..	9	5 80
Miss B. Jones, Orono.....	24	..	24	9	12 30	10 60	4 50
" R. White, Oshawa....	20	1	21	19	14 86	9 03	2 50
" K. Cowan, Pickering	22	..	22	15	6 30	4 30
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* Included in Thank-offering.

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WINNIPEG PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY.	1889	Mrs. Watt, Winnipeg.	Mrs. Hart, Winnipeg.
<i>Auxiliaries.</i>			
Clearsprings	1897	Mrs. A. McFarlane ..	Mrs. J. Glover
Morris	1897	" F. W. Fraser....	" R. Lawrie
Plympton, North	1889	Miss Dewar	Miss Jolly
Plympton, South	1889	Mrs. D. Ferguson ..	Mrs. Bray
Rat Portage	1890	" Mackay	" Phillips
Selkirk, West	1889	" Grey	Miss M. McKibbin..
Starbuck	1891	" R. Houston	" Lowry
Stonewall	1890	" A. Matheson....	" L. Anderson ..
Winnipeg, Augustine	1888	" R. G. MacBeth..	Mrs. H. Ross
Winnipeg, Knox	1888	" F. B. Duval	" Bayne
Winnipeg, St. Andrew's... 1888	1888	" Jos. Hogg	" Stirling
Winnipeg, St. Giles'	1891	" John Hogg	" Fulthorpe
Winnipeg, St. Stephen's .. 1894	1894	" Geo. Murray....	" D. M. Duncan.
Winnipeg, Westminster .. 1894	1894	" C. B. Pitblado ..	" T. A. Bell
Sunnyside Scatt'd Helpers. 1889	1889	.....	.....
Coll. in excess of expenses. ....	.....	.....	.....
<i>Mission Bands.</i>			
Moose Mountain, 'Northern Lights' (juv.) 1889	1889	Mrs. F. Dodds.....	Master G. C. Dodds.
Little Britain (juv.)	1897	" Lowry	" Willie Gunn.

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C., Mrs. Wm. McGaw, 765 William ave., Winnipeg.	13	..	13	9	18 14	15 20	..	1	..
A., Miss Helen King, Winnipeg.	18	..	18	9	10 70	16 40
L., Mrs. J. M. Macdonald, 65 Hargrave street, Winnipeg.	7	1	8	6	24 50	25 65	..	1	3 00
Miss Langille, Clearsprings	6	..	6	8	54 00	56 00	..	19	26 30
Mrs. A. Chisholm, Morris.	9	..	9	8	7 00	22 00	..	21	*
Miss M. Jolly, Dugald....	13	..	13	9	13 80	12 00	..	..	..
" B. Hudson, Plympton	19	4	23	11	71 00	50 00	..	5	13 70
Mrs. I. J. Baker, Rat Port'ge	12	27	39	15	80 00	84 00	..	..	..
Miss M. McKibbin, West Selkirk	11	20	31	18	134 00	134 75	..	..	..
" M. Houston, Starbuck	11	20	31	18	125 00	151 08	..	4	3 50
Mrs. J. Walton, Stonewall	6	1	7	5	13 00	18 00	..	..	..
Miss Curle, Henry St., Fort Rouge, Winnipeg ..	20	3	23	17	131 15	121 88	..	4	6 13
Mrs. Parker, 213 Donald st., Winnipeg	9	16	25	13	117 21	154 89	..	11	10 50
" W. T. Peace, 437 Ross st., Winnipeg .....	..	..	..	..	10 90	15 00	..	2	15 00
Miss Hamilton, Burrows ave., Winnipeg ...	..	..	..	..	..	2 79	..	..	..
" Marg. Thompson, 303 Colony st., Winnip'g	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
" W. G. Scott, Cumber- land st., Winnipeg.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miss A. E. Dodds, Moose Mountain, Assa....	1	2	3	..	2 00	25 00
" Mary Young, St. An- drew's North	20	..	20

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Starbuck, 'Busy Bees' (juv.)	1897	Mrs. Orr	Mrs. Orr
Stonewall, 'Willing Workers' (Y.W.)	1895	Miss L. Anderson
Stonewall, 'Cheerful Helpers' (juv.)	1897	" Emma McLean ..	Miss Jennie Sproule.
Winnipeg, Knox (juv.) ..	1896	" Jean Russell	" Lizzie Bathgate
Winnipeg, St. Stephen's (Y.W.)	1896	Mrs. Andison	" Maude Ingo ..
Winnipeg, Westminster, 'Endeavor' (juv.)	1896	Miss Cunningham	Master F. Morrison.

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Miss D. McRae, Starbuck.	25	..	25	18	\$ c.	\$ c.	\$ c.		\$ c.
" J. Montgomery, Stonewall	12	..	12	8	13 00	7 20	N.V.		
" V. Johnson, Stonewall	9	..	9	6	88	"		
" Flora Matthews, 182 Colony st., Winnip'g	10	..	10	9	48 35	38 60	"		
" Mable Kay, 288 Mc- Micken st., Winnipg	14	..	14	16	17 27		
" Maggie Campbell, 124 Lombardst., Winn'g	36	1	37	16	8 00		
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QUEBEC PRESBYTERY.			
Quebec, Chalmers Ch. Aux.	1890	Mrs. D. Tait.....	Miss B. Winfield...
Sherbrooke Aux.....	1892	" McKenzie	Mrs. Shearer.....
MONTREAL PRESBYTERY.			
Orms town Aux.	1877	Mrs. R. T. Walsh....	Miss J. Morrison...
Dundee, Zion Church Aux.	1895	" McDonald	" Dora McPhee.
REGINA PRESBYTERY.			
Moosomin Aux.	1892	Mrs. Anderson	Miss S. Wilde....
Moosejaw, N.W.T.....	1897	" J. C. Cameron ..	Mrs. A. McGregor .
Mistawasis, Sask.	1897	" McKay	" McKenzie
Moosomin Mission Band ..	1893	.....	.....
CALGARY PRESBYTERY.			
Calgary, McKellar Aux. ...	1897	Mrs. H. Neilson	Mrs. de Sousa.....
Lethbridge, Knox Ch. Aux.	1892	" John Henderson	" Robson ...
Lethbridge, 'Alberta' M.B.	1892	" G. H. Johnston.	Miss Ena McKillop
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Mrs. A. Foulds, 567 John street, Quebec.....	37	..	37	15	\$ 109 25	\$ 113 00	*75 00	..	\$ c.
" Davidson, Sherbrooke	20	..	20	..	56 00	32 41
Miss L. Bazin, Ormstown, Que.	197	..	197	..	160 00	190 00	83 00
" N. M. Colquhoun ...	14	1	15	7	87 58	67 15
Mrs. Liveridge, Moosomin	10	..	10	6	5 00	12 50
" A. H. Glenn.....	4	..	22 85
Miss Gillespie	18	..	18	3 54
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Miss Moodie, Calgary	15	..	15	7	..	37 00
Mrs. G. H. Johnston	19	1	20	5	40 90	46 00
Miss Jennie Stafford, Lethbridge, Alta.	38	..	38	..	11 55	30 00
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No change in Constitution or By-laws
this year - see 21st Annual Report.)

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Woman's Foreign Missionary Society

OF THE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA

(WESTERN DIVISION).

CONSTITUTION.

Article 1.—This Society shall be called "THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA (Western Division)," and its central point of operation shall be in the City of Toronto.

Article 2.—Its object shall be to aid the Foreign Mission Committee and Board of Missions by promoting its work among the women and children of heathen lands, and for this purpose it shall receive and disburse all money which shall be contributed to the Society, subject to the action of that Committee or Board, in the appointment of Missionaries supported by the Society and fixing their salaries and locations. For the furtherance of this end, it shall endeavor to organize similar Associations throughout the Church, and these Associations shall bear the name of "Auxiliary Societies to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada," and shall report their work to this Society at such times as the By-laws may direct.

Article 3.—Each woman paying one dollar annually, through an Auxiliary or direct to the Treasury, shall become a member of this Society. The payment of twenty-five dollars by one person, at one time, shall constitute a Life Membership.

Article 4.—The business of the Society shall be conducted by a Board of thirty-six Managers, including the President, four Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretaries and a Treasurer. These Managers shall be elected from the members of the Society annually, by the members who are present at the Annual Meeting. These members shall also have power to elect representative Vice-Presidents. The Board shall have power to elect the officers and to appoint corresponding members when the objects of the Society shall be promoted thereby; they shall also have authority to fill vacancies occurring in their body during the year.

Article 5.—There shall be an Executive Committee composed of the officers and four other Managers to be elected annually. This Committee shall have power to transact such business as may require attention in the