

MINUTES

OF THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SIXTH SESSION

OF THE

Manitoba and North-West Annual Conference

OF

THE METHODIST CHURCH,

HELD IN GRACE CHURCH, WINNIPEG, FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 20TH, TO
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26TH, 1889.



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THE METHODIST CHURCH

WAS ORGANIZED IN THE CITY OF BRANDON, JULY 17TH, 1884.

SESSIONS OF CONFERENCE.

No.	Y'R.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.	JOURNAL SEC'Y.
1	1884	Brandon	E. A. Stafford	Thos. Argue	G. K. Adams.
2	1885	Winnipeg	James Woodsworth	A. Stewart.....	G. K. Adams.
3	1886	Winnipeg	A. Langford	J. F. Betts.....	G. K. Adams.
4	1887	Brandon	A. Stewart.....	J. M. Harrison ..	G. K. Adams.
5	1888	Portage la Prairie	T. Argue	George Daniel ...	John McLean.
6	1889	Winnipeg	W. L. Rutledge ...	Alfred Andrews..	John McLean.

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A. Monkman.....
G. H. West

Andrew Dykes

J. A. M. Aikins.....
O. H. Dingman

Wm. Taylor

W. H. Moore.....
Wm. Werry

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Jas. Hopwood

J. W. Jackson

Geo. Cadman

M. H. Fieldhouse....

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HELD AT WINNIPEG, MANITOBA, 20TH JUNE, 1889.

The SIXTH SESSION of the Manitoba and North-West Conference of the Methodist Church was opened in the Grace Church, Winnipeg, Man., on Thursday, June 20th, 1889, at 9 o'clock.

REV. THOS. ARGUE, President of the Conference, announced the 753rd hymn. After the singing, REV. GEO. DANIEL, Secretary of the Conference, read the Scriptures. REV. JAMES WOODSWORTH, Superintendent of Missions, and REV. J. W. BELL led the Conference in prayer.

On the ministerial roll being called, 40 members answered to their names.

The following lay delegates were reported from their respective Districts:—

WINNIPEG DISTRICT.

Name.	Adress.	Name.	Adress.
W. L. Hutton.....	Winnipeg.	R. J. Whitla	Winnipeg.
A. Monkman.....	"	Sheriff Meek	Port Arthur.
G. H. West	"	J. E. Turner	Stonewall.
Andrew Dykes	"	Jas. Ford	Emerson.
G. H. Campbell	"	Wm. Noble	Plympton.
J. A. M. Aikins	"	Jas. Lang	Dominion City.

MORDEN DISTRICT.

O. H. Dingman	Morden.	Jas. Huston	Manitou.
Wm. Taylor	Lowestoft.	C. R. Darling	Treherne.
W. H. Moore	Glenboro'.	F. Boulton	Thornhill.

DELORAINÉ DISTRICT.

Wm. Werry	Crystal City.	Jas. Watson	Pilot Mound.
Wm. Callender	Melgund.	Robt. Cook	Boissevain.
Jas. Hopwood	Boissevain.		

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE.

J. W. Jackson	Portage la Prairie.	Chas. Braithwaite	Portage la Prairie.
Geo. Cadman	High Bluff.	Thos. Simpson	Meadow Lea.
M. H. Fieldhouse	Neepawa.	Wm. Montgomery	Arden.
Andrew Thompson	Wellwood.		

BIRTLE DISTRICT.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Address.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Address.</i>
Geo. Huston	Marney.	G. W. Beynon	Minnedosa.
R. R. Ross	Rossburn.	J. S. Crawford	Birtle.

BRANDON DISTRICT.

Geo. Bawden	Brandon.	R. Hall	Griswold.
J. C. Robinson	"	J. Higginbottom	Bradwardine.
A. M. Peterson	"	R. Beamish	Viriden.
Wm. Harper	"	J. McEwen	Alexander.
A. J. Marshall	Chater.	Jabez Elliott	Souris City.
R. Kinley	Souris City.	C. Brandon	Souris.

REGINA DISTRICT.

J. W. Smith	Regina.	E. Annable	Moose Jaw.
J. J. Young	"	B. P. Richardson	Grenfell.
Jas. Wiedman	Qu'Appelle.	T. L. Bray	Wolseley.
F. Callendar	Wascana.		

QUESTION.—What Ministers have been transferred to or from this Conference?

Transfers into the Manitoba Conference.—A. C. Crews, from Niagara Conference; John Stewart, from Montreal Conference; J. J. Leach, Ph.B., from Bay of Quinte Conference; J. A. Mussell, from Montreal Conference; J. W. Sparling, from Montreal Conference; F. J. Oaten, from Toronto Conference; Wm. Norval Jamieson, from Toronto Conference; C. A. Procnier, from Niagara Conference; J. W. Runions, from Montreal Conference; S. R. Brown, from Montreal Conference; John Tozeland, from Bay of Quinte Conference.

Transfers from this Conference.—J. Jackson, into Niagara Conference; J. F. Betts, into British Columbia.

All transfers to take effect at the close of the next sessions of the Conferences from which the transfers are made.

Of the lay delegates, there were thirty present and answered to their names.

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.

Rev. W. L. RUTLEDGE, of Grace Church, was on ballot elected President of the Conference. The retiring President, Rev. Thos. Argue, introduced the newly elected President, who briefly addressed the Conference, acknowledging the honor conferred on him by an election to so high a position in the Church.

SECRETARY.

Rev. ALFRED ANDREWS was elected Secretary, and expressed his appreciation of the honor which the Conference had been pleased to show him in this election.

On nomination of Secretary, Rev. J. SEMMENS and Rev. J. W. JACKSON, of Portage la Prairie, were elected as Assistant Secretaries, and J. McLEAN, Ph D., Journal Secretary.

Rev. W. A. VROOMAN was appointed correspondent of the *Christian Guardian*, and Brother J. J. CROOKSHANKS for the *Wesleyan*.

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NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

On motion, the President of Conference nominated the Chairmen of Districts, and the following lay members as a Nominating Committee :

W. L. Hutton.	R. Hall.
Jas. Huston.	R. R. Ross.
W. Werry.	J. W. Smith.
J. W. Jackson.	R. J. Whitla.

On motion of Brother J. M. Harrison, seconded by Brother Colpitts, these nominations were confirmed.

Conference adjourned at 11 o'clock, when the Conference prayer-meeting was held, continuing until 12 o'clock.

At close of prayer-meeting the first draft of stations was laid on the table, and copies distributed to the brethren.

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

ANSWER.—No objections.

QUESTION.—What probationers for our ministry are this year received into full connexion with the Conference and ordained ?

ANSWER :

* Wm. P. McHaffie.	|	Egerton R. Steinhauer.
	|	* F. A. August.

* Previously ordained for special purposes.

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

ANSWER :

(a) *Probationers of three years.*

* Oliver Darwin.	|	A. R. Aldridge.
	|	* J. J. Crookshanks.

* Ordained for special purposes.

(b) *Probationers of two years.*

* J. C. Walker.	|	J. Endicott.
* W. A. Vrooman.	|	E. Kaneen.
R. C. Manly.	|	A. Wooley.

* Ordained for special purposes.

(c) *Probationers of one year.*

W. A. Cooke.	|	F. G. Barnes.
E. Chegwin.	|	W. Dawson.
W. B. Chegwin.	|	W. W. Adamson.
* J. W. Dickenson.	|	C. E. Somerset.

* Ordained for special purposes.

QUESTION.—What Candidates are now received on trial ?

ANSWER :

W. L. Armstrong.	|	Robert Halsall.
Wm. P. Gourd.	|	F. W. Locke.
Chas. H. Cross.	|	John Hellyer.
* Edward Paupanakis.	|	E. J. Hopper.
J. W. Ridd.	|	S. A. Crux.

* Ordained for special purposes.

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

ANSWER.—None.

QUESTION.—Who are the Superannuated Ministers ?

ANSWER :

M. Dimmick.	|	I. H. Ruttan.
	|	C. S. Willis.

QUESTION.—Who are the Supernumerary Ministers ?

ANSWER :

T. E. Morden, B.A.	|	N. D. Peters.
John Greenway.	|	George Roddick.

QUESTION.—What persons who were in full connexion with the Conference now cease to be recognized as Ministers amongst us ?

ANSWER.—None.

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

ANSWER :

I. N. Robinson.—See Obituary (p. 12).

QUESTION.—What Probationers are recommended to go to College ?

ANSWER :

W. A. Cooke.	|	R. C. Manly.
A. R. Aldridge.	|	J. H. Burrow.
	|	E. Kaneen.

QUESTION.—Who compose the several Conference Committees ?

1. STATIONING COMMITTEE.

Chairmen of Districts, together with the following Representatives :—

Winnipeg District	A. B. Hames.
Morden "	Thos. Lawson.
Deloraine "	W. Kinley.
Portage la Prairie District	W. W. Colpitts.
Birtle District	T. C. Buchanan.
Brandon "	A. W. Ross.
Regina "	W. C. Bunt.
Saskatchewan District	J. McLean.

2. NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

Chairmen of Districts, and the following Laymen :—

W. L. Hutton.	|	R. Hall.
James Huston.	|	R. R. Ross.
W. Werry.	|	J. W. Smith.
J. W. Jackson.	|	R. J. Whitla.

3. PASTORAL ADDRESS, 1890.

J. P. Wilson, B.A.	|	J. Dyke.
A. Stewart, B.D.	|	

4. CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

W. L. Rutledge.		J. M. Harrison.
Thos. Argue.		F. M. Finn.
A. H. Anderson.		A. Stewart.
James Woodsworth.		

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5. MEMORIALS.

Ministers.

J. Semmens.
A. Stewart, B.D.
J. H. L. Joslyn.
A. Gordon.
J. A. McLachlin.
J. J. Leach.

Laymen.

J. A. M. Aikins.
C. R. Darling.
A. J. Marshall.
W. Callender.
J. Lang.
A. Monkman.

6. STATISTICAL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

A. B. Hames.
Wm. Kinley.
Thos. Lawson.
J. H. Ruttan.
T. C. Buchanan.
T. B. Wilson.
Geo. Daniel.
E. B. Glass.

Laymen.

A. Monkman.
Jas. Huston.
Wm. Werry.
J. W. Jackson.
J. S. Crawford.
Geo. Bawden.
J. W. Smith.

7. SABBATH-SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

S. O. Irvine.
W. Wilson.
A. Stewart.
John Semmens.
R. R. Ross.
H. Kenner.
Geo. Daniel.

Laymen.

G. H. West.
J. Huston.
H. L. Montgomery.
C. Braithwaite.
W. Pimlott.
John Higginbottom.
J. W. Smith.

8. GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND.

Ministers.

J. J. Leach, Ph.D.
James Hoskins.
R. B. Laidley.

Laymen.

R. R. Ross.
Charles Braithwaite.
James Ford

9. CONTINGENT FUND COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

P. W. Davies.
Geo. Hanna.
E. Langford.
A. B. Hames, *Treas.*
T. B. Beynon.
A. H. Anderson.
Clement Williams.

Laymen.

W. H. Moore.
Jabez Elliott.
A. Dykes.
Geo. Huston.
J. E. Turner.
J. Higginbottom.
R. Kinley.

10. EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

W. L. Rutledge
A. Stewart.
Thos. Argue.
Dr. Franklin.
John McDougall.
J. P. Wilson.
J. W. Bell, B.D.

Laymen.

J. A. M. Aikins.
R. J. Whitla.
A. M. Peterson.
G. H. Campbell.
J. W. Jackson.
O. H. Dingman.
A. Monkman.

11. STATE OF THE WORK COMMITTEE.

Ministers.

James Woodsworth.
John McDougall.
A. W. Ross.
J. P. Wilson.
J. M. Harrison.
J. A. McClung.

Laymen.

W. L. Hutton.
A. Thompson.
Wm. Taylor.
J. C. Robinson.
R. J. Whitla.
Jas. Lang.

12. SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

Ministers.
T. C. Buchanan.
J. J. Leach.
J. Elliott.
W. G. Wilson.
W. Bridgman.
S. O. Irvine.

Laymen.
C. R. Darling.
R. Kinley.
Wm. Taylor.
G. H. West.
Jabez Elliott.
Geo. Huston.

13. EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE.

Ministers.
A. Andrews.
J. M. Harrison.
T. Ferrier.
A. W. Ross.
W. Bridgman.
J. H. Joslyn.

Laymen.
J. C. Robinson.
Jas. Huston.
R. J. Whitla.
J. W. Jackson.
A. Dykes.

14. TEMPERANCE.

Ministers.
W. W. Colpitts.
J. W. Bell, B.D.
J. Dyke.

Laymen.
G. W. Beynon.
W. Werry.
W. H. Fieldhouse.

15. CHURCH PROPERTY.

Ministers.
Thos. Argue.
J. Woodsworth.
A. Stewart, B.D.
J. W. Bell, B.D.

Laymen.
J. A. M. Aikins.
Wm. Callender.
G. W. Beynon.
R. R. Ross.

16. JESUITS' ESTATES.

Ministers.
Thos. Argue.
J. McDougall.
J. Dyke.
A. Stewart.
H. Kenner.

Laymen.
R. G. Whitla.
J. Huston.
Geo. W. Beynon.
A. Monkman.
G. H. West.

17. CONFERENCE SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

President of Conference.
Secretary of Conference.
Superintendent of Missions.
Chairman of District.

A. Stewart, B.D.
J. P. Wilson, B.D.
John Semmens.
T. C. Buchanan.

18. CONFERENCE MISSIONARY.

Chairmen of Districts and the following laymen :—

Winnipeg District	W. L. Huston	Winnipeg.
Morden "	O. H. Dingman	Morden.
Deloraine "	W. C. Cottingham	Boissevain.
Portage la Prairie District	W. H. Fieldhouse	Neepawa.
Birtle District	Henry Rose	Minnedosa.
Brandon "	R. Hall	Griswold.
Regina "	B. P. Richardson	Grenfell.

19. COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE SERVICES, 1890.

President of Conference.
Superintendent of Missions.
Chairman of Brandon District.

Supt. of Brandon Station.
C. Clifton, M.P.P.
A. M. Peterson.

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H. Taylor.
Herbert Jones.
J. H. Howarth.
H. Rollins.
E. Halsall.
J. G. Dingle.
J. S. Dobbin.

20. MEMBER OF GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Rev. Jas. Woodsworth.

GENERAL CONFERENCE DELEGATE.

QUESTION.—Who has been elected by the Lay Electoral Conference to fill the vacancy in the General Conference Delegation caused by the removal of J. W. Sifton?

ANSWER :

A. Monkman, Winnipeg.

TREASURERS OF CONNEXIONAL FUNDS.

General Conference	W. W. Colpitts.
Union Church Relief	S. O. Irvine.
Contingent	A. B. Hames.
Educational	B. Franklin.
Wesley College	J. H. Ashdown.
Sabbath-school	T. B. Beynon, B.A.
Superannuation	Jas. Gray, 31 Adelaide Street East, Toronto.

TIME OF TAKING UP CONNEXIONAL FUND COLLECTIONS.

General Conference Fund	July or August.
Contingent Fund	September.
Union Church Relief	October.
Educational and Missionary	As arranged at Financial District Meetings.
Superannuation Fund	Time not specified.

NEW MISSIONS.

On the recommendation of the Stationing Committee the following new missions were formed :—

Deloraine District	Alameda.
Portage la Prairie District	Poplar Point.
"	Wellwood.
"	Sydney.
"	Westbourne and Lakeside.
Birtle District	Oak River.
"	Yorkton.
Brandon District	Kemnay.
"	Bloomsbury.
"	Fairmeade.
"	Elkhorn.
"	Pipestone.
Regina District	Grenfell.
Calgary District	Pine Creek.

PERMISSION TO EMPLOY.

The Conference gave permission to employ the following young men under Chairmen of Districts :—

J. E. Turner.	C. A. Edwards.	T. E. Holling.
H. Taylor.	C. H. Lawford.	E. McKay.
Herbert Jones.	T. Austin.	W. Clague.
J. H. Howarth.	T. A. Patterson.	Dr. McKay Johnston.
H. Rollins.	C. E. Shepherd.	E. H. Hardwick.
E. Halsall.	J. H. Morgan.	W. Rogers.
J. G. Dingle.	J. C. Pike.	George Bennie.
J. S. Dobbin.	Chas. McCrossan.	W. Slomans.

OBITUARY.

REV. I. N. ROBINSON.

Isaac Newton Robinson was born of English descent, near Peterboro', Ont., January 28th, 1850, and died in the faith, at Souris City, Manitoba, on September 14th, 1888.

Of Christian parentage, his mind and heart were early instilled with the precious love of the Saviour, and although his mother died while he was but four years of age, his boyhood days were rich with the promise of a useful manhood, unchecked by any youthful dissipation. He was bright as a child, apt as a student, and winsome and loving as a Christian. He was converted at thirteen years of age in a revival meeting held by Rev. D. A. Johnson, in the church on his father's farm, and there was a steady development of the Christian graces in his character from that time. The witness of the Spirit was so clear and constant, that he was never harassed by doubts and fears. He was devoted from the first to all the means of grace, both public and private, that are esteemed by Methodists; and, encouraged by his father's word and example, early took a part in the family devotions, also in the public services.

He commenced as exhorter, then was put on plan as local preacher; he was recommended and received as a probationer for the ministry at the age of twenty-one years.

He received a good education at the Peterboro' Collegiate Institute, and, having passed his Conference examinations, was ordained to the full work of the ministry in 1875. Previous to his ordination he travelled on the Cartwright, Stouffville, Darlington, and Markham Circuits, and Wooler and Shannonville Circuits afterwards, all in the Toronto Conference. Ten years of happy ministry were thus spent in Ontario, and in 1882 he was sent to Manitoba. Morris, Neepawa, and Souris City successively enjoyed his diligent pastoral care, on which fields he had precious fruit to his ministry. As a preacher, he was scriptural and earnest in his presentation of the truth, was successful in his pastoral and evangelistic work, and delighted in leading the children to Christ.

After a short, painful illness, he died of typhoid fever, leaving a widow and five children to mourn the loss of his loving, parental care. A memorial service was conducted at Souris City by the Revs. J. Woodsworth and T. B. Wilson, which was largely attended by the sorrowing flock over which he watched. The Chief Shepherd had called him to his reward.

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QUESTION.—How are the Ministers and Preachers stationed for the ensuing year?

ANSWER:

W. L. RUTLEDGE, PRESIDENT.

ALFRED ANDREWS, SECRETARY.

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

I. WINNIPEG DISTRICT.

1. WINNIPEG (Grace Church)—Wm. L. Rutledge, President of Conference. T. E. Morden, B.A., Supernumerary. J. F. McLachlin, B.A., left without a station for one year at his own request.

Wesley College.

J. W. Sparling, M.A., D.D., *Principal.*

2. WINNIPEG (Zion Church)—A. C. Crews.
3. WINNIPEG (Wesley Church)—J. Semmens.
4. WINNIPEG (Fort Rouge)—A. Stewart, B.D.
5. WINNIPEG (McDougall)—Enos Langford.
6. PORT ARTHUR—J. A. McClung.
7. FORT WILLIAM AND MURILLO—J. Dyke; one wanted.
8. RAINY RIVER—One wanted.
9. RAT PORTAGE AND KEEWATIN—W. A. Vrooman.
10. SELKIRK AND POPLAR PARK—R. C. Manly, under the direction of Superintendent of McDougall Church, Winnipeg.
11. EMERSON—C. Williams.
12. DOMINION CITY—S. O. Irvine.
13. MORRIS—A. R. Aldridge, under direction of Wesley Church, Winnipeg.
14. BLYTHFIELD—J. H. Burrow.
15. STONEWALL—R. B. Laidley; one to be sent (C. F. V.).
16. SPRINGFIELD—Joshua Elliott (Sunnyside); one to be sent (W. S.).
17. FISHER RIVER—Wm. P. McHaffie.
18. BEREN'S RIVER—To be supplied (T. W. B.).
19. NORWAY HOUSE—Edward Eves.
20. OXFORD HOUSE—E. Paupanakis, 15 Winnipeg Street, under the direction of the Superintendent of Norway House.
21. NELSON RIVER—To be supplied.

W. A. Cooke, A. R. Aldridge, R. C. Manly, J. H. Burrow, at Wesley College.

W. L. RUTLEDGE, *Chairman.*

ENOS LANGFORD, *Fin. Sec.*

II. MORDEN DISTRICT.

22. MORDEN—W. Bridgman; F. J. Oaten, who shall reside at Miami.
23. CARMAN—A. Gordon, A. Wooley.
24. THORNHILL—James Hoskin.
25. MANITOU—Thomas Argue.
26. MUSSELBORO'—J. A. Mussell, B.A.

27. TREHERNE—One to be sent (I. H. H.).
28. CYPRESS RIVER—H. Kenner.

THOMAS ARGUE, *Chairman.*
W. BRIDGMAN, *Fin. Sec.*

III. CRYSTAL CITY DISTRICT.

29. CRYSTAL CITY—T. C. Buchanan. J. Greenway, Supernumerary.
30. PILOT MOUND—T. Lawson.
31. OTTENAW—W. G. Wilson.
32. SNOWFLAKE—One to be sent (I. E. T.).
33. CARTWRIGHT—W. S. A. Crux.
34. KILLARNEY—A. H. Anderson.
35. GREENFIELD—W. Kinley.
36. BOISSEVAIN—O. Darwin.

T. LAWSON, *Chairman.*
T. C. BUCHANAN, *Fin. Sec.*

IV. DELORAINÉ DISTRICT.

37. DELORAINÉ—T. Ferrier, W. L. Armstrong.
38. MELGUND—J. H. L. Joselyn.
39. NAPINKA—W. N. Jamieson, C. A. Procunier.
40. ELMORE—W. W. Adamson.
41. ALAMEDA—C. H. Cross.
42. CARLYLE—J. B. Powell. Wm. Elliott (Tokio, Japan), left without a station at his own request.

T. FERRIER, *Chairman.*
J. H. L. JOSELYN, *Fin. Sec.*

V. PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE DISTRICT.

43. PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE—George Daniel. B. Franklin, M.A., Ph.D., Principal of Lansdowne College, by permission of Conference. J. H. Ruttan, Superannuated.
44. HIGH BLUFF—J. C. Walker.
45. POPLAR POINT—One to be sent (H. R.), under direction of Superintendent of High Bluff.
46. MEADOW LEA—F. G. Barnes, under direction of Superintendent of Burnside and Prospect.
47. GLADSTONE—George Hanna.
48. LANSDOWNE—J. W. Runions (Arden).
49. NEEPAWA—J. Stewart; one to be sent (C. A. E.).
50. CARBERRY—W. W. Colpitts.
51. WELLWOOD—E. Chegwin, under direction of Superintendent of Carberry.
52. SYDNEY—W. B. Chegwin, under direction of Superintendent of Carberry.
53. MCGREGOR—W. P. Gourd, under direction of Superintendent of Portage la Prairie.
54. BURNSIDE AND PROSPECT—W. Halstead (Portage la Prairie).
55. WESTBOURNE AND LAKESIDE—One to be sent (C. E. S.), who shall exchange regularly with Superintendent of Burnside and Prospect.

W. W. COLPITTS, *Chairman.*
GEO. DANIEL, *Fin. Sec.*

56. BIRTLE—F.
57. MINNEDOSA—
58. NEWDALE—
59. SHOAL LAKE—
60. BEULAH—T.
61. OAK RIVER—
62. ROSSBURN—
63. BINSARTH—
Russell
64. CRESCENT L.
65. YORKTON—
66. LAKE DAUPH.
E. K.

67. BRANDON—
Missions.
68. KEMNAY—C.
Brandon.
69. CHATER—F.
70. BLOOMSBURY
71. RAPID CITY—
72. MOOSOMIN—
73. FAIRMEADE—
Moosomin
74. ELKHORN—
75. VIRDEN—A.
numerary
76. PIPESTONE—
Virden.
77. GRISWOLD—
78. OAK LAKE—
under dir
79. SOURIS—T.
80. SOURIS CITY

81. REGINA—J.
82. WASCANA—
83. QU'APPELLE
84. FORT QU'AP
85. P. M. COLO
86. WOLSELEY—
Qu'Appel
87. GRENFELL—
88. BROADVIEW
89. MOOSE JAW

VI. BIRTLE DISTRICT.

56. BIRTLE—F. A. August; one to be sent (T. E. H.).
 57. MINNEDOSA—J. W. Bell, B.D.; one to be sent (E. H. H.).
 58. NEWDALE—W. Dawson.
 59. SHOAL LAKE—J. J. Crookshanks.
 60. BEULAH—T. B. Beynon, B.A.
 61. OAK RIVER—One to be sent (H. T.).
 62. ROSSBURN—W. Pimlott.
 63. BINSARTH AND RUSSELL—One to be sent (D. McK. J.), who shall reside at Russell and be under direction of Superintendent of Birtle.
 64. CRESCENT LAKE—One to be sent (E. H.).
 65. YORKTON—One to be sent (C. H. L.).
 66. LAKE DAUPHIN—One wanted.
 E. Kaneen, at Wesley College.

J. W. BELL, B.D., *Chairman.*

T. B. BEYNON, *Fin. Sec.*

VII. BRANDON DISTRICT.

67. BRANDON—J. P. Wilson, B.A. James Woodsworth, Superintendent of Missions.
 68. KEMNAY—One to be sent (J. H. M.), under direction of Superintendent of Brandon.
 69. CHATER—F. M. Finn; one to be sent (E. McK.).
 70. BLOOMSBURY—R. Milliken, under direction of Superintendent of Brandon.
 71. RAPID CITY—E. Kaneen; one to be sent (Wm. R.).
 72. MOOSOMIN—P. W. Davies. M. Dimmick, Superannuated.
 73. FAIRMEADE—To be supplied (R. K.), under direction of Superintendent of Moosomin.
 74. ELKHORN—E. J. Hopper, under direction of Superintendent of Virden.
 75. VIRDEN—Alfred Andrews, Secretary of Conference. N. D. Peters, Supernumerary.
 76. PIPESTONE—One to be sent (H. J.), under direction of Superintendent of Virden.
 77. GRISWOLD AND ALEXANDER—A. W. Ross.
 78. OAK LAKE AND BRADWARDINE—S. R. Browne; one to be sent (J. G. D.), under direction of Superintendent of Griswold.
 79. SOURIS—T. B. Wilson; one to be sent (T. A.).
 80. SOURIS CITY—W. C. Bunt. George Roddick, Supernumerary.

F. M. FINN, *Chairman.*

J. P. WILSON, B.A., *Fin. Sec.*

VIII. REGINA DISTRICT.

81. REGINA—J. M. Harrison.
 82. WASCANA—J. W. Ridd, under direction of Superintendent of Regina.
 83. QU'APPELLE—John Tozeland.
 84. FORT QU'APPELLE—S. E. Colwill.
 85. P. M. COLONY—John Pooley. C. S. Willis, Superannuated.
 86. WOLSELEY—One to be sent (W. C.), under direction of Superintendent of Qu'Appelle.
 87. GRENFELL—H. Haisall.
 88. BROADVIEW—One to be sent (G. B.).
 89. MOOSE JAW—J. McLean, M.A., Ph.D.; one to be sent (C. McC.)

- 90. SASKATOON—John Peters.
- 91. PRINCE ALBERT—John H. Howard.
- 92. BATTLEFORD—One wanted.

J. M. HARRISON, *Chairman.*
 J. McLEAN, *Fin. Sec.*

IX. CALGARY DISTRICT.

- 93. CALGARY—J. J. Leach, Ph.B
- 94. GLEICHEN—F. W. Locke, under direction of Superintendent of Calgary.
- 95. PINE CREEK—J. Hellyer, under direction of Superintendent of Calgary.
- 96. HIGH RIVER—One to be sent (J. T. D.), under direction of Superintendent of Calgary.
- 97. BANFF—One to be sent (T. A. P.).
- 98. RED DEER—J. W. Dickenson.
- 99. EDMONTON—George H. Long.
- 100. MACLEOD—A. B. Hames.
- 101. LETHBRIDGE—Jas. Endicott, under direction of Superintendent of Macleod.
- 102. MEDICINE HAT—C. Teeter.
- 103. MAPLE CREEK—One to be sent (J. W. J.), under direction of Superintendent of Medicine Hat.

A. B. HAMES, *Chairman.*
 J. J. LEACH, *Fin. Sec.*

X. SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT.

- 104. MORLEY—John McDougall, E. R. Steinhauer.
- 105. BLOOD INDIANS—To be supplied.
- 106. WOODVILLE—John Nelson (Calgary), who shall regularly visit Riviere Que'Barre and White Quail Lake.
- 107. BATTLE RIVER—E. B. Glass, B.A. (Holbrook).
- 108. BEAR'S HILL—C. E. Somerset, under direction of Superintendent of Battle River.
- 109. VICTORIA—James A. McLachlan.
- 110. WHITE FISH LAKE—Orrin German.
- 111. SADDLE LAKE—R. B. Steinhauer, B.A.
- 112. SLAVE LAKE—One wanted.

JOHN McDOUGALL, *Chairman.*

QUESTION.—W
on Trial ?

CIR

- Winnipeg—Gr. ce.
- Winnipeg—Zion
- Winnipeg—Wesley ..
- Winnipeg—Fort Roug ..
- Port Arthur
- Fort William and Mur ..
- Rainy River
- Rat Portage and Kee ..
- Seikirk
- Emerson
- Dominion City
- Morris
- Blythfield
- Stonewall
- Plympton
- Fisher River
- Beren's River*
- Norway House*
- Oxford House
- Nelson River

Total

- Morden
- Carman
- Thornhill
- Manitou
- Snowflake
- Cypress River
- Treherne
- Swan Lake
- Otenaw

Total

- Crystal City
- Deloraine
- Boissevain
- Killarney
- Greenfield
- Cartwright
- Melgund
- Napinka
- South Antlers

Total

- Portage la Prairie ..
- High Bluff
- Meadow Lea
- Gladstone
- Lansdowne
- Neepawa
- Carberry
- McGregor
- Burnside and Prospe ..

Total

QUESTION.—What is the number of our Church Members and those on Trial?

1. THE WINNIPEG DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.						BAPTISMS.			Marriages.	Burials.
	On Trial.	Full Members.	Total.	Decrease.	Increase.	Under 16 Years.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.		
Winnipeg—Grace.....	23	538	561	..	125	..	34	19	53	21	37
Winnipeg—Zion.....	21	234	255	14	..	..	41	2	43	14	18
Winnipeg—Wesley.....	40	180	220	..	30	40	25	..	25	14	8
Winnipeg—Fort Rouge and McDougall.....	20	135	155	..	69	18	20	..	20	6	7
Port Arthur.....	9	100	109	..	7	..	18	2	20	6	5
Fort William and Murillo.....	10	91	101	..	16	6	22	2	24	2	7
Rainy River.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rat Portage and Keewatin.....	..	36	36	..	36	..	7	..	7	3	5
Selkirk.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Emerson.....	3	89	92	..	9	..	6	..	6	5	6
Dominion City.....	10	110	120	..	1	11	9	..	9	..	11
Morris.....	..	67	67	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	2
Blythfield.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stonewall.....	10	213	223	..	28	..	10	..	10	5	6
Plympton.....	21	120	141	..	30	31	28	..	8	1	2
Fisher River.....	..	130	130	..	3	..	13	..	13	8	12
Beren's River*.....	..	62	62	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Norway House*.....	..	374	374	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oxford House.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson River.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	167	2479	2646	14	342	108	233	25	258	80	127

* Taken from last year's returns.

2. THE MORDEN DISTRICT.

Morden.....	15	169	184	..	24	15	21	1	22	1	4
Carman.....	11	269	280	..	18	21	11	3	14	7	4
Thornhill.....	5	78	83	..	13	9	7	..	7	..	5
Manitou.....	10	132	142	..	34	10	21	6	27	6	7
Snowflake.....	..	75	75	..	35	7	..	..	..	..	..
Cypress River.....	8	70	78	..	25	..	13	1	14	8	3
Treherne.....	1	88	89	..	42	4	..	..	..	..	..
Swan Lake.....	..	12	12	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	2
Otenaw.....	9	89	98	..	3	..	3	..	3	2	3
Total	69	982	1041	..	196	68	76	11	87	24	28

3. THE DELORAINE DISTRICT.

Crystal City.....	28	119	147	..	31	2	30	1	31	10	4
Deloraine.....	1	123	124	..	48	3	10	..	10	9	8
Boissevain.....	..	112	112	..	14	7	8	..	8	2	4
Killarney.....	12	62	74	..	15	5	1	..	1	1	4
Greenfield.....	3	42	45	..	45	5	3	2	5	..	2
Cartwright.....	4	60	64	..	5	2	4	..	4	2	2
Melgund.....	10	91	101	..	34	13	9	3	12	..	4
Napinka.....	..	1	60	..	19	2	2	..	2	6	..
South Antlers.....	13	47	60	..	60	1	11	..	11	1	1
Total	71	717	787	..	272	40	78	6	84	31	29

4. THE PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE DISTRICT.

Portage la Prairie.....	9	261	270	..	116	46	39	8	47	14	8
High Bluff.....	..	84	84	30	..	..	22	1	23	6	11
Meadow Lea.....	1	56	57	..	..	1	6	1	7	1	1
Gladstone.....	10	50	60	..	6	7	8	2	10	3	3
Lansdowne.....	3	57	60	..	6	4	17	4	21	..	3
Neepawa.....	2	120	122	..	17	3	18	1	19	1	4
Carberry.....	11	110	121	..	36	1	33	..	33	9	9
McGregor.....	2	61	63	..	11	1	3	..	3	..	10
Burnside and Prospect.....	6	65	71	..	5	5	30	..	30	7	5
Total	44	864	908	30	197	68	176	17	193	41	54

5. THE BIRTLE DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.						BAPTISMS.			Marriages.	Burials.
	On Trial.	Full Members.	Total.	Decrease.	Increase.	Under 16 Years.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.		
Birtle	17	92	109	..	39	5	6	4	10	9	5
Minnedosa	10	118	128	..	30	12	24	1	25	9	3
Newdale	2	67	69	..	36	8	18	5	23	3	..
Shoal Lake	3	40	43	5	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
Beulah and Viola Dale	2	78	80	..	26	..	15	..	15	2	2
Rosburn	7	42	49	..	5	6	3	..	3	..	5
Binscarth	3	29	32	..	1	..	7	..	7	..	1
Crescent Lake and York Colony	8	102	110	..	45	4	1	..	12	1	..
Lake Dauphin	5	..	5	..	5	..	3	..	3	..	..
Total	57	568	625	5	187	38	88	10	98	24	12

6. THE BRANDON DISTRICT.

Brandon	80	210	290	..	143	50	15	9	24	20	16
Chater	15	112	127	..	30	15	16	5	21	4	10
Rapid City	10	58	68	..	6	3	10	..	10	5	3
Moosemin	4	93	97	..	21	..	10	..	10	7	3
Moose Mountain	8	82	90	..	21	4	10	..	1	4	..
Yrden	32	170	202	..	100	9	49	5	54	18	6
Griswold and Alexander	55	214	269	..	109	7	29	..	29	4	4
Souris	32	78	110	..	60	2	18	3	21	5	2
Souris City	17	180	197	..	20	12	..	..	..	3	2
Total	253	1197	1450	..	510	102	157	22	179	70	46

7. THE REGINA DISTRICT.

Regina	16	84	100	..	35	..	5	..	5	5	4
Wa-cana	5	49	54	..	14	..	..	..	..	7	3
Qu'Appelle .....	..	55	55	..	8	..	6	..	6	..	..
Fort Qu'Appelle	2	57	59	..	6	2	5	..	5	2	..
Primitive Methodist Colony	7	48	65	..	10	6	4	..	4	3	..
Wolsely	3	34	37	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Broadview .....	..	88	88	..	10	..	6	..	6	3	..
Moose Jaw	2	38	40	..	14	..	12	..	12	3	4
Saskatoon	1	23	24	..	6	1	4	..	4	1	3
Prince Albert .....	..	44	44	..	4	..	6	..	6	6	..
Total	36	530	566	..	113	9	48	..	48	20	14

8. THE SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT.

Morley	20	241	261	16	..	..	30	..	30	15	11
Calgary	2	102	104	..	9	3	20	2	22	8	12
Banff .....	..	16	16	..	4	..	8	1	9	3	4
High River .....	..	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
McLeod .....	..	28	28	..	9	..	4	..	4	5	7
Bethbridge .....	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Blood Indian .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maple Creek	2	14	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medicine Hat	4	23	27	..	4	..	13	1	14	5	..
Gleichen .....	..	10	10	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	2
Red Deer .....	..	24	24	..	6	2	6	..	6	..	2
Woodville .....	..	31	31	4	..	..	8	..	8	..	9
Battle River	10	21	31	..	3	..	14	..	14	..	6
Bear's Hill .....	..	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Edmonton	7	21	21	..	2	1	10	..	10	5	1
Victoria	3	23	26	..	3	..	14	2	16	..	2
Whitefish Lake .....	..	94	94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saddle Lake	7	25	32	..	7	2	..	..	..	..	4
Slave Lake .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	48	691	739	20	53	8	127	6	133	43	61

DISTRI

Winnipeg

Morden

Deloraine

Portage la Prairie ..

Birtle

Brandon

Regina

Saskatchewan

Total

Total.	Marriages.	Burials.
10	9	5
25	9	3
23	3	1
15	2	2
3	5	5
7	1	1
12	1	1
3	..	..
98	24	12

MEMBERSHIP, 1889.

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.							BAPTISMS.			Marriages.	Burials.
	On Total.	Full Members.	Total.	Decrease.	Increase.	Under 16 Years.	Net Increase.	Infants.	Adults.	Total.		
Winnipeg	167	2479	2646	14	356	108	342	233	25	258	80	127
Morden	59	982	1041	..	196	68	196	76	11	87	24	28
Deloraine	71	717	787	..	272	40	272	78	6	84	31	29
Portage la Prairie	44	864	9 8	30	197	68	167	176	17	193	41	54
Birtle	57	568	625	5	187	38	182	88	10	98	24	17
Brandon	253	1197	1450	..	510	102	510	157	22	179	70	46
Regina	36	530	566	..	113	9	113	48	..	48	30	14
Saskatchewan	48	691	739	20	53	8	33	127	6	133	43	61
Total	735	8028	8762	69	1984	441	1815	983	97	1080	343	376

24	20	16
21	4	10
10	5	3
10	7	3
1	4	..
54	18	6
29	4	4
21	5	2
	3	2
179	70	46

5	5	4
6	7	3
5	2	..
4	3	..
6	3	..
12	3	4
4	1	3
6	6	..
48	20	14

30	15	11
22	8	12
9	3	4
4	5	7
14	5	..
6	..	2
8	..	9
14	..	6
10	5	1
2	16	2
..
..	..	4
6	133	43 61

OFFICIAL BOARD RETURNS.
RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	MINISTERS.				Local Preachers.	Exhorters.	LEADERS.			REPRESENTATIVES.		S. S. Superintendents.	NET TOTAL.
	Probationers.	Effective.	Superannuated.	Supernumerary.			Male.	Female.	Stewards.	Society.	Trustee Board.		
Winnipeg	5	10	..	1	30	4	53	10	83	60	12	23	247
Morden	1	6	..	..	20	4	35	2	53	25	11	19	144
Deloraine	5	4	..	1	13	7	22	3	57	34	5	13	156
Portage la Prairie	3	7	..	..	14	7	31	2	59	39	9	17	157
Birtle	3	4	..	..	17	1	10	3	50	16	3	7	96
Brandon	1	9	1	2	28	6	56	4	63	50	11	26	209
Regina	1	7	1	..	16	3	21	..	58	33	7	13	129
Saskatchewan	5	8	..	..	12	4	25	2	35	6	4	12	91
Total	24	55	2	4	150	36	253	26	458	263	62	130	1226

CIRCUITS.

- Winnipeg—
- Grace
- Zion
- Wesley
- Ft. Rouge & McDougall
- Port Arthur
- Ft. William and Murillo
- Rainy River
- Rat Portage & Keewatin
- Selkirk
- Emerson
- Dominion City
- Morris
- Blythfield
- Stonewall
- Plympton
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- Oxford House
- Nelson River

Total

- Morden
- Carman
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Total

- Crystal City
- Deloraine
- Boissevain
- Killarney
- Greenfield
- Cartwright
- Melgund
- Napinka
- South Antlers

Total

CONNEXIONAL FUNDS.

1. THE WINNIPEG DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Total.
Winnipeg—									
Grace.....	\$10 00	\$42 00	\$47 00	\$10 00	\$43 00	\$217 20	\$100 00	1215 00	\$1684 20
Zion.....	4 00	10 00	10 00	5 00	15 00	80 00	184 50	308 50	308 50
Wesley.....	10 00	15 55	6 80	2 50	15 70	62 00	128 45	241 00	241 00
Ft. Rouge & McDougall	3 00	5 35	1 80	6 70	3 65	40 00	102 65	163 15	163 15
Port Arthur.....	2 00	8 00	8 46	5 78	9 51	70 00	152 46	256 21	256 21
Ft. William and Murillo	1 00	5 00	1 00	3 00	7 20	42 00	192 05	251 25	251 25
Rainy River.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rat Portage & Keewatin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 00	.....	.....	15 00
Selkirk.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Emerson.....	2 00	1 50	3 25	1 00	2 32	46 00	30 52	86 59	86 59
Dominion City.....	1 00	1 05	1 15	1 90	1 10	20 00	92 10	118 30	118 30
Morris.....	3 70	1 00	3 30	1 60	2 00	11 00	37 50	60 10	60 10
Blythfield.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stonewall.....	2 15	1 95	5 00	1 10	2 00	35 00	146 45	193 65	193 65
Plympton.....	2 00	4 75	2 00	1 00	3 25	20 00	151 60	184 60	184 60
Fisher River.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 60	15 00	30 00	47 60	47 60
Beren's River.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Norway House.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxford House.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nelson River.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$40 85	\$96 15	\$89 76	\$39 58	\$107 83	\$673 20	\$2563 28	\$3610 15	\$3610 15

*Woman's Missionary Fund.

2. THE MORDEN DISTRICT.

Morden.....	\$4 50	\$3 50	\$7 00	\$2 00	\$7 50	\$51 00	\$190 65	\$266 15
Carman.....	8 00	5 00	11 00	5 00	8 00	59 00	203 40	299 40
Thornhill.....	1 00	2 15	3 57	2 80	4 00	23 40	92 48	129 33
Manitou.....	3 00	7 00	8 00	3 55	6 00	44 65	125 50	197 70
Snowflake.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	11 00	33 00	50 00
Cypress River.....	7 00	10 00	8 00	5 00	4 00	24 00	144 04	202 04
Treherne.....	3 00	5 30	8 00	.....	3 00	21 00	106 00	146 30
Swan Lake.....	0 95	1 15	1 25	.....	1 00	5 35	26 30	36 00
Otenaw.....	3 00	3 00	4 00	2 00	3 00	20 00	86 15	121 15
Total.....	\$31 45	\$38 10	\$51 82	\$21 35	\$38 50	\$259 40	\$1007 50	\$1448 12

3. THE DELORAINE DISTRICT.

Crystal City.....	\$3 65	\$3 05	\$7 15	\$3 21	\$4 80	\$34 00	\$198 40	\$254 26
Deloraine.....	1 20	3 65	5 50	3 30	4 00	28 00	222 85	268 50
Boisevain.....	2 00	2 00	11 06	2 00	4 00	28 00	92 30	131 36
Killarney.....	2 45	2 50	2 12	.....	2 00	11 00	67 94	83 01
Greenfield.....	.....	1 00	1 25	.....	2 00	11 00	54 30	69 55
Cartwright.....	0 55	0 50	1 00	1 00	2 00	16 00	53 35	74 40
Melgund.....	1 15	2 10	4 15	1 25	3 00	22 00	162 85	196 50
Napinka.....	2 10	2 55	2 65	.....	3 00	11 00	51 40	72 70
South Antlers.....	1 45	2 27	2 91	.....	1 55	10 55	80 05	98 78
Total.....	\$14 55	\$19 62	\$37 79	\$10 75	\$26 35	\$171 55	\$933 44	\$1254 06

Trustee Board.	S. S. Superintendents.	NET TOTAL.
12	23	247
11	19	144
5	13	156
9	17	157
3	7	96
11	26	209
7	13	129
4	12	91
62	130	1226

4. THE PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Total.
Portage la Prairie	...	\$4 00	\$7 60	\$13 25	\$5 35	\$10 00	\$32 00	\$164 30	\$236 50
High Bluff	...	1 20	2 10	1 55	2 15	5 10	36 75	96 45	145 30
Meadow Lea	...	1 60	2 35	3 10	1 75	3 00	17 30	53 56	82 56
Gladstone	4 70	6 35	0 60	5 30	16 16	65 00	98 11
Lansdowne	...	4 01	1 31	4 40	1 00	4 15	19 77	90 55	75 63
Neepawa	...	0 25	1 80	5 30	1 10	2 00	42 41	20 50	73 36
Carberry	...	0 50	3 00	6 25	1 00	0 75	41 95	81 70	62 15
McGregor	...	1 50	1 50	2 25	1 00	2 40	18 60	39 12	66 37
Burnside and Prospect	...	1 00	1 25	2 75	1 00	1 50	50 40	86 00	143 90
Total	...	\$13 96	\$25 61	\$45 20	\$14 95	\$34 20	\$275 34	\$697 18	\$1106 44

5. THE BIRTLE DISTRICT.

Birtle	...	\$4 50	\$1 50	\$4 00	\$1 35	\$4 75	\$25 00	\$103 10	\$144 20
Minnedosa	...	1 80	2 60	4 50	2 00	4 65	25 50	68 56	109 05
Newdale	...	2 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	2 75	18 00	77 15	104 90
Shoal Lake	...	1 00	2 00	2 70	1 00	2 50	12 00	24 50	45 40
Beulah and Viola Dale	...	2 20	1 70	3 60	...	3 60	22 00	78 95	112 05
Rosburn	...	...	1 70	1 00	...	2 50	16 00	38 40	58 60
Binscarth	...	...	0 70	...	...	1 40	9 00	39 85	50 95
Crescent Lake and York Colony	...	6 50	1 60	8 00	1 00	1 50	9 00	123 55	151 15
Lake Dauphin	...	...	0 25	5 50	...	2 00	4 00	12 25	24 00
Total	...	\$18 00	\$14 05	\$31 30	\$6 35	\$25 65	\$140 50	\$565 45	\$801 30

6. THE BRANDON DISTRICT.

Brandon	...	\$2 00	\$16 60	\$20 25	\$3 00	\$18 00	\$94 09	\$315 05	\$468 99
Chater	...	1 25	3 00	2 60	1 50	6 00	49 50	52 00	115 85
Rapid City	...	3 75	3 50	4 00	1 00	4 00	2 79	69 20	106 24
Moosomin	...	2 05	2 75	2 50	...	6 00	16 01	132 80	162 11
Moose Mountain	...	2 00	2 50	3 00	2 05	1 50	11 06	76 35	98 46
Viriden	...	5 00	5 00	3 00	2 60	7 50	34 30	163 00	220 40
Griswold, etc	...	7 00	10 80	7 75	4 00	10 00	56 75	207 45	303 75
Souris	...	7 40	5 60	5 70	2 30	7 50	7 00	50 00	125 50
Souris City	...	2 10	3 40	3 95	3 75	8 00	61 20	165 05	247 45
Total	...	\$32 55	\$53 15	\$52 75	\$20 20	\$68 60	\$390 70	\$1230 90	\$1848 75

7. THE REGINA DISTRICT.

Regina	...	\$5 45	\$5 65	\$6 50	\$2 80	\$8 00	\$27 00	\$75 00	\$130 40
Wascana	...	1 10	1 10	2 00	...	1 25	7 00	43 25	55 70
Qu'Appelle	...	2 00	3 05	4 30	1 25	5 50	25 00	63 40	104 50
Fort Qu'Appelle	...	1 50	1 00	2 00	...	2 00	10 00	30 00	46 50
Prim. Meth. Colony	...	0 25	...	0 80	...	1 05	1 95	37 65	41 70
Wolseley	...	...	...	2 00	...	1 85	10 00	5 35	19 20
Broadview	...	1 05	1 50	1 50	...	3 70	50 00	46 75	74 50
Moose Jaw	...	2 75	2 00	6 95	2 75	2 50	13 00	95 15	1 4 90
Saskatoon	...	...	1 50	...	...	1 00	6 00	16 50	25 00
Prince Albert	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 00	20 50	35 50
Total	...	\$13 90	\$15 80	\$26 05	\$6 80	\$26 85	\$134 95	\$433 55	\$657 90

CIRCUITS.

Morley	.....
Calgary	.....
Banff	.....
McLeod	.....
Lethbridge	.....
Blood Indian	.....
Maple Creek	.....
Medicine Hat	.....
Gleichen	.....
Red Deer	.....
Woodville	.....
Battle River	.....
Edmonton	.....
Victoria	.....
High River	.....
Bear's Hill	.....
Whitefish Lake	.....
Saddle Lake	.....
Total	.....

DISTRICTS.

Winnipeg	.....
Morden	.....
Portage la Prairie	.....
Birtle	.....
Deloraine	.....
Brandon	.....
Regina	.....
Saskatchewan	.....
Total	.....

8. THE SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday-school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Total.
Morley	\$2 00	.....	\$2 00	\$12 16	\$143 05	\$159 21
Calgary	\$4 65	\$3 10	4 05	\$2 50	8 20	71 00	84 25	177 75
Banff	2 00	3 40	3 55	2 00	3 45	3 60	28 00	46 00
McLeod	1 00	1 25	1 44	5 25	2 00	3 50	4 00	18 45
Lethbridge	0 45	0 90	.....	.....	1 00	1 25	3 00
Blood Indian
Maple Creek	1 95	1 55	1 50	0 50	2 90	13 30	36 40	58 10
Medicine Hat	1 95	2 9	6 05	1 65	3 30	14 79	38 30	68 94
Gleichen	0 90	0 33	.....	1 23
Red Deer	1 00	2 25	1 25	2 50	1 50	6 00	10 00	24 50
Woodville	3 55	0 50	10 00	14 05
Battle River	3 55	3 77	10 00	17 32
Edmonton	1 20	1 15	2 25	1 00	2 55	15 55	28 40	52 10
Victoria	6 00	53 10	59 00
High River	1 77	2 00	.....	7 65	.....	.....	5 42
Bear's Hill	2 45	0 30	23 30	26 05
Whitefish Lake
Saddle Lake
Total	\$13 75	\$17 82	\$25 09	\$15 40	\$38 60	\$151 80	\$469 95	\$732 32

CONNEXIONAL FUNDS.

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Sustentation Fund.	Union Church Relief Fund.	Contingent Fund.	Educational Fund.	Sunday school Aid Fund.	General Conference Fund.	Superannuation Fund.	Missionary Fund.	Total.
Winnipeg	\$40 85	\$96 15	\$89 76	\$39 58	\$107 33	\$673 20	\$2563 28	\$3610 15
Morden	31 45	38 10	51 82	21 35	38 50	259 40	1007 50	1448 12
Portage la Prairie	13 96	25 61	45 20	14 95	34 20	275 34	697 18	1106 84
Birtle	18 00	14 05	31 30	6 35	25 65	140 50	565 45	801 30
Deloraine	14 55	19 62	37 79	10 75	26 35	171 15	983 44	1254 06
Brandon	32 55	53 15	52 75	20 20	68 10	390 70	1230 9	1848 75
Regina	13 90	15 80	26 05	6 80	26 85	134 95	433 5	657 96
Saskatchewan	13 75	17 82	25 00	15 40	38 60	151 80	469 9	732 32
Total	\$179 01	\$280 30	\$359 67	\$135 38	\$365 98	\$2197 44	\$7951 2	\$114 9 04

AMOUNTS RAISED FOR CIRCUIT PURPOSES.

1. THE WINNIPEG DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday School.	All Other Purposes.
Winnipeg—Grace	\$25 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$750 72	\$9500 00
Winnipeg—Zion	12 50	\$200 00	.....	.....	.....	268 75	1550 00
Winnipeg—Wesley	14 20	120 00	.....	.....	\$8 35	335 71	739 24
Winnipeg—Ft. Rouge & McDougall .....	.....	198 00	.....	.....	.....	240 85	1160 00
Port Arthur	4 00	.....	.....	\$75 00	.....	181 90	710 00
Fort William and Murillo	10 00	120 00	50 00	.....	.....	62 00	474 44
Rainy River .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rat Portage and Keewatin .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35 00	487 00
Selkirk .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Emerson	5 00	.....	.....	.....	15 00	110 00	115 00
Dominion City .....	.....	.....	50 00	.....	.....	65 00	250 00
Morris .....	.....	.....	33 00	.....	.....	.....	316 00
Blythfield .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stonewall	15 00	48 00	165 00	.....	26 00	154 05	1727 00
Plympton	4 00	.....	75 00	.....	2 00	9 00	75 00
Fisher River .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	81 00
Beren's River .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Norway House .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxford House .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nelson River .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	\$89 70	\$596 00	\$373 00	\$75 00	\$51 35	\$2212 98	\$17184 68

2. THE MORDEN DISTRICT.

Morden	\$5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$106 45	\$870 00
Carman .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	162 23	1957 50
Thornhill	10 00	.....	\$60 00	.....	\$6 00	162 50	100 00
Manitou	10 00	.....	60 00	.....	10 00	158 80	814 20
Snowflake .....	.....	\$24 00	60 00	.....	.....	57 65	136 75
Cypress River	10 00	.....	60 00	.....	10 00	52 00	391 85
Treherne .....	.....	.....	60 00	.....	.....	5 00	245 00
Swan Lake .....	.....	.....	60 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Otenaw	6 00	52 60	60 00	.....	10 00	1 00	128 00
Total	\$41 00	\$76 60	\$420 00	.....	\$36 00	\$705 63	\$4643 30

3. THE DELORAINE DISTRICT.

Crystal City	\$10 00	.....	\$75 00	\$17 00	\$15 00	\$137 58	\$1527 00
Deloraine	20 00	.....	150 00	.....	20 00	156 18	242 87
Boissevain	10 00	.....	80 00	.....	20 00	63 16	309 00
Killarney	10 00	.....	75 00	.....	10 00	.....	133 00
Greenfield	10 00	.....	75 00	.....	15 00	4 00	40 00
Cartwright	10 00	.....	75 00	.....	10 10	32 84	117 55
Melgund	10 00	.....	60 00	.....	10 00	18 88	15 95
Napioka	10 00	\$35 00	75 00	.....	15 00	.....	.....
South Antlers	10 00	.....	75 00	.....	10 00	18 85	5 00
Total	\$100 00	\$35 00	\$605 00	\$17 00	\$125 00	\$431 49	\$2390 37

CIRCUITS

Portage la Prairie
High Bluff
Meadow Lea
Gladstone
Lansdowne
Neepawa
Carberry
McGregor
Burnside and Prospect
Total

Birtle
Minnedosa
Newdale
Shoal Lake
Beulah and Viola Da
Rosburn
Binscarth
Crescent Lake and Y
Lake Dauphin
Total

Brandon
Chater
Rapid City
Moosomin
Moose Mountain
Virden
Griswold and Alexan
Souris
Souris City
Total

Regina
Wascana
Qu'Appelle
Fort Qu'Appelle
Primitive Methodist
Wolseley
Broadview
Moose Jaw
Saskatoon
Prince Albert
Total

4. THE PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	All Other Purposes.
Portage la Prairie	\$19 35	....	....	....	....	\$482 23	\$3468 05
High Bluff	19 00	....	\$70 00	....	\$15 00	19 25	170 00
Meadow Lea	5 0)	....	60 00	....	15 00	....	94 75
Gladstone	1 25	....	20 00	....	15 00	....	560 00
Lansdowne	7 85	....	70 00	....	....	30 05	108 00
Neepawa .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	263 39	223 00
Carberry	20 0)	....	80 00	....	5 00	38 00	1195 00
McGregor	4 00	....	....	....	....	....	19 00
Burnside and Prospect	15 00	\$96 00	50 00	....	....	40 0)	108 00
Total	\$82 45	\$96 00	\$400 00	....	\$50 00	\$872 90	\$5936 80

* All Other Purposes.

\$9500 00
 1550 00
 739 24
 1160 00
 710 00
 474 44

 487 00

 115 00
 250 00
 316 00

 1727 00
 75 00
 81 00

 \$17184 68

5. THE BIRTLE DISTRICT.

Birtle	\$10 00	....	\$60 00	....	\$10 00	....	\$156 60
Minnedosa	10 00	....	60 00	....	....	\$63 70	889 55
Newdale .....	....	....	50 00	....	....	22 85	437 75
Shoal Lake	4 75	....	60 00	....	5 25	....	25 00
Beulah and Viola Dale	4 10	\$48 00	80 00	....	10 00	....	100 00
Rosburn	5 00	20 00	65 00	....	5 00	19 00	119 00
Binscarth	8 10	....	60 00	....	....	....	10 50
Crescent Lake and York Colony ..	....	....	60 00	....	....	....	26 00
Lake Dauphin .....	....	....	20 00	....	....	....	....
Total	\$41 95	\$68 00	\$515 00	....	\$30 25	\$105 55	\$2064 40

6. THE BRANDON DISTRICT.

Brandon	\$5 45	....	....	....	....	\$154 81	\$2719 40
Chater	10 00	....	\$60 00	....	\$10 00	41 50	315 00
Rapid City	5 00	....	60 0)	....	5 00	55 50	609 00
Moosomin	5 00	\$21 00	103 00	....	15 00	....	279 30
Moose Mountain .....	....	....	60 00	....	10 00	17 05	20 00
Viriden	15 00	....	150 00	....	25 00	126 55	1181 35
Griswold and Alexander	19 00	....	75 00	\$50 00	20 00	79 50	370 35
Souris	11 50	....	65 00	2) 00	10 00	92 20	115 00
Souris City	5 00	....	65 00	....	5 00	97 35	760 00
Total	\$66 95	\$21 00	\$638 00	\$70 00	\$100 00	\$664 46	\$6369 40

\$870 00
 1957 50
 100 00
 814 20
 136 75
 391 85
 245 00

 128 00
 \$4643 30

7. THE REGINA DISTRICT.

Regina .....	....	....	....	....	....	\$100 00	\$1000 00
Wascana	\$2 00	....	\$50 00	....	\$5 00	2 00	43 90
Qu'Appelle	2 00	....	40 00	....	13 00	50 00	586 00
Fort Qu'Appelle	10 00	....	80 00	....	10 00	....	400 00
Primitive Methodist Colony .....	....	....	....	....	....	12 50	....
Wolseley	7 00	....	30 00	....	8 00	....	18 10
Broadview .....	....	....	100 00	....	....	20 75	147 50
Moose Jaw	4 00	\$67 20	50 0)	....	50 00	19 75	190 50
Saskatoon	15 00	....	75 00	....	25 00	....	....
Prince Albert	10 00	....	100 00	....	20 00	30 50	1170 50
Total	\$50 0)	\$67 20	\$525 00	....	\$131 00	\$235 50	\$3536 50

\$1527 00
 242 87
 309 00
 133 00
 40 00
 117 55
 15 95

 5 00
 \$2390 37

8. THE SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	All Other Purposes.
Morley						\$18 00	
Calgary	\$5 20					133 70	\$570 25
Banff			\$70 00		\$59 00	36 00	287 50
McLeod	12 50					128 25	450 00
Lethbridge							100 00
Blood Indian							
Maple Creek						47 64	107 82
High River			18 80				
Medicine Hat						40 00	628 45
Gleichen			75 00				
Red Deer			50 00			4 00	
Woodville							
Battle River							4 68
Bear's Hill							
Edmonton			90 00			36 00	164 90
Victoria							2:0 00
Whitefish Lake							
Saddle Lake							
Slave Lake							
Total	\$17 70	....	\$303 80	....	\$59 00	\$443 59	\$2563 60

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Circuit Incidentals.	House Rent.	Horse Keep.	Removal Expenses.	Travelling Expenses.	Sunday Schools.	All Other Purposes.	Total.
Winnipeg	\$30 70	\$596 00	\$373 00	\$75 00	\$51 35	\$ 212 98	\$7184 68	\$9782 71
Morden	41 00	76 60	420 00	....	36 00	705 63	4643 30	5922 53
Deloraine	100 00	35 00	695 00	17 00	125 00	431 49	2390 37	3793 86
Portage la Prairie	82 45	96 00	400 00	....	50 00	872 97	5936 80	7438 22
Birtle	41 95	68 00	515 00	....	3) 25	105 55	2064 40	2825 15
Brandon	66 95	21 00	638 00	70 00	100 00	664 46	6369 40	7929 81
Regina	50 00	67 20	525 00	....	131 00	235 50	3536 20	4:44 90
Saskatchewan	17 70	....	303 80	....	59 00	443 59	2563 61	3387 69
Total	\$489 75	\$959 80	\$3869 80	\$162 00	\$:82 60	\$5672 17	\$3468 75	\$45624 87

CIRCUITS.

Winnipeg—
Grace
Zion
Wesley
Port Rouge and Mc
Port Arthur
Fort William and Mur
Rainy River
Rat Portage and Keew
Selkirk
Emerson
Dominion City
Morris
Blythfield
Stonewall
Plympton
Fisher River
Beren's River
Norway House
Oxford House
Nelson River

Total

Morden
Carman
Thornhill
Manitou
Snowflake
Cypress River
Treherne
Swan Lake
Otenaw

Total

Crystal City
Deloraine
Do.
Boissevain
Killarney
Greenfield
Cartwright
Melgund
Napinka
South Antlers

Total

- MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

1. THE WINNIPEG DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Salary, Board and Fee.	Circuit Deficiency.	APPROPRIATION FROM FUNDS.			Total Received.	Net Deficiency.
			Missionary.				
			Salary.	Rent.	Rem.		
Winnipeg—							
Grace	\$2000 00	....	....	....	....	\$2000 00
Zion	1000 00	....	....	....	....	1000 00
Wesley	1000 00	....	....	....	....	1000 00
Fort Rouge and McDougall	900 00	....	....	....	....	900 00
Port Arthur	1000 00	....	....	....	....	1000 00
Fort William and Murillo	800 00	....	....	....	....	800 00
Rainy River .....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Rat Portage and Keewatin	135 95	314 05	\$140 00	....	\$39 00	275 95
Selkirk .....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Emerson	730 00	150 00	....	....	....	730 00
Dominion City	391 00	150 30	150 30	\$5 00	....	541 30
Morris	245 25	....	150 00	....	10 00	395 25
Blythfield .....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Stonewall	573 63	201 37	211 00	....	4 00	784 63
Plympton	234 00	520 00	300 00	....	....	584 00
Fisher River .....	....	....	980 00	....	19 75	980 00
Beren's River .....	....	....	1030 00	....	....	1030 00
Norway House .....	....	....	200 00	....	....	200 00
Oxford House .....	....	....	100 00	....	....	100 00
Nelson River .....	....	....	200 00	....	....	200 00
Total	\$9059 83	\$1335 72	\$5261 30	\$5 00	\$72 75	\$14321 13	\$544 05

2. THE MORDEN DISTRICT.

Morden	\$1000 00	....	....	....	....	\$1000 00	....
Carman	1100 00	....	....	....	....	1100 00	....
Thornhill	452 00	\$322 00	\$98 40	....	....	550 40	\$223 60
Manitou	630 00	200 00	165 00	....	....	785 00	45 00
Snowflake	195 30	....	145 80	\$7 20	....	341 10	....
Cypress River	386 00	504 00	240 00	....	....	626 00	\$64 00
Treherne	450 00	....	....	....	....	450 00	....
Swan Lake	46 50	....	189 70	....	....	245 50	....
Otenaw	226 00	568 00	236 72	24 00	....	512 72	281 28
Total	\$4485 80	\$1594 00	\$1124 62	\$31 20	....	\$5610 42	\$813 88

3. THE DELORAINE DISTRICT.

Crystal City	\$800 00	....	....	....	....	\$800 00	....
Deloraine	290 55	\$419 45	\$209 45	....	....	500 00	\$210 00
Do.	54 00	126 00	49 00	....	....	103 00	77 00
Boissevain	590 00	....	....	....	....	590 00	....
Killarney	108 72	246 28	98 70	....	\$62 00	207 42	147 58
Greenfield	120 00	630 00	400 00	....	15 00	520 00	230 00
Cartwright	245 01	104 99	73 70	....	50 00	318 71	31 29
Melgund	393 75	....	....	....	....	393 75	....
Napinka	165 14	569 86	321 72	....	....	486 86	248 14
South Antlers	98 75	226 25	178 78	....	....	277 53	47 47
Total	\$2865 92	\$2322 83	\$1331 35	....	\$127 00	\$4197 27	\$991 48

All Other Purposes.

\$570 25
287 50
450 00
100 00
107 82
628 45
4 68
164 90
20 00
\$2563 60

Total.
\$9782 71
5922 53
3793 86
7438 22
2825 15
7929 81
4544 90
3387 69
\$45624 87

4. THE PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Salary, Board and Fuel.	Circuit Deficiency.	APPROPRIATION FROM FUNDS.			Total Received.	Net Deficiency.
			Missionary.				
			Salary.	Rent.	Rem.		
Portage la Prairie	\$850 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$850 00	.....
High Bluff	655 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	655 00	.....
Meadow Lea	175 00	\$295 00	\$255 16	.....	.....	430 16	\$39 84
Gladstone	265 00	478 75	293 40	.....	\$23 00	563 40	157 35
Lansdowne	325 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	325 80	.....
Neepawa	800 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	800 00	.....
Carberry	845 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	845 00	.....
Do.	350 00	.....	.....	50 00	.....	350 00	.....
McGregor	322 85	77 15	.....	.....	.....	322 85	77 15
Burnside and Prospect	607 50	120 50	.....	.....	.....	607 50	121 50
Total	\$5196 15	\$972 40	\$553 56	.....	\$73 00	\$5749 71	\$395 84

5. THE BIRTLE DISTRICT.

Birtle	\$470 00	\$300 00	\$150 00	.....	.....	\$620 00	\$150 00
Minnedosa	443 00	337 00	148 00	.....	.....	591 00	189 00
Newdale	346 00	74 00	30 00	.....	.....	376 00	44 00
Shoal Lake	155 00	225 00	148 70	.....	\$50 00	303 70	76 30
Beulah	358 32	751 68	364 74	\$12 00	.....	723 06	386 94
Rosburn	195 00	560 00	320 00	4 00	32 00	515 00	240 00
Binscarth	144 90	237 00	148 70	.....	.....	293 60	88 30
Crescent Lake & York Colony	195 83	194 17	123 70	.....	25 00	319 53	70 47
Lake Dauphin	66 30	333 70	105 00	.....	10 00	171 30	218 70
Total	\$2374 35	\$3012 55	\$1538 84	\$16 00	\$117 00	\$3913 19	\$1473 71

6. THE BRANDON DISTRICT.

Brandon	\$1250 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$1250 00	.....
Chater	512 60	\$427 40	\$138 06	.....	\$30 00	680 66	\$289 34
Rapid City	250 00	530 00	305 00	.....	.....	555 00	225 00
Moosomin	322 00	905 00	501 35	.....	57 00	823 35	403 65
Moose Mountain	130 00	720 00	451 00	.....	.....	581 00	269 00
Viriden	585 00	540 00	134 74	.....	.....	719 74	405 26
Griswold and Alexander	1095 00	.....	.....	.....	105 00*	1095 00	.....
Souris	827 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	827 00	.....
Souris City	710 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	710 00	.....
Total	\$5711 60	\$3122 40	\$1530 15	.....	\$192 00	\$7241 75	\$1592 25

*Expenses incurred in removing Rev. A. W. Ross from the Fraser River to Winnipeg; and Rev. Wm. Dawson from the Toronto to the Manitoba Conference.

7. THE REGINA DISTRICT.

Regina	\$800 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$800 00	.....
Wascana	118 00	\$325 00	\$123 70	.....	\$26 00	241 70	\$201 30
Qu'Appelle	325 00	472 00	256 70	.....	.....	581 70	215 30
Fort Qu'Appelle	65 00	745 00	386 72	.....	.....	451 72	356 60
Primitive Methodist Colony	21 70	3 30	.....	.....	.....	21 70	3 30
Wolseley	98 25	306 75	123 70	.....	.....	221 95	183 65
Broadview	255 00	945 00	524 74	.....	.....	779 74	420 26
Moose Jaw	123 80	538 00	311 72	\$16 80	.....	440 52	276 28
Saskatoon	15 00	370 00	248 60	.....	65 00	263 60	121 40
Prince Albert	160 00	840 00	432 00	30 00	.....	592 00	248 00
Total	1986 75	\$4595 05	\$2407 88	\$46 80	\$91 00	\$4394 63	\$2025 49

CIRCUITS.

Morley
 Calgary
 Banff
 High River
 Macleod
 Lethbridge
 Blood Indian
 Maple Creek
 Medicine Hat
 Gleichen
 Red Deer
 Woodville
 Battle River
 Bear's Hill
 Edmonton
 Victoria
 Whitefish Lake
 Saddle Lake
 Slave Lake

Total

DISTRICTS.

Winnipeg

Morden

Deloraine

Portage la Prairie

Birtle

Brandon

Regina

Saskatchewan

Total

Total amount raised

8. THE SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT.

CIRCUITS.	Salary, Board and Fuel.	Circuit Deficiency.	APPROPRIAT'N FROM FUNDS.			Total Receiv'd.	Net Deficiency.
			Missionary.				
			Salary.	Rent.	Rem.		
Morley		\$1000 00	\$1000 00	....	....	\$1000 00	....
Calgary	\$1200 00	....	....	....	....	....	....
Banff	140 00	510 00	331 80	....	....	471 80	\$128 20
High River	165 25	265 95	182 00	....	....	347 25	83 95
Macleod	400 00	600 00	295 00	....	....	695 00	305 00
Lethbridge	100 00	350 00	315 00	....	....	415 00	35 00
Blood Indian .....	....	850 00	850 00	....	....	850 00	....
Maple Creek	175 00	275 00	298 50	....	....	473 50	....
Medicine Hat	200 00	800 00	381 60	....	\$15 00	581 60	418 40
Gleichen	45 00	330 00	182 00	....	....	227 00	138 00
Red Deer	109 60	390 40	182 00	....	....	291 60	208 40
Woodville .....	....	850 00	850 00	....	....	850 00	....
Battle River .....	....	850 00	850 00	....	....	850 00	....
Bear's Hill .....	....	600 00	600 00	....	....	600 00	....
Edmonton	287 00	633 00	381 00	....	....	668 00	242 00
Victoria .....	....	850 00	850 00	....	....	850 00	....
Whitefish Lake .....	....	900 00	900 00	....	....	900 00	....
Saddle Lake .....	....	600 00	600 00	....	....	600 00	....
Slave Lake .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total.....	\$2321 85	\$1654 85	\$9048 90	....	\$15 00	\$10670 75	\$1747 75

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Salary, Board and Fuel.	Circuit Deficiency.	APPROPRIAT'N FROM FUNDS.			Total Receiv'd.	Net Deficiency.
			Missionary.				
			Salary.	Rent.	Rem.		
Winnipeg	\$9059 83	\$1335 72	\$5261 30	....	....	\$14321 13	\$544 05
Morden	4485 80	1594 00	1124 62	\$31 20	....	5610 42	813 88
Deloraine	2865 92	2322 83	1331 35	....	\$127 00	4197 27	991 48
Portage la Prairie	5196 15	972 40	553 56	....	73 00	5749 71	395 84
Birtle	2374 85	3012 55	1538 84	16 00	117 00	3913 19	1473 71
Brandon	5711 60	3122 40	1530 15	....	192 00	7241 75	1592 25
Regina	1986 75	4595 05	2407 88	....	91 00	4394 63	2025 49
Saskatchewan	2821 85	10654 35	9048 90	....	15 00	10670 75	1747 75
Total	\$34502 25	\$27609 30	22796 60	\$47 50	\$615 00	\$56098 85	\$9584 45

Total amount raised for all purposes during year, not including amount paid to the College, \$91,586.16.

Net Deficiency.

 \$39 84
 157 35

 77 15
 121 50
 \$395 84

 \$150 00
 189 00
 44 00
 76 30
 386 94
 240 00
 88 30
 70 47
 218 70
 \$1473 71

.....
 \$289 34
 225 00
 403 65
 269 00
 405 26

 \$1592 25

 d Rev. Wm.

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SUPERANNUATED MINISTERS' FUND.

Names of Ministers and Lay Subscribers of Five Dollars and Upwards.

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<i>Grace Church.</i>		Thomas Ryan	\$5 00
R. J. Whitla	\$10 00	D. K. Elliott	5 00
J. H. Ashdown	10 00	G. A. Elliott	5 00
J. H. Housser	10 00	T. H. Preston	5 00
Mrs. Rutledge	10 00	<i>Zion Church.</i>	
W. D. Pettigrew	5 00	G. H. Campbell	5 00
A. F. Bantfield	5 00	<i>Port Arthur.</i>	
S. R. Parsons	5 00	J. Brinson	5 00
R. J. Campbell	5 00	J. Meek	5 00
W. H. Culver	5 00	<i>Fort William.</i>	
G. H. Young	5 00	G. B. Smith	5 00
W. L. Hutton	5 00	<i>Emerson.</i>	
Prof. R. R. Cochrane	5 00	J. J. Bedford	5 00
G. H. Rogers	5 00		
J. A. M. Aikins	5 00		

II. MORDEN DISTRICT.

Rev. Thos. Argue	\$12 00	Rev. W. G. Wilson	\$12 00
" A. Gordon	12 00	<i>Cypress River.</i>	
" James Hoskin	12 00	James Mitchell	5 00
" Thomas Lawson	12 00		
" A. H. Anderson	12 00		

III. DELORAINE DISTRICT.

<i>Cartwright.</i>		<i>Napinka.</i>	
Reuben Cross	\$5 00	W. F. Wanen	\$5 00

IV. BIRTLE DISTRICT.

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

REPORT OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The Board of Examiners report as follows:—

Forty-seven candidates presented themselves, of whom only twenty-two wrote upon the entire work prescribed for their respective years. To these, certificates were awarded, as follows:—In the fourth year, one first-class and two second-class. In the third year, two first-class. In the second year, one first-class, with honors: four first-class, and one second. In the first year, five first-class. In the preliminary year, two first-class and four second-class.

The following regulations respecting candidates were adopted:—

Candidates who intend writing in preliminary course shall hereafter send intimation of the same to the Chairman of District in which they reside, not later than the first day of March.

Examiners shall forward to the Secretary of the Examining Board, not later than the first day of March, manuscript questions on each subject allotted to them, which shall be printed under the Secretary's supervision, and forwarded by him to Chairmen of Districts, not later than the fifteenth of March.

The Examinations shall be conducted in each District where there are candidates, on the third Wednesday in April, by the Chairman and members of the Board resident within the District. But in cases where the distances are very great, the President shall grant permission to Chairmen to arrange for examination of candidates under supervision of the nearest ordained minister.

Time shall be considered an element in the Examinations, and in all cases where time is set by an examiner, it shall be strictly adhered to.

The following shall constitute the Board of Examiners, with the work assigned them for the ensuing year:—

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

REV. W. L. RUTLEDGE, *Chairman*

REV. J. P. WILSON, *Secretary*.

PRELIMINARY COURSE.

1. *English Branches*:—

English Grammar and Composition—Rev. W. Bridgman.

Arithmetic—Rev. J. Dyke.

Geography—Rev. W. Bridgman.

2. *English Literature*:—

Selections from Macaulay's Essays, Milton, Bunyan, Ränke's History of the Popes—Rev. Geo. Daniel.

3. *History*:—

Ancient History (Schmitz)—Rev. T. Ferrier.

Modern History (Green's English People)—Rev. T. B. Beynon, B.A.

Biblical History (Smith's New Testament) Rev. T. Argue.

4. *Greek Grammar*:—

Harkness' First Greek Book (as far as Syntax)—Rev. T. E. Morden, B.A.

5. *Theology* :—

Wesley's Sermons, I. to XX.—Rev. A. Andrews.
Methodist Catechism, No. II. (Revised Edition)—Rev. T. Ferrier.

FIRST YEAR'S COURSE.

1. *Biblical Introduction* :—

Barrow's Introduction, Parts I. and II.—Rev. James M. Harrison.

2. *Biblical History* :—

Smith's Old Testament History—Rev. T. Ferrier.

3. *Theology* :—

Wesley's Sermons, I. to LII. (Burwash)—Rev. W. L. Rutledge.
Fletcher's Checks, I. to V. ; Wesley on Christian Perfection—Rev. Geo. Daniel.

4. *Greek Grammar* :—

Harkness' First Greek Book (Syntax to end)—Rev. T. E. Morden, B.A.

SECOND YEAR'S COURSE.

1. *Hermeneutics* :—

Barrow's Introduction, Part IV.—Rev. James M. Harrison.

2. *Exegesis* :—

Gospel of St. John in Greek, Chaps. I. to X. ; Cambridge Greek Testament for Schools and Colleges—Rev. B. Franklin, M.A., Ph.D.

3. *Church History* :—

Blackburn's History of the Christian Church—Rev. T. B. Beynon, B.A.

4. *Theology* :—

Pope's Theology, Vol. I.—Rev. A. Stewart, B.D.

5. *Rhetoric* :—

Bain's—Rev. J. W. Bell, B.D.

THIRD YEAR'S COURSE.

1. *Exegesis* :—

Epistle to the Romans in Greek, Chaps. I. to IX. inclusive, together with Beet's Commentary on Romans—Rev. B. Franklin, M.A., Ph.D.

2. *Homiletics* :—

Ryckman's "Ambassador for Christ"; Blaikie's "For the Work of the Ministry"—Rev. Thos. Argue.

3. *Church History* :—

Stevens' History of Methodism (to the death of Wesley)—Rev. J. P. Wilson, B.A.

4. *Theology* :—

Pope's Theology, Vol. II.—Rev. A. Stewart, B.D.

5. *Logic* :—

Jevons' Logic (American Edition)—Rev. W. W. Colpitts, B.Sc.

FOURTH YEAR'S COURSE.

1. *Theology* :—

Pope's Theology, Vol. III.—Rev. A. Stewart, B.D.

2. *Apologetics* :—

Flint's Theism—Rev. J. McLean, M.A., Ph.D.
Farrar's "Witness of History to Christ"—Rev. A. Andrews.

3. *Moral Philosophy* :—

Janet's Elements of Morality—Rev. J. Dyke.

4. *Metaphysics* :—

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- 4. *Metaphysics* :—
Murray's Hamilton—Rev. Dr. Sparling.
- 5. *Discipline of the Methodist Church* :—
Rev. J. W. Bell, B.D.

FOR CANDIDATES WHO ARE GRADUATES IN ARTS.

PRELIMINARY COURSE.

- 1. *Theology* :—
Wesley's Sermons (Burwash) ; Methodist Catechism, No. II. (Revised Edition).
—Rev. J. McLean, M.A., Ph.D.
- 2. *Biblical History* :—
Smith's New Testament—Rev. Thos. Argue.

FIRST YEAR'S COURSE.

- 1. *Biblical Introduction* :—
Barrow's Introduction, Parts I., III., IV.—Rev. J. M. Harrison.
- 2. *Theology* :—
Fletcher's Checks, I. to V. ; Wesley's Christian Perfection—Rev. Geo. Daniel.
- 3. *Biblical History* :—
Smith's Old Testament—Rev. T. Ferrier.
- 4. *Apologetics* :—
Flint's Theism and Farrar's "Witness of History to Christ"—Rev. W. L. Rutledge.

SECOND YEAR'S COURSE.

- 1. *Exegesis* :—
Westcott on the Canon ; Matthew's Gospel ; Sermon on the Mount, in Greek ;
John's Gospel, in Greek, with Notes in Cambridge Greek Testament for
Schools and Colleges ; and Godet's Commentary—Rev. B. Franklin, Ph.D.
- 2. *Church History* :—
Kurtz' History of the Church to the Reformation—Rev. J. P. Wilson, B.A.
- 3. *Theology* :—
Pope's Theology, Vols. I. and II.—Rev. A. Stewart, B.D.

THIRD YEAR'S COURSE.

- 1. *Exegesis* :—
Epistle to Romans in Greek, with Beet's Commentary—Rev. B. Franklin,
M.A., Ph.D.
- 2. *Church History* :—
Fisher's History of the Reformation—Rev. Dr. Sparling.
Stevens' History of Methodism (to the death of Wesley)—Rev. J. P. Wilson,
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- 3. *Theology* :—
Pope's Theology, Vol. III.—Rev. A. Stewart, B.D.
Sheldon's History of Doctrine—Rev. J. McLean, M.A., Ph.D.
- 4. *Discipline of the Methodist Church* :—
Rev. J. W. Bell, B.D.

FOR PROBATIONERS IN THE INDIAN WORK.

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House's Cree Grammar—Rev. John McDougall.

FOR SUBSEQUENT YEARS.

New Testament in Cree—Rev. John McDougall.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND.

Your Committee beg to submit the following Report, viz. :—
 We find that the assessment of last year has been paid by all the Districts excepting Winnipeg, Portage la Prairie, and Saskatchewan. A small overplus was paid by the Districts that met their assessment, leaving an actual deficiency of \$58.

We recommend that the assessment for the current year be the same as that made by the Special Committee last year, and that in addition, Winnipeg and Portage la Prairie pay the amount of their deficiency, and Saskatchewan pay \$14.53. The assessment will then be as follows :—

<i>District.</i>			
Winnipeg	\$121 00	+	\$13 67 = \$134 67
Morden	37 00		37 00
Portage la Prairie	64 00	+	29 80 = 93 80
Birtle	25 00		25 00
Deloraine	24 00		24 00
Brandon	62 00		62 00
Regina	24 00		24 00
Saskatchewan	67 00	+	14 53 = 81 53

N. B.—For particulars see schedule, Connexional Funds.

Report adopted.

JOHN J. LEACH, *Chairman.*
 CHARLES BRAITHWAITE, *Secretary.*

SUPERANNUATION FUND.

Annual Report of the Board for the year ending July 31st, 1888.

I have pleasure in again presenting to the Board the Annual Exhibit of the state of the Fund.

Although the past year has been one of great stringency in money matters, the income of the Fund has been sufficient to meet the claims of the year, and to pay off the balance against the Fund, with which the year was commenced.

The amounts apportioned to the several Districts have been paid, with comparatively trifling exceptions, and the claimants have received their full allowances.

I am sorry, however, to say that quite a number of our most poorly paid ministers have been compelled to make up deficiencies which should have been paid by their Circuits; but so willingly has this been done, in obedience to the law of the Church, that in very few instances have I heard any complaint.

The estimates for the coming year have been very carefully made, and I venture, with some hesitation, to recommend that the percentage be no higher than six per cent. the same as last year, although that may leave a small deficiency against the Fund.

The coming year will be a trying one, arising from several causes. The amount of assessable income has not materially increased. The number of additional claimants is greater than usual, and their claims excep-

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The above is the Treasurer's Report as adopted by the Board.

JOHN BREDIN, *Secretary.*

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

DR.	PERMANENT ACCOUNT.	CR.	
To amount as per last year's statement	\$163,845 42	By Mortgages	\$63,421 33
" M. E. Church, on account of Levelling-up Fund	1,582 34	" Debentures	14,000 00
" Ministers' Subp'ns (¼th)	2,087 91	" Stocks	8,791 75
" Legacies	780 00	" Loans	1,983 51
		" Book Room	49,500 00
		" Missionary Society	9,760 00
		" General Conference Fund	8,580 80
		" Albert College Board	2,500 00
		" Commutation	1,552 92
		" Cash in Bank	8,205 36
	\$168,295 67		\$168,295 67

DR.	ANNUAL ACCOUNT.	CR.	
To Unclaimed Amounts	\$60 00	By Balance due Perrit Fund	\$1,044 95
" Paid from Circuits	46,776 61	" Back claims	401 10
" Ministers' Subp'ns (¾ths)	10,439 16	" 187 Ministers	51,373 60
" Book Room Appropriation	6,000 00	" 138 Widows	18,718 65
" Missionary Grant on account of Superannuated Missionaries	4,200 00	" 112 Children	2,146 64
" Interest	9,765 86	" 3 Annuitants	212 00
		" Refunds	604 85
		" Commutation	597 08
		" Treasurer's Salary	1,000 00
		" Expense Account	1,143 26
	\$77,241 63		\$77,241 63

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES GRAY, *Clerical Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

F. BYRNE, } *Auditors.*
S. McVEIGH, }

Toronto, August, 1888.

GENERAL CONFERENCE FUND.

In the years prece ling the General Conference of 1886 the salaries of the General Superintendents were paid in part by the Missionary and Educational Funds, on the ground that the advocacy of the chief officers of the Church did very materially benefit these departments of our Church work.

According to the then existing law, the Fund paid only \$2,000 annually for the above purpose, or at the rate \$8,000 for the full quadrennium. The legislation of the General Conference of 1886 (I think unwisely) enacted that the whole amount required for the above purpose should be paid by the Fund, which amount during the quadrennium is \$18,400 an increase of \$10,400 during the four years on this one item.

The General Conference, through the Financial Committee, provided for meeting this increased claim, by apportioning to the several Annual Conferences, on what they considered an equitable basis, such sums as they deemed necessary to meet these claims, and the Conferences, through their representatives, accepted such apportionments. (See Journal, page 251.)

I consider the estimates made by the Financial Committee of the General Conference to be moderate and approximately correct, and I think the whole of these apportionments will be required to meet the claims against the Fund during the quadrennium.

The following tabulated statement will show how far the several Conferences have been successful, up till the 1st of September, 1888, in raising the amounts required from them respectively. According to the estimates of the Financial Committee of the General Conference, I would just say here in addition, that one-half of the quadrennium is now past, and one-half of the estimated amount should be in the Treasurer's hands.

TABULATED STATEMENT FROM SEPTEMBER, 1st, 1886, UP TILL
SEPTEMBER 1st, 1888.

NAMES OF CONFERENCES.	Amounts payable annually.	Amounts due up till 1st Sept., '88.	Amounts paid till 1st Sept., '88.	Amounts of deficiency on 1st Sept., '88.
Toronto, embracing B. C. Conference	\$1,430 00	\$2,860 00	\$1,329 73	\$1,530 27
London	1,000 00	2,000 00	822 89	1,177 11
Niagara	1,000 00	2,000 00	539 83	1,460 17
Guelph	875 00	1,750 00	853 27	896 73
Bay of Quinte	875 00	1,750 00	748 80	1,001 20
Montreal	1,125 00	2,250 00	1,644 13	605 87
Nova Scotia	400 00	800 00	269 42	530 58
New Brunswick, etc	400 00	800 00	275 50	524 50
Newfoundland	125 00	250 00	173 12	76 88
Manitoba	310 00	620 00	492 15	127 85
	\$7,540 00	\$15,080 00	\$7,148 84	\$7,931 16

From the above facts and figures it will be seen that less than one-half of the amount estimated as necessary has been paid in the past two years by the Conference; \$15,080 required, say \$7,150 paid, and \$7,930 still deficient on the two years. These figures speak more eloquently than anything I could say. What is to be done? This is a question properly belonging to the several Annual Conferences. That something should be done, and done generally and promptly, I think all will admit. The next meeting of the Annual Conferences should not be allowed to pass without very decided action. All the Conferences might not be disposed to take the same action; some might be disposed to adopt an additional collection to make up the balance, while others might prefer to do it by a private subscription among the friends of the Church. The amount should be raised in some way by each of the Conferences.

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To prevent misunderstandings, it may be necessary to say that as our year closes on the 31st of August, and the year in Annual Conferences closes about June, it will be in vain to expect that our figures will agree with those returned in the Minutes of the several Annual Conferences.

Toronto, October 9th, 1888.

JAMES GRAY, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE STATISTICAL COMMITTEE.

Having now completed the work assigned them, and, from the papers as well as from the other sources of information placed at their disposal, prepared the usual Conference schedules, the Committee on Statistics beg leave to present the following synopsis of their work :—

A. *Membership*:—On Trial, 735 ; Full Members, 8,028 ; Increase, 1,815.

B. *Ministerial Support*:—Raised for Salary, Board and Fuel, \$34,544.25 ; Increase, \$5,962.25.

C. *Grand Total*:—Raised for all purposes, \$90,176.19 ; Increase, \$2,644.29.

Some of the work imposed on the Committee might have been avoided, and their efforts to present a correct report greatly facilitated, had all the schedules consulted by them been uniform. It is to be regretted the excellent regulation sanctioned by the Conference last year, viz. : that the Chairman and Secretary of each District be a Committee to prepare proper returns, and hand them to the Secretary of Conference in time for the first meeting of the Committee, was not, in every case, strictly carried out.

In the judgment of this Committee, all the District books should be carefully audited before the close of each District Meeting, and all the forms designed for the use of the various Committees properly filled up. Even if all these things were faithfully adhered to from year to year, it is extremely doubtful whether entire satisfaction could be thus guaranteed. It is very evident the Conference schedules would be vastly improved by the introduction of several additional columns, especially where it becomes necessary to tabulate the total amounts raised on the different Circuits. The Committee would consequently suggest the advisability of a general revision of all the schedules by the General Conference, thus enabling them to present not only more complete, but more correct, tables of "Statistical returns."

THOS. LAWSON, *Chairman.*

GEO. DANIEL, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

Your Committee on Sabbath Observance beg to express their gratification at the respect with which the Sabbath is observed in Manitoba and the North-West Territories generally.

We know of no country, so young as ours, where the Sabbath is regarded with so great sanctity as this.

This we consider is due to the fact that the Missionary has, in our country, gone side by side with the very first settler, and the leavening process of religion has thus retained its hold upon the heart of the people.

But viewing the large immigration into this country, and the tendency in the pressure of other matters to forget the claims of the Sabbath-day, your Committee impress the necessity for untiring vigilance on the part of every minister and member of our Church to retain our present advanced position; and that we co-operate in every way possible with the other denominations to work for the continued and increased observance of the Sabbath.

And since the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada are desirous of strongly petitioning the Dominion Government for legislation in reference to Sabbath observance by railroads and other public corporations, we recommend that a copy of the petition be procured by each minister, and that they procure as many signatures thereto as possible, to aid the Alliance in this much-needed reform.

G. H. WEST, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Your Committee, having had placed in their hands certain memorials, having carefully considered the same, beg leave to report as follows:—

1. We re-affirm the position always held by the Methodist Church, that as a Church we stand in direct opposition to the traffic in intoxicating drinks in all its forms, and are prepared to give our best assistance to any and every effort to lessen, restrict, or put a stop to the traffic. We believe the only true position for the Church or State is uncompromising opposition and prohibition.

2. We believe the time has come when this Church should assert and affirm the logical outcome of its own principles, and declare that any one who will either sign a petition for the granting of a license, or use his influence to induce another to sign, is unfit for membership in our Church; and we recommend that this Conference memorialize the General Conference to the effect that the Discipline be so amended that any of our members so transgressing shall be liable to suspension or expulsion from membership in the Church, as may be determined by a court properly constituted on that behalf.

3. We rejoice in the good work done by the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and other temperance organizations, and especially recommend that all our ministers and people be urged to give to any of these organizations, specially mentioning the Women's Christian Temperance Union, all the help in their power, in organizing or in their work otherwise, in the advancement of our common cause.

4. Without specifically commending the "Third party," as a party, or any other party, we declare that we have no confidence in any party that refuses to place *Prohibition* as a distinct plank in its platform; and we think the time has come when all Christian people should lay aside mere party politics, and resolve, for conscience' sake, to use all their influence to secure Parliamentary reform, especially in this matter, ever remembering that the function of government is not at any time to *regulate* a wrong, but to suppress it. The power of the ballot ought always to be used as a sacred thing, only to put in Parliament men who are true to their principles of truth and righteousness.

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4. Your Committee, having heard that there is a movement on foot, looking toward the changing of our provincial license law, so as to permit of a license being granted on the petition of a less number of householders than sixteen out of the nearest twenty to the house for which license is sought; we respectfully recommend that, as a Conference, we affirm our approval of the license law as it now stands in that respect, and emphatically protest against, and urge all our people to use all lawful means to prevent, any change in the law looking toward the weakening of the restrictions now placed around the traffic. And we further urge that all our ministers and people use their best endeavors to enforce the law as it now stands.

6. Further, as section 57 of the present law provides for local prohibition, we urge our ministers and people to take steps, in conjunction with all who will assist, to secure the adoption of the said clause by the municipalities.

7. We also desire to enter our solemn protest against the violation of the principles and spirit of the prohibitory law of the Territories, by the granting of certain licenses to sell intoxicating liquors, by the Federal Government, and the granting of licenses, to sell four per cent. beer, by Gov. Royal. We believe that as long as any law is the law of the land, it ought to be respected and maintained inviolate, and enforced both by public and private citizens; being assured that any such setting aside of the law, by those in authority, must be disastrous in its effects on the moral tone of the citizens of our land—a thing to be greatly deprecated in any community.

8. We desire to record our emphatic disapproval of, and indignation at, the manifestations of rowdyism in the interest of the liquor traffic in various parts of our land. We exceedingly regret that the fair name of our Province has thus been dragged in the dust, and hope the officers of the law may use all their power to stamp out promptly all such unlawful and disgraceful demonstrations. Let the liquor traffic be destroyed.

Respectfully submitted.

W. W. COLPITTS, *Chairman.*

J. W. BELL, B.D., *Secretary.*

On motion, it was ordered that clause No. 2 above be not adopted, but that it be merely printed in the Minutes of Conference, and left for action at the next Conference.

With this amendment the Report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Your Committee, having considered the various cases that came before us, beg leave to report as follows:—

1. We recommend that the trustees of the church property in Manitou be granted permission to sell the old church and lot, and to apply the proceeds in erecting a new church.

2. That the request of the Gladstone trustees to sell the old church and parsonage, to apply the proceeds on the cost of a new parsonage, be granted.

3. That the trustees of the old parsonage property in Carberry be permitted to sell the building and lot ; also, that the trustees of the church property in Carberry be allowed to sell 33 x 87 feet off the south-eastern end of their church lots, proceeds of the whole to be applied on the cost of a new parsonage in Carberry.

4. That the request of the Regina Board of Trustees to sell the old church and parsonage property, to apply proceeds to cost of new property on a more eligible site, be granted.

5. We recommend that the Calgary trustees be permitted to sell the old church property, to apply the proceeds in the erection of a new church.

6. We recommend that a committee, consisting of Revs. J. Woodsworth, W. Bridgman, J. McDougall, J. McLean, Ph.D., and A. M. Peterson, be appointed to make inquiries relative to land grants and sites for educational purposes in Manitoba and the North-West, as the Committee shall deem it expedient in the interests of Methodism, with power to take action, and report to the next Annual Conference.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. ARGUE, *Chairman.*

J. W. BELL, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISTIC WORK.

Your Committee beg to report that they made arrangements with the Rev. D. Savage, of Niagara Conference, and his co-laborer, Mr. Glen McLaughlin, to fill engagements which were entered into with several of our ministers at last Conference.

These evangelists visited and assisted these brethren and many more throughout the entire Conference, and blessed results were manifested in the quickening of the Church, and in the salvation of souls. In Birtle and Crystal City many were added to the Church.

A gracious visitation of divine mercy was vouchsafed to Winnipeg and Brandon in connection with the labors of Revs. Crossley and Hunter.

The review of the past year deepens our conviction that the Great Head of the Church wills to give to-day, as in the apostolic days, evangelists, as well as pastors, for the work of the ministry.

The collections reported make it evident that approved evangelists will be well paid for labors performed in this Conference.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. ARGUE, *Chairman.*

THOS. LAWSON, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISTIC WORK.

1. We earnestly request the Conference to recommend all the Financial District Meetings to arrange for deputations of Ministers and Laymen to conduct evangelistic services on each Station, Circuit and Mission.

2. That we do not see our own way clear to adopt the request of the Portage la Prairie District, to employ two evangelists during the present

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3. We recommend that the President and the Revs. A. Andrews, T. Lawson and J. H. I. Joslyn, be the Standing Committee on Evangelistic Work, for the year.

REPORT OF CONTINGENT FUND COMMITTEE.

Your Committee met and organized, appointing Rev. P. W. Davies Chairman, and Rev. A. B. Harris, Secretary.

The Treasurer submitted the following statement, which was found to be correct, showing a balance on hand at the rising of the Conference of 1888 of \$135.22.

The Treasurer paid on the order of the President of Conference the following account :—Minutes of Conference \$100.00.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

June 24th, 1889, Balance on hand	\$35 22
Winnipeg District Collections	96 15
Morden	38 10
Deloraine	19 62
Portage la Prairie	25 61
Birtle	14 05
Brandon	51 15
Regina	12 75
Saskatchewan	17 80
Annual Conference, (Winnipeg)	103 60
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The following accounts were received, and on motion of the Committee, recommended to be paid :—

Methodist Book and Publishing House account	\$76 55
Parsons, Bell & Co., account for Stationery	16 18
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Billeting Committee's account, per Rev. J. Dyke	5 75
Rev. Geo. Daniels' account, removing Conference trunk	2 00

On motion, the following accounts were received, and payment recommended. Brandon District :—

Mrs I. N. Robinson, case of special affliction	\$134 00
Rev. A. W. Ross	60 00
Balance on hand	116 45
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Your Committee would respectfully recommend the appointment of Rev. A. B. Hames as Treasurer of the Contingent Fund for the ensuing year.

P. W. DAVIES, *Chairman.*

A. B. HAMES, *Secretary.*

SABBATH-SCHOOL REPORT.

We hail with sincere pleasure the results, to which our attention has been directed, in the communication of Rev. W. H. Withrow, D D., viz. :—

1. The number of scholars in our schools has increased since last tabulation by 13,284.

2. The number of conversions during the year, 34,000.

3. The number of officers increased by 2,389.

4. Number studying the Bible weekly, 236,949.

5. Number meeting in class belonging to our Sabbath-schools, 34,036.

6. We are pleased to notice an increase in our own publications for the past two years of nearly 40,000 copies.

7. We would draw special attention to Sabbath-school Aid and Extension Fund, with its income of \$3,664.41, for the past year, an increase of \$1,052, and urge special attention thereto, both to its support and help in aiding poor schools.

We deeply regret that, owing to imperfect returns from Districts, arising from want of Schedules and lack of uniformity between Schedules and District Books, your Committee is not able to make a satisfactory report, especially of the funds of our Sabbath-schools

We would call the attention of Circuit and Mission Superintendents to the fact that, with two exceptions, they have neglected to report the number of Methodist children attending union Sabbath-schools, as required by Conference recommendation last year.

We have in active operation within the bounds of this Conference, 120 schools, increase 4; officers and teachers, 866, increase 98; scholars, 6,733, increase, 961.

During the year 468 have professed faith in Christ; increase, 161.

During the year 1,813 have taken the total abstinence pledge; increase, 740.

Contributions for Sabbath-school purposes, \$5,626.17; increase, \$1,981.63.

Your Committee recommend :—

1. That still greater efforts be made to place our own papers in our schools.

2. That we urge more strongly the duty of teaching the Methodist Catechism in our schools.

3. That, as far as possible, all officers and teachers be members of our Church.

4. That District Conventions be organized in each District.

5. That Rev. W. G. Wilson be the Secretary-Treasurer for the ensuing year.

W. G. WILSON, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS.

The Committee on Memorials reported as follows:—

That the Indian day boarding-school for the Sioux Indians of White Cap's band be recommended to the favorable consideration of the Missionary Board, and that such Board be requested to endeavor to establish such day boarding-school, and to procure as much aid as possible from the Government for their support.

The Committee recommend that the Secretary of Conference be authorized to place on his Report of Conference Proceedings a synopsis of the memorial of the Portage la Prairie District, in reference to a proper observance of Thanksgiving Day and Good Friday.

Report adopted.

T. ARGUE, *Chairman.*

A. MONKMAN, *Secretary.*

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Your Educational Committee beg leave to report as follows:—

1. That W. A. Cook be permitted to attend Wesley College, and that he be given a loan of \$100 from the Educational Fund for that purpose.

2. That A. R. Aldrich be permitted to attend Wesley College, and that he be given a loan of \$100 from the Educational Fund for that purpose.

3. That Rev. A. Kaneen be appointed to attend Wesley College, and given a loan of \$100.

4. That J. H. Burrow be permitted to attend Wesley College.

5. That C. R. Manly be recommended to attend Wesley College, with similar grant with others.

6. That the fees of students sent to College by the Conference be remitted by the College, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to Wesley College.

7. That as Wesley College is now one of the Institutions of the Church, doing work under the directions of the Church, we recommend that this Conference take such steps as will secure our just proportion of the General Conference Educational Fund.

8. That a Committee of five be appointed, by this Conference, to act in conjunction with a like committee of the Wesley College Board, to make the assessments for the College for the ensuing year.

9. That the following be the above Committee:—Revs. J. P. Wilson, A. Stuart, John McDougall, J. W. Bell, Thos. Argue.

10. That Revs. Dr. Sparling, W. Bridgman, and Thompson Ferrier, be appointed members of the Examining Board, in place of Revs. J. T. Betts, J. A. Jackson, and Wm. Elliott.

J. A. M. AIKINS, *Chairman.*

G. H. CAMPBELL, *Secretary.*

The Board following Report

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REPORT OF WESLEY COLLEGE.

The Board of Directors of Wesley College beg leave to submit the following Report:—

In pursuance of the resolutions of the last Conference, and to carry into effect the universal desire of the Methodists of Manitoba and the North-West, the Board took steps, as soon as practicable, to establish here a college that should meet the requirements of our Church. After a careful view of the whole situation, after much deliberation, and with a deep sense of the responsibility being assumed, it was decided to inaugurate the work of the College, engage a Principal and staff of Professors, and secure the necessary accommodation that a legal status might be obtained, and affiliation with the Provincial University, and the right to participate in the public moneys and stated endowments, appropriated and set apart for the promotion of higher education. To that end application was made to the Provincial Government, and last October Wesley College was duly affiliated, and thereby became entitled to, and now enjoys, all the rights and privileges in common with the other Colleges in Manitoba.

The selection and procuring of a qualified Principal and Professorial staff with the financial resources at the disposal of the Board involved numerous grave difficulties. The most gratifying success has, it is felt, crowned the persistent efforts of the Board in this matter. The Rev. Dr. Sparling came to the position of Principal with qualifications that gave ample assurance of undoubted ability and peculiar fitness. It is gratifying to know that all that was promised in regard to him has been realized. Professor Cochrane and Dr. Laird came with testimonials establishing their position as scholars and teachers of very high merit. The efficiency of the work performed during the past session amply attests the wisdom exercised in their selection. In his department M. Chevalier De La Mothe, as tutor, performed excellent work.

The Board has no hesitation in expressing the belief that Wesley College, with the present Professorial staff, composed of educationists of a high class and of modern thought and method, and with such assistance as is presently available, offers superior inducements to all desiring higher education, and deserves, and should command, the unanimous and cordial endorsement and support of the Methodist Church, and especially of that part of it in which her operations are specially carried on.

It is scarcely necessary to advise you that the financial resources of the Board are not at all commensurate with the work that is to be done. It may be stated shortly that the sum already contributed amounts to about \$3,500, which, except about \$100 in the Bursar's hands, has been disbursed in expenses incident to the inaugurating and maintaining of the College to the present time.

It is now desired to place the College on a more satisfactory and efficient footing, that the demands of our people may be gratified by having a College second to none in the Province. The Board, therefore, finds it

necessary to ask for \$8,000 to meet the current year's expenses. Of this amount it is estimated that \$1,500 will be derived from old subscriptions, marriage license fees, fees from students and other sources; the sum of \$6,500 will, therefore, require to be raised by voluntary contributions. It must be admitted that this is a considerable sum, but certainly not sufficient to suggest discouragement; rather enough to elicit a united effort by all who desire to evince loyalty to Methodism, and a spirit worthy the descendants of those grand old fathers and founders of Methodism in Canada, who, amid much more adverse surroundings and with less promising prospects, established institutions for higher education from which Canada has in a general way drawn immense benefit, while as Methodists we have and enjoy results beyond all computation. The Church in this College has an object of interest that should excite alike its most considerate regard and fostering care. The history of our Church teaches the paramount importance of constantly associating education, refinement and culture with religious instruction as the only certain method of best securing the ends Methodism seeks to attain. The time has fully arrived here when our best efforts should be enlisted in developing our work on well-defined and approved lines. The establishment and maintenance of a college is among the first steps in this direction. With the illustrious examples Methodism affords of heroic enterprise and **daring** resolve to anticipate the needs of the times, we cannot, we dare not, hesitate before any undertaking that is so essential to our denominational growth and prestige, and the great purpose and aim of our existence as a College must be considered. The raising by the Church of so considerable a sum as \$6,500 for this particular work will call into requisition the cordial unanimity and enthusiastic efforts of our whole Conferential Connexion.

It will not be permitted for any one to excuse himself by the effort of another. The conscience of each will acquit or accuse as each may or may not be able to say, I did what I could. By the concerted and sustained effort of all, there need be no dread about the raising of the required sum. Lack of sympathetic effort and co-operation may bring partial failure and disappointment; but no one, we feel persuaded, will venture to contribute by his negligence or lack of proper regard for duty to an end that must bring humiliation upon this Conference and upon the name of Methodism. We are at a crisis in our educational work in this Province, and as on a memorable occasion the most distinguished loyalty and valor were elicited and a magnificent victory achieved under the inspiration of the patriotic exclamation, "England expects every man to do his duty," so we look for similar results in our educational affairs under a similar exhortation, "Every man is expected to do his whole duty," and, if need be, even more than he may consider his duty, to carry this, to us, great enterprise to a successful issue.

The raising of the money named, it will be understood, is only a part of the duty imposed and referred to. The interests of the College may be forwarded in many other ways, and no opportunity to accomplish this should be allowed to pass unimproved. There are throughout the Province many who will shortly be students in some of the Colleges. We should feel ourselves charged with the duty of seeing that these attend the

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best institution, and with the generous support that has so characterized Methodists in the past, and which we now confidently anticipate, we feel assured that Wesley College may be safely recommended as the best. The Board will feel greatly encouraged with an assurance that every effort will be made by each one to secure as large an attendance of students as possible.

It is desired that all moneys shall be remitted to the Bursar, Mr. J. H. Ashdown, as promptly as possible. With the remittance there should be a detailed statement showing the source of the contribution, that proper credits may be made. A lack of attention to this request will create difficulty and confusion. It is thought that in each case convenience will be consulted if each Superintendent shall be regarded as responsible for the collection and transmission of the assessments on his own Circuit.

The Board has been disappointed in not receiving from certain Circuits and Missions the amounts assessed. It is unnecessary to point out what embarrassments might and likely will result from default occurring in this way. There should be no delay in having the amounts made up at once. The manifest injustice of some contributing their share, and others failing to do so, need not be dwelt upon. We can scarcely hope for success if any fail to regard obligations that the Church fairly imposes.

Having regard to the action lately taken by the Conference, the Board has adopted the following resolutions regulating the fees to be paid by students:—The annual charge for incidentals shall be \$10, payable by all. The tuition fees shall be \$5 per term, payable by all except such as may be appointed by Conference, and are not proceeding to a degree in Arts, which it is hoped will quite meet your wishes.

It is scarcely necessary to remind you of the wholly exceptional position in which our people are placed, in their effort to establish and maintain a College in a country that must be considered missionary. In most instances, our people are making a start for themselves, while, in the majority of cases, they lately went, or are still going, to parts of the country in which Methodism must receive its first impulse. A burden of expense is thus placed upon a few whose claims to assistance have not thus far, it is thought, received that consideration, by those having control of the Connexional Funds, that was deserved. The results of the operations of the College must form a very important factor in the promotion of the interests of the Missionary Society, and should, it is thought, rank on that Fund in sums proportionate to the importance of the work and the services rendered. The Board will be glad to have the endorsement of Conference to assist them in receiving from the Missionary Funds of the Church such grants as may be deemed proper under the circumstances.

The Church in Manitoba and the North-West has, from year to year, contributed most generously to the Educational and other Connexional Funds. At the time the apportionment of the Educational Fund was made, Wesley College was not in existence, and consequently no provision was made for her. It was thought by the Board that all liberality would be exercised in considering the claims Wesley College undoubtedly has on the Church at large, and that particular attention should be drawn to our anomalous and apparently unfair position, in consequence of which it was

resolved by the Board that we should press upon the Educational Society the importance and justice of Wesley College participating in the Educational Fund of the Church. We would express the opinion that liberal treatment by the Church toward us now will, in the future, be to the great advantage of all the Connexional Funds and institutions. If the proportion of this Fund, to which Wesley College is manifestly entitled, were in the hands of the Board now, it would form a very great help.

Provision was made for paying the travelling expenses of probationers permitted to attend Victoria University. As all these will in the future attend Wesley College, it is thought this amount should be diverted to assist in the maintenance of the latter.

The Board unanimously resolved to request that a collection be taken up at each appointment, once during the year, expressly for Wesley College, such collection to form part of the assessment. It is desired that this collection shall in no way interfere with the collection ordered for the Educational Society of our Church.

The Board are happy to be able to record their satisfaction with the results of the first year's work. Relying upon the loyalty of our people, the brilliant achievements and prospects of Methodism in this country, and the cordial sympathy and co-operation of all who should, and doubtless will, unhesitatingly, lend a helping hand to the establishment of a connexional College that shall be the pride and glory of our Church in the years to come, we anticipate the future with calm confidence. Fully appreciating what is involved in the undertaking, and with unwavering faith, we rely upon the characteristic generosity of our people, and the promised blessing of the Great Master upon everything that is undertaken in His name, and for the promotion of His glory.

J. A. M. AIKINS, *Chairman.*

GEO. H. CAMPBELL, *Secretary.*

REPORT RE McDougall Church Property.

To the President and Members of the Methodist Conference of Manitoba:

GENTLEMEN, — Your Special Committee appointed to consider the matter of the Winnipeg McDougall Church boundaries (see page 43 of Conference Minutes of 1888), beg leave to report as follows:—

1. That the McDougall Church trustees have transgressed the rules of this Conference, in removing their church to a locality south of Manitoba Street.

2. That your Committee require the Quarterly Official Boards of Fort Rouge and McDougall churches, to pass a resolution expressive of regret at having violated the law of the Conference, and that Zion Church Board should accept such as sufficient apology.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. ARGUE, *Chairman.*

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Resolved, — That whereas the representatives of the McDougall Church, on behalf of their Board, have openly acknowledged, that in placing their church where it is, they transgressed the rule of Conference in respect to the boundaries of the McDougall Circuit, therefore, this Conference is of the opinion that such acknowledgment is a sufficient apology for their action, and they earnestly recommend the Board of Zion Church to accept the same in the spirit of Christian, brotherly kindness.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE WORK.

Your Committee having learned that the Rev. Jas. Woodsworth, our Superintendent of Missions, has prepared an exhaustive report on the State of the Work, resolved that it be adopted as the report of this Committee.

REPORT.

A review of the year's operations reveals a gratifying measure of prosperity in all departments of Church work.

Our operations have been considerably extended, especially in the Province of Manitoba. Revivals of religion have been general, and financial returns remarkably good, as will be evident from the following comparative exhibit:—

Number of Circuits and Missions last year, classified as follows:—Self-sustaining charges, supporting two men (one married and one single), 4; supporting one married man, 18; supporting one single man, 3; making a total of twenty-five self-sustaining charges, supporting twenty-nine men—Domestic Missions, 52; Indian Missions, 13; total, 90.

Number of Circuits and Missions 1889-90, classified as follows:—Self-sustaining charges, supporting two men (one married one single), 5; supporting one married man, 27; supporting one single man, 3; making a total of thirty-five self-supporting charges, employing in all 40 men:—Domestic Missions, 62; Indian Missions, 13; total, 110.

Number of preaching appointments or stations, 1887-88, 368; 1889-90, 424; increase, 57.

Membership of last year:—Indians, 1,087; Whites, 5,923; total, 7,010.

Membership of this year:—Indians, 1,048; Whites, 7,777; total, 8,825. Increase, 1,815.

Number of churches last year, 78; number of churches this year, 81; increase, 3.

Number of parsonages last year, 53; number of parsonages this year, 57; increase, 4.

Moneys raised last year:—For Missions, \$6,503.16; for Superannuation Fund, \$1,894.17; all other purposes, \$79,134.57; total, \$87,531.90.

Moneys raised this year:—For Missions, \$8,158.48; for Superannuation Fund, \$2,329.98; for all other purposes, \$79,687.54; total, \$90,687.54.

A comparison with the State of the Work in 1883-4, the first year of our existence as a Conference, shows rapid development:

Number of Circuits and Missions in 1883-4, 54; in 1889, 110.

Number of ministers, probationers and supplies in 1883-4, 86 ; in 1889, 130.

Number of churches in 1883-84, 40 ; in 1889, 81.

Number of parsonages in 1883-84, 24 ; in 1889, 57.

Number of preaching appointments in 1883-84, 269 ; in 1889, 424.

Total membership in 1883-84, 3,215 ; in 1889, 8,825 ; increase, 5,610.

Moneys raised for Connexional Funds :—

	1883-84.	1889.
Contingent Fund.....	\$87 23	\$288 09
Educational Fund.....	145 85	379 87
Sabbath-schools.....	46 27	134 94
General Conference.....	121 91	361 58
Superannuated Ministers.....	542 84	2,329 98
Missions.....	1,963 01	8,158 48
Total.....	\$2,907 20	\$11,652 94
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No. of Sabbath-schools.....	63	120
“ Officers and Teachers.....	355	866
“ Scholars.....	2,900	6,733

By request of the General Secretary, Bro. John McDougall and Superintendent of Missions, paid a visit to the Indian Missions on Lake Winnipeg.

The removal of Bros. Ross, Langford and Semmens was greatly regretted by the people on their respective charges. The work accomplished by them was genuine in its character, and no doubt will prove lasting in its results. At each of these Missions we have a very interesting cause, good churches, comfortable parsonages, and a devoted membership.

Special mention should be made of the fidelity and success of Bro. Edward Paupanakis, who discharged the duties of school teacher and missionary during the Conference year of 1887-88, a task which involved heavy labor, and considerable self-denial to himself and family. His character, deportment and work were referred to by the Chief Factor of the Hudson Bay Co., and by the Indians under his charge, in the most complimentary terms.

It is a matter of regret that the people of Oxford, (Oxford, R. Brooking, 1854) and Nelson River, so long regarding themselves as members and adherents of the Methodist Church, and so regarded by others, should have been so irregularly supplied by our own Church with religious services. Their distant location from Norway House, together with their geographical relation to each other, render it impossible for the Norway House Missionary to serve them only to a limited extent. The appointment of Edward Paupanakis to Oxford will provide for the holding of religious services at that point and others within reach.

An ordained Missionary should be sent to Nelson River, where a large number of Indians live, who are looking to the Methodist Church to supply them with educational advantages and religious teaching. Now that Bro. Eves has become settled at Norway House, and Bro. McHaffie at Fisher River, these two important Missions may look for a continuance of the prosperity which has in general marked their past. A suitable teacher having been appointed to Beren's River school, Bro. Butler will be at

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liberty to do more extensive, as well as more efficient, work as a Missionary. These Northern Missions constitute a field that will pay for cultivation. The people appreciate the efforts of the Church made on their behalf. Their improved spiritual, mental and social condition is evidence of the beneficial effects of Gospel teaching and Christian example. The changes in our fields and new ground occupied will involve the employment of twenty-one additional men, though, perhaps, not more than ten will be added to the list of those stationed on Missions whose support will come in part from the Missionary Society.

Great difficulty has been experienced in procuring suitable men for our work. Its character and importance are not fully or adequately appreciated in the Eastern Provinces, whence we look largely for our supplies. There is great need for the Church to urgently pray that the Lord would raise up more laborers and send them forth into these fields which are already white with the harvest.

JAMES WOODSWORTH, *Supt. of Missions.*

Your Committee, being convinced of the great importance to the Church of the statistics which our Superintendent of Missions has so industriously gathered, strongly recommend that our brethren on all our Circuits and Missions co-operate with him in securing information relative to our work, by filling up promptly the schedules sent out by the Superintendent of Missions for this purpose.

Your Committee beg to place on record their hearty appreciation of the work accomplished by the Missionary Superintendent during the last two years, which has resulted in the more efficient supply of our work than at any previous period.

J. P. WILSON, *Secretary.*

COMMITTEE ON JESUITS' ESTATES ACT.

We, the members of the Manitoba and North-West Conference of the Methodist Church, desire at this critical juncture in the history of liberty in Canada, to place ourselves on record in the most emphatic manner, as a united Conference, in our unqualified condemnation of the Act incorporating the Society of Jesus and the Jesuits' Estates Act.

Knowing as we know, that the aim and purpose, and the very constitution of the order of Jesuits are subversive of both religious and civil liberty, and contrary to the most sacred principles of our constitutional government, we cannot but view with consternation, as well as with unyielding hostility, the encroachments which, through such Acts as these, the Roman Catholic Church is making upon our most cherished Protestant faith and the rights given to us by our fathers.

We condemn the order, as an alien society, the enemy of social peace, and the happiness of our homes, and as the emissary of the dark counsels of the Church of Rome, for the overthrow of civil freedom.

We condemn its teachings, as baneful to moral purity and virtue, and to the progress of the pure and undefiled religion of the Lord Jesus Christ.

We condemn its iniquitous endeavor through the passing of the Acts above recited, to appropriate to its nefarious ends, funds which belong to

the people, and were set aside by the Courts for the higher education of the people.

We condemn the Acts as unconstitutional, and the latter Act especially, as a flagrant violation of the Supremacy Act and the sovereign rights of our beloved Queen; and we pledge ourselves to use most strenuous efforts to procure the disallowance, voidance, or repeal of those Acts, and to stamp out every incipient or growing organization or scheme whose tendency like that of the Society of Jesuits, is against good government and morality, and the Protestant faith of our land.

The action of the majority of Parliament upon the question of the disallowance of the Jesuits' Estates Act, has destroyed our confidence in the present political parties, and has convinced us that both parties are pandering to Rome and Jesuitical influences, and we deem it right and imperative that an organization which has so blinded and led our lawgivers apart from the righteousness which exalteth a nation and a nation's representatives should be forever crushed out of existence.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. ARGUE, *Chairman*.

GEO. W. BEYNON, *Secretary*.

MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS.

DR. WITHROW.

Moved by Rev. J. W. Bell, B.D., seconded by Rev. T. B. Beynon, B.A., that we have listened with great pleasure to the communication of Rev. Dr. Withrow, now read in reference to the Sabbath-school publications and work.

We rejoice in the evident marks of prosperity of this department of the work of the Church, and earnestly bespeak from all our people their active co-operation along all the lines suggested in Dr. Withrow's letter.

DR. BRIGGS.

The Conference was very much gratified with the letter of Rev. W. Briggs, D.D., showing the very satisfactory condition of the Book Room, and also appreciate very highly the assistance which the Book Concern has been able to afford to our Superannuated Fund, and the purpose of the brethren is to do all we can to aid in the circulation of our books and periodicals.

WESLEY COLLEGE.

Moved by J. A. M. Aikins, seconded by R. J. Whitla, that a copy of that portion of the Report of the College Board, which refers to application for a grant from the Missionary Fund, be transmitted to the Missionary Secretary, to be laid before the next meeting of the Missionary Board.

GOOD FRIDAY AND THANKSGIVING.

On the adoption of the Report of the Committee on Memorials, the following resolution of the Portage la Prairie District Meeting is placed on public record, with an earnest desire that our beloved people will everywhere strive to carry out its recommendations:—

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Resolved,—That we ask the Annual Conference to take such steps as may lead to a more careful and general observance of the days named.

Resolved,—That the Pastoral Address be published in the *Christian Guardian*.

Moved by A. Andrews, seconded by S. O. Irvine, and

Resolved,—That 600 copies of the Minutes of Conference be ordered, free copies to be sent to every minister and probationer and lay delegate, and balance to be appropriated to the Circuits and Missions in proportion to membership, to be sold at ten cents per copy or returned to the Secretary of Conference, within three months after publication.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED.

1. From Rev. E. B. Ryckman, D.D., Secretary of the General Conference, calling attention to the importance of filling all vacancies in the General Conference delegation.

One vacancy only existed, which was duly filled.

2. A letter was received from the Clerk of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, soliciting co-operation in Temperance work. The communication was referred to the Committee on Temperance for action.

3. A communication received from the Regina District, which had been forwarded from the Regina Presbytery, in reference to better observance of the Sabbath Day, was referred to the Sabbath Observance Committee, and acted upon in their recommendations.

4. Kind letters of invitation to the Conference were received to hold the next Conference in the city of Brandon, and from Zion Church, Winnipeg. On motion, Brandon was selected.

PUBLIC ANNIVERSARIES.

1. MISSIONARY.

The Annual Conference Missionary Meeting was held in Grace Church, on Thursday evening, Dr. A. Carman, Senior General Superintendent, in the chair.

Addresses were given in an effective manner by Rev. W. Bridgman, the Superintendent of Missions, and Rev. John McDougall.

2. RECEPTION OF YOUNG MEN.

The reception of young men into full connexion with the Conference, took place in the Conference-room this evening. The President of the Conference occupied the chair. Brothers F. A. August and E. R. Steinhauer related their Christian experience and call to the ministry.

Brother J. P. Wilson moved the following resolution:—

That Brothers F. A. August, Egerton Ryerson Steinhauer (a Cree Indian) and Wm. P. McHaffie, having travelled four years as probationers and having passed all their examinations, be now received into full connexion with the Conference, and that Brother Steinhauer be ordained

—Brother McHaffie and F. A. August having been ordained previously. Brother Wilson then addressed the Conference. Rev. A. Stewart, B.D., seconded the motion and also addressed the Conference. When the vote was taken all members of the Conference rose to express their approval.

Brothers W. A. Vrooman, W. N. Jamieson, J. C. Walker, and Edward Paupanakis (a Cree Indian), who are to be ordained for special purposes to meet the necessities of the work, were present on the platform, and with Brothers August and Steinhauer were addressed by the General Superintendent respecting the grave responsibilities of the office to which they were now to be set apart.

The services closed at 22.30 o'clock.

3. TEMPERANCE ANNIVERSARY.

The Annual Temperance meeting was held in Wesley Church, on Saturday evening, at twenty o'clock. Rev. W. L. Rutledge, President of the Conference, in the chair.

Earnest addresses were delivered by Revs. J. Hoskins, J. W. Bell, B.D., and J. McLean, M.A., Ph.D.

4. SABBATH SERVICES—CONFERENCE LOVE-FEAST.

This time-honored service was held on Sabbath, at nine o'clock, in the Sunday-school room of Grace Church, and was very largely attended. Rev. W. W. Colpitts conducted the services, and a large number of ministers and laymen gave cheerful testimony for Christ.

ORDINATION SERVICE.

Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, preached from Isaiah l. 11, after which the General Superintendent, the President of the Conference, and several of the senior ministers, ordained Brothers E. R. Steinhauer, W. N. Jamieson, J. C. Walker, W. A. Vrooman, and Edward Paupanakis to the work of the ministry.

At 15 o'clock a very interesting union service for the young of the Methodist schools of the city was held in the auditorium of Grace Church, when Dr. Eby delivered an address on Japan, illustrating the subject by diagrams of the country.

At 19 o'clock Dr. Eby preached a practical sermon on holiness and complete consecration to God, the importance of which he showed by the present condition and wants of the heathen world, more especially of Japan. A collection on behalf of Dr. Eby's building was taken up, amounting to \$257, which was given to Dr. Eby, after which the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered.

5. EDUCATIONAL MEETING.

The Educational meeting was held on Monday evening. The President of the Conference introduced J. H. Ashdown, Treasurer of the Wesley College, as chairman, who addressed the Conference in energetic terms in regard to the importance of giving hearty support to the institution of which he had the honor to be Treasurer.

Dr. Sparling, Principal of the College, and Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, addressed the meeting. The deepest interest was manifested throughout the meeting by the large audience present in the work of Christian Education.

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6. SUNDAY-SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

Rev. W. Halstead occupied the chair and briefly addressed the meeting.

Revs. T. B. Beynon, S. O. Irvine, and C. Williams spoke on various aspects of the Sunday-school work.

The valuable report of the Sabbath-school Committee was read by Rev. W. G. Wilson.

7. SPECIAL ORDINATION.

On Wednesday afternoon Brother J. J. Crookshanks was ordained for special purposes, by the General Superintendent and President, assisted by several of the senior members of the Conference.

8. MEMORIAL SERVICE.

A service was held in memory of our late highly esteemed Brother Isaac N. Robinson. Several brethren testified to his Christian character and valued labor in the ministry of the Church amongst us.

STANDING RESOLUTION.

Resolved,—That whereas the Conference may be appointed to meet in some place where there may not be sufficient accommodation easily secured, we hereby direct that the members of Conference resident in the place where the Conference may be held be the Billeting Committee, and that this Committee be empowered to make the best possible arrangements with the hotels and boarding-houses to accommodate all who cannot otherwise be provided for, and to meet the necessary expense each member of Conference shall pay an equal share; that this resolution be considered a Standing Resolution of Conference, and be available for application forthwith.

CLOSE OF CONFERENCE YEAR.

The Conference Financial Year shall close on all Circuits and Missions May 15th.

MINISTERS MOVING.

That ministers removing be held responsible for two Sundays after the rising of Conference for their old Circuits and the third Sunday on the new.

VISITORS TO THE CONFERENCE.

Professor Hart, of Manitoba College, was introduced, and briefly addressed the Conference.

Rev. James Kennedy, of London Conference, was introduced, and briefly spoke.

Rev. R. H. Waddell, B.D., of Guelph Conference.

C. S. Eby, D.D., of Japan.

VOTES OF THANKS.

TO THE EX-PRESIDENT.

Moved by Rev. J. Dyke, seconded by Rev. John Semmens, and
Resolved,—That this Conference hereby expresses its warm appreciation of the able manner in which the retiring President, Bro. Thomas Argue, has conducted the business of the Conference year just closed, and we earnestly pray that he may become an increased blessing to the work of God in this great land.

REV. A. ANDREWS.

Moved by J. Dyke, seconded by T. Argue, and
Resolved,—That the thanks of the Conference be tendered to Rev. A. Andrews, for his very suggestive, practical and able sermon, preached before the Theological Institute on the evening of the opening of Conference.

REV. G. DANIELS.

Moved by Rev. A. B. Hames, seconded by Rev. J. Dyke, and
Resolved,—That the cordial thanks of this Annual Conference be given to Rev. Geo. Daniels, for his services as Secretary during the past year, which have been so cheerfully and ably rendered.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The Secretary of Conference read a communication from the Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, proffering the use of their parlor and reading-room to the members of Conference during their sessions in Winnipeg. The Secretary was requested to acknowledge by letter the courtesy of the Young Men's Christian Association.

REV. DR. CARMAN.

Moved by R. J. Woodsworth, seconded by Bro. A. Monkman, and
Resolved,—That we desire to record our appreciation of the visit to this Conference of the Senior General Superintendent, Rev. A. Carman, D.D. Our work has been greatly facilitated by his eminent services in the pulpit, on the platform, and in the chair of the Conference. He will carry with him on his return east our affectionate remembrance, and earnest prayer for the welfare of himself and family, and for continued success in the numerous duties imposed upon him by the Church.

TO WINNIPEG FRIENDS.

Moved by Rev. J. M. Harrison, seconded by Rev. T. C. Buchanan, and
Resolved,—That the hearty thanks of this Conference be tendered to the members and friends of the Methodist churches of Winnipeg, who have so generously entertained the ministers and delegates during our sessions.

Moved by J. C. Robinson, seconded by W. Callender, and
Resolved,—That the thanks of this Conference are hereby expressed to the Railway Company operating in this Province, for favors accorded to delegates, in the matter of reduced rates and half-fare permits.

Manitoba and North-West Conference.

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(SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION IN JUNE, 1884)

"These all died in faith. They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

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BELOVED BRETHREN,—We are heartily glad of another opportunity of addressing you from our Annual Conference. The promise of our Divine Master, "For I am with you always," has been manifestly fulfilled by the evidence of His presence during all the sessions. The review of the past year's work has been most satisfactory, and our public anniversaries have been seasons of great pleasure and marked spiritual profit.

MEMBERSHIP.

It is a cause for profound thankfulness that, after deducting all removals from the membership roll, we have received during the year additions which now give us a net increase of 1,815. Some of this addition has been made up of persons from the Eastern Conferences, who have been gathered in by our missionaries engaged on frontier stations, and who might otherwise have been lost to our united Church. But by far the larger portion is composed of persons received on trial, mainly the fruits of revival work, in which our pastors and working laymen have been greatly assisted on many Circuits by Bros. D. W. Savage and G. McLachlan, and Bros. Crossley and Hunter. Beyond the mere numerical result, we are glad to inform you, that a better spiritual tone seems to prevail throughout the various Circuits than has been observed in the past. This work of soul-saving and spiritual upraising is undoubtedly our great object, and we trust that both ministers and people will keep this ever before them.

CALLED HOME.

One of our most highly esteemed and beloved brethren, Rev. I. N. Robinson, the Chairman of the Brandon District, has been called, after a very brief illness, to his reward. All the rest of our ministers have been preserved, notwithstanding the arduous toils and frequent exposure incident to the opening up of a new and often very sparsely settled country.

MINISTERIAL SUPPLY.

We are thankful to be able to report that our numerous stations have been much more generally supplied than during any previous year. Yet so great has been the developments of the country, especially in southern Manitoba, that fully forty new men are required to meet the demand, and fill the places vacated by some who have been transferred from the Conference to other parts of our work. While in the East, our Superintendent of Missions succeeded in inducing about twenty-six men to offer themselves for our work. We appreciate this success very highly. But we are deeply conscious that the time has come when we ought to look more thoughtfully to the young men of our own Circuits to supply the work.

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Let us then, dear brethren, have your hearty co-operation in prayer, that God would raise up laborers for His harvest. Let our young men be set at work in holding prayer meetings in outlying places, in conducting classes, or other Church work, for while so employed, they will be much more likely to learn and obey the voice of God calling them into His vineyard, than they would if neglecting these home duties.

WESLEY COLLEGE.

For the first time in the history of our Conference, we are enabled to report something actually accomplished in educational lines. Our Wesley College, which was organized and duly officered last autumn, has had a prosperous year. Without in any way discounting other educational institutions, we may be allowed to say that with such an efficient staff of professors, we do not fear being able to hold our own alongside of our sister colleges of the North-West. Some fears were entertained respecting the financial support of this Institution, but the money has come in fairly well. With the united effort of the ministers and the Methodist people, in standing by the College, we are confident that the best results will follow. Principal Sparling hopes to be able to visit many of the Circuits during the year in the interests of the Institution. It is hoped that all our friends having students requiring college training, will send to Rev. J. Sparling for circular explaining the advantages which Wesley College is able to offer.

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

The excellent report of the Sabbath-school Conventions, to be published in the Minutes of Conference, shows that this great movement for the benefit of the young is doing a grand work for our people everywhere. There is an increase during the year of four schools and 961 scholars; 468 conversions are reported among our scholars.

HARMONY.

We are glad to find throughout our work the best of harmony and peace prevailing, and our brethren seem content to abide by our historic usages. Both ministers and people are resolved that whatever changes the spirit of the times may indicate, as important and desirable, shall be brought about within peaceful and constitutional lines.

DOCTRINES, ETC.

Entering now upon the duties of another Conference year, we trust that you will with us resolve to adhere closely to the doctrines, discipline and usages of our Church. A free and full salvation from all sin is our happy privilege, let all seek earnestly its complete realization. Our means of grace, especially the class-meeting, might be more faithfully and wisely observed than they are in some sections of the country. Scattered populations and irregular services in many new places, account in part for the neglect of class-meeting. And even when these hindrances are removed, a careless habit still lingers, and many could attend more regularly than they do.

FAMILY WORSHIP.

We feel it our duty to remind you of the unspeakable advantages of family prayer. How can we hope for the Divine blessing upon our homes unless the Lord himself be regularly and avowedly acknowledged there?

LITERATURE.

In the rush of business engagements which marks our Western civilization we trust that you will not lose sight of the importance of supplying yourselves and your families with sound reading matter in plentiful supply. Our energetic and painstaking Book Steward, Rev. W. Briggs, D.D., Toronto, keeps well ahead in preparing everything on these lines, and will be glad to furnish the best at lowest prices and with commendable despatch. Our *Christian Guardian* is still worthy your hearty support. We wish it was in every Methodist family in Canada. Our Magazine and Sunday-school papers need only to be seen to be appreciated, and their circulation is now astonishingly great.

TEMPERANCE.

On the subject of Temperance and Prohibition we never required to be more in earnest than at present. The year now past will long be regarded as a period of numerous and continuous defeats for the friends of Prohibition. All the counties and cities of Canada, where the local Prohibition law was in force have repealed the Act, except the County of Elgin, and this will probably follow suit at the approaching election. In the Territories the shadow on the dial of politics has apparently gone backward many degrees in regard to Temperance and Prohibition. In addition to the licenses granted to the Canada Pacific Railway dining cars, and the hotels at Banff, and permits for sale of beer of a strength of four per cent. in all centres of population, and frequent permits for domestic uses, the enforcement of the present law is now so difficult that it seems little more than a dead letter on the statute book. Still we cannot believe that Canadians as a whole are less desirous of Prohibition than they have been. The recent movements indicate that existing forms of Prohibition have been weighed in the balance and found wanting, and already, forces are being gathered and marshalled for the grand struggle of Dominion Prohibition of the liquor traffic. Our people have stood firmly to principle in the past, and we are confident they will do so in the future, for it will be a conflict that will test our courage and fidelity.

HORSE-RACING, ETC.

We regret to find that horse-racing is becoming very common in many localities, so also is promiscuous dancing, and other diversions which we do not believe can be taken in the name of the Lord. We have no other object in calling your attention to these things than the good of the individual and the glory of God. And we are sure that the rule of the Discipline is a good and necessary one, and will not be considered a hardship, if only it be rightly understood and observed.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

We are glad to record our high estimate of the movement on behalf of a better observance of the Sabbath-day among the various Churches of

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our great Dominion, and the marked improvement which has been observed in railroad work, which has resulted from orders issued by the Canada Pacific Railway and other lines to reduce the number of trains on the Sabbath to a minimum, is worthy of our high consideration. This improvement has not at all been confined to Canadian lines, but in the United States also, especially on all roads connected with the Vanderbilt system, there seems to be a determination that there shall be no more Sabbath labor than such as may be actually required in the interest of mercy and real necessity.

STATIONING.

Again our brethren have been stationed on the various Circuits and Missions according to the best ability of the important Committee having this grave responsibility upon them. When it is remembered that every member of this Committee is there as a chosen representative by the united suffrages of ministers and laymen—men chosen for their known ability, experience, and piety, as well adapted for this work and most likely to do their best to send the right man to the right place—without claiming infallibility of judgment, we are free to say that in every case the Committee has done the best it could under the circumstances and with their knowledge of the entire Conference; and we confidently believe that our esteemed brethren, official and non-official, will heartily co-operate with all their ministers in seeking the salvation of souls and advancing the well-being of the Methodist churches under their charge.

Finally, brethren, let us all with renewed consecration present our bodies to God as a living sacrifice, and see that we be renewed in the spirit of our minds, keeping Christ in our midst, for without Him we can do nothing.

Signed on behalf of the Conference.

W. L. RUTLEDGE, *President.*

A. ANDREWS, *Secretary.*

QUESTION.—When and where shall our next Conference be held?

In the city of Brandon, on the first Thursday of June, 1890, at nine o'clock.

Conference closed on Wednesday, June 26th, at 16.20 o'clock, Dr. Carman leading in prayer.

W. L. RUTLEDGE, *President.*

ALFRED ANDREWS, *Secretary.*

Grace Church, Winnipeg,

June 26, 1889.

NOTE.

The STATISTICAL RETURNS for White Fish Lake, Saskatchewan District, came to hand too late for insertion in their proper place. Below we give a summary of the returns:—

PRESENT MEMBERSHIP.—On Trial, 10; Full Members, 88; Total, 98. Baptisms: Infants, 15; Burials, 5.

OFFICIAL BOARD.—Ministers: Effective, 1; Exhorters, 3; Leaders (Male), 5; Total, 9.

CONNEXIONAL FUNDS.—Missionary, \$149 58. Circuit Purposes: House Rent, \$50; Travelling Expenses, \$10; Total, \$60.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.—Salary, \$900 00.

*ALPHABETICAL LIST OF CIRCUITS AND MISSIONS.

The figures in the List denote the order in which the Circuits or Missions are arranged in the Stations.

Alameda	41	Killarney	34
Blood Indians	105	Kemnay	68
Bloomsbury	70	Lansdowne	48
Beulah	60	Lethbridge	101
Battleford	92	Lake Dauphin	66
Battle River	107	McLeod	100
Banff	97	Manitou	25
Bear's Hill	108	Maple Creek	103
Beren's River	18	McGregor	53
Binscarth and Russell	63	Meadow Lea	46
Birtle	56	Medicine Hat	102
Blythfield	14	Melgund	38
Boissevain	36	Minnedosa	57
Brandon	67	Morden	22
Broadview	88	Moosomin	72
Burnside and Prospect	54	Moose Jaw	89
Carlyle	42	Moose Mountain	
Calgary	93	Morley	104
Carberry	50	Morris	13
Carman	23	Musselboro'	26
Cartwright	33	Napinka	39
Chater	69	Neepawa	49
Crescent Lake	64	Nelson River	21
Crystal City	29	Newdale	58
Cypress River	28	Norway House	19
Deloraine	32	Oak Lake and Bradwardine	78
Dominion City	12	Oak River	61
Edmonton	99	Otenaw	31
Emerson	11	Oxford House	20
Elmore	40	Pilot Mound	30
Elkhorn	74	Port Arthur	6
Fairmeade	73	Portage la Prairie	43
Fisher River	17	Pine Creek	95
Fort Qu'Appelle	84	Prince Albert	91
Fort William and Murillo	7	P. M. Colony	85
Grenfell	87	Poplar Point	45
Greenfield	35	Pipestone	76
Gladstone	47	Qu'Appelle	83
Gleichen	94	Rainy River	8
Griswold and Alexander	77	Rapid City	71
High Bluff	44	Rat Portage	9
High River	96	Red Deer	98

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Saskatoon - - - - -	90	Whitefish Lake - - - - -	110
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Springfield - - - - -	16	Winnipeg—McDougal Church - - - - -	5
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Stonewall - - - - -	15	Woodville - - - - -	106
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ALPHABETICAL LIST
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The figures at the beginning of the lines show the year in which each Minister or Probationer commenced his ministry; and those at the end of the lines denote the number of years spent on his charge.

1888	Adamson, W. W.	Elmore	1
1886	Aldridge, A. R.	Morris	1
1858	Anderson, A. H.	Killarney	1
1855	Andrews, A., <i>Sec of Conference</i>	Viriden	1
1861	Argue, T., <i>Chairman</i>	Manitou	3
1889	Armstrong, W. L.	Deloraine	1
—	August, F. A.	Birtle	1
1888	Barnes, F. G.	Meadow Lea	2
1870	Bell, J. W., B.D., <i>Chairman</i>	Minnedosa	3
1877	Beynon, T. B., B.A.	Beulah	3
1875	Bridgman, W., <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Morden	1
—	Brown, S. R.	Oak Lake and Bradwardine	1
1886	Buchanan, T. C., <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Crystal City	1
—	Bunt, W. C.	Souris City	1
1886	Burrow, J.	Wesley College	1
—	Bennie, George	Broadview	1
1862	Colpitts, W. W., <i>Chairman</i>	Carberry	1
1874	Colwill, S. E.	Fort Qu'Appelle	3
1886	Cook, W. A.	Wesley College	1
1888	Chegwin, E. J.	Welwood	1
1888	Chegwin, W. B.	Sydney	1
—	Crews, A. C.	Winnipeg—Zion Church	1
—	Cruikshanks, J. J.	Shoal Lake	1
1889	Crux, W. S.	Cartwright	1
1889	Cross, C. H.	Alameda	1
1872	Daniels, George, <i>Fin. Sec.</i>	Portage la Prairie	1
1888	Dawson, W.	Newdale	1
1886	Darwin, O.	Boissevain	3
1871	Davies, P. W.	Moosomin	2
1863	Dimmick, M., <i>Sup'd</i>	"	2
1870	Dyke, J.	Fort William	1
1888	Dickinson, J. W.	Red Deer	2
1885	Elliott, Joshua	Springfield	1
1880	Elliott, W., B.A.	Tokio	1
1887	Endicott, J.	Lethbridge	1
—	Eves Edward	Norway House	2
—	Ferrier, T., <i>Chairman</i>	Deloraine	1
1855	Finn, F. M., <i>Chairman</i>	Chater	2
1872	Franklin, B., M.A., Ph.D.	Portage la Prairie	3
1872	German, O.	Whitefish Lake	5
1884	Glass, E. B., B.A.	Battle River	5
1856	Gordon, A.	Carman	3
1872	Greenway, J., <i>Sup'y</i>	Crystal City	—
1889	Gourd, Wm. P.	McGregor	1
1889	Halsall, R.	Grenfell	1
1871	Hames, A. B., <i>Chairman</i>	McLeod	1
1862	Halstead, W.	Burnside	3
1884	Hanna, Geo.	Gladstone	2
1873	Harrison, J. M., <i>Chairman</i>	Regina	1
1877	Hoskin, J	Thornhill	3

1878	Howard, J. H.		
1889	Hellyer, J.		
1889	Hopper, E. I.		
—	Irvine, S. O.		
—	Jamieson, W.		
1878	Joslyn, J. H.		
1887	Kaneen, E.		
1875	Kenner, H.		
1885	Kinley, Wm.		
1875	Laidley, R. B.		
1875	Langford, E.		
1875	Lawson, T., C.		
—	Leach, J. J.,		
1889	Locke, F. W.		
1882	Long, Geo. H.		
—	Milliken, R.		
1887	Manley, R. C.		
1871	Morden, T. E.		
1866	McDougall, J.		
1875	McLachlan, J.		
1888	McLaughlin,		
1875	McLean, J.,		
1885	McHaffie, W.		
—	McClung, J.		
—	Mussell, J. A.		
1883	Nelson, John		
—	Oaten, F. J.		
1877	Peters, John		
—	Peters, N. D.		
—	Pimlott, Wm.		
1875	Pooley, John		
1883	Powell, J. B.		
—	Procurier, C.		
1889	Ridd, J. W.		
1883	Roddick, Ge.		
1872	Ross, A. W.		
1870	Rutledge, W.		
1869	Ruttan, J. H.		
—	Runions, J.		
1871	Semmens, J.		
1888	Somerset, C.		
1884	Steinhauer,		
1887	Steinhauer,		
1875	Stewart, A.,		
—	Stewart, Jo		
—	Sparling, J.		
1870	Teeter, C.		
—	Tozeland, J.		
—	Vrooman, W.		
1880	Williams, C.		
1888	Walker, J. C.		
—	Willis, S. C.		
—	Wilson, J. I.		
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1878	Howard, J. H.	Prince Albert	3
1889	Hellyer, J.	Pine Creek	1
1889	Hopper, E. I.	Elkhorn	1
—	Irvine, S. O.	.. ..	Dominion City	.. ..	2
—	Jamieson, W. N.	.. ..	Napinka	.. ..	1
1878	Joslyn, J. H. L.	.. ..	Melgund	.. ..	1
1887	Kaneen, E.	.. ..	Wesley College	.. ..	2
1875	Kenner, H.	.. ..	Cypress River	.. ..	1
1885	Kinley, Wm.	.. ..	Greenfield	.. ..	2
1875	Laidley, R. B.	.. ..	Stonewall	.. ..	3
1875	Langford, Enos	.. ..	Winnipeg	.. ..	3
1875	Lawson, T., <i>Chairman</i>	.. ..	Pilot Mound	.. ..	1
—	Leach, J. J., Ph.B.	.. ..	Calgary	.. ..	1
1889	Locke, F. W.	.. ..	Gleichen	.. ..	1
1882	Long, Geo. H.	.. ..	Edmonton	.. ..	3
—	Milliken, R.	.. ..	Bloomsbury	.. ..	1
1887	Manley, R. C.	.. ..	Selkirk	.. ..	1
1871	Morden, T. E., B.A., Sup'y	.. ..	Winnipeg	.. ..	—
1866	McDougall, J., <i>Chairman</i>	.. ..	Morley	.. ..	17
1875	McLachlan, J. A.	.. ..	Victoria	.. ..	9
1888	McLaughlin, J. F., B.A.	.. ..	Left without station	.. ..	—
1875	McLean, J., M.A., Ph.D.	.. ..	Moose Jaw	.. ..	1
1885	McHaffie, Wm. P.	.. ..	Fisher River	.. ..	2
—	McClung, J. A.	.. ..	Port Arthur	.. ..	2
—	Mussell, J. A., B.A.	.. ..	Musselboro'	.. ..	1
1883	Nelson, John	.. ..	Woodville	.. ..	6
—	Oaten, F. J.	.. ..	Morden	.. ..	1
1877	Peters, John	.. ..	Saskatoon	.. ..	2
—	Peters, N. D., Sup'y	.. ..	Virden	.. ..	—
—	Pimlott, Wm.	.. ..	Rosburn	.. ..	2
1875	Pooley, John	.. ..	P. M. Colony	.. ..	1
1883	Powell, J. B.	.. ..	Carlyle	.. ..	1
—	Procurier, C. A.	.. ..	Napinka	.. ..	1
1889	Ridd, J. W.	.. ..	Wascana	.. ..	1
1883	Roddick, Geo., Sup'y	.. ..	Souris City	.. ..	7
1872	Ross, A. W.	.. ..	Griswold	.. ..	2
1870	Rutledge, W. L., <i>Pres. of Conference</i>	.. ..	Winnipeg—Grace	.. ..	3
1869	Ruttan, J. H., Sup'd	.. ..	Portage la Prairie	.. ..	1
—	Runions, J. W.	.. ..	Lansdowne	.. ..	1
1871	Semmens, J., <i>Assistant Secretary</i>	.. ..	Winnipeg—Wesley	.. ..	1
1888	Somerset, C. E.	.. ..	Bear's Hill	.. ..	2
1884	Steinhauer, E. R.	.. ..	Morley	.. ..	5
1887	Steinhauer, R. B., B.A.	.. ..	Saddle Lake	.. ..	3
1875	Stewart, A., B.D.	.. ..	Winnipeg—Fort Rouge	.. ..	1
—	Stewart, John,	.. ..	Neepawa	.. ..	1
—	Sparling, J. W., M.A., D.D.	.. ..	Winnipeg	.. ..	1
1870	Teeter, C.	.. ..	Medicine Hat	.. ..	2
—	Tozeland, John	.. ..	Qu'Appelle	.. ..	1
—	Vrooman, W. A.	.. ..	Rat Portage	.. ..	2
1880	Williams, C.	.. ..	Emerson	.. ..	1
1888	Walker, J. C.	.. ..	High Bluff	.. ..	1
—	Willis, S. C., Sup'd	.. ..	P. M. Colony	.. ..	—
—	Wilson, J. P., B.A.,	.. ..	Brandon	.. ..	3
1874	Wilson, T. B.	.. ..	Souris	.. ..	2
1879	Wilson, W. G.	Otenaw	2
1864	Woodsworth, J., <i>Supt. of Missions</i>	Brandon	—
1887	Wooley, A.	Carman	1

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