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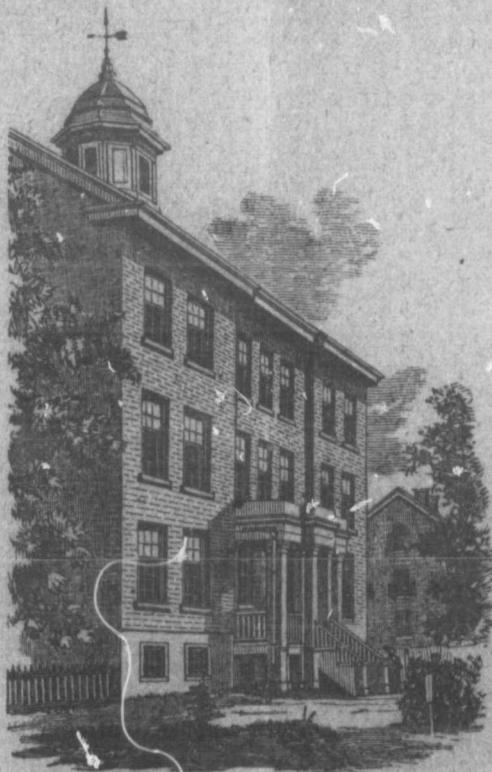
OF THE

French Canadian Missionary Society,

PRESENTED AT THE

ANNUAL MEETING,

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FRENCH CANADIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the FRENCH CANADIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY was held on the 23d January, 1873, in the Wesleyan Church, St. James Street, Montreal; the Rev. W. Taylor, D. D., President, in the Chair. After devotional exercises, conducted by the Rev. G. H. Wells, an abstract of the Annual Report was read by Lt.-Col. Haultain, Secretary, after which the following resolutions were adopted:

Moved by Rev. Dr. WILKES, seconded by Rev. J. CAMPBELL, of Toronto, and supported in French by Rév. T. LAFLEUR,—

1. *Resolved*, That the report, an abstract of which has now been read, be adopted, printed and circulated, and that the following be the office-bearers and members of the Committee during the ensuing year, with power to add to their number.

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“ R. M. Thornton,	“ A. Ferguson,	“ Albert B. Savage,
Mr. R. Anderson,	“ P. D. Browne,	“ J. S. McLaehlan.
“ John Watson,	“ James Dougall,	

Moved by Rev. GAVIN LANG, seconded by Rev. CHAS. A. TANNER, (Principal at Pointe-aux-Trembles),—

2. *Resolved*, In view of the late ter-centenary of important events connected with the early history of the Reformation, as well as the late intolerant and arrogant claims publicly put forth by men of high authority in the Church of Rome in this Province, this meeting deems it fitting to express its gratitude to Almighty God for the deliverance of the British nation from the errors and oppressions of that Church, avows its unalterable attachment to the great principles of the Reformation, and pledges itself to an unabated support of the operations of this Society.

Moved by Rev. S. J. HUNTER, seconded by Rev. J. T. PITCHER,—

3. *Resolved*, That whilst fidelity to the Gospel of the Lord Jesus requires the Reformed Churches to express their strong conviction that the Church of Rome has widely departed from the teaching of Jesus Christ and His apostles, and that its system is hostile to the best interests of men, yet this meeting would reiterate its earnest desire that every effort put forth for the circulation of God's truth amongst our Roman Catholic countrymen, should be made in the spirit of Christian kindness and forbearance, and in entire dependence upon the accompanying blessing of the Holy Spirit.

The pupils from Point-aux-Trembles sung several hymns during the evening. After the Doxology, the Rev. J. Potts pronounced the Benediction.

 Missionaries and Teachers.

Rev. J. A. Vernon,	Mr. I. Matthieu,
“ G. M. DesIslets,	“ F. L. VanBueren,
“ R. P. Duclos,	“ J. B. Muraire,
“ T. G. A. Côté,	“ J. Gatignol,
Mr. J. Vessot,	“ A. Boy,
“ D. Amaron,	“ H. Garayt,
“ E. Richard,	“ P. S. Vernier,
“ L. Marie,	“ D. Guieu.
“ A. Solandt,	

Pointe-aux-Trembles : Principal—Rev. Chas. A. Tanner,
 Assistant—Mr. J. Bourgoin,
 Directress of Girls' School—Miss S. Cairns,
 Assistant—Mademoiselle Léa Rondeau.

Quebec : Madame Muraire.

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Another year's labor in connection with French Canadian Evangelization has passed away, carrying with it its full share of encouragement and difficulties, which seem ever to be associated with the prosecution of God's work in this sin-stricken world. The many public renunciations of the Church of Rome throughout the Province; the growth of French Protestantism in localities where, until lately, unbroken Romanism prevailed; a larger average in the sale and circulation of the Scriptures; and, what with God's blessing may be a token of larger success in the future, an extending spirit of inquiry on the part of the people; each and all denote extraordinary changes when comparing the present with the state of this Province at the formation of the Society thirty-four years ago.

The spirit of the age has set in so strongly against the ecclesiastical feudalism that has for so long a time prevailed here, that changes in the social and national characteristics of the people must sooner or later be brought about. To preserve them from the too prevalent infidelity of old France, and to lead them to the knowledge and acceptance of the Gospel of God's grace, is the first and ardent desire of every true friend of this Society. Were the adherents of Evangelical religion disposed to let them alone, as some would recommend, there would be nothing to counterbalance other and evil influences that are constantly extending. It may be long, or it may be a short time, before these expected changes will be effected; but, whatever be either the immediate or the distant future, the Christian's duty calls upon him to act *to-day*. Souls are perishing for lack of knowledge; men and women are denied their heaven-born birth-right, and they know it not; and the "children of the light" are unmistakably called upon to be "good stewards of the manifold grace of God."

The growing intelligence and independence of the French Canadian population opens the door for the profitable employment of additional laborers amongst them. The increased number of small churches and scattered converts, unable to contribute much towards meeting the spiritual and educational disadvantages so many of them labor under, also necessitates an increase in the missionary staff. Some of these should be men of higher educational attainments than are needed for the not less important position

of Evangelist-Colporteur. Not only is a greater number of laborers required, but the rapid rise in the cost of living, and the demand for labor on this continent, have caused an increase in the general expenditure. The Committee feels that a heavy responsibility is involved in the management of the Mission at the present juncture, and by a frank statement of the circumstances of the position, it would throw a share of it upon the general body of the Society's supporters; if, from whatever cause, the funds placed at its disposal cannot be augmented, work must be relinquished that might otherwise have been undertaken.

In making these remarks, the Committee is far from wishing it to be understood that there has been any falling off in the support the Society has hitherto received. Quite the opposite, for with the exception of the year 1870, when a considerable legacy and special collection swelled the amount, the income for the past year has been the largest ever received by the Society, and had it not been for the debts of former years, there would now have been a balance in its favor. Many friends have abounded in their liberality, and to the Giver of all good, and the Mover of all hearts, the Committee would devoutly offer its grateful thanks.

THE JOURNAL.

The Committee has at various times issued occasional papers for the purpose of keeping its supporters and others informed of the work and progress of the Mission. During the past year this design was again put into execution by the issue of two numbers of the *Journal*, which it is intended shall appear tri-annually, the Annual Report forming the February issue. Nearly twenty thousand copies of these journals have been circulated, with the hope that the expense thus entailed will be more than repaid by the additional interest excited in the operations of the Society, and an extended support given to it.

The Protestant mind is likely to be lulled into a false security by the crafty protestations of liberality and freedom, very frequently made by the advocates of the Romish Church in free and constitutionally governed countries. Far greater efforts ought to be made to keep the public mind informed as to the designs and character of this powerful organization. The Committee would earnestly ask the friends of the Society residing in the different centres and localities to interest themselves in the circulation of the *Journal*. Hundreds of thousands who might be thus interested in the work, are at the present time doing and caring nothing for the removal of one of the greatest evils with which their country is afflicted. Many persons have expressed the pleasure with which they have perused the

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Journal, and in some instances offers of assistance in its circulation have been made. One correspondent writes :

"I received a *Journal* of the French Canadian Missionary Society. I found it very interesting, and I think it would do a great deal of good in this locality. We have twelve school sections where we can distribute them. Whatever number you choose to send me, I will try and distribute, even if it is one hundred."

It will help to inform the public mind of the true condition of this priest-ridden Province of the Confederation, and is calculated to awaken greater sympathy towards those who, in witnessing for the truth, and laboring for its dissemination, are exposed to the most formidable opposition, and sometimes to serious persecution.

EVANGELIZATION.

The vigorous prosecution of this department of the work demands increasing attention and enlarged help. The difficult circumstances in which converts and Protestants are placed in the Romish parishes demand much of our sympathy and aid.

As it was in the first days of Christianity, so has it been amongst the French Canadians, "not many mighty, noble, or wise are called," but very generally conversions have been made only amongst the comparatively feeble in means and position. Had it been otherwise, had the higher and wealthier classes been won to the Gospel, however great the increase might have been to their numbers, they would themselves have been able to meet the increasing expense entailed in providing for Christian instruction and pastoral care. Had the converts been confined to a limited extent of country, or had they been able to concentrate their number and thus economize their means, then the expenses incurred for their spiritual oversight and for the education of their children would have been small compared with that which is now imperatively called for. Even if not subjected to priestly denunciation and persecution, yet the discomforts and disadvantages to which the families of converts are subjected in their isolation, would naturally lead them to desire more congenial homes, and thus the most able and energetic are too often lost to the mission and to the cause of French Canadian evangelization. These are some of the formidable difficulties peculiar to the work in Lower Canada. They have only to be met with patience, forbearance, and liberality, as regards our brethren so disadvantageously situated; and with faith and prayer as regards Him who knows no difficulties, and who can even bring good out of circumstances apparently so adverse.

The following detailed statement of the districts, stations, families and individuals connected with the Mission will be the best illustration of the foregoing remarks:—

Names of Districts.	Names of Stations.	Number of families, having one or more, connected with each station.	Total of persons connected with the Mission Stations.	Names of Missionaries.
Ste. Cecile.....	Ste. Cecile.....	15	64	A. Boy.
Ottawa.....	Ottawa.....	18	36	P. S. Vernier.
	Chaudières.....			
	Hull.....			
	Blanche.....	15	69	
	Templeton.....			
	Angers.....			
	Thurso.....			
Cumberland.....	4	12		
Plantagenet.....	3	9		
Aylmer.....	3	7		
Grenville.....	Grenville.....	18	97	I. Matthieu.
	Arundel.....	6	47	
	Harrington.....	5	33	
	Grand Lac.....			
Belle-Rivière..	Belle Rivière.....	10	52	E. Richard.
	Grand Bois.....	5	19	
	Ste Thérèse.....	1	9	
	St Eustache.....	2	10	
	Le Gore.....	3	15	
	St André.....	4	13	
Ste. Anne.....	Rivière Rouge.....	1	3	Rev. J. A. Vernon. F. L. Van Bueren H. Garayt. Rev. Chas. A. Tanner.
	Paisley.....	1	4	
	Ste. Sophie.....	1	6	
	St. Jerome.....	1	2	
	St. Anne.....	2	12	
Abercromby.....	Abercromby.....	1	1	J. Vessot & D. Amaron.
	Montreal.....	56	156	
St. Laurent.....	St. Laurent.....	1	1	Rev. R. P. Duclos.
	Pointe-aux-Trembles..	5	15	
Joliette.....	Joliette.....	8	48	J. Gatignol.
	Ste Elisabeth.....	3	10	
	Berthier.....	1	9	
	De Ramsay.....	4	20	
	Kildare.....	1	12	
	Chertsey.....	1	5	
	St. Lin.....	4	21	
Repentigny.....	1	7		
St. Hyacinthe..	St. Hyacinthe.....	20	48	A. Solandt.
	Rivière Noire.....	4	4	
Acton.....	Upton.....	2	10	J. B. Muraire. D. Guén.
	St. Théodore.....	6	20	
	Acton.....	5	12	
Inverness.....	Inverness.....	5	35	Rev. T. G. A. Côté.
	Lyster.....	1	3	
	Wolf's Town.....	1	5	
	St. Sophie.....	1	7	
	St. Paul.....	2	2	
Quebec.....	Quebec.....	17	34	Rev. T. G. A. Côté.
	Levis.....			
	St. Foy.....			
	Canardière.....			
Saguenay.....	Chicoutimi.....	11	56	Rev. T. G. A. Côté.
	Grand Bay.....	6	25	
	Grand Brulé.....	10	41	
	Portage des Roches...			
	Pointe Blue Poste...			
Lac St. Jean.....				
Ontario.....	Bayfield.....	36		
	Mill Point.....	2		
New York.....	Ogdensburg.....	11		

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Ste. Cecile, the first-named place on the above list, is thirty-three miles northwest of the city of Ottawa; whilst the last named, Lake St. John, is one hundred and fifty miles from the mouth of the River Saguenay. It will thus be seen that in addition to the distinct work of Colportage and Education, the Committee has to provide for the spiritual wants of twelve hundred persons belonging to about three hundred families, and scattered over a tract of country six hundred miles in extent.

The churches into which these have been gathered are in connection with the *Synod des Eglises Evangeliques*, the support of whose pastors the Society resolutely continues to meet. In thus aiding and countenancing the Synod, formed through its recommendation to undertake the work of the churches, the Committee believe it is acting in accordance with the undenominational character of the Society, and the best interests of the church of Christ. There are strong reasons why French Canadian Evangelization should take, ecclesiastically, this national and independent form. The future alone can determine whether this is destined to take root amongst the French Canadians. They form a compact and separate community of nearly a million souls, intensely attached to their nationality and their language. A gospel and a church coming to them, associated with, rather than in opposition to, these deeply rooted sentiments, and freed from the difficulties presented by the outward divisions of British Christians, would certainly possess some advantage over denominational effort. Nothing more formidable to the Church of Rome in this Province could well be conceived than the existence of an active and earnest Protestant church essentially French Canadian. Of this the priests have given good evidence, by their persistent efforts to stigmatize the work as "Swiss" rather than French, and to persuade the people that, under the pretence of seeking their spiritual welfare, the object of the promoters of this Society has been to destroy their nationality and their religion.

The Committee's earnest prayer is that the great Head of the church will give wisdom to the friends of French Canadian Evangelization, and make the way unmistakably plain for their guidance.

EDUCATION.

SESSION OF 1871-72.

A full report of the above Institutions during the session of 1871-72 appeared in the *July Journal*, which has been sent to every contributor, so that but a brief summary will be required in this place.

One hundred and four pupils passed through the schools during that session, of whom fifty-seven were male and forty-seven female. Of this number, forty-nine were children of Roman Catholic parents, forty-five of converts, and ten of Protestants.

The private examination of the schools, on the 24th April, as reported by the educational sub-committee, afforded the opportunity of judging of the result of the session. It was eminently satisfactory, and reflected great credit upon both the teachers and the pupils. In judging of these results, there are two things to be kept in mind, viz., the ignorance of most of the pupils upon first coming to school, and the shortness of the time they remain at it. Three sessions of seven months each are more than the average allotted to each pupil, and during this time they have to perform much manual labor in connection with household duties, which in the case of the female pupils curtails the hours of study; and it is certainly deserving of consideration whether some arrangements should not be made to relieve the advanced pupils of such work as would interfere with their regular attendance at class hours.

The sub-committee believes that much progress has been made during the session in the real education of the scholars. To awaken thought and conscience whilst directing both, is ever aimed at as the key-stone of the system sought to be established. The elder scholars have shown the thoroughness of the instruction given, by the intelligence and interest manifested by them during their examination, which was specially noticeable in Arithmetic, Geography, and Natural Philosophy. It is a marked sign of the times, that the French Canadians evince a great desire to learn and speak the English language.

During the session a decided improvement had been apparent in the general tone and bearing of the pupils, giving full proof of the influence exerted over them by those in charge. Above all, it is cause for thankfulness and encouragement that God had been graciously pleased to bless the means employed to no less than ten of the elder pupils, who publicly professed their faith in Jesus Christ, and were admitted to the fellowship of the church. It pleased God to take to himself one of the eldest and most promising female pupils—Mathilde Mayotte. She was attacked with typhoid fever and sank rapidly under it. She fell asleep in Jesus on the 4th of March, without a doubt or fear to cloud her firm and intelligent faith in the sufficiency of His finished work.

The boys' school was under the management of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. DesIslets, Mr. Bourgoin, and Mr. Garayt; the girls' school under that of Miss Wythe and Miss Merrick.

The education sub-committee, composed of members both of the ladies' and gentlemen's committees, closed its report of the session with an expression of its high sense of the admirable manner in which the establishments had been conducted, and conveyed to the above-named its cordial congratulations at the result of their winter's work.

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CHANGES IN TEACHERS.

The Committee has to report the resignation of three out of the four teachers at Pointe-aux-Trembles, viz. : of the Rev. G. M. DesIslets, Miss Wythe, and Miss Merrick. In each case impaired health led them to hesitate undertaking the duties of another session. With much reluctance and with much love for the work this step was taken. Mr. DesIslets had never fully recovered from the severe illness with which he was attacked during the session of 1870-'71. He had labored early and late to advance the interests of the schools, and a somewhat delicate constitution succumbed under the trial. The following resolution passed by the general committee will suffice to show the value it placed upon the services both of Mr. and Mrs. DesIslets :

That the resignation by the Rev. G. M. DesIslets of the position of Principal of the Pointe aux Trembles Institute be accepted; that the committee express its great regret at losing the services of Mr. and Mrs. DesIslets; that it record its high sense of their untiring and self-denying efforts to promote the interests of those committed to their care; that it tender its sincere sympathy with them in Mr. DesIslets' continued illness, with the expression of the hope that complete rest for a time may restore him to his wonted health; and that the sum of two hundred dollars be remitted to Mr. DesIslets during the ensuing year.

The Committee can only hope that a period of perfect rest may be permitted to restore him for further usefulness amongst his fellow-countrymen.

The session of 1871-72 was more than ordinarily trying, from the prevalence of small-pox and other sickness in the neighborhood of the schools. The increased care and anxiety told perceptibly upon the health of both Miss Wythe and Miss Merrick, so much so, that they considered it their duty not to attempt another session.

The following resolution passed at a meeting of the general committee of the Ladies' Association, well indicates the esteem and affection in which they were held :

That this committee, upon resuming its monthly meetings, take the opportunity of expressing its great regret that owing to failing health Miss Wythe had been obliged to resign her direction of the girls' school at Pointe aux Trembles, and its high sense of the Christian zeal and intelligence with which she discharged her arduous duties in that position. That the committee also express its full approbation of Miss Merrick's assistance and co-operation in promoting the interests of the school.

The resignation of so many experienced teachers at one time gave cause for much anxiety and extra labor. With much thankfulness to the God of providence, the Committee can report that others have been raised up, and have accepted the offers made to them. The Rev. Chas. A. Tanner has succeeded Mr. DesIslets, and Miss Sarah Cairns and Miss Léa Rondeau have taken the places respectively of Miss Wythe and Miss Merrick.

There is much both in Mr. Tanner's experience and character that well qualifies him for the position of Principal at Pointe aux Trembles. His father, the Rev. E. Tanner, was long connected with the Society, and was the first principal at that establishment. Mr. Chs. A. Tanner passed his early years there, and, after gaining a varied experience in business and

teaching, he finished his education at the colleges of the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland. He was ordained a minister of that Church, and for some years was settled as pastor of an English-speaking congregation at Sherbrooke.

The vacancy caused by Mr. DesIslets was with all cordiality offered to Mr. Tanner. After mature consideration, the latter could only look upon the offer made to him as from God, and frankly accepted it, leaving the terms to be decided by the Committee.

For the position of Directress of the girls' school, the Committee has reason to express its satisfaction in securing the services of Miss Sarah Cairns. Having obtained the Academy Diploma of the McGill Normal School, she has for some years occupied a foremost place as an educator under the Protestant Board of School Commissioners, Montreal. It was with the most marked expression of their esteem, and recognition of her special qualifications as a teacher, that the Commissioners parted with her. She has chosen a new sphere of labor, because of the missionary character attaching to it.

The Committee offered the position of assistant teacher to Mdlle. Léa Rondeau, daughter of Mr. Norbert Rondeau, of Ste. Elizabeth, and a former pupil of Pointe aux Trembles. She has cheerfully resigned the comforts of a happy home, to take her part in the regeneration of her country-women.

Amidst all these unavoidable changes, it is satisfactory to mention that the schools still retain the valuable services of Mr. Bourgoïn, who with his accustomed Christian assiduity is contributing to the well-working of the establishment.

SESSION OF 1872-73.

It is with much regret that the committee has been compelled to lessen the number of pupils during the present session. A continued debt had to be removed, and most necessary alterations made in the heating and conveniences of the buildings of the establishment. A rapid increase in the price of living has taken place, and without a considerable increase in the income of the society, there must be some curtailment of its operations. Out of one hundred and sixty applications, only sixty-three have been received, and of these, eight were supported by the special effort of the ladies of Montreal.

REPORT OF REV. CHS. A. TANNER.

The Pointe aux Trembles Institute was re-opened on the 15th day of October last. The subjects taught in our school are those usually adopted in our elementary schools, and we have several of our pupils who, I hope, will be prepared in the spring to pass the examination required for an elementary school diploma. But we endeavour to make the main object of our teaching the bringing of our pupils under the influence of a Protestant and Christian training, and to this end an hour daily is devoted to the study of God's word.

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During the summer vacation extensive alterations have been made in the building of the girls' school; an entire reconstruction has also been made in the out-buildings belonging to the boys' school. These improvements very much facilitate our work, and are worth much more to the institution than they possibly can have cost.

Owing to the limited means at the disposal of the Society, the number of pupils in the boys' school has been limited to thirty. On this account we have been obliged to refuse some fifty applications. Thirteen of our boys (nearly half the whole number) are Roman Catholics. The greater part of our pupils are very intelligent and studious; many of them are religiously disposed. They hold a weekly prayer-meeting among themselves, in which many of them take a deep interest. During the week of prayer we held a public prayer-meeting every evening, and were rejoiced at seeing many of our young men taking part in them.

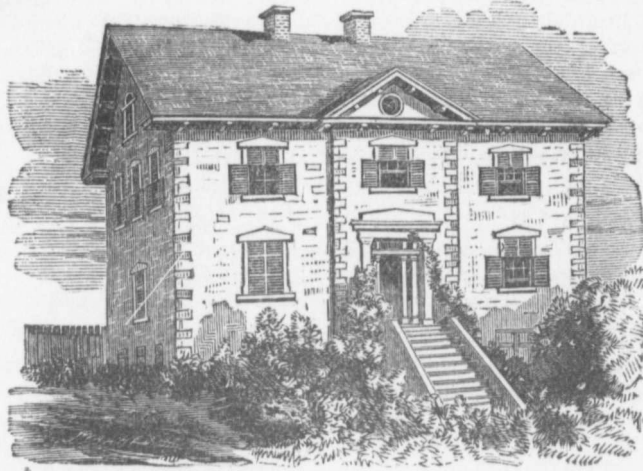
The teachers of both schools meet together weekly to discuss matters of interest connected with our work and to ask God's blessing on our labours.

Of the many means employed for the Evangelization of the French inhabitants of the Province of Quebec, none are so effective, none have been more blessed than the mission schools; it is therefore much to be regretted that the Society, instead of increasing, has been obliged to limit the number of its pupils.

The spending of a winter at Pointe aux Trembles has been the turning point in many a young man's life, and ex-pupils of the institute are to be found all over Canada and the United States in spheres of usefulness, which, as far as man can see, they never would have occupied had not God in His good providence led them to this mission school. Who can tell the blessed results that may follow from a young man's being brought under the influence of the saving and sanctifying power of the Gospel? Not only is he likely to receive good himself, but to become in the hands of God instrumental in turning many from the darkness and error of the Church of Rome to the clear light of the Gospel. Even the most hopeless case may become a subject of rejoicing and thankfulness. A young man who, years ago, was expelled from the Pointe aux Trembles Institute, went on for years in his evil ways until, being suddenly laid low by sickness, he became alarmed about the future welfare of his soul; he then remembered the truths of God's word which he had heard at Pointe aux Trembles, and, though he had remained outwardly a Roman Catholic, he sent not for the priest, but called on the name of the Lord Jesus, and received that change of heart and earnest of the Spirit which enabled him to change the tenor of his ways, and to rejoice in the hope set before us in the Gospel. When the seed of God's word is sown faithfully and prayerfully, who can dare say that it is sown in vain? And nowhere can this seed be thus sown to better advantage than in the hearts of the young.

* On account of the small number of pupils which we have this year, the staff of our teachers is smaller than it has usually been. It consists of the Principal, Mr. Jules Bourgoin, Miss Sarah Cairns, and Miss Léa Rondeau. Mr. Bourgoin, besides his ordinary duties in the school, has made himself very useful in undertaking the superintendence of the Sabbath school and the conducting of the Sabbath evening service; which duties he discharges in a most acceptable manner. Miss Cairns, the directress of the girls' school, is a competent and experienced teacher. She is ably seconded by Miss Léa Rondeau, the daughter of one of the first families brought to the light of the Gospel through the instrumentality of this Society. With this efficient staff our school is going on prosperously. Mrs. Tanner, in the household arrangement of the boys' school, has received much aid from Miss Aurelie Morin and Miss Eliza Touchette, who were both formerly pupils of the girls' school. Miss Morin amongst other duties takes charge of the wearing apparel of the boys, which is no small matter in a school such as ours. Miss Touchette takes charge of the kitchen, being assisted in part of the work by some of the boys. We can receive, had we the means, three times the number of pupils that we have at present. To us who are engaged in this work it is matter for surprise

that so few comparatively of our Christian brethren avail themselves of this means of usefulness. Let us pray that God may put it into the hearts of those of his people, to whom He has intrusted much of the good things of this world, to avail themselves of the privilege set before them, in order that at the opening of our school next session our Committee may feel itself able to take in as many pupils as the establishment can conveniently hold.



GIRLS' SCHOOL.

MISS CAIRNS' REPORT.

We entered upon our duties on the 15th of October, not without much fear and trembling, as we thought of the great responsibilities and of the numerous duties which we knew must be inevitably connected with such a charge. We have found the former even greater than we anticipated; but, when they weighed heaviest, then have we felt most strongly the truth of the Psalmist's assertion, "God is our refuge and our strength; a very present help in time of trouble."

After commencing our work, the classes were greatly hindered on account of the pupils not coming promptly at the beginning of the session. At the present time we number thirty-one pupils, twenty-eight of whom are French Canadians and three of British origin; seven of them are children of Roman Catholics, twenty-one of converts, and three of Protestant parents. The ages of the pupils range from twelve to twenty-five, the majority of them being about fifteen years old. They are children of moderate abilities; few, if any of them, have enjoyed the advantage of an early educational training. Many of them feel this lack and are most eager to improve their present privileges, and we have found them, as a whole, very docile and easily managed. The hours of the day are divided between Study, Recitation, Work, and Recreation.

The older pupils have six and a half hours Recitation and Instruction each day, and the younger ones five and a half. From 1½ to 2½ hours are allotted to regular preparation for their classes, and two hours and a half employed each day in doing the work of the house, which is all done by the pupils with the help of one servant. We have no classes on Saturday, the day being devoted to cleaning the house, and time given to the pupils to repair and arrange their clothing. One day and a half each fortnight is taken up with the washing and ironing, which is done by the larger girls.

We might say here that our work has been greatly facilitated, and we have experienced a very great degree of comfort from the alterations that were made in the house

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during the summer months. I have found Miss Rondeau's assistance invaluable. By her kind and persevering firmness she has greatly aided me in establishing the degree of order that we have attained. Some of the elder pupils also have done much to aid us by their thoughtfulness in looking after the *little* things, which, after all, add much either to the comfort or annoyance of life.

We have been greatly pleased at the willingness, even eagerness of the Roman Catholics among us to listen to the Gospel truths, and even to those which are in direct opposition to the teachings of their Church. We have some among us who have come expressly for the purpose of hearing our side of the question, in order that they may compare the two and test them by the word of God. May the Holy Spirit guide them into all truth. To these inquiring ones we have always said, that it is not enough to renounce the errors of Rome and receive our creed intellectually, but there must be a living faith in Jesus Christ as our personal Saviour. We have not yet had the joy of hearing from our pupils that solemn question, "What must I do to be saved?" But our prayers are before Him, and we know that His promises are sure, and He has said, "Ask and ye *shall* receive." One thing that has gladdened our hearts is the evidence we have that those who are already Christians are making progress in their way Zionward. And may He that is able to keep us from falling, and to do for us exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, may He increase our faith and give us strength to do His work according to His will. Amen!

ADVANCED PUPILS FOR THE NORMAL SCHOOL.

At the last session two very promising pupils, amongst several who wished to devote themselves to teaching, were selected for the special training at the McGill Normal School, viz., Rosanna Cousineau and Georgina Lemoine. The Committee regrets that in both cases circumstances have prevented these young women from carrying out this intention. The former has been ordered by medical advice to abstain from all mental application for the present. The latter has left for the United States with the whole of the rest of her family.

Temporary assistance is being granted to Mr. Zadoque Lefevre, a former pupil, who is pursuing with much zeal and success his second session at the Normal School.

MISSION SCHOOLS.

Important schools in connection with the Society are in full operation at Ste. Cecile, Grenville, and Quebec. Help has been extended during the past year to those at Chicoutimi and Belle Rivière; schools at St. Hyacinthe and Rivière du Loup en bas, both very important centres, are independent of the Society. At Joliette, Templeton, Arundel, and other places, were the funds forthcoming, schools might be opened with great advantage to those localities. It is hoped that arrangements may be made to open schools in these and other places for a part of the year, at a cost that the Society and the residents may combine to meet. On all sides, the Committee feels its need of means efficiently to meet the increasing demands that are being made upon its resources.

COLPORTAGE.

In the October number of the Society's "Journal," extended extracts from the missionaries' journals were given, necessitating therefore but a brief reference to them in this issue. It is felt, however, not to be out of place repeatedly to remind the friends of the mission, how many are the difficulties and strenuous the opposition to be met with in the circulation of God's word amongst the French Canadians. All the elements, social, ecclesiastical and physical, are against it, but, as has been before expressed, the progress of education, the circulation of money, the growing independence of priestly control, and the improved means of locomotion, must afford greater facilities in the future than have existed in the past.

Lower Canada, in some respects, may be regarded as physically the most difficult country in the civilized world for the operations of the colporteur. During the summer season, which is short, every available person in the country districts is busily employed, early and late, in carrying on farming operations, so that many are from their homes when visited by the Missionary. On the other hand, the extreme severity of the winter, and the almost impassable nature of the roads in the fall and spring, cause much loss of time, as well as great exposure, and render it impracticable to reach at those seasons the more distant parishes. Every effort is made to arrange the work and the laborers to the best advantage, and it is due to the latter to acknowledge the readiness with which they acquiesce in the wishes of the Committee, the members of which are glad to avail themselves of the experience of their brethren in the field in carrying out this most important work. As during the summer months, very many of the pupils are required to assist their parents, or to work for their own maintenance, most of the mission schools are closed early in May. The Missionaries engaged in teaching during the winter are, after a reasonable vacation, available for Colportage or Evangelization, according to their qualifications, and this variation of work is of great advantage to those employed.

The following have been employed either continuously or at intervals during the past year :

J. Vessot, at Joliette, one of the oldest Missionaries of the Society, has been able to give only a portion of his time.

D. Amaron, at Berthier, owing to failing health, has only been occasionally employed during the year.

L. Marie, at St. Laurent, is still doing good service, as far as his advancing years will permit him.

E. Richard, at Ste. Anne des Plaines, has been employed more as an Evangelist than a Colporteur, but in his travels has many opportunities of circulating the Scriptures, religious books and tracts.

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F. L. Van Bueren still remains in charge of the Society's Depository in Montreal, occupying the fore part of the day in visiting through the city.

A. Solandt, at Inverness, has been able to give a portion of his time during the year to the work of colportage in the extensive district assigned to him, and still retains much of his useful vigor.

I. Matthieu, in charge of the station and school at Grenville, has devoted a part of the summer to Colportage. He also visited during the fall a limited locality in the neighborhood of Newton, Massachusetts, in which place he had many years ago become a convert from Romanism. Through the kind assistance of his friends, he received contributions for the Society amounting to \$400 20 Am. cy.

J. B. Muraire, at Quebec. He occupies as colporteur a wide and difficult field, of which Quebec may be considered the centre. He is very usefully employed in visiting the French-speaking emigrants arriving at Point Levis, distributing his books and giving useful information to all who wish it, and especially interesting himself in his Protestant fellow-countrymen, whom it is most desirable to retain in the Province.

J. Gatignol, at Acton, after a most useful residence at Ste. Cecile for nearly four years, visiting Ottawa, Templeton, and other smaller stations, has undertaken a large and important section of country on the south of the St. Lawrence. Residing in the immediate vicinity of the families that formally left the Church of Rome during the past year at St. Théodore, he now has ample scope for the vigorous activity that he can bring to the important field assigned to him.

H. Garayt, stationed at Montreal for the winter, was employed as second assistant teacher at Pointe aux Trembles during the early months of the year; since then he has continued in the field as colporteur.

J. Bourgoin, the assistant teacher at Pointe aux Trembles, has done good service as colporteur for four months during the past summer.

A. Boy has been re-engaged, and is stationed at Ste. Cecile, taking charge of the school and congregation, a post of much interest and importance.

P. S. Vernier, at Ottawa, is third son of the late much esteemed missionary, the Rev. John Vernier, for many years in the Society's employment, but was shipwrecked and drowned in 1853, on returning from Europe on the business of the Society. Mr. Vernier has been engaged as Evangelist-colporteur, and has charge of a large and increasingly important sphere of labor, to which he has devoted himself with much industry and zeal. It is gratifying to the Committee to be able to secure the services of young men so naturally connected with the Mission. Mr. Vernier has been partly educated in France, and passed somewhat more than one session at the Canada Presbyterian Church College at Montreal. As he gains in experience, with the Divine blessing he may prove a very valuable laborer in connection with the Society.

Zadoque Lefèvre was employed for two months; he is a convert from Romanism, was educated at the Mission Schools, and is now pursuing, with the Society's assistance, his second year's training at the McGill Normal School.

Théodore Bouchard, employed for a few weeks on the north shore of the St. Lawrence, has been educated at Pointe aux Trembles, and is now pursuing his studies in connection with the Presbyterian College, Montreal.

The ordained Missionaries of the Society are alive to the great importance of the press in extending the knowledge of Divine truth, and in the course of their visitations have many opportunities of putting the Scriptures and other books into circulation.

DEPOSITORY, MONTREAL.—In addition to the advantages afforded by this establishment in the distribution of religious literature, it is situated in a part of the city most frequented by the classes whom it is our object to reach. Mr. Van Bueren, the present Depository, reports constant visits from persons seeking information on religious matters. From here also are issued the Scriptures and books to the Missionaries as they are required.

CIRCULATION.—The circulation by the Missionaries and at the depository during the year has been as follows:

Bibles, Testaments, and Portions, about 2500; Books, Tracts, and Periodicals, 31,000.

During the five first months of the past year, a less number of colporteurs were engaged than in the preceding, and although the number of Scriptures given above is slightly under that of the previous year, yet the average by each missionary is higher.

Amongst the Tracts and Periodicals, are included 11,000 copies of "Le Messenger," and 7500 copies of the speech of the Roman Catholic Bishop Strossmayer before the Vatican council against papal infallibility. The expenses of publishing the latter were met by a special grant made by a gentleman for that purpose, whilst the admirable French translation was also gratuitously presented to the Committee. Its circulation has produced a profound sensation, and has called forth denunciations from the Roman Catholic press, and from almost every pulpit in the Province. This has raised the curiosity of the people, and single copies have, in some instances, passed through thirty and forty different hands.

The illustrated French Periodical, "Le Messenger," published monthly, has been very widely distributed, and is much appreciated. It is published jointly by the Canada Sunday School Union and Montreal Religious Tract Society.

Books have been obtained from Paris to the amount of three hundred and seventy-one dollars, which have been mostly put into circulation. Much more can be done in this direction, and the committee is deeply impressed

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with the importance of making use of the press to a greater extent than has yet been attempted. The means at the disposal of the Society for carrying out such a design appears to bring it within the legitimate sphere of its operations. At the same time, the great demand made upon the funds of the Society for the salaries and expenses of its Missionaries, will, it is hoped, be a sufficient plea for a continuance of those grants of Scriptures and Tracts that have been made in the past by the great Institutions of Britain and the United States.

The Committee would express its cordial thanks to two gentlemen in Ontario who, through their liberal contributions to the colportage department, one of \$408, the other of \$300, have enabled the Committee to keep a larger staff in the field. Also, to three gentlemen in Montreal, who in addition to their ordinary contributions to the Society, bear the entire expense of bringing Mr. Guien from France, and keeping him in the field.

The Committee can hardly speak too strongly as to the importance of the colportage operations of the Society, and of its earnest desire to prosecute them with thorough efficiency.

As extended extracts from the Missionaries' journals are published twice during the year, it will be unnecessary to do so at any length in the Annual report, which must necessarily contain much matter peculiar to itself. The following will illustrate : 1. The hardships consequent upon the severity of the winter. 2. The necessity of following up the distribution of the Scriptures. 3. The spirit of enquiry gaining ground amongst the people.

In spite of the severe cold which has lasted for some time my labor has been much blessed. On the whole the work progresses and possesses much of interest. In the place where I live, there are some families who listen attentively to the word of God. Some time since I lent a Bible to two young married people; they promised me to read it and I frequently visited them. On Sunday the 29th inst., I went to their house and found the husband reading aloud to his young wife, who was seated by his side listening. You do well, I said, to search and read the Holy Scriptures; it is in reading them you will see for yourselves what you must do to secure eternal life. "Yes," replied Mr. C., "it is sublime! The more I read, the more I wish to read; but," added he, "I know how to read, it is true, but there are things that I do not understand. I should like also to know why our priests forbid us reading the Bible, for I only find that which is good in it." My dear sir, I replied, Jesus tells us in John v. 39, to "search the Scriptures," and if the priest forbids your doing what Jesus Christ recommends, we ought to disregard the priest and listen only to the Saviour of sinners. "That is clear," he said.

About 8 o'clock on the evening of the 15th inst., we thought the inhabitants would take us by force. Eleven persons, men and women, knocked at our door; I opened it, and saw these people trying to get in. I am not easily alarmed, but nevertheless, I felt all my limbs trembling. "What do you want?" I said to them. "Do not fear, Sir, we have come to you to instruct us in the truths that you preach; our priest wishes to lead us by the nose." I made these people sit down, and took my Bible to show them the love of Jesus Christ for sinners. Our conversation lasted part of the night,

and some of the men who came that evening joined our Sunday services. I have a very large and interesting field. The cold has been intense—on returning home from my last tour I was almost frozen. Patience, above all things, is needed in this Missionary work. He must know how to wait, for he does not immediately see the fruit of his toil. I commend myself and my work to the prayers of all, that the Lord may keep me, for I am much isolated here.

The following by another Missionary will serve to show the hindrances to a profession of the Gospel, to which the converts are exposed :

Some miles from this place there lives one of our old Pointe aux Trembles scholars ; he is married, but his wife is opposed to the Gospel. The priest went to see him, and asked him for his Bible, but he replied that he would never part from that book, which was the word of God.

In —— I had a long conversation with Mr. ——, a wealthy Canadian, living on his means. His wife is very much opposed, and he can only read his Bible in his barn. He never now goes to Mass ; I exhorted him to declare to his wife that, cost what it may, he would follow the word of God—and that, perhaps, would be the means of bringing his wife to the truth. That he ought to have at heart his wife's salvation, and if this caused him some trouble at the beginning, it was not a sufficient reason for him to hide the light. At last, having fully understood me, he commended himself to my prayers, and told me that he would come and see me as soon as possible.

FINANCE.

At the end of the last financial year the debt of the Society, as it appeared in the Treasurer's statement, was \$1,969. Every desire has existed on the part of the Committee to liquidate this debt, and some few gentlemen of Montreal have contributed liberally to this end ; yet, as the year progressed, fresh demands, new openings, and new schemes presented themselves, and beyond limiting the number of pupils at Pointe aux Trembles, no other reduction was found feasible, and there is still a balance against the Society of \$1,967.

Extensive alterations urgently required at the last named Institution have been carried out ; twenty thousand copies of the *Journal* and eight thousand copies of Bishop Strossmayer's speech at the Vatican Council, have been published and circulated, principally through the post-office ; twelve thousand copies of *Le Messager* have been subscribed for, and in some cases Missionaries' salaries have been raised. These have all been in addition to former expenditures, and have helped to swell the debit side of the account, making the expenditure to keep pace with the current income. It is, however, but right to mention that items to a considerable amount belonging to the previous year's account, have been discharged, whilst sums have been expended not of annual occurrence, so that with the same income for the ensuing year, a reduction of the debt may be expected.

The expenditure under the head of agency and management may appear large, but upon examination it will be found not only unavoidable from the undenominational character of the Society, but in itself a necessary and im-

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portant element in the usefulness of the Society. Were the Society denominational, it might collect its funds by the ordinary machinery of the church to which it belonged. But the amount now raised is obtained from members of many different denominations, a very considerable portion of which would probably not be forthcoming were the Society in denominational hands. In addition to this, the gentlemen employed as the Society's Agents, by their public addresses and personal visits, help to draw the public mind to the character and designs of the Church of Rome, and thereby do good service to the best interests of the country.

The following will give a sufficient analysis of the items forming the income of the past year, which amounted to \$22,916. Canada contributed \$12,829, of which sum \$5032 was raised in Montreal; from the United States \$1754 have been received; from Great Britain and Ireland \$7924, the largest sum ever received from those countries as an annual contribution; and from the Maritime Provinces \$359. On the whole, therefore, there is much ground for gratitude to God, and much to afford encouragement to the friends of the Mission.

THE RESIGNATION OF THE TREASURER.

It appears fitting in this place to allude to the resignation of James Court, Esq., as Treasurer, an event of no little moment, as all who are acquainted with the history of the Society will appreciate. Early in the year Mr. Court signified his desire to relinquish the position he had so long and faithfully filled, owing, among other reasons, to the state of his health. Under these circumstances, the Committee was reluctantly compelled to accept his resignation, and could only put on record its high sense of the untiring zeal, unwearied effort, and liberality of its honored friend, in a cause so deservedly dear to him. His name has been added to the list of Vice-Presidents of the Society.

After much and careful consideration it was finally resolved, that the Secretary and General Superintendent, Lieut. Col. Haultain, should also undertake the duties of Treasurer, with the appointment of an Executive Committee, with whom he would be in more constant and regular communication than could be the case with the larger number constituting the General Committee.

The additional duties now devolving upon the Secretary, materially increased also by the publication and distribution of the "Journal," will necessitate assistance in the office, which it is hoped can be economically arranged, in connection with the management of the Depository.

GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

The amount received during the past year from Great Britain and Ireland, was \$7921, being \$3870 more than in the year preceding. The additional assistance thus obtained, in great part due to the zealous exertions

of Rev. Mr. Roger, corroborates the opinion of many of the Society's friends, that the home agency should be of a permanent nature. Without the presence of an agent to inform and remind our natural friends in the old world, the French Canadians, both from their distance and inferiority in numbers and political importance, are likely to be lost sight of in the larger, nearer, and more important Roman Catholic communities of Europe.

It is matter of rejoicing that God in His providence is in our days opening the way in all the countries of the world for the preaching of the gospel. He is also multiplying the wealth of individuals and of nations, and thus giving them the means of employing the various agencies that are now available for the diffusion of religious knowledge. It is no doubt a matter of prayerful consideration to most Christians, to what schemes and to what localities they shall direct the means at their disposal. In determining this question, may not national, social, and even commercial relations assist us. That such have done so in many instances is well known, and those laboring in this distant part of the empire are encouraged by the kindly sympathy and persistent aid extended to them from "home."

To the Rev. W. M. Roger, agent in Great Britain and Ireland, the Society is indebted for zealous and persevering labor on its behalf, and it is believed that his presence has been most opportune. His applications on behalf of the Mission to the several Presbyterian bodies of Scotland and Ireland met with a very kind response, and the grants of the previous year were renewed. To the Irish Presbyterian church, and to the United Presbyterian and Free Churches of Scotland, the Committee begs to tender its respectful acknowledgments. The following brief report from Mr. Roger is appended:

MR. ROGER'S REPORT.

My formal report to the Committee is somewhat delayed, as I wished to communicate the appointment of a successor to Miss Pinkerton, whose resignation as Secretary we all so much regret. I am glad to say that at a meeting called for the purpose in Glasgow last week, Miss Orr accepted the position of Secretary. To the office of Treasurer Miss Buchanan, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Buchanan, was appointed, and has, I have just heard with much pleasure, consented to act for one year at least. I feel thankful that ladies so well qualified for these positions have been found willing to undertake them.

During the latter part of the year (since last report) my labors have been almost entirely in England. In almost every place visited I have found considerable interest shown in our work, so far as opportunity was found of making it known, and kind friends were rarely wanting to assist with countenance and advice, as well as material aid. I desire thankfully and heartily to acknowledge these services, though want of space forbids any attempt to particularise.

Having addressed over one hundred assemblies during the past year upon the interests of our Mission, I cannot doubt that much wider benefits may result from these efforts than the mere collection of a sum of money. The sympathies and prayers of thousands of God's people have been interested in behalf of our Mission work, and blessing in proportion will assuredly follow.

I regret to say I have not as yet succeeded in accomplishing anything in the way of permanent Auxiliary organizations, though in several places an amount of interest has been shown which leads me to hope that what is so much to be desired in this way may be attained. Let me ask the Committee to join me in thanksgiving to the Father of mercies for having so graciously preserved me in safety and health, through much arduous and trying labor, and for having vouchsafed such measure of success as has attended it.

Very cordial thanks are rendered to the Ladies' committee of Edinburgh and Glasgow, and specially to Mrs. McNider and Miss Pinkerton, their respective Secretaries. It is with regret that the Committee learns that the latter lady has relinquished the post she has so faithfully filled, ever since the formation of the Glasgow Auxiliary in 1840. To her zealous labors much of its success is due.

The increased contributions from Glasgow, transmitted by Samuel Gunn, Esq., have been most encouraging, and to that gentleman, as also to Robert Young, Esq., who has materially aided him, the Committee would give its warmest thanks for their indefatigable zeal in behalf of the Society. The services of its long tried friends, J. D. Bryce, Esq., of Glasgow, and R. Haldane, Esq., of Edinburgh, and of many others, are duly appreciated.

In Liverpool the Society is most fortunate in possessing the cordial support of Bryce Allan, Esq., and who in many ways has kindly promoted the interests of the Society. To Edward Jenkins, Esq., London, and General Alymer, Bath, the Society is indebted for valuable assistance given to Mr Roger.

From the British and Foreign Bible Society, and from the Religious Tract Society of London, and the Dublin Tract Society, have been received liberal grants of their respective publications. To the Committees of these important institutions, and specially to their Secretaries, the Rev. S. B. Bergne and Dr. Davis, and also to Mr. Bewley, the thanks of the Committee are largely due, for the kind and ready attention that has been paid to the demands made upon them.

It would be a grateful task, but quite beyond the limits of this report, to thank by name many of the numerous friends that have aided Mr. Roger, and otherwise furthered the interests of the Society in the different sections of the Imperial islands. The Committee can only express its cordial acknowledgments of services so rendered, with the earnest hope that through the Divine blessing none shall have cause to regret the assistance given.

UNITED STATES.

In view of the geographical position of this Province, lying conterminous with the United States for so many miles, with the ever increasing numbers that are either temporarily or permanently seeking a home there, the condition of the French Canadians cannot be a matter of unimportance to the enlightened citizens of the great Republic. As has been repeatedly stated, a large number of those who through the instrumentality of this

Society have been brought to examine into and embrace the religion of the Bible, have removed to the United States, to avoid the disadvantages and persecutions consequent upon their residence in the Romish parishes.

The Committee appeals for aid on the highest ground, viz., the salvation of perishing souls; but at the same time it would respectfully specify the reasons why the claims of the Society are pressed in the various localities visited by its agents.

The Rev. Mr. Byrne, the Society's indefatigable Agent, has again made his visits to various cities of the Union, a brief report of which appears below.

To the American Bible and Tract Societies, the Society is indebted for a renewal of their grants, for which the Committee tenders its cordial thanks.

Mr. Byrne states:—

There is much cause for thankfulness in the results of visits paid to the *United States*. Considering the influence of the Boston fire, which followed so soon after the Chicago disaster; the general derangement occasioned thereby to various charities; the numerous and pressing claims upon this enterprising people; the little that is known of our work, and the difficulty of presenting our claims, we have reason for gratitude that so much has been achieved. *New York* has given a cheerful response; *Philadelphia* has opened her pulpits and her hands; *Buffalo* has yielded fruit; *New Haven, Hartford* and *Norwich*, in Connecticut, with other places elsewhere, if not so fruitful, have many noble specimens of Christian philanthropists, and will doubtless render us more extensive aid as times improve with them and we are better known to each other.

Our Canadian friends should note the interest taken in us by our American brethren, and give yet more than they have done. Our keen-sighted neighbors observe the amounts given by each subscriber, and freely make their remarks. Some think we should do our *own* work and not appeal to them. It is *our* mission, not theirs; still, if they find a work is being done, and that we give liberally to sustain it, there are many ministers and laymen, ladies and gentlemen, who will heartily respond to our appeals for help, as the present subscription list will prove. Although it is difficult to gain ready access to pulpits in the *United States*, and that for obvious reasons, still I have been privileged to occupy many of them, and to address many meetings on the Sabbath and week days. I have more than once preached from the pulpit of old South Church at Boston, and addressed other meetings in connection with the congregation worshipping there; and have also addressed large meetings in other churches in that city. In Burlington, in Vermont, Chelsea, near Boston, and other places in that region, I have published the glad tidings of salvation, and pleaded for the Mission.

At all the *places* mentioned in the report I have addressed many, either on the Sabbath or at other times, have had much conversation in private, and have thus obtained the hearing of many, the results of which cannot be fully known. One gentleman in New York gave me \$50, and after hearing me in prayer at a public meeting added another \$50. The cashier of one of the banks kindly introduced me to the prayer-meeting after the close of Dr. Hall's public service, besides aiding otherwise. Dr. Wylie, in Philadelphia, gave me access to his pulpit, and Mr. Geo. H. Stuart, one of the elders, gave me his contribution. Dr. Chambers, in like manner, introduced me to his people, one thousand of whom I addressed on the Sabbath, and above three hundred during the week. But I will not further narrate lest I should weary you. The *great bulk* of the money, however, is obtained by *personal calls*, and many of these have been made in the evening in addition to the work of the day.

The Committee would also record its very cordial thanks for the kind assistance given to Mr. Matthieu, by many ministers and others, at Newton and its neighbourhood.

ONTARIO.

The sister Province of Ontario is perhaps the most deeply interested in the success of the mission. A people moulded to do the will of men claiming unbounded and irresponsible prerogative, can only be a mill-stone about the neck of those with whom they are confederated. To get such a people to accept the Bible and its teachings, is the only means by which they can be made politically as well as spiritually free.

The arrangements of Divine Providence, as regards the relation subsisting between the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, are too manifest to leave in doubt what is at once the clearest duty and the highest interest of the former, in respect of the evangelization of the French Canadians.

The Rev. Mr. Byrne has pursued his annual round of visits to all the chief centres of the Province. From pulpits and platforms, in Sabbath schools and from house to house, he has continued to advocate the cause of this Society. Of his labors generally, and of Ontario in particular, he thus writes :

In presenting a brief report of my labors during the year, I desire most devoutly to acknowledge God's goodness in preserving and sustaining me amid the vicissitudes and dangers incident to a roving and active life. His goodness is also apparent in the success with which those labors have been crowned. In the large majority of the places I have visited, there has been an *advance* in the subscription list compared with last year; and we may hope for still further increase, as our schools and Mission work are better known.

I have been obliged to pass by many places in our Dominion in order to devote more time to the United States, and although these localities are less productive than some others, their omission in the total amount raised cannot but affect our funds.

In the large fields allotted me, many opportunities have been afforded for preaching the Gospel, addressing Sabbath Schools, and presenting the claims of our Society, which I have not failed to improve. In our Dominion, I have generally preached twice on the Sabbath, besides holding other services among the young; and on week days have preached, lectured, or given addresses, followed by the more laborious and difficult work of raising funds by personal calls, which, though often discouraging as a work of faith and prayer, has often been attended with cheering results.

I am glad to inform you that *the last year's report* has often been mentioned favorably by many with whom I have mingled, and in a few cases has awakened an *increased* interest. A teacher in one of our public schools, who had previously subscribed \$1, said he felt so much interested in it that he would subscribe \$5 this year, which he at once paid. I wish a larger number of our friends would act upon the same principle, *augment* their annual donations, and give as God hath *prospered* them. I find that the *Journals* have been read by many with great satisfaction, particularly the *second* number, and I trust these will prompt *all* donors to replenish our treasury with larger supplies.

The few Auxiliaries we have have done well, and I trust will improve more and more. The co-operation of Ministers, Sabbath School Superintendents, Teachers, and others, have contributed in no small degree to the success referred to, and it is fondly hoped this co-operation will be yet more hearty and *extensive*.

In the previous statement I have not wearied you with *details*. I may add, I have been home at different intervals *ninety-one days* during the year; the rest of the time, *nine months*, have been devoted to travelling and labor in behalf of the Mission I

represent. I have travelled many thousands of miles ; addressed a much larger number from the pulpit and the platform, on Sabbath and week days, connected with various Evangelical churches ; have paid innumerable visits to individuals and firms to raise funds to carry on our work ; I say *innumerable*, because while the subscription list published will indicate the number who have *given*, many of these have been called upon several times, while those refusing to aid, also very many, were *not* recorded. I have listened to many idle and foolish pleas for not giving, or for giving less, whilst welcomed by a still greater number with smiles and hearty contributions. The report will indicate the many *places* I have visited and somewhat of the *distances* of travel.

The Committee would have desired even a more detailed statement from its esteemed friend and fellow laborer. The above, however, is sufficient to indicate the abundant labors required of the agents of this Society. Not simply by preaching and by public addresses, as with agents of other Societies, do they make known its objects and press its claims, but there also devolves upon them the daily and far more wearying occupation of personal advocacy and solicitation.

MARITIME PROVINCES.

The Committee is much indebted to the Rev. J. McEwen, of Pembroke, Ont. for having placed his services for some weeks during the past summer, at the disposal of the Society. Owing to various causes, the proceeds of his visit, financially, were inconsiderable, but the work of French Acadian Evangelization was doubtless furthered by the earnest advocacy of the committee's esteemed friend.

BRANCH BIBLE SOCIETIES.

The Committee refers with much satisfaction to the aid rendered to the Society by contributions from the Branch Bible Societies at the following places, viz. : Listowel, Ailsa Craig, Mono Centre, Woodbridge and Pinegrove, Wallacetown, St. Helens, and Manchester.

Were sufficient funds from local Bible Societies placed at the disposal of the Committee, it would gladly increase its staff of colporteurs. Want of funds has alone prevented the employment of several, willing to undertake this important work.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

For the continued liberal response given to the Agent by members of the above church, the Committee would return its sincere thanks. On another page will be found a list of sums sent as congregational donations, which are thankfully acknowledged.

SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Committee would renew its sincere thanks to all who have contributed towards the special support of pupils at Pointe aux Trembles. The change of teachers, and the extra work thrown upon the Secretary, have caused delay in sending the usual notices.

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The following list will show the number of scholars specially assisted during the past year :

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do	do (St. Andrews).....	London..... 1
do	do	Perth..... 1
do	do	Stratford..... 1
do	do	Wakefield..... 1
do	do	Quebec..... 1
do	do	Fergus..... 1
do	do	Belleville..... 1
do	do (Knox Ch.).....	Toronto..... 1
do	do (Macnab St. Ch.).....	Hamilton..... 1
do	do (Zion Ch.).....	Montreal..... 1
Congregational Church, Am. Pres. Ch	do	St. Catharines..... 1
Miss H. Gordon.....		Montreal..... 1
Mrs. Redpath.....		do 1
Mrs. Lay's Seminary (Strickland Society).....		do 1
Mrs. H. Lyman.....		do 1
Mrs. Neil McIntosh's Seminary, (Bute House,).....		do 1
Wm. Hall, Esq.....		Peterborough..... 1
Ladies' Auxiliary, (Knox Ch.).....		Galt..... 1
Mrs. John Ross,.....		Quebec..... 1
W. Mortimer Clark, Esq.,.....		Toronto..... 1
A. D. Ferrier, Esq.,.....		Fergus..... 1
Ignatius Cockshutt, Esq.,.....		Brantford..... 10
A Friend.....		England..... 6
Mrs. Fleet and friends,.....		Montreal..... 1
Mrs. J. Tyler,.....		do 1
Mrs. Lighthall,.....		do 1
Mrs. Corse,.....		do 1
Mrs. G. Greene,.....		do 1
Mrs. H. A. Nelson,.....		do 1
Mrs. H. McLennan,.....		do 1
Mrs. R. McEwen and Mrs. G. W. Reed,.....		do 1
Rev. G. H. Wells,.....		do 1
Mrs. Ben. Lyman,.....		do 1

MONTREAL LADIES' FRENCH CANADIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Renewed activity has been manifested during the past year by the lady friends of French Canadian Evangelization. Increased interest has been awakened in the Girls' school, which already owes so much to their zeal and liberality. The exigencies of the parent Society have called forth greater efforts, in order to promote the comfort and efficiency of the establishment, as well as to enable a greater number of pupils to receive the benefits it affords. In addition to their ordinary collections, a special effort for this purpose was made, which yielded upwards of seven hundred dollars. This sum secured the attendance of several additional pupils, and enabled the Committee to effect important improvements and alterations in the building. It will be gratifying to these ladies to learn how highly such improvements are appreciated by those for whose benefit they have been carried out.

The retirement of old and faithful office-bearers has to be recorded here as elsewhere. The President and the Secretary, ladies who have borne the burden and heat of the day, have resigned their respective positions. Resolutions expressive of the Committee's sense of their long-continued labors were unanimously passed, and their valuable services still retained on the educational sub-committee. At the urgent request of the Committee, Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Wilkes has succeeded Mrs. Redpath as President, and Mrs. (Rev.) R. M. Thornton has undertaken the duties of Secretary.

It is believed that the Ladies' Committee will prove, as in the past, a most valuable help-meet in the prosecution of the work. It is also hoped that similar associations of ladies may be formed more generally through the country.

AUXILIARIES AND COMMITTEES.

GREAT BRITAIN.

	<i>When Founded.</i>
<i>Glasgow Committee.</i> —J. D. Bryce, Esq., Treasurer; Samuel Gunn, Esq., Secretary.....	1839
<i>Glasgow Ladies' Committee.</i> —Miss Orr, Secretary; Miss Buchanan, Treasurer.....	1840
<i>Edinburgh Ladies' Committee.</i> —Mrs. McNider, Secretary.....	1856
<i>Liverpool Committee.</i> —Bryce Allan, Esq., Treasurer.....	1849
<i>London Association.</i> —Edward Jenkins, Esq., Secretary; Messrs. Ransom, Bouverie & Co., Bankers.....	1866
<i>Leeds Ladies' Auxiliary.</i> —President, Mrs. John Whiting; Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Conyers; Secretary, Mrs. John Thompson.....	1869

DOMINION OF CANADA.

<i>Montreal Ladies' F. C. M. S.</i> —Mrs. (Dr.) Wilkes, President; Mrs. Hedge, Vice-President; Miss H. Gordon, Treasurer; Mrs. (Rev.) Thornton, Secretary...	1841
<i>Galt Association.</i> —Rev. R. Acheson, President; Adam Ker, Esq., Vice-President; David Brown, Secretary; M. C. Lutz, Esq., Treasurer.....	1840
<i>Ayr Association.</i> —Richard Senior, Esq., Secretary and Treasurer.	
<i>Stratford Ladies' Association.</i> —Mrs. (Rev.) T. McPherson, President; Mrs. Linton, Vice-President; Mrs. (Dr.) Hyde, Secretary and Treasurer.	
<i>Durham, Q., Ladies' Association.</i> —Mrs. (Rev.) Dunkerley, Secretary and Treasurer.	
<i>Belleville Ladies' Association.</i> —Mrs. Billa Flint, President; Mrs. Hope and Mrs. Alport, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. Esson, Secretary and Treasurer.....	1868
<i>Toronto Committee.</i> —Robert Wilkes, Esq., Secretary.....	1871
<i>Hamilton Committee.</i> —James Watson, Esq., Secretary.....	1871
<i>Brantford Committee.</i> —George Foster, Esq., Secretary.....	1871
<i>London Committee.</i> —J. T. Boyd, Esq., Secretary.....	1871
<i>Bowmanville Committee.</i> —Rev. C. Barker, Secretary.....	1871

CONCLUSION.

In the conflict between truth and error, light and darkness, now waging with awakened energy in almost every land, there is much to impress the Christian's mind with a sense of the helplessness of man. Errors the most exaggerated, practices the most indefensible, are accepted as in accordance with the Divine mind, whilst truth and holiness are oftentimes rejected with a hatred, the intensity of which is manifested as of old, in the relentless persecution of those who advocate them. God's work is one requiring the constant exercise of faith in the presence and guidance of God himself. If He be content to wait, when by a word every obstacle could be removed

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and millennial glory at once ushered in, surely God's people should be content to wait also, not in indifference nor in despondency, but in prayerful perseverance in every good word and work.

The Church of Rome is abating nought of its old pretensions; neither repenting of the past, nor promising amendment for the future; superstition is put as a substitute for faith, and will-worship for holiness of life, and under its teaching mind is dwarfed and souls are perishing. It is most necessary that some should be found to "contend for the faith once delivered to the saints," and "to speak boldly as men ought to speak to whom have been committed the oracles of God."

The Judge of all the earth has risen out of His place, and executed speedy vengeance upon Rome's offending head, and kings and people have combined to carry out Apocalyptic judgments. And yet, strange is it that in British lands, in the face of the word and judgments of God, political subserviency to Rome's craft and power is the feature of these days, and men in high places flatter its avowed abettors and give countenance to its scheming institutions. Had the pointless creed and worldly policy of to-day animated the great Reformers of the sixteenth century, the world would never have been rescued from the ecclesiastical fetters with which Rome had for so many ages enslaved it.

In prosecuting the work assigned to it, the Committee, whilst entertaining no doubt as to the nature and tendency of the system of Rome, would yet be animated with truest pity and Christian kindness towards all still submitting to its claims. Gladly would the Committee admit many of the Society's earnest friends to sit with it in deliberation and assist it with their counsels, but as this cannot be face to face, the Committee would earnestly ask that this new year may witness very many meetings at God's throne, and wrestling there for the forth-putting of His power, for it is in the remembrance of these words alone that workers for God can expect His blessing:

"NOT BY MIGHT, NOR BY POWER, BUT BY MY SPIRIT, SAITH THE LORD," AND "FOR ALL THESE THINGS WILL I BE ENQUIRED OF SAITH THE LORD OF HOSTS."

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

The French Canadian Missionary Society

In Account with F. W. HAULTAIN, Treasurer.

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To paid for <i>Educational Department</i> , viz.:		
Pointe-aux-Trembles, Salaries, House Expenses, Fuel, Insurance, &c., of Boys' and Girls' Schools,	\$6,395 44	
Special Disbursements for Alterations and Re- pairs, Furnishing, &c., both Schools,.....	1,237 62	
	7,633 06	
Schools at Grenville, Ste. Cecile, Belle Rivière, Quebec and Chicoutimi,.....	420 35	
	8,053 41	
To paid for <i>Evangelization Department</i> .		
Salaries and traveling expenses of Rev. Messrs. Vernon, Duclos, Rivet, Coté and Dionne, and others, also Insurance and other dis- bursements connected with Mission prem- ises at Montreal and elsewhere,.....		2,365 26
To paid for <i>Colportage Department</i> .		
Salaries and traveling expenses of Messrs Am- eron, Solandt, Vessot, Marie, Richard, Van Bueren, Muraire, Gatignol, Garayt, Boy, Vernier, and Guieu; also of Students and Messrs. Matthieu and G. Bourgoin, em- ployed during summer, &c.,.....		4,320 14
T paid Salaries of Secretary and Superintendent, Lt.-Col. Haultain, and Agents, (Rev. Messrs. J. T. Byrne, and W. M. Roger),...	4,277 23	
Traveling expenses of Agents in Canada, United States and Britain, also of Secretary and expenses of Special Agency,.....	1,528 20	
To Sundry Disbursements, viz.:		
Salary of Clerk,.....	220 50	5805 43
Rent of Office, Fuel, Stationery, Expenses, Charges and Postage on Reports, Journals, Strossmayer's speech, and miscellaneous charges,.....	432 40	
Expenses of annual and other meetings,.....	98 42	
Printing and paper for Annual Report and Journals (27,500 copies), Bishop Stross- mayer's speech, (8,000 copies), Circulars, &c. Also, 12,000 copies of <i>Le Messenger</i> ,...	1,210 94	
Interest on Debt, <i>French Protestant Church</i> , less <i>rent</i> , and on Advances, General Fund, &c.	368 11	
	2,330 37	
		22,874 61
		1,969 35
		\$24,843 96
To balance due Treasurer last year,.....		

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By received Contributions, as per Lists:		
Canada, Quebec and Ontario,.....	\$12,839 08	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick,.....	332 15	
	13,171 23	
Prince Edward Island,.....	24 47	
Newfoundland,.....	2 40	
Great Britain and Ireland,.....	7,920 49	
United States,.....	1,754 16	
Continent,.....	4 00	
	22,876 75	
		\$1,967 21
Balance at debit of Society,.....		

Montreal, 23d January, 1873.

Audited and found correct,

F. W. HAULTAIN, *Treasurer*,

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I.—CONTRIBUTIONS IN GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND, PER LISTS.

	Sterling.	Currency.
1. Glasgow Committee,.....	£ 337 12 7	\$1,640 12
2. Edinburgh Ladies' Committee,.....	96 5 1	466 79
3. Remittances direct to Treasurer,.....	164 7 2	799 63
4. Collections per Rev. W. M. Roger, including Contributions from Churches,.....	1033 4 7	5,013 95
	£1631 9 5	\$7,920 49

1. Glasgow Committee, J. D. Bryce, Esq., Treasurer, £337 12s. 7d., is
Currency, \$1640.12.

Ladies' Association	45 1 6	John Houldsworth & Co	10 0 0	Blackie & Son	2 0 0	Robert Brown	1 0 0
J & P Coats (Paisley)	20 0 0	Jas & Alex Allant	10 0 0	James Keyden	2 0 0	Mrs Walter Gray	1 0 0
J & J Clark & Co (Paisley)	10 0 0	J D Bryce	5 0 0	Inglis & Wakefield	1 1 0	Robert Pirrie	1 0 0
T B Williams & Co (Rochdale)	10 0 0	G & J Burns	5 0 0	Robert Sinclair & Co	1 1 0	John Pirrie	1 0 0
Playfair, Bryce & Co (Glasgow)	10 0 0	Finlayson, Bousfield & Co	5 0 0	Wm Kerr	1 1 0	Robert Moody	1 0 0
W Kidston & Son Handyside & Henderson	10 0 0	Wm McLaren Sons & Co	5 0 0	David Anderson	1 1 0	Wm Govan & Son	1 0 0
Jas Stevenson jr	10 0 0	Young, Strang & Co	5 8 0	John Anderson	1 1 0	Black & Wingate	1 0 0
J & W Campbell & Co	10 0 0	Wm Ross	5 0 0	Okell, Selkirk & Col	1 0 0	Hannah & Martin	1 0 0
Jno Henderson	10 0 0	Lansdowne Miss Assn	5 0 0	Hickson Fergusonson	1 1 0	J B Mirrlees	1 0 0
J W Anderson & Co	10 0 0	Rutherford Bros	5 0 0	Thos M Fergusonson	1 1 0	Robt Barclay (of Barclay & MacGregor)	1 0 0
John & James White	10 0 0	Edmiston and Mitchell	5 0 0	John Blair & Co	1 1 0	George Martin	1 0 0
Wm Baird & Co	10 0 0	James Mitchell	3 0 0	D Bannerman	1 1 0	Michael Rowan	1 0 0
Stewart & McDonald	10 0 0	J & R Young & Co	3 0 0	J Watson & Smith	1 1 0	Edward Collins	1 0 0
Geo Smith & Sons	10 0 0	Robt Mackay & Co	2 2 0	J Sommerville & Sons	1 1 0	John Bell	1 0 0
Charles Tennent & Co	10 0 0	W G Mitchell	2 2 0	Wilson, Matheson & Co	1 1 0	M Pettigrew	0 10 6
		Geo Gillespie & Co	2 2 0	J H Ross	1 1 0	Thos Bishop	0 10 0
		Hugh Brown	2 2 0	Robt Freeland	1 1 0	W J Davidson	0 10 0
		Clapperton, Paton & Co	2 0 0	H Gourlay & Co	1 1 0	G Stewart Anderson	0 10 0
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" A Walker,	1 0 0	Miss Stewart,	0 5 0	Mrs Shaw	0 5 0	.. Kirkpatrick	0 5 0
" T Aitken,	0 5 0	Mrs J Millar,	0 10 0	.. Rintoul	0 2 6	.. Black (Auchen)	0 2 6
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" Cruickshanks	0 5 0	.. Greig	0 5 0	.. J W Muir-head	0 2 6	.. Mackean	0 10 0
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" Taylor,	0 5 0	.. Anderson	0 5 0	Miss McArthur	0 5 0	.. McEwen	0 5 0
" J Wright,	1 0 6	Miss Ewing	0 2 6	Thomas Wyld	0 10 0	Miss Muir	0 10 0
" W Wright,	0 2 6	Mrs Snell	0 5 0	John Stephen	1 0 0	Mrs Playfair	0 5 0
" Moffat,	0 5 0	.. Wemyss	0 2 6	Mr Bell	0 5 0	.. Campbell	0 10 0
" Heron,	0 5 0	.. Oswald	0 2 6	Mrs Harvie	0 5 0	.. Angus	0 10 0
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Evelyn Stoddard	0 2 0	H K Wood	0 5 0	Per Mrs Gray,		.. M Pinkerton	0 5 0
Mrs Birkmyre,	1 0 0	Mrs Millar (East wood)	0 10 0	Hamilton	£1 10 0	.. Fraser	0 2 6
		Miss Sliman	0 5 0	.. Gray	0 2 6	.. Pinkerton	1 0 0

2. Edinburgh Ladies' Committee, £96 5 1.

Per Mrs Ainslie,	Mrs Wilson and	Mr Eisdale	0 5 0	C J Steen	0 2 6
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Miss Dempster	Miss Anderson	Lindsay	0 2 6	Anderson	0 2 6
Geo Gordon	Per Miss Wallace	Anderson	0 2 6	Per Mrs Mac-	
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Dr & Mrs Ainslie	Mrs Raleigh	Donald Leith		£24 6 0 viz.:	
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1 0	Mrs Godwin	1 0 0	Mrs Corbitt	2 0 0	Bucks Road Indt		Hamilton Ch	1 3 0
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1 0	Friend	1 0 0	Sam Andrews	1 0 0	Mrs R Harrison	0 5 0	wright & Co	5 5 0
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Contributions, Quebec and Ontario, per Lists.

1. Contributions in Montreal,.....	\$5,032 27
2. " from other places remitted to Treasurer, including Collections by Secretary and others,.....	2,965 27
3. Contributions from Congregations and Sabbath Schools Can- ada Presbyterian Church,.....	722 90
4. Collections per Rev. J. T. Byrne,.....	4,118 64
	12,839 08
5. Contributions from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick,.....	332 16
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Montreal Ladies' Auxillary. \$1,434 89; Collection at Annual Meeting, \$91 92 "Strossmayer's Speech," \$100; Alex Clerk, \$100; Estate late James Isley, Legacy, \$100; Mrs J Aitken's "Penny Society," \$57 50; A Friend, \$60; Mrs J Redpath, \$50; A Friend, \$50; Zion Church S S, \$42; Mrs Lighthall, Scholarship, \$30; A B Savage, \$25; A Friend, \$25; Mrs E. A H, \$14; M H Brisette, \$10; A Friend, \$6; W Kinloch, \$5; A C Leslie, \$5; H Munro, \$5; R Brodie, \$5; Col on S S "Georgia," by Master Heubach, \$1 06; C G Jones, \$1; A Friend, \$1; A Friend, 15c.

Collections West Ward, Section One, per Messrs J MacKay, E K Greene, and H A Nelson, \$544; Jos MacKay & Bro, \$100; E K Greene, \$50; F Shaw & Bro, \$40; R Wilkes, Gault Br. s & Co, each \$25; Friend, J B Stevenson, D Morrice, each \$20; H Shorey & Co, A Walker, R Campbell & Co, J P Clark & Co, A Ramsay & Son, A Robertson, G Winks & Co, W J McMaster, G A Greene, Ednton & Cooper, Sutherland, Hardie & Fleming, Geo Stephens, (for school only) each \$10; C H Baldwin, R B Murray, G W Moss, Elliott, Sawtell & Co, Black & Locke, J N Hall & Co, M H Seymour, R W Shepherd, A Spence, R Irwin, Douglas, Kirk & Co, Cassils & Cameron, C Bryson, W Williams, C E Seymour, Whitehead & Cassils, J Roy, Cash, G H Heath, N S Whitney, Cash, each \$5; E Nield, H Chandler, J O Bryson, Henry Simpson & Co, J Whitham, G Templeton, W King, each \$2; W B J Douglas, A J A, W H Hiam, R Spencer, each \$1.

Collections West Ward, Section Two, per Mr H McLennan and Col Haultain, \$364; J Court, \$100; P Redpath, \$50; T J Claxton & Co, \$25; H A Nelson, A S Wood, W Moodie, each \$20; J Thomson, D R Ibertson, J Benning, Crathern & Caverhill, Smith, Cochrane & Co, J Hope & Co, T & J Ross & Co, J Brodie, McCulloch Bros, each \$10; J B Learmont, Russell, T B R, A Savage, E Atwater, D Bell, R C Jamieson & Co, each \$5; T Leeming, \$4.

Collections West Ward, Section Three, per Messrs G Childs and F L Van Bueren, \$84; J Baylis, C Alexander, G Childs, each \$10; Brown & Claggett, J Williamson & Co, D L McDougall, M P & B, R Miller, J Ferrier jr, W C McDonald, J Wood & Son, each \$5; J Popham, \$4; R W W, J Murphy, each \$2; Miss Gale, \$1 50; J A H, Friend, W B McMaster, each \$1; R K H, two Friends, each 50c.

Collections West Ward, Section Four, per Messrs S H May and G Cruikshank \$461; J S McLachlan, John Dougall & Co, each \$100; W & D Yule, R Dunn, S H May, each \$25; D Butters & Co, \$20; J Duncan, Cash, G Cruikshank, A Allan, each \$10; Laslett & Russell, R Bryson, J Coristine, Schneider & Cushing, W Denoon, R S Oliver, Ireland, Gay & Co, J Ritchie, D Macphie, Lord & Magor, R Peddie, each \$5; C Lee, P Holland, G E Jaques, A C Leslie, A Morin, R P McLea, B T Davis, J Bissett, each \$2; W M & Co, M Martin, Mr Vipond, G M Miller, T Hardesty, each \$1.

Collections St. James Street, per Mr P D Browne and Col Haultain, \$397 50; R Anderson \$200; P D Browne, N B Corse, Savage, Lyman & Co, each \$20; J C Becket, R B A, each \$10; J Walker & Co, \$8; F W Thomas, M H G, J S Hunter, Gibb & Co, C S Browne, K Campbell, T W Ritchie, J L Morris, A Milloy, T E Foster, Dun, Wiman & Co, J Browne & Bro, R J Reekie, W Henry, C Legge, each \$5; A A Stevenson, G Bishop, each \$4; H Morgan, \$3; A C Hutchison, C R Chisholm, J Carson, Prowse Bros, McM & Co, C Baillie, each \$2; W Neild, R Pownell, H S, W Euard, Cash, C P Davidson, C J Baird, G W Ford, T Watson, J Thomson, W H Barber, each \$1 Cash, 50c.

Collections Centre and East Wards per Mr P S Ross \$86; P S Ross, \$20; W Angus, J Stirling, J Hodgson, each \$10; W Darling & Co, W McDunnough, H Vennor, R Holland, Sinclair, Jack & Co, J Lewis, each \$5; T Mussen J & T Bell W H Clare, each \$2.

Collections in St. Antoine Ward. per Mr L Paton. \$254 75; Hon J Ferrier, L Paton, D Brown, each \$20; J A Ogilvy, Gill & Geen. J K Ward, each \$10; J Allen, \$8; W Reid, \$7 50; W Rutherford, Mrs C A Low, R Patton, A H Loudon, A McIntyre, Rev Dr Wilkes, Wand & Cowan, J Anderson, G W Reid, H Millen, W G Cook, J Rutherford, D Rutherford, Dr Dawson A Holmes, D Wilson, A Rough, H Andrews, T Wand, A Craig, Mrs A Dow, P Nicholson, C M A, each \$5; J Auld, C Glen, each \$4; G Armstrong, Dr J A Bazin, each \$3; R Nicholson, J T Parlow, J K Macdonald, E J Maxwell, Cash, Dr Reddy, R Alexander, T Shapley, J Loudon, each \$2; D Nicholson, R McIntosh, each \$1; Mrs Thomson, 25c.

Collections St. Lawrence Suburbs and East Ward. per Messrs G Rogers and J Watson, \$322; Warden King, George Rogers, for debt, each \$100; W King, \$50; J Watson, \$25; G Rogers, J C Wilson & Co, each \$10; J Date, W D McLaren, A Rose, each \$5; W M Rice, J Holmes, W Burnet, R Taylor, W Kennedy, each \$3; Rev J Jones, R S Latham, each \$1.

Collections St. Lawrence Suburbs. per Mrs W F Lighthall, \$24 50; Mrs W F Lighthall, \$5; R & J Brodie, \$4; J D Adams, J Blacklock, A G Adams, T R Johnson, each \$2; J Gouden, Cash, U Brodie, F Reinhardt, W L Brown, G Bridgeman, S Price, each \$1; A Friend, 6c.

Collections St. Ann's Ward. per Mr A Ferguson, \$315; J McLennan \$200; H McLennan, \$50; J Robertson, G Brush, J Campbell, J Aitken, A Ferguson, P S Ross & Bro, A Stevenson, W Rodden, each \$5; A Kirkpatrick, \$4; Ives & Allen, W Glendinning, each \$3; A Holiday, M B, C Esplin, M McKenzie, M Hutchison, each \$2; W Almour, Cash, J Scott, R Paxton, each \$1; D McKenzie, J Parker, each \$50c.

2. Contributions from Ontario and Quebec, other than Montreal, remitted direct to Treasurer, including Collections by Secretary and others \$2965,27.

Arthabaska.—Mrs Farley, \$4 00.

Ayr Auxiliary Association. \$83 25.—Col by R Senior, \$39 50.—R Senior \$20, D Goldie \$5; J Watson \$2, Rev J Thomson, T M Anderson, J McK Anderson, R Wylie, W Baker, each \$1; small sums, \$7 50; Col by Mr Lilloco \$7 75; D Lilloco, R Lilloco, Mary Lilloco, A Lilloco, each \$1; small sums, \$2 75; Col by J Linton \$5 70; J Linton \$1; small sums, \$4 70; Col by J Edgar \$5 53; Col by J Bruce \$3 57; Col by M J Flett \$4 60; Col by J Goldie \$9; J Goldie \$2 50; Mr Riley, A McEwen, each each \$1; small sums, \$4 50; Col by W Alexander \$2 85; W Alexander, \$1; small sums, \$1 85. Col by W Armstrong, \$5 25; W Bryden, D McDonald, each \$1; small sums, \$3 25. Total \$83 75; Less expenses, 50 cts.

Berne.—Mme A Chalets, \$2.

Brantford.—I Cockshut, for support of 10 pupils \$400.

Burford.—Congregational Ch S S \$7; Mrs H Cox \$3.

Chippawa.—Col by Miss Mary E. Buyers \$12 01; Dr Aberdein, J Flett, Miss M E Buyers, each \$1; W McC, J Oliver, A Friend, T McKeown S McKeown, A McCredie, each 50c; W Green, W Greenwood, Helen Crane, J Sharp, J Somerville, E McCredie, H E Dell, Mrs Hesimer, M Hugoe, M Hershag, Mrs Somerville senior E Dell, a Friend Maggie Wells, T Wells, C J Dell, H Dell, a Friend, A McGeorge, F Buyers, each 25 cts.

Churchill.—G Allan \$2.

Cold Springs.—G Nixon \$5; Mrs J Orr \$3.

Cornwall.—A Hodge \$10.

East Templeton.—Col by Rev J A Vernon, "Anonymous" \$30; S Carriere \$1 40.

Eaton.—Congregational Church, \$3 50.

Fergus.—G D Ferguson, for support of Colporteur \$408; A D Ferrier, for pupil, \$50.

Garafra.—Sabbath School, \$7.

Georgetown.—A Friend \$5 A Friend \$5.

Grande Cote de St. Michel.—Mme Joskie \$2.

Grand Freniere.—Miss J McMarrin \$2.

Ingersoll.—"Divine Mercies" \$10.

Inverness.—Col by Mr A Solandt \$41 35; J R MacKie, J Beliveau each \$1 50; J Gillis, W McLean, Fanny Williams, Mrs Campbell, W & J Kelso, R McKenzie, A D Campbell, W Greenly, J McKinnon, W H Lambly, W Mowat, J McKillop, Mary McKillop, A McKillop, A McKillop, Somerses, D McKinnon, D Kerr, W Murchie, J Campbell, F Boyer, L Bolduc, P Campbell, D McKillop, Carrs Hill T Johnston, J Mooney, P Lafamme, each \$1; D Sellers, 75 cts; C Oampbell, Halifax 62 cts; Mrs Campbell 60 cts; Mrs Cook, D. McGilvry, for 1871, N & J McKenzie, D Stewart H Clark, G W Lambly, Don McKenzie, D McKenzie, R Stuart, J Kelso, W McKillop, J H Marsh, Mrs Smith, J McKillop, D McKillop Mrs Cook, W Gardiner, each 50 cts; smaller sums \$2 70.

Jollette.—N Rondeau, \$4.

Klugston.—W R Spencer, \$1; Dr Mair, \$1.

Lachue.—Miss Dawes, \$5; Miss Julia Wilgress, \$10.

Leith.—“A friend of Missions” for support of pupil, \$40; on account of support of a Colporteur, \$300.

Lindsay.—Col by Col Haultain, \$32 65; Col public meeting Can Pres Ch, \$4 65; T M Fairbairn, M P P, \$5; G & O Bigelow, \$2; W Grace, S C Wood, W Milne, R Fairbairn, C L Coulter, J McLennan, J Watson, J Maguire, J Neelands, J Dobson, J Haisley, J Lancashire, J Hamilton, A Cox, D Browne, J Richmond, J McKilbon, N McDougall, S McMurtry, P H Millar, R Hudspeth, each \$1.

North Nation Mills.—D A Cameron, \$1; Mrs Cameron, \$4; Miss Murchison, \$2.

Ottawa.—Congregational Ch S S, \$25; Collected by Col Haultain, \$169 51, viz: Colat public meeting in Wesleyan Ch, (less expenses) \$47 01; A Gilmour, \$20; G Hay, \$10; Garland, Mutchmore & Co, Rev W McLaren, H F Bronson, Perley & Pattee, T D Harington T McKay, each \$5; Fingland & Draper, Hon R Tilley, Hon J C Atkins, Rev Ed Ebbs, each \$4; J Durie, Blyth & Kerr, J Cunningham, A Drummond, C V Noel, H V Noel, W Clegg, T M Russell, Elliott & Hamilton, J Drysdale, N Godard, Bate & Co, J T W Pennock, Rev D M Gordon, D Eastwood, J Buchanan, A Russell, H Hill, each \$2; H Durie, J J Little, G Mann, A Masson, E McGillivray, J Skinner, J Dalglis, J Sweetland M D, J Beatty, R E & J C Jamieson, each \$1; Peacock, 50c.

Paspebiac.—D Bisson, \$20.

Peterboro.—Wm Hall, \$50; Col by Col Haultain, \$116 25, viz: Col public meeting Can Pres Ch, \$13 75; A H Campbell, \$10; Rev J M Roger, \$3; Miss Nicholls, A Smith, G A Cox, Mrs Nicholls, J M Smith, J A Hall, T W Nisbet, Sheriff Hall, each \$5; A Friend, \$4; R Z Hall, Mrs Strickland, Dr Taylor, J Erskine, Mrs S Dickson, A B Kidd Mr & Mrs Haylitt, each \$2; W Johnston, J McWilliams, W Johnston, R Innes, D Lowry, W Cameron, Mrs Scott, Miss Scott, R Turnbull, W G Thomson, J Taylor, W Coulter, R Strickland, M Sanderson, W Patterson, J Stevenson, T Lannin, J Robinson, P Connal, J Bradbury, J Best, C Ormond, J Walton, J D Collins, J T Stenson, T Donnelly, each \$1; A Friend, 50c.

Pointe aux Trembles.—Col at Monthly Missionary Meeting of pupils, \$17.

Priceville.—D Fraser, \$5.

Quebec.—“Anonymous,” \$20; Col by Col Haultain, \$656 87, viz: James G Ross, \$200; Col at public meeting, \$17 60; Mrs Ross, John Ross, each \$50; Chalmers Ch S S, \$40; Children of Mrs Muraire's Mission School, \$3 27; John Gilmour, \$25; James Gibb, Gibb, Laird & Co, R R Dobell & Co, each \$20; J Hossack, \$12; C Wurtle, J C Thomson, A Thomson, F Ross, W Cream, D A Ross, Mackay & Warner, H Fry, each \$10; P Johnston, P Peebles, R Smith, W & R Brodie, Mrs Clark, T H Dunn, G C Hossack, W Richardson, O L Richard-on, J C Crawford, W Hossack, J Stevenson, J Woodley, each \$5; J G Chapman, G B Hall, J Storey, H S Scott, each \$4; D Wilkie, M Stevenson, M Miller, Rev W B Clark, H Ross, A Robertson, J Whitehead, W Whitehall, C R Hossack, W D Campbell, D Robertson, G Hall, J Geggie, J Louis, Mrs Agnes Campbell, C W Wilme, H W Welch, each \$2; G Thompson, W Brown, Mrs Bankier, J Baile, each \$1.

Robinson.—A Boy, \$1.

Roxburgh.—J Robinson (Monckland, P O) \$5.

Rugby.—Sab School Missionary Society, \$5.

Sherbrooke.—Col by Rev R P Duclos, \$50, viz: T Morey, \$5; Hon J S Sanborn, A Paton, E Clark, each \$3; T A Waterhouse & Co, S F Morey, Mrs A T Sanborn, E Hargrave, J Foss, Rev A and Mrs Duff, C H Fletcher, E B Loomis, each \$2; M McKechnie, \$1 75; E C Foote, T S Tuck, W Addie, Mrs Smith, Mrs H R Beckett, Mrs E J Brooks, J McNicol, R Hall, Mrs McFarlane, M W Ritchie, S Tuck, J S Walton, G Brooks, Rev A Duff jr, Miss Kate Duff, E H Duff, J F McKay, each \$1; Mrs H Hubbard, Miss H Farnham, each 50c; E M Foss, 25c.

St. Andrews.—Mrs Col Johnson, \$10; T Turner, \$2; Col per Rev D Patterson, \$30 35, viz: J McPhee, 50c; small sums, 60c. Col by Miss E McLachlan, \$2; A St Denis, Mrs St Denis, each 50c; small sums, \$1. Col by Miss C Harrington, \$21 25; Rev A Henderson \$10; C Wales, W Harrington, each \$2; A Dewar, T Lamb, Mrs T Meikle, Rev D Patterson, C T Wales, each \$1; C Davis, Mrs Steven, Mrs D Dewar, each 50c; Friends, 75c; Col by Misses Turner \$2 50; Miss Harrington, Miss Brown, Mrs Turner, each 50c; small sums, \$1; Col by Misses McMartin and McOwat, \$3 50; P McMartin, J McOwat, each 50c; small sums, \$2 50.

St. Catherine's.—“In Memoriam,” \$2; Col by Col Haultain, \$57 65, viz: Col at Union Meeting, \$20 15; J Dougan, \$5; A Jeffrey, \$4; Rev R Norton, J McCalla, J Norris, each \$3; T Shaw, C A F Ball, each \$2; A Lepper, R McLaren, R Laurie, W B Allen, H Wilson, R Struthers, J S Thomson, T McIntyre, W B Beeton, C E Hamilton, D R Wilkie, Miss Carnall, C P Simpson, T H Na-smith, J Mills, Jr, each \$1; S W Chambers, 50c.

Ste. Cecile.—A Templeton, \$1; B Giroux, \$1; Col by Rev J A Vernon, \$8 50, viz: L Giroux \$3 50; S Larche, J Duclous, each \$2; Mdme Duclous, \$1.

St. Hyacinthe.—Col by Rev R P Duclous, \$67 15, viz: J Daigneau, \$10; G E Burnett, \$7 50; Rev R P Duclous, Mrs S Duclous, J Heribel, S P Duclous, P Payan, Miss M E Rich, each \$5; L Gabus, J Kenny, Miss O Duclous, E Auger, Joshua, Friend, each \$2; E Paille, M Bergeron, Miss E Ward, Mrs Deseve, A Friend, each \$1; Cash, 50c; small sums, \$2 15.

St. Justine de Newton.—Col by R F Morrison, \$5, viz: R F Morrison, \$2; C Stackhouse & Son, \$1; A Morrison, J McArthur, A McArthur, each 50c; G Hope, D Morrison, each 25c.

Tempo.—Col by Thos Weldon, Sr, \$24, viz: T Weldon, Sr, \$4; C McKellar, D Dundas, I Weldon, J E Weldon, A Harwood, Mrs A Bailey, Mrs R Bailey, Mrs R H Bailey, R H Bailey, M Caughell, G Axford, J Thom, J Owrey, T Weeks, each, \$1; S Vanstone, G Stevens, C Minns, J Stanton, J D Elwood, Mrs C Baker, C King, R R Goulding, Rev Mr Lund, each 50c; smaller sums, \$1 50.

Toronto—"A Christian Friend," \$1; Branches of the Upper Canada Bible Society per Rev J Gemley, \$81 82.

Vankleek Hill.—Mrs Mary Kellie, \$3.

West Montrose.—T Bruce, \$15.

Windsor Mills.—J Brown, per Rev J McKillican, \$5.

3. Contributions from Congregations and Sabbath Schools of Canada Presbyterian Church, \$722 90.

Remitted direct to Treasurer, \$501 90.

Avonbank.—\$10.

Binbrook.—Per Rev. G. Cheyne, \$9 11.

Fergus.—S. S. for Pupil, \$40.

Fullarton.—\$3 25.

Laucaster.—S S per H McLean, \$6 75.

Montreal.—Erskine Ch S S, \$30; St Mary St Mission S S \$11; Erskine Ch \$88 80; Coté St Ch S S for pupil, \$40; Nazareth St Mission S S, \$10.

Oakville.—S S \$20 10.

Ottawa.—Knox Ch S S for pupil, \$40.

Pakenham.—S S \$8.

Peterboro.—S S \$15.

St. Catherines.—First Ch S S \$15; W J McCalla \$5.

Strabane.—\$5.

Stratford.—S S for pupil \$40.

Tapleystown.—Per Rev G Cheyne \$4 89.

Wakefield.—S S for pupil \$40.

Westwood.—Collected by Misses Elizabeth Becket and Elizabeth Fife, \$25, viz: Miss E Becket, Mrs J Fife, each \$2; Miss E Fife, \$1 25; J Fife, R Fife, J Becket, J Cameron, Mrs J Cameron, J Cameron, Jr, D Cameron, R Harrison, H Nelson, A Esson, each \$1; Miss C Becket, T Barrie, E Cameron, H Christie, Miss M Cameron, Mrs W Lermouth, G Shearer, P Elmhurst, J Hope, W Sharp, S Griffin, Mrs Tudhope, each 50c; smaller sums, \$3 75.

Woodstock.—Knox Ch S S \$30.

Received from Rev William Reid \$221 00.

Cold Springs.—Mrs Orr \$3.

Elora.—Knox Ch \$10.

Galt.—Knox Ch S S for pupil \$60; Union Ch S S \$18.

Hamilton.—Central Ch S S \$40.

Port Hope.—S S \$5.

Toronto—Gould St Ch \$40; Bay St Ch \$10, and S S \$10.

Wakefield.—\$20.

J C "thank offering," \$5.

4. Collections in Canada per Rev. J. T. Byrne, \$4118 64.

Almonte, \$31 75.—J. H. Wylie, Rosamond Woolen Co., Rev. W. McKenzie, Mrs. Wylie, Senr., each \$2; Dr. J. Allen, W. H. Wylie, E. Clint, J. Back, A. Elliott, W. Riddell, J. McGuire, J. Jamieson, J. A. Gemmill, Hayes & Smith, J. Greig, W. Templeman, John Scott, J. Reid, W. Anderson, Rev J Bennett, G Patterson, J Flett, Dr Patterson, J Menzies, Mrs Davis, N Stewart, each \$1; R Dulmage, J McGuire, J S Patterson, each 50c; small sums, 25c.

Arnprior, \$28 37.—Col Pres. Ch, \$2 62; W Russell, A Garrioch, each \$2; Mrs W Buchan, \$1 25; R Young, N Robertson, Mrs Burwash, W Oakden, W J McDonald, Dr. Armstrong,

Rev D J McLean, Dr Cranston. D M Fennie J B Lyon, Mrs T Stewart, G Wilson, R Lyon, each \$1; D Goodwin, G Fraser, J Thomson. J Rorison, Mrs Campbell, W Allen, A Parker, G Milne, Mrs Bates, E Eady, J Whittlaw. W S Watson, G Craig, J Whyte, J W Glenn, each 50c.

Baltimore Sab Col Can Pres Ch \$9 05.

Barrie, \$42.85—Sheriff Smith, \$5; Mrs A C Thomson, D Campbell, F Cayley, G E Hague J Henderson, Mrs A Morrow, each \$2; A Graham, Mrs Lane, Miss L Lane. W Freeke, A Lang, J C Morrow, J Edwards, J Locke, J Woods, W Holt, R J Edwards, H D Stewart Rev M Fraser, Rev E Morgan, Rev D C McDowell, A McNab, J Walker, J McWatt, W Hunter, G J Beattie, John Ross, G Templeman, each \$1; G Lount, C Morris, D Morrow, B R Nicholson, H Bird, R Ross, W H Cox, each 50c; small sums 35c.

Belleville Ladies' Association, \$148 77—John St Pres Ch Sab School for pupil, \$40; Col Ketchison Ward per Mrs Blacklock and Mrs Northrup, \$33 00; Mr Dunnet, \$5; Mrs Richardson, \$2; Mrs Thomson, Messrs Chown, Sawyer, J Hogg, W W Jones, Tirkell, Yeomans, D Robertson, T Lazier, McFee, W Johnston, Haymes, Thomson, Leggett & Abbott, Robertson & Henry, N Jones, G Colton, J Muedell, J Lewis, W W Dean, Dr Kalyea, each \$1; Messrs Page & Thomson, W Robertson, Graham P H Hambly, Hunt, R R Lloyd, Malloch Conger, each 50c *North Baldwin Ward*, per Misses Martha Holden and Jack, \$11 75; Mr Odell, \$2; Mrs W R Dean, Mrs Hanwell, Mrs Esson, Mr Campbell, each \$1; Mrs Jack, Mrs J Keith, Mrs Gordon, Mrs Miles, Mrs Forin, Mrs J Smith, Mrs J Davis, Miss McAdie, Miss M Holden, Mr Fullerton, each 50c; smaller sums, 75c; *South East Division* per Mrs Meacham and Mrs Tannahill, \$19 45; Dr Hope, Mr Meacham, A Friend, Mrs D D Bogart, Mrs Holton, each \$2; Mrs McAnnarry, Mrs Lister, Miss Wallbridge, Mrs Flint, Mr Foster, Mrs Boulter, Mrs Tannahill, each \$1; Mrs J Phippen, Mrs W Davy, Mrs Neil, each 50c; smaller sums, 95c. *South Baldwin Ward*, per Miss Jones and Mrs W Holton, \$14 57; Dr Holden, \$5; F Van Norman, Mrs Jutherland, Mrs Burton, Mrs J B Flint, each \$1; Mrs H Corbie, 60c; Mrs Bell, Mrs Crozier, Mrs Kelso, Mrs C P Holton, Mrs T Holden, Miss H Jones, Mrs Appleby, Mrs Jones, each 50c; smaller sums, 97c *Coleman Ward*, per Mrs Blacklock, \$7 60; Mr Northrup, \$2; Messrs Cook, W H Marsh, Coburn, Mrs Blacklock, each \$1; Mrs Linklater, Mr Hogg, each 50c; smaller sums, 60c. *West Belleville*, per Mrs Blacklock and Miss Harold, \$5 70; Mrs S Baker, Miss Ritchie, Mrs H Yemans, Mrs Greene, each \$1; Miss Ponton, Mr Campbell, each 50c; smaller sums, 70c; per Mrs Esson, \$7 93; H Wallbridge, \$5; Mr Muedell, \$1; Mrs Elgin, 93c; Mr Miles, Mrs Denmark, each 50c—Total Collection, \$100. Pub Col Con Ch, \$4 77; Rev J C Smith, R White, A Christie, Rev R Lewis, each \$1.

Bowmanville, \$81 50.—F Raynes, A F Deputy, each \$5; Cong Sab School, \$4; D Fisher, Murdoch Brothers Pub Col Town Hall, each \$3; J McDougall, R & H O'Hara, Thos Patterson H Draper, D Towns, Mrs T Christie, Dr Beith, each \$2; Rev J Smith, Rev G N Dickson, Rev T M Reikie, J McMurtry, W R Climie, Rev C Barker, W McMurtry, Senr, T Yellowlees, Dr Patterson, D Stott C Stott T Bowden, F F McArthur, J McClung, T E Simson, J McLeod, J Milne, T Brodie, W Porter B Sherin, P W Consul, J Rankin, Farewell, McGee & Rutledge, C R D Booth C D Spalding, J K Galbraith, Mrs R Armour, Mrs Armour, Senr, Mrs (Dr) Low, Mrs Richardson, Dr Allison, M Porter, John Pinch, C Tod, J Higginbotham, D Shedding, each \$1; M Mayer, W McMurtry, J Sumpter, J M Brimacombe, J Guard, J McLellan, W Thompson, Rev J Boyle, W J Jones, G McGill, D McMillan, J Christie, each 50c.

Brentford, \$145 25.—Pub Col in Con Ch, \$35 25; I Cockshutt, \$30; Mrs Cockshutt, \$10; Rev J Wood, \$8; Miss M M Cockshutt, Mrs J Laycock C H Waterous & Co, Leeming & Paterson, J & F Ott, each \$5; A Robertson, A Hudson, H W Brethour, J Wilkes, G Foster, T McLean, D R Blackader, each \$2; S Read Judge Jones, Rev T Lowry, Rev W R Parker, Rev W Cochrane, W Matthews, D Plewes, J Ker, Dr Nichol, E C Passmore, CS Mason C Duncan, A D Clement, P C Allan, A Morton, A J Wilkes, G Watt R Turner, W W Belding, C B Moore, A Cleghorn, each \$1; Dr Corson S Park, J Sutherland, J B King, each 50c.

Brockville, \$53.75.—Mrs C Jones, \$4; Mrs (Rev) Traver, G Hutcheson, Mrs G Malloch, Mrs J P Lee, each \$2; Mrs E J Senkler, \$1 50; Adiel Sherwood, J Murray, J Hall, T J B Harding, A H Starr, G A Starr, G B Murray, W Sherwood, W A Schofield, David Jones, H S McDonald, M P P, M White, H Shepherd, J L Schofield, Sheriff Dickinson, G Easton, A H Merrill, O Jones, J & R Blyth, Mrs A Turner, J Kyle, T Gilmour, W Gilmour, R Shepherd, T Wilkinson, G McLean, F L Lothrop, Wm Fitzsimmons, Mrs Dana, J Smart, J J Hannan, A G McCrady, Manhard & Mc Dougall, F Hannan, J Lafayette, J Hawkes, E Lawless, each \$1; W E Knowles, 75c; C Sibbald, Miss Stewart, G R Griffin, R A Field, C Overell, each 50c.

Carlton Place, \$43 00—A McArthur, A McDonald, each \$4; J Gillies, A Friend, Miss Gillies, each \$3; J Brown R Bell, J F Cram, Rev J Carswell, Dr McVean, each \$2; G Lowe, W Neelin, J Cram, W Bredin, W Taylor, P Truthers, W Carley, W Peden, G McPherson, Mrs J Poole, J Poole, A H Tait, D Findlay, Miss McCrostie, each \$1; S Reid, Mrs H Brown, A W Bell, Miss Mary Bell, each 50c.

Chatham, \$100 53—K Urquhart, \$6; S Barfoot, T Stone, J McKeough, H Malcolmsor, H F Cumming, each \$5; W McKeough, R K Payne, each \$3; G E Young, H & L Lamont, T McCrossen, Downie & Adam, W Fraser, R Lowe & Co, Coate & Lamont, R Smith (Indian Creek), P O McKellar, R Stephenson, M P, J Moorish, J Mackerrall, T H Taylor, P E McKerral each \$2; Col in Town Hall, \$1 73; S Traxler, D Cameron, D McNaughton, J Hyslop, M Weir, J Gardiner, W R Ballard, W Gray, J A Hoon, W Richards, T Holmes, H Verrall, J Mercer, T Carrolon, A G Mess, J Tilt, J Lamont, J Rice, J Wall, R S Wood, W S Ireland, E C Rolls, A McKay, A Young, Baxter & Brown, Rev E B Ryckman, Rev A McCall, L A Blackburn, G Taylor, R N Rogers, each \$1; K Campbell, 75c; Mrs Cooper, 55c; R O Smith, A Friend, A G Gordon, T Cournhard, Dr Holmes, each 50c.

Clifton, \$27 25.—Rev Dr G Bell, Alonzo Ross, each \$2; Miss T M M Bell, J G Wright, G W Mastin, J N Burns, U Bowen, Mrs Ward, J Merrall, Mrs Henderson, Miss Henderson, P G Bender, G W Taylor, T Ward, Miss M J Ward, J Waugh, Mrs T Turner, M Lawson, Dr Oiver, T Butters, H E Woodford, J T Bush, each \$1; W Tossell, F H Graham, T Goodes, J Wallace, W Harrison, E Redpath, each 50c; small sum, 25c.

Clinton, \$74 90—R Irwin and family, \$50; M Lough, M McTaggart, each \$2; Rev J McCuaig, Mrs S Davis, Mrs Searle, W Murray, J Campbell, H Wallace, W Coats, Hugh Scott, D McNeil, C Cruickshank, M McTaggart, T Fair, D B Strathy, P Cavan, Mr McMurchie, J Fair, Mrs P Wilson, each \$1; T Stevenson, W McHaffie, N Robson, Farland Brothers, E Holmes, Mrs Rance, D Potter, J Archibald, S Wilson, each 50c; A Matheson, 40c.

Cobourg, \$103 65.—Can Pres Ch Sab School for support of a pupil, \$30; J Fraser, Mrs Fraser, F eld & Bro, Mrs J Hague, J D Roberts, each \$5; Wm Kerr, \$3; Winans & Butler, J R Roper, D Brodie, F A Despard, each \$2; J Field Sen, C Lawes, J Pratt, J Sutherland, T Gilbard, J Butler, A Hewson, T Pratt, A S Kennedy, Rev W Briggs, J Crossen, A Holmes, Mulholland & Brown, Dr Cullingford, J T Holman, S Retallack, Rev W Hooper, R Winch, O W Powell, L Kobold, J H Dumble, J & J McIntyre, Graham & Minnaker, W Polson, I Lawrence, H Hough, A Black, T McNaughton, A Pringle, Sheriff Waddell, W Hargraft, S Collings, T Dumble, each \$1; R Wilson, J Fletcher, E A Macnachtan, A Roberts, F House, T Morrow, each 50c; J Gilley, 40c; W B Thomas, 25c.

Columbus and Brooklyn, \$17 91.—Columbus Can Pres Ch Sab Col \$13 19; Brooklyn Sab Col Can Pres Ch \$4 72.

Collingwood, \$40 25.—J C Hughson, \$5; W A Parlane, \$4; W B Hamilton, C Macdonell, H Robertson, each \$2; C Stephens, \$1 50; E R Carpenter, \$1 25; J McMaster, C Gamon, J Cunningham, G Moberly, H M Cleland, J Henderson, Mrs D Port, Mrs Ryley, A Melville, T W Fair, C Wiggins, R Hunter, W A Brown, G Foreman, Mrs T Winters, G Watson, Dr A R Stephen, N Hilborn, W H Russell, each \$1; D S Keddie, J Greaves, J B Henderson, E Thomson, H Lawrence, T Bassett, H Telfer, each 50c.

Cornwall, \$51 05.—A Hodge, \$5; W Mack, \$4; R Craig, \$3; Mrs J F Pringle, J McPhee, R W McFarlane, W Ross, P E & C P Adams, D B McLennan, R W Turner, each \$2; E Kewin, J Kilgour, N McLean, Ross Bros, Sheriff McIntyre, J B McLennan, Dr Pringle, J Kirkpatrick, W Mattice, J B McKenzie, Dr Dickinson, Mrs J Ross, R Smyth, Rev N McNish, Mrs Urquhart, G Mattice, C J Mattice, N Turner, W M Park, Mrs D Liddell, H Campbell, J P Watson, J Bilsland, J McIntyre, Mrs Whitehead, each \$1; A little grandson, 5c.

Drummondville, \$32 55.—W Lowell, \$5; J C Woodruff, J Gervin, each \$2; W McKay, Mrs Duncan, Sen, Mrs W Nicol, Rev J Y Cameron, J Wills, Mrs Kick, J Kerr, Mrs H Taylor, Rev J A F McBain, S Dickie, each \$1; Mrs Parkington, Miss Wonham, G Weir, J Campbell, Rev J Mills, W Kerr, each 50c; small sums, 55c.

Galt Auxiliary Association, \$127 30.—Collected by Misses Jamieson and Fairgrieve, \$6 35; D Ferguson, Mrs Nichol, each \$1; small sums \$4 35. Collected by Misses Shellard and McKilligan, \$8 85. Collected by Mrs McDonald and Miss McMillan, \$7 37; D Fraser, \$1 05; small sums, \$6 32. Collected by Miss H Buchanan, \$4 50; J Buchanan, J Leece, Mrs H White, each \$1; small sums, \$1 50. Collected by Miss Carrick and Mrs Lake, \$10 20; T Moffatt, \$2; Miss Carrick, S Moffatt, Mr Lake, each \$1; small sums, \$5 20. Collected by Misses Deans and Cowan, \$4 58. Collected by Misses Slater and Scott, \$7 29; A Elliott, \$1; small sums, \$6 29. Collected by Miss Cummin, \$1 75; Collected by Misses Campbell and Wilson, \$7 77; H Wallace, A Wilson, G Barrie, Mrs A Landreth, each \$1; small sums, \$3 77. Collected by Mrs Ramsay and Mrs McAuslan, \$9 73; Mrs Buchanan, \$1; small sums, \$8 73. Collected by Misses M J Allan and Addison, \$13 25; T Stewart, \$2; G Hume, \$1; small sums, \$10 25. Collected by Misses Lutz and Crozier, \$10 30; Mrs Dr Tassie, \$2; M C Lutz, D Brown, Mrs J K Smith, each \$1; small sums, \$5 30. Collected by Misses Miller and Cook, \$1 15; J Sudden, \$1; small sums, 15c. Collected by Misses Coulthard and Rutherford, \$3 88. Collected by Misses Crystal and Wright, \$14 75; Mrs J Goldie, \$5; small

sums, \$9 75. Collected by Misses Phillips and Reid, \$7 22; A Ker, \$2; Mrs Ferguson, Mrs Fleming, Mrs Bentley, each \$1; small sums, \$2 22. Collected by Miss Moffatt, \$12 75; T Moffatt, \$2; D Potter, S Moffatt, Mrs Bell, Mrs J Lake, each \$1; small sums, \$6 75. Collection at Annual Meeting, \$2 01. Total, \$133 70. *Less Expenses*, \$6 40.

Georgetown, \$28 26.—James Barber, W Leslie, each \$5; Col Epis Meth Ch, \$3 74; Rev J Unsworth, J B Dayfoot, Rev R Burchill, T Rustin, Hugh McKay, T Young, Dr Freeman, Rev M Swan, J Barber, Sen, J C Hillock, each \$1; A McKinley, 52c; Mr Ruddell, J C Hurst, L L Bennett, B Thompson, T Clark, J Wilson, R D McMaster, each 50c; small sums, 50c.

Goderich, \$10 43.—Rev R Ure, A Dickson, R McKay & Bro, Sheriff McDonald, Mrs McDonald, H Horton, each \$2; Rev W S Blackstock, A Waddell, E McKay, Rev J B Kay, Dr McLean, J C Deilor, G Cattle, D Strachan, J Saunders, R Gibbons, M P P, J Mitchell, D Ferguson, Mrs Glass, Rev J Sieveright, J T Garrow, D Gordon, G McKenzie, E Campaigne, F H Finlay, R Runciman, H Horton, Capt Cox, each \$1; A Smith, S Yates, W R Squier, D McKenzie, W R Robertson, J Stewart, N Campbell, G Grant, J B Story, A P McLean, G Barry, each 50c; W Arthur, 48c; small sums, 45c.

Grimsby, \$20 76.—Sab Col Can Pres Ch, \$6 80; Col Wes Meth Ch, \$2 71; Rev J G Murray, W W Kitchen, each \$2; W Forbes, Dr Woolverton, J D Fitch, Rev C Silvester, E J Palmer, D Palmer, each \$1; M Sammons, 50c; small sums, 75c.

Guelph, \$118 25.—Chalmers' Ch Sab School, for support of a pupil, \$40; Contribution from Knox Church, \$31; C Raymond, J Mickle, each \$5; D Guthrie, \$2 50; A Worsley, S Hodgskin, D Savage, J Horsman, G Elliot, R Baker, Rev W F Clarke, each \$2; S Boulton, Rev T Wardrope, J Crowe, J S Osborn, G Howard, A M Jackson, R Thompson, W D Hepburn, G Hadden, E Newton, Mrs Mitchell, Mrs Goldie, E H Arms, J Hough, G Sandilands, J Innes, Mrs Tatham, Miss Skinner, each \$1; B Savage, W Stewart, Mrs Budd, Mr Lawrence, each 50c; small sums, 25c.

Hamilton, \$242 00.—McNab St C P Sab School, \$60; J Watson, \$20; H Kent, A F S, each \$10; D Moore, E Jackson, J Turner, T C Kerr, D McLellan, A Harvey, J M Williams, M P P, D McInnes, A Binny, J H Park, J Young, Dr McDonald, P Dewar, each \$5; J J McKenzie, Sheriff Thomas, Isabella Reid, each \$4; G James, Field & Davidson, J Garrett, C R Murray, T C Watkins, J Simpson, J L Stewart, A Murray, W Chisholm, F W Gates, J Campbell, G A Young, A Hope, A Brown, Rev Dr Rice, each \$2; J A Bruce, J J Mason, J Bancroft, A Stuart, J Beasley, J Henry, A Cook, R Dale, J C Partullo, W Gunner, J G Burkholder, J Kilgour, T W Bearman, E R Kent, G T Gillespie, J Osborne, A Sutherland, Rev A B Simpson, J Moodie, W R McDonald, R Brierley, J Stanbury, W G Stark, Lawson Eros, J M Lottridge, J Reid, J Robertson, each \$1.

Ingersoll, \$41 62.—F H Barraclough, J Gordon, each \$4; Col Knox Church, \$2 37; J Barker, J Browett, O B Caldwell, A McLean, R Agur, D White, J Macniven, R Kneeshaw, W Gillespie, D Holmes, C E Chadwick, J M Caughey, G T Shapnell, P J Brown, Noxon Bros, J C Galloway, Dr Springer, G Williams, A Friend, T D Millar, W McDowell, Rev P Wright, A Oliver, M P P, D S Burdick, W Hayward, J Stuart, Rev R N Grant, T Brown, each \$1; A Gordon, M B Holcraft, J McIntyre, M Walsh, D H Flook, J M Grant, each 50c; small sums, 25c.

Kincardine, \$60 35.—H McMath, Miss N M Johnston, each \$5; John McLeod, A M Williamson, D McKenzie, each \$2; J D Gordon, T Blair, J G McArthur, D McInnes, W C Lascombe, B Carter, J Y S Kirk, G E Gibbon, P D McInnes, D A McDonald, A McLeod, W H Hurdon, W Rastall, J Wright, G Sturgeon, P McInnes, D Cameron, A Andrews, J A McPherson, J Cooke, J Johnston, R Baird, J Brown, J Watson, P T Dunn, W Ellis, A Thomson, D Donald, G W B Cuthbertson, T J Fisher, each \$1; W Clarke, 60c; E Leslie, J Hurdon, E Fox, D McDonald, H McDonald, J Fisher, J Fisher, J McKay, J Kerr, W Ramsay, J Vanstan, J T Paterson, B D Barnes, W Kay, J Ferguson, J McAulay, Mrs B Coombs, W Leadbetter, J W Ward, R Malcolm, Rev J McLennan, each 50c; small sums, 85c.

Kingston, \$146 25.—Mrs T Hendry, G Robertson & Son, J Carruthers, each \$10; Calvin & Breck, A Gunn, J Watkins, J Macnee, Chown & Cunningham, Geo Chaffey & Bro, Mrs E H Hardy, Geo S Fenwick, J Breden, each \$5; B W Robertson, \$4; J A Hendry & Bro, \$3; R M Rose, A McAlister, A Chown, J G McDonald, S Muckleston, G Davidson, T Robertson, R V Rogers, Mrs Hamilton, Dr Yates, Wm Ireland, A McPherson, Dr Clements, each \$2; Rev Prof Mowat, H Dumble, R White, S P White, Dr Dickson, J Hope, A Ross, J Moore, S Harper, G Thompson, J Kearns, A Bamford, R Kent, W Ford, Dr Skinner, Rev K M Fenwick, A Falconer, Miss Sampson, R McCammon, A Livingston, T Brennan, G S Hobart, Mrs (Dr) Machar, W A Gunn, W Kirk, J Greenfield, W Robinson, M P P, J G King, P M Barker, B M Britton, J Gardiner, G Offord, Mrs W G Hinds, J Duff, T G Rudd, Dr Mair, each \$1; Aaylor, Prof McKerras, each 50c; small sums, 25c.

Lancaster, \$16 25.—P McLeod, N Gillis, E McLachlan, R McDonald, A McInnes, A Dickson, A Cameron, D Sangster, each \$1; Dr Harkness, R J McDougall, G McBean, H Munro, D Fraser, E McRae, A Maxwell, D McNaughton, J McLean, A McLennan, J W Grant, W Harper, H McLean, J McGillis, each 50c; small sums, \$1 25.

Listowell, \$3 00.—W N Climie, G R Mortimer, Dr J Livingston, each \$1.

London, 145 39.—St Andrew's Ch Sab School, for a pupil, \$5; A & J G McIntosh, J Birrell, J Burt Sutherland, Labatt & Co, each \$5; A Murray, \$3; L Gibson, J Cameron & Co, J Atkinson, W Rowland, Plummer & Pacey, E W Hyman, H Briant, Elliott Bros, J Jeffery, V Cronyn, L Lawless, Mrs Goodhue, J Elliott, C B Hunt, B Cronyn, W Carling, Hon J Carling, Bishop Huron, each, \$2; Col New Con Meth Ch, \$1 89; Rev G Richardson, J Squance, A Thomson, J T Boyd, J T G Porteus, Rev A Kennedy, Mrs Kennedy, Miss M G Kennedy, A Johnston, W Clark, F Rowland, E Rowland, E Plummer, W Saunders, Dr Salter, Rev J Scott, G Burns, W Simson, J R Laing, Rev Dr Proudfoot, A Tytler, J Williams, J McMecham, J J Dyas, P Smith, B A Mitchell, H S Murray, J D Saunby, J L Dampier, J Wilson, (at G Morehead's,) A J G Henderson, E A Taylor, T Carling, Mrs W Duffield, Mrs Chisholm, Mrs J Ross, J H Fraser, J Michie. W Rock, Sheriff Glass, J Green, S Peters, G Robinson, C Hutchinson, J Cousins, D Lester, Capt Millar, W Bowman, each \$1; G M Gunn, R S Murray, Miss A McWhirter, each 50c.

Mitchell, \$40 15.—Col Can Pres Ch, \$8 80; Col Union Sab Schools, \$6 60; Thomson & Williams, \$2; D McIntyre, Rev J W Mitchell, A Stephens, B Switzer, O Sinclair, P D Freeman, J Thom, J Robinson, W Thomson, R W Currie, A Davidson, A Thomson, Mrs Aiken, F F Pole, C Thom, J Bristow, J Huston, each \$1; Mrs F J Clegg, A F Matteson, D McPhail, W Wood, D Clark, John Wright, W Doig, J T Hicks, D McMonies, each 50c; small sums, \$1 25.

Napanee, \$54 12.—Sab Col W M Ch, \$5 67; E Rathbun, (Mill Point,) \$5; Sab Col C P Ch, \$4 10; J S Cartwright, \$4; Sab Col (Mill Point,) \$2 10; S Gibson, A Smith, each \$2; Wilson & Bro, \$1 50; Rev J Scott, Rev G Meacham, Ferguson Bros, T S Henry, S T Clements, J Gibbard, R A Leslie, Grange & Bro, A L Morden, R Downey, P H Scott, Rev James Thompson, G H Downey, W A McMullen, Boyle & Wright, W H Wilkinson, E Hover, L R Hover, R S Shipman, J A Fraser, Dr Ruttan, Mrs Percy, each \$1; A C Davis, 75c; R Chown, T H Waller, J C Huffman, Mrs Templeton, D Cran, W Munro, W R McRae, Rev S G Stone, W A Reeve, G S Sexsmith, each 50c.

Newcastle, \$18 65.—Pub Col Can Pres Ch \$2 65; Northrop & Lyman, \$2; Dr McNaughton, J P Lovekin, F Farncomb, H Hodges, P M, Templeton Bros, J McDonald, A F Walbridge, Mrs M L Walbridge, W W Tamblin, G A Jacobs, J Harrison, each \$1; E Fielding, T Douglas, T Miller, R Fothergill, W Wagstaff, T Tamblin, each 50c.

Newmarket, \$18 50.—A Friend, \$5; N Gorham, W Roe, P M, each \$2; C H Simpson, R Simpson, D Sutherland, R H Smith, J Millard, J J Pearson, J Cook, Dr J J Hunter, each \$1; A Budge, A Fyfe, Dr Nash, each 50c.

Niagara, \$39 00.—Miss N Ball, \$5; R N Ball, \$4; T M Rowland, \$3; Rev C Campbell, Hon W H Dixon, J W Ball, each \$2; H Paffard, J Smither, R Rogers, Smith & Woodington, W McClelland, S H Follett, J Rogers, T P Blain, R Warren, J J Devoe, Mrs T Elliott, W Hacker, Mrs Malloy, J McKenzie, Rev W H Winthron, H Skelton, W Little, W Malloy, J C Millen, each \$1; W Platt, J Carnochan, each 50c.

Orillia, \$39 75.—T Dallas, Tudhope Brothers, J & J B Perry, G M Wilson, each \$2; Ker-mott & Cooke, \$1 50; J Wallace, \$1 25; Rev J Gray, C McKinlay, F Evans, S S Robinson, G Elwell, G J Booth, A J Alport, Mrs Alport, F Kean, Pace & Main, Mrs Dallas, Sen, J Blain, Rev Dr Fowler, P Murray, J B Thompson, J W Minthorn, J P Henderson, J J Hatley, Dr Corbett, J Larard, G Lewis, J Sanson, R J Oliver, D L Sanson, P Christie, each \$1; J G Wilson, Miss L Alport, Dr Sanderson, B Fuller, R Parkhill, S Wainwright, Mrs Quinn, Mrs Scott, each 50c.

Oshawa, \$58 97.—Gibbs & Brother, \$10; Wm Wilkes, (Buffalo, U S) \$4; R C Steele, J S Steele, Dr McGill, each \$2; A Annis, G F Blamey, W T Atkinson, J W Fowke, P Taylor, J S Larke, T W Gibbs, C T Gibbs, Rev W Scott, R Smith, A Smith, T Guy, S Wood, S Trewin, Dr Rae, W H Thomas, Luke & Brother, J Smith, J H McLellan, T Hoskin, D Smith, P M, J B Harris, D McKay, W Ewart, G H Scott, A Henderson, A Burnnett, Mrs H Pedlar, J S Simson, G Garth, J Cade, J B Warren, D Garrold, G Henry, Mrs T J Eck, Dr Deanes, each \$1; J Hodder, R Woon, J F Willox, J Barnard, G H Pedlar, each 50c; A Friend, 47c.

Pakenham, \$28 00.—Col Can Pres Ch, \$3; Mrs W Dickson, D Hilliard, J Dunnet, Rev J Stewart, Mrs Dr Gibson, D E Scott, each \$2; Mrs A Dickson, J Thorburn, J H Hartney, J Smith, R Graham, W Tait, W Smith, J Quigley, Mrs Mayne, G Parker, each, \$1; W Dack, A H Tait, R Scott, J B Wickwire, G Dack, J Shaw, each 50c.

Paris, \$129 20.—Charles Whitlaw, \$50; N Hamilton, \$20; Pub Col River St Ch, \$11 20; Rev J Robertson, J & D Penman, each \$5; H Hart, \$4; A S Baird, D R Dickson, H Finlayson, M P P, each \$2; P O'Connor, R McCosh, Cameron, Montgomery & Co, T McCosh, Rev F W Farries, T Hall, Dr Lawrence, Mrs (Dr) Cook, R Richardson, D Finlayson, R Patterson, A Whitelaw, D Maxwell, Rev W Allworth, Con Ch Infant Class, D Patton, R Thomson, H Capron, W Walton, P McGregor, C Arnold, T N Bosworth, Rev W Morse, T Hill, each \$1; T Evans, J A Rice, M Wilson, J Breebaak, J Roberts, small sums, each 50c.

Perth, \$52 00.—Hon A Morris, \$5; T Weatherhead, \$4; J Gray, \$3; J Templeton, Dr Rugg, Sheriff Thompson, P Kilpatrick, Judge Malloch, P McLaren each \$2; M R Dodds, \$1 50; J Allan I Allan, G L Walker & Bro, T Scott, D Glossop Lane & Co, T Cairns, W McLeod, W Martindale, W W Berford J Bell, J Riddell, G Dunnet, R J Drummond, E G Malloch, E Kippen, H Mayberry, W Meighen, R Lillie, J Allan, (Hotel), H D Shaw, G Templeton, J Templeton, Jr, each \$1; J G Campbell, J Hart, R Matheson, R Croskery, J Coombs, W Butler, each 50c.

Petrolia, \$48 25—J D Noble, \$4; G Denham, McKenzie & Bro, Z H Fairbank, S J Lancaster, E D Kirby, J McKenzie, C Jenkins, J & J Kerr, T Draper, J McMillan, J McDougall, W K Gibson, J Harley, each \$2; D McClure, P Barclay, Dr Oliver, H Penton, J Brake, J Giles, C McCormick, J McMillan, Capt Tracey, J Rispin, J McDonald, C Wilson, E McQueen, R M Cooper A Burton Andrews & Manning, R McWhorter, each \$1; G E Murphy, A Dickson, each 50c small sums, 25c.

Port Hope, \$63 50.—W Craig, \$5; H Covert, R Hume, each \$4; J Craick, Mrs P Cassie, each \$3; W Craig, Jun. Miss Lyell, each \$2; J A Brock, Mary Ham, W Quay, S Lelean, W Gibson, R S Howell, J Howell, C Clemes, W S Tempest, C Quinlan, A M Cosby, W Fraser, W A Copeland, D J McLennan, E S Vindin, D Smart, S S Smith, D Crawford, Rev J King, Rev W Donald, Rev T B Howard, S Patterson, D Chisholm, R Dickson, A Cochrane, D Uleghorn, W McKechine, J Robertson, J Wright, R C Smith, H D Taylor, Dr Powers, Mulholland & Brown, T B Carson, each \$1; W F Paterson, G Mitchell, R Deyell, W Simpson, Rev J Baird, H & P Dobson, P R Randal, R H Read, A W Pringle, E Douglas, J Davis, Dr Neelands, each 50c; F Fulsher, A Friend, each 25c.

Port Perry and Prince Albert, \$45 47.—*Port Perry.* Col Bap Ch. \$5 82; Joseph Bigelow, A N Sexton, each \$3; 'For Christ's Sake,' \$2; G U White, J V Thompson, A W Roberts, W T Parrish, J W Allison, E Mundy, R Lunn, H Gordon, Rev J M Bates, W M Cochrane, Dr Martin, T Paxton, M P P, A Ross, G W Dryden, W Tate, each \$1. *Prince Albert,* David Cash and family \$5; Col Can Pres Ch, \$4 60; Col Wes M Ch, \$4 55; J C Forman, \$2.

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A P P E N D I X .

Extracts from Journals of the Missionaries.

ENCOURAGEMENT IN CIRCULATING THE HOLY SCRIPTURES.—At ——— we met with a French Canadian who had returned from the United States a few months before. He possesses a New Testament he received before he left Canada, which he makes his companion ; its discolored leaves and presence upon the family table attested better than words that it was often read. The parents of the young man are among those who commence to feel the yoke of the Romish clergy.

The Quebec clergy have been fulminating for several Sunday: against Madam Muraire's School. Several pupils have left, but new ones have replaced them, and God has caused consolation to flow from what seemed a great cause of grief. A woman came asking us to receive her child; Madame M. warned her that the school was a Protestant one. "Oh! I have no fear of the Protestants," she replied, "I was brought up by Madame Feller at Grande Ligne, and I would be happy to see my child educated in the same principles."

I spoke of the Gospel in the house where I lodged. The master related the difficulties he had with his priest, which gave me an excellent opportunity to preach the truth to him, as well as to his large family, which took an active part in the conversation. We see everywhere that the people are commencing to open their eyes to the errors of Rome.

A poor man came to my house on one of those very cold days when I was reading the Bible. Whilst he was warming himself, I read to him several passages; he asked me suddenly, if I drew my religious belief from this book. "Yes, sir," I replied. "But the priests forbid the reading and practicing the teachings of this book." "That is true," I said, "but I prefer obeying God rather than men." "You are right," he replied; "I do as you do; I read every day in this Testament, which I have had for three years, and all my happiness is in reading this holy book." He is a very interesting man, a true Missionary; every where he sleeps he reads his Testament and speaks to the people of its contents.

The evening before our departure several French Canadians visited us to speak of the Gospel, and one asked for a Bible. We were assured that a woman having bought a New Testament, showed it to the priest, who said to her: "You can read this book, it will not do you any harm; on the contrary, strive to follow its precepts and you will find yourself well."

In the second concession of Rivière du Loup a farmer asked us for a Bible, although he knew it was forbidden by the priest. He told us that forty years since, when he went to school, the New Testament was read in it.

I visited various parishes round and below Quebec, and in each place had great encouragement. We bless God the more for it, as, to human appearances, we could only expect to find hearts hardened. R. L. actively visited by Mr. G. seems to have inaugurated a new era. In the town and neighborhood we placed books and tracts in almost every house. Some Testaments placed by Mr. G. have survived the persecution and continue to be the favorite reading of a few courageous families. We believe the harvest will yet be abundant in this place; which, however, is still very hard and anatical.

Sad apostacy—Call to zealous effort.—In one house we found a man, Scotch by birth, but who had become a Roman Catholic with all his family except his mother. Our faithful conversation, and the memory of his father which we called up, seemed to awaken old recollections of the truth and moved him to tears. We saw him several times and are under the impression he will one day embrace the Gospel. In several houses we were able to speak freely of evangelical truth and combat error.

We stopped at a farmer's whose wife is the daughter of a Scotchman. She told us of her father's last moments and of his conversion to Romanism. As the poor old man had yielded only to the solicitations of his wife and daughter, the latter did not seem altogether satisfied with the part she had taken. Among the reasons in justification of her conduct, the following was most characteristic of the state of the French Canadians and of the power of the priests: "She said her father had Bibles in French and English, in which he was accustomed to read select portions to his family every evening. A few moments before his death, by command of the priest, she burnt them in the stove. We asked her if she did not know it was the word of God, and that she had done a most wicked action? She replied that the French Bible was the word of God, but not the English, because it did not speak of the Holy Virgin. We told her that neither spoke of her as the Queen of Heaven. She and a neighbor seemed somewhat shaken in their convictions.

Thirsting after Knowledge.—I was in the stage which runs between B. and T., and having *L'Aurore* with me, I was reading it when one of the passengers asked me if there was any news about the Pope. "No," I said, "but if you wish, I will read you something about Father Chiniquy." At once my three fellow travelers, *compagnons de voyage*, listened with interest. I read to them—" *Le Bon Dieu mangé par les rats.*" As I read, their attention redoubled; every one allowed his pipe to go out. I read to them the whole of the paper, then a tract, and then a few chapters in the Testament. We alighted from the stage and one wanted *L'Aurore*, another the tract, and I sold my Testament. The result of this was that next day we had a meeting at Mr. G.'s, one of the Protestants here; at which seven Roman Catholics heard the Bible read for the first time.

I visited D. who told me he had been reading a Testament which his wife had received and saw in it that there was only one Mediator between God and man. I gave him some brief explanations and left. The Monday following he came to my house, telling me that my words had prevented him from sleeping. I discussed with him during three days, and yesterday he took a Testament and went to the priest, and invited him to come and discuss with me in the Market Hall that evening. The priest refused saying that he was very sick, and it was not possible to convince heretics. Mr. D. said: "Since the priest refuses to come, I will bring together some of the best educated people in the place, and we will discuss in public, in order that they may be witnesses." Accordingly fifteen persons met together at his house for the discussion, which resulted most favorably for the Gospel.

Throwing off the Yoke of Error.—In O., we met a carpenter very discontented with the priests, who said "a religious reform is necessary; if it does not take place soon, the people will lose all confidence in their priests and fall into infidelity." We pressed upon him the word of God as affording better instruction, and a cure for the state of things he complained of. After some hesitation, he bought a Testament, and we believe it is one of the best occasions for good we met with on the island.

We observe in the places visited that an internal work is going on among the French Canadian population. In the city, the Church of Rome is not much spoken against; but infidelity, that hideous sore engendered by its customs and institutions, extends its ravages. In the country, the farmers with whom we often spend long evenings are constantly speaking against the abuses of the Romish clergy. We are generally

listened to with attention, and the observations made to us prove plainly that a great change is preparing in the minds of the people. This is at present hidden, but it may burst forth at any moment.

At R., a convert of our Mission told me in proof of the changed feeling of the people, that where he lives some of those formerly most opposed to him now invite him to call and speak on the subject of religion.

At L. we colported in eleven houses without success, but God had prepared hearts to receive us, for in the next house we sold a Testament and two portions of Scripture in another. A Roman Catholic at the hospital had tried to read the Testament in English, a copy of which is on every table. The few words understood made him desirous to read it in his own language (French); he was, therefore, very thankful for one presented him. Some days later he left the hospital, and bringing it back said: "I am very much obliged to you sir for the loan of this book, and for the happy moments it has procured me; but I will feel a great deal more so if you would let me have it for some time longer." I let him have the book.

At the station of S. H. we sold two Testaments, notwithstanding the efforts of the priest, who had declared that several books I had left there formerly were bad. The station master appears to be very well disposed towards the Bible, a copy of which he owns and reads. Mr. D.—, the grocer, has also a Bible. He reads it, and said he found in it many things which he would have liked to talk about had time permitted; however, he made me promise to spend an evening with him to converse about them.

For some time Mr. H. has not been able to attend our Sunday services; this makes him very sorry. He said: "When three o'clock strikes, I cannot keep my thoughts from the meeting. I think I hear you sing and pray, and yet I cannot join you." These words simply uttered by the old man, deeply impressed me. Truly, this man is born again, and may be considered a monument of the power of the Gospel.

Trials of the Colporteurs.—Near R. L., one of us was thrown down the steps of a house, being pushed out of doors. A large dog was also set on to bite him, but the animal more humane than his master, was satisfied with a few barkings, and then came to caress him.

WEEKLY CONCERT OF PRAYER.

At a meeting of the Missionaries and friends, held after the Annual Meeting, it was agreed that a portion of every Sabbath morning, beginning as near as possible at nine o'clock, should be set apart for prayer on behalf of French Canadian Evangelization, especially for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the Missionaries; for a greater blessing upon, and larger circulation of, the Holy Scriptures; and for increased Missionary spirit among the converts. Friends of the Redeemer are invited to join this Weekly Concert of Prayer, at the time agreed upon, or at any other convenient period.