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"WITNESS" PRINTING HOUSE, ST. JAMES STREET.  
1891.

Annual Meeting held February, 16th, 1892.

## OFFICE-BEARERS FOR 1892.

### Members of Session.

Rev. G. WILLIAMS, B.A., *Moderator.*

WM. KERR, *Clerk.* —

ALBERT BRODIE,  
ARCHIBALD CAMERON,  
HUGH CRAIG, —  
JOHN CRUTCHFIELD,  
JAMES CULLEN,

ROBERT GALBRAITH,  
THOMAS LOGAN,  
ROBERT MCFARLANE,  
WILLIAM OGILVIE,  
CHARLES TAIT.

### Trustees.

JAMES T. ELLIOT,  
MATTHEW KNOX,

WILLIAM OGILVIE,  
JOHN TEMPLETON.

### Temporal Committee.

DAVID R. HAY, *Secretary-Treasurer.*

ROBERT ANDERSON,  
JAMES CARRUTHERS,  
JAMES COWAN, JR.,

JOHN CRAIG, —  
JOHN ELLIOT,  
JAMES MCKELL.

### Graveyard Committee.

WM. ANDERSON,  
JAMES CARRUTHERS,

JAMES CULLEN,  
THOMAS KERR. —

WM. ROBERTSON.

### Librarians.

WILLIAM ANDERSON,

ROBERT CRAIG. —

GEORGE BROWN,

### Precentor.

JOHN ARMOUR.

### Doorkeeper. —

ROBERT ROBERTSON, SR.

### Auditors.

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JOHN ARMOUR.

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## REPORT OF SESSION.

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It can scarcely be expected in a congregation such as ours, whose organizations and lines of work are so few and unchanging, that much will appear in a sessional report which is not already known to all. Notwithstanding this fact, it may not be amiss to pass in review the year's life and work, and endeavour, as best we can, to ~~draw~~ sum up its results.

We begin the year as a Session fewer by one than last, Mr. James Templeton having decided to cast in his lot with the Church lying more contiguous to his home. We are still strong in numbers, however, our present staff being twelve. The work of the congregation has gone on steadily during the year, and not without encouraging spiritual results. The pulpit has been regularly supplied; the sacraments have been duly observed; prayer-meetings have been held, though not so frequently as formerly, in different sections of the congregation; Sabbath schools and Bible classes have been in successful operation, and pastoral visitation has been faithfully performed.

The attendance upon the various services, particularly during the summer months, has been larger than in former seasons, doubtless accounted for, in part at least, by the more favourable condition of the roads. We hope for increased regularity and interest in this connection. Were all as appreciative of their privileges as they should be, the seating capacity of our church would be taxed to its utmost every Lord's Day.

The changes which have taken place in the congregation during the year have not materially affected our roll. As will be seen from the



## SABBATH SCHOOL REPORT.

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### TEACHERS.

CHATEAUGUAY SCHOOL.....Rev. G. Whillans, *Superintendent*.  
Mr. Thos. Logan, *Assistant Superintendent*.  
“ Wm. Ogilvie, *Secretary-Treasurer*.  
“ Albert Brodie.  
“ Robert Galbraith.  
“ Charles Tait.  
Mrs. G. Whillans.  
“ John Templeton.  
Miss Bartholomew.  
“ Lavina Stewart.  
“ Mary Elliot.

Mrs. Wm. Ogilvie, Mrs. A. W. Logan, Mrs. Wm. Anderson and Mr. James Cullen also rendered valuable service when required.

FERTILE CREEK SCHOOL....Mr. Wm. Kerr, Jr., *Superintendent*.  
Miss Applinea Elliot.  
“ Johanna Hamilton. ✓  
“ Jessie Kerr. ✓  
“ Rebecca Robertson. ✓

Our work during the past year has been carried on in two places, the Church and the Fertile Creek. The Third Concession School was not in operation. We hope soon to see it resuscitated. We are thankful to be



## ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF TEMPORAL COMMITTEE.

In submitting their report, your Committee wish simply to repeat the request made last year in regard to the payment of subscriptions. We would remind contributors that these are payable half-yearly in advance, viz., June and December. At present bills are constantly falling due, while we have nothing to meet them with. This places us in a position which could be avoided did subscribers but bear in mind the terms of their agreement.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 1891.

NAMES.	Schemes			NAMES.	Schemes		
	Subs'd.	Paid.	Paid.		Subs'd.	Paid.	Paid.
Anderson, John, Sr. ....	\$6 00	\$6 00	\$1 00	Cunningham, Mrs. John....			\$3 00
Anderson, John, Jr. ....	6 00	6 00	2 00	Conley, James. ....			1 00
Anderson, William. ....	6 00	7 00	3 00	Craig, Robert. ....			1 00
Anderson, Robert. ....	6 00	6 00	1 00	Drysdale, Thomas. ....	\$10 00	\$10 00	2 00
Anderson, Miss E. ....			1 00	Elliot, Brown. ....	9 00	9 00	2 00
Armour, John. ....	6 00	6 00	1 00	Elliot, John. ....	4 00	4 00	12 00
Adams, Robert. ....			0 50	Elliot, Mrs. Wm. ....	10 00	10 00	2 00
Balmer, Thomas. ....	1 00	1 00	0 25	Elliot, Mrs. Robert. ....	7 00	7 00	2 00
Barrington, David. ....	2 00	2 00	0 50	Elliot, Robert. ....	5 00	5 00	1 00
Barrington, John. ....	2 00	2 00		Elliot, Andrew. ....	6 50	6 50	8 00
Barrington, Thomas. ....	2 00	1 00	0 25	Fiskin, William. ....	6 00	7 00	0 50
Baxter, David. ....				Fiskin, Mrs. D. ....			1 00
Begg, John. ....	4 00	4 00		Friend. ....			0 50
Brosie, Albert. ....	12 00	12 00	10 00	Forrester, Thomas. ....			1 00
Brown, A. Craig. ....	8 00	8 00	1 00	Galbraith, Alexander. ....	12 00	12 00	4 00
Brown, Alexander. ....	6 00	6 25	1 00	Galbraith, Robert. ....	10 00	10 00	5 00
Brown, Andrew, Sr. ....	3 00	3 00	1 00	Gardner, Mrs. A. ....			1 50
Brown, David. ....			6 00	Gilbert, Robert. ....	4 00	4 00	1 00
Brown, William. ....	4 50	5 00	1 25	Glen, Andrew, D. ....	4 00	4 00	1 00
Brown, Andrew, J. ....			0 25	Glen, William & D. ....	8 00	8 00	4 00
Bryson, Alexander. ....	3 00			Gordon, John, Sr. ....	6 00	6 00	1 50
Bryson, Mrs. ....			0 25	Gordon, John, Jr. ....	3 00	3 00	1 00
Cameron, Arch., Sr. ....	8 00	8 00	5 00	Grant, William. ....	4 00	4 00	
Cameron, Arch., Jr. ....			2 00	Greig, John. ....	8 00	10 00	1 00
Cameron, Miss. ....		1 00	0 25	Greig, Mrs. Robert. ....	7 00	7 00	1 00
Campbell, Arch. ....	8 00			Greig, Thomas. ....	11 00	11 00	2 50
Carruthers, James. ....	10 00	10 00	4 00	Hadley, James. ....	3 00	3 00	0 50
Cowan, James, Sr. ....	10 00	10 00	4 00	Hadley, Mrs. R. ....	5 00	5 00	1 25
Cowan, James, Jr. ....	8 00	8 00	2 00	Hamilton, Richard. ....	4 00	4 00	1 50
Cowan, Miss. ....	3 00	3 00	1 50	Hamilton, William. ....	3 00	3 00	0 50
Craig, Hugh. ....	7 00	7 00	1 50	Henderson, Andrew. ....	6 00	6 00	1 00
Craig, John. ....	7 00	8 00	2 00	Henderson, Robert. ....	7 00	7 00	
Craig, Robert. ....	10 00	10 00	2 00	Hastie, William. ....	6 00	6 00	1 00
Craik, Thomas. ....	6 00		0 25	Howe, John. ....	4 00	4 00	
Crawford, David. ....	4 00		1 00	Holmes, John. ....	5 00	5 00	1 00
Crutchfield, John. ....	7 00	7 00	2 00	Hunter, John. ....			5 00
Cullen, James. ....	10 00	10 00	4 00	Hay, William. ....	5 00	5 00	1 00
Cunningham, Jno. and Jas. ....	10 00	10 00	1 00	Hay, D. R. ....	5 00	5 00	
Currie, James. ....	4 00	4 00		Ingalis, B. ....			1 00
Currie, John, Y. ....	5 00	5 00	0 25	Kerr, James W. ....	4 00	4 00	0 50
Currie, Mrs. William. ....	4 00			Kerr, Thomas. ....	8 00	8 00	1 00

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## CONGREGATIONAL PURPOSES.

INCOME.		EXPENDITURE.	
Sunday Collections.....	\$ 179 28	Salary Rev. Mr. Williams.....	\$ 900 00
Subscriptions collected.....	\$17 25	" of Precenior.....	85 00
Arrears of 1890.....	58 75	" Doorkeeper.....	70 00
Glebe rent from Wm. Wylie.....	100 00	Travelling expenses.....	7 00
" " Geo. Smith.....	8 00	Printing report year 1890.....	10 00
" " D. Main.....	25 00	Presbytery expense fund.....	10 00
Cash to balance (deficit).....	34 27	Thos. Logan's account for repairs.....	12 00
		Interest on borrowed money.....	10 50
		Sunday School on borrowed money.....	25 00
		Store wood for Church.....	18 50
		Sundries.....	4 92
		Fencing and bridge repairs.....	40 63
		Lumbermen's mission.....	28 00
		Stationery and postage.....	1 00
	<u>\$1222 55</u>		<u>\$1222 55</u>
<b>ASSETS.</b>		<b>LIABILITIES.</b>	
Old arrears.....	\$33 50	Sunday School money borrowed.....	\$ 75 00
Arrears 1891.....	\$62 25	Wm. Ogilvie, ".....	100 00
		Due Secretary-Treasurer.....	34 27
	<u>\$95 75</u>		<u>\$209 27</u>

## CONTRIBUTED TO BENEVOLENT AND RELIGIOUS OBJECTS.

SCHEMES.		OTHER OBJECTS.	
Home Missions.....	\$ 28 00	Lumberman's Mission.....	\$ 28 00
French Evangelization.....	50 00	Bible Society.....	49 50
Foreign Mission.....	28 00	Woman's Missionary Society.....	116 60
Montreal College.....	50 00	Sabbath School Contributions to Pupils	
Augmentation Fund.....	50 00	at Point-aux-Trembles.....	50 00
Widows and Orphans' Fund.....	14 00	College Endowment.....	38 25
Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund.....	14 00	Rev. Mr. Mousseau.....	90 00
Assembly Fund.....	6 35		
	<u>\$240 35</u>		<u>\$372 35</u>

## RECAPITULATION.

Total contributions by church and school for congregational purposes.....	\$1074 05
" " for other religious and benevolent objects.....	612 70
" " for all purposes.....	1636 75
" receipts from all sources.....	1819 75

This is to certify that we, the undersigned, have this day examined the books of the Georgetown Church Temporal Committee, kept by and in the hands of R. Robertson, jr., and compared the same with vouchers, and find them correct.

D. R. HAY,  
R. ROBERTSON, SR. } Auditors.

Dated 15th February, 1892.

**In Memoriam.**

ANN BROWN,  
March, 18th.

ISABELLA CAMERON,  
July 5th.

MARY ANN CURRIE,  
June 10th,

SARAH MUIR ELLIOTT,  
July 15th.

ELIZA JANE GRANT,  
March 4th.

MARGARET MAIR,  
March 19th.

Wm. P. McARTHUR,  
Dec. 19th.

JOHN WATT,  
March 15th.

**"He giveth His Beloved Sleep."**