

---

THIRTY-SEVENTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY



OF TORONTO,

FROM

NOVEMBER 30TH, 1872, TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1873

---

TORONTO :

GLOBE PRINTING COMPANY, 26 & 28 KING STREET EAST.

1874.

---



THIRTY-SEVENTH

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY



OF TORONTO,

FROM

NOVEMBER 30TH, 1872, TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1873.

---

TORONTO :

GLOBE PRINTING COMPANY, 26 & 28 KING STREET EAST.

1874.

5245

1st

M

# OFFICE-BEARERS FOR 1873-74.

---

## President:

JOHN GORDON, Esq.

## Vice-Presidents:

1st.—W. ARTHURS, Esq. | 2nd.—W. B. McMURRICH, Esq.

## Chaplains:

REVS. DRS. JENNINGS AND TOPP, AND  
REV. D. J. MACDONELL.

## Treasurer:

I. C. GILMOR, Esq.

## Secretary:

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, Esq.

## Committee of Accounts:

MESSRS. JAMES GRAHAM, J. E. ROBERTSON, AND  
ANDREW CRAWFORD.

## Managers:

MESSRS. G. P. DICKSON, A. T. CROMBIE, AND  
D. C. BUTCHART.

## Standing Committee:

MESSRS. BURGESS, CARNEGIE, GRASSICK, AND  
W. B. SCARTH.

## Physicians:

DRS. ROSS, THORBURN, AND BETHUNE.

## Standard Bearers:

MESSRS. ALEXANDER BOYD, R. GRAHAME, AND  
J. B. McMURRICH.

## Committee of Instalment:

MESSRS. A. MORRISON, SPREULL, AND W. RAMSAY.

## Marshal:

JAMES MICHIE, Esq.

## Piper:

C. CARMICHAEL, Esq.

# Members

Arthurs, W  
Allan, Hon  
Adam, G. V  
Adamson, T  
Armstrong  
Alexander,  
Alexander,  
Alexander,

Bain, Robt  
Barwick, F  
Burns, Geo  
Brown, H  
Bain, John  
Burns, Joh  
Bain, Jam  
B'ain, D.  
Boyd, Geo  
Blaikie, J  
Bain, Joh  
Burnside,  
Butchart,  
Boyd, Al  
Burgess,  
Bryden, V  
Bain, N.  
Bruce, Jo  
Bell, Sam  
Buchan,  
Brown, J  
Blain, H.  
Buchanan  
Brimer, c  
Buchan,  
Burns, G

# Members of St. Andrew's Society of Toronto,

1873-74.

## A.

Arthurs, William  
Allan, Hon. G. W.  
Adam, G. W.  
Adamson, William  
Armstrong, T.  
Alexander, W.  
Alexander, H. D.  
Alexander, Henry S.

## B.

Bain, Robert  
Barwick, F. J. D.  
Burns, George  
Brown, Hon. George  
Bain, John  
Burns, John  
Bain, James  
Bain, D.  
Boyd, George  
Blaikie, J. L.  
Bain, John  
Burnside, P. C. M.  
Butchart, D. C.  
Boyd, Alexander  
Burgess, R. K.  
Bryden, William  
Bain, N. K.  
Bruce, Josiah  
Bell, Samuel  
Buchan, L.  
Brown, J. Gordon  
Blain, H.  
Buchanan, P. T.  
Brimer, John  
Buchan, L.  
Burns, George F.

## C.

Campbell, A.  
Cowper, G. B.  
Campbell, W.  
Craig, George  
Cowan, D.  
Cameron, Hon. J. H.  
Cameron, Hon. M. C.  
Cameron, Hector  
Crombie, A. T.  
Campbell, James  
Cockburn, G. R. R.  
Crawford, A.  
Cattanach, A. J.  
Clark, S. C. Duncan  
Common, Dr.  
Catto, John  
Carrie, Robert  
Clarke, W. M.  
Carnegie, C.  
Cameron, D. M.  
Clyne, W.  
Clark, J. A.  
Clark, Angus  
Clark, J. S. W.  
Cunningham, Robert  
Campbell, J. McN.  
Campbell, Thomas  
Cassels, W. G. P.  
Cameron, A.  
Currie, Edward  
Carmichael, C.  
Cassels, W. G.  
Cathron, R. R.  
Crosbie, James  
Clow, F.  
Campbell, Roderick  
Campbell, Paul

Cameron, Rev. J.  
Clark, John  
Clark, G. S. W.  
Clow, Thomas

## D.

Dixon, A. Walter  
Davidson, William  
Dallas, R. J.  
Dick, Capt. Thomas  
Dobbie, J. A.  
Dow, W. H.  
Douglas, J.  
Dixon, C. R.  
Davidson, W. M.  
Dickson, G. P.  
Douglas, Captain  
Donald, Richard  
Davidson, D.

## E.

Ellingworth, R.  
Ewing, R.  
Elmsley, R.  
Edgar, T. D.  
Ewart, J. S.

## F.

Fletcher, J. W.  
Fisken, J.  
Fulton, A. T.  
Fleming, James  
Fortier, Captain  
Fife, James H.  
Fraser, J. A.  
Farquhar, D. F.

## G.

Grant, A.  
 Gilmor, I. C.  
 Gibson, W.  
 Gemmel, A.  
 Grassick, J. S.  
 Galbraith, W.  
 Gordon, Thomas  
 Gordon, John  
 Graham, W. J.  
 Galt, Thomas  
 Graham, Alexander  
 Graham, James  
 Gardner, John  
 Galbraith, D.  
 Geikie, Dr.  
 Grahame, Richard  
 Greig, Major D.  
 Gordon, J. Lockhart  
 Grant, C. C.  
 Gibbs, Malcolm  
 Gordon, Colin  
 Gordon, L. M.  
 Graham, George M.

## H.

Howland, W. H.  
 Hay, Robert  
 Henderson, John  
 Henderson, Alexander  
 Henderson, William  
 Howard, A. McL.  
 Hamilton, T.  
 Hamilton, W.  
 Hendrie, J.  
 Haldan, B.  
 Harvey, J. R.  
 Henderson, J.  
 Hamilton, G.  
 Henderson, James  
 Hay, Robert, jr.  
 Henderson, F.

## I.

Irwin, W.  
 Inglis, R.  
 Irving, A. S.  
 Inglis, Rev. Prof.

## J.

Jennings, Rev. Dr.  
 Jardine, A.  
 Jeffrey, Robert  
 Jennings, R. C.

## K.

Kay, John  
 Kerr, John  
 Keith, D. S.  
 Keith, G.  
 Kinlock, H.  
 Keith, John  
 King, Rev. John M.

## L.

Leys, John  
 Lyons, James L.  
 Leask, Alexander O.  
 Lanskail, J.  
 Leask, John  
 Laidlaw, D.

## M.

Marshall, John C.  
 Matthew, J. M.  
 Michie, James  
 Morrison, Angus  
 Morrison, Hon. J. C.  
 Mowat, Hon. O.  
 Miller, Hugh  
 Mitchell, W.  
 Mavor, G.  
 Morris, J. H.  
 Mathieson, A.  
 Morrison, John  
 Morrison, Malcolm  
 Muirhead, W.  
 Marshall, J. F.  
 Munro, W. F.  
 Murray, George  
 Murray, W. A.  
 Munroe, A. M.  
 McKenzie, G. P.  
 McFarlane, J. M.  
 McDonald, W. J.  
 McMurrich, Hon. J.  
 McMurrich, W. B.  
 McBride, J.  
 McDonald, John

McBean, J.  
 McGillivray, W. L.  
 McRae, D.  
 McMurchy, A.  
 McKenzie, Kenneth  
 McKay, Donald  
 McHardy, Forbes  
 McIntosh, W. D.  
 McGregor, Captain  
 McDonald, J.  
 McPherson, Hon. D. L.  
 McGaw, Thomas  
 McNab, John  
 McDougall, Allan.  
 McLennan, James  
 Macdonald, Hugh  
 Maclean, William  
 Macdonald, A. N.  
 McDougall, Henry  
 McLellan, D.  
 McDonald, Hugh John  
 Moedonald, J. P.  
 Macdonald, S.  
 McBride, William  
 McNaught, W.  
 McMurrich, J. B.  
 McMurrich, George  
 McDonnell, Rev. D. J.  
 McDonnell, Alex.  
 McLean, A. F.  
 McDonald, John  
 McPherson, D.  
 McLean, Alexander  
 McCracken, Thomas  
 McIntyre, —  
 McMillan, John  
 McRae, Donald A.  
 MacCulloch, John F.  
 Mathieson, Hugh  
 Milloy, Nichol  
 Morrison, Robt. Bruce  
 Miller, W. H.

## N.

Nasmith, J.  
 Nichol, H. S.  
 Nichol, F.

## O.

Oal, George

Playfair, J.  
 Paterson, J.  
 Paterson, J.  
 Paterson, J.  
 Peters, R.  
 Pringle, T.  
 Pringle, Ja.  
 Purvis, Ro.  
 Patton, Hu

Robertson,  
 Robertson,  
 Robertson,  
 Rattray, A.  
 Ross, Dr.  
 Riddell, Jo.  
 Ritchie, J.  
 Reid, J. Y.  
 Rolla, Jam.  
 Rogers, Ch.  
 Ramsay, W.  
 Rutherfor.  
 Ross, Alex.  
 Ramsay, R.



## P.

Playfair, J. S.  
 Paterson, J.  
 Paterson, James  
 Paterson, John  
 Peters, R.  
 Pringle, T. M.  
 Pringle, James  
 Purvis, Robert  
 Patton, Hugh

## R.

Robertson, Alexander  
 Robertson, J. E.  
 Robertson, Charles  
 Rattray, A.  
 Ross, Dr.  
 Riddell, John  
 Ritchie, J.  
 Reid, J. Y.  
 Rolla, James  
 Rogers, Charles  
 Ramsay, W.  
 Rutherford, A.  
 Ross, Alexander  
 Ramsay, Robert R.

Rough, James  
 Robertson, John  
 Ross, W. M.  
 Russell, James  
 Russell, James G.  
 Ritchie, John, jr.  
 Ridout, D. C.  
 Ridout, J. G.  
 Russell, Robert

## S.

Smith, James  
 Spreull, Samuel  
 Scott, James  
 Smith, W. McM.  
 Shedden, J.  
 Smith, A. M.  
 Stevenson, P. S.  
 Sorley, J.  
 Spence, G. S.  
 Smith, J. F.  
 Smith, Dr. (Vet )  
 Smith, J. L.  
 Skae, E. M.  
 Smith, W.  
 Scarth, W. B.  
 Stevenson, F.

Shaw, Col.  
 Stewart, J.  
 Sinclair, Joseph  
 Shearer, J. H.  
 Scott, H. Murray  
 Stewart, Thomas

## T.

Thomson, W.  
 Thomson, H. C.  
 Thorburn, Dr.  
 Topp, Rev. Dr.  
 Trotter, R. S.  
 Taylor, J. Sutherland  
 Torrance, George

## W.

Walker, David  
 Wilson, Hon. A.  
 Wilson, Dr.  
 Will's, Alexander  
 Walker, John  
 Wills, G. S.  
 Willing, R. B.  
 Wells, Stewart  
 Wilson, J. M.  
 Wallace, Hugh

## ANNUAL PREPARATORY MEETING.

The meeting preparatory to the Anniversary was held on the evening of the 14th November, 1873, at the Queen's Hotel,—the President occupying the chair, and a large number of members being present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following gentlemen were then admitted as members of the Society:—

Revs. John M. King, J. Cameron, Messrs. Thos. McCracken, George Torrance, John J. MacCulloch, Hugh Patton, H. Murray Scott, George F. Burns, Hugh Mattheson, John Brimer, Donald A. McRoe, Messrs. Malcolm Gibbs, D. Laidlaw, and D. Davidson.

The Treasurer's report for the past year was then presented by Mr. I. C. Gilmor. It was as follows :

ISAAC C. GILMOR,

*Treasurer,*

In account with St. Andrew's Society.

DR.

Nov.	To Balance on hand.....	\$129 44
"	" Proceeds of Dr. Topp's Sermon.....	32 00
"	" Members' fees to Nov. 1873.....	429 00
"	" Interest on Debentures.....	109 46
		\$699 90

By Manag  
" Globe a  
" Com. p  
" Balanc

On mo  
G. P. Dic  
The M  
chart, as

THE

Your I  
assistanc  
past year  
These

Your  
paid to  
sities.  
errors c  
tion has

C.R.

By Managers' orders during year.....	\$398 10
“ <i>Globe</i> account.....	33 30
“ Com. paid to Collector.....	24 90
“ Balance on hand.....	243 60
	<hr/>
	\$699 90

On motion of Mr. W. B. McMurrich, seconded by Mr. G. P. Dickson, the report was adopted.

The Managers' report was then read by Mr. D. C. Butchart, as follows :

---

## THE MANAGERS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st OCT., 1873.

---

Your Managers beg leave to state that they have given assistance to one hundred and forty applicants during the past year.

These may be classified as follows :

34	Married men.
34	Single “
8	Married women.
3	Single “
10	Widowers.
36	Widows.
15	Sundry cases.

---

140

Your Managers have endeavored to regulate the sums paid to each of these according to their apparent necessities. No doubt misrepresentations have been made and errors of judgment occurred, but every possible precaution has been taken to avoid giving to undeserving appli-

cants. We have treated all with civility and kindness, and have given advice and warning to those upon whom we could not conscientiously bestow charity. Besides giving pecuniary assistance, we have endeavored to obtain employment for those in search of situations, and have succeeded in several instances with satisfactory results. In all cases it is pleasing to see how grateful the recipients are for the benefits bestowed upon them from the Society.

Thirty-six Railway passes have been granted during the year to different stations throughout Canada, thus enabling the sick, the injured and the destitute to reach their friends, and others who were poverty-stricken to remove to some more favorable locality in search of employment. The shortest distance for which a pass has been given was thirty miles and the longest five hundred and five miles,—the estimated expenditure under this head being about \$65.

There are at present only three stated pensioners on the roll receiving the Society's allowance of two dollars per month. The year commenced with five: one left the city in April last to live with her friends in the country, and another in September last was sent to Scotland to live with her relatives.

Members and others who send applicants for assistance would greatly oblige if they could conveniently write a few lines giving such information as would in some measure enable the Managers to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion whether the applicant is or is not deserving of the support of the Society.

The total expenditure for charitable purposes during the year is as follows, viz :—

We  
kindr  
times  
the M  
amon  
fore c  
tions

On  
Mur  
tend  
year  
Th  
then  
the  
Th  
was  
O  
W.  
the  
Pre  
with  
the  
O  
W.

Applicants.....	\$234 00
Pensioners.....	112 00
Railway passes.....	65 00
Total.....	<u>\$411 00</u>

We cannot conclude this Report without noticing the kindness of Messrs. Malcolm Bros., who have at different times in the most liberal manner placed at the disposal of the Managers three barrels of oat-meal for distribution amongst the most deserving and needy poor. We therefore cordially thank these gentlemen for their kind donations.

GEO. P. DICKSON.

D. C. BUTCHART.

On motion of Mr. James Michie, seconded by Mr. Murray, the Report was adopted, and a vote of thanks tendered to the Managers for their services during the year.

The election of office-bearers for the ensuing year was then proceeded with, resulting as set forth in the list upon the third page.

The consideration of the celebration of "The Day" was then taken up.

On motion of Mr. Angus Morrison, seconded by Mr. W. B. McMurrich, it was resolved that the members of the Society do attend Divine Service on "The Day," the President and the two Vice-Presidents to be a Committee with full power to arrange as to when, where and by whom the sermon was to be preached.

On motion of Mr. James Graham, seconded by Mr. W. B. McMurrich, it was resolved that the Society should

have a Ball on Monday, the 1st day of December, and that the officers for the ensuing year be a Committee to make the necessary arrangements.

#### “THE ANNIVERSARY.”

The members of the Society met at three o'clock in the afternoon of the 30th November, in Bay Street Presbyterian Church, when the Rev. Dr. Jennings, one of the Society's Chaplains, preached an excellent sermon to a large audience.

The Anniversary happening on a Sunday, the Ball took place on the Monday following (Dec. 1st,) which was highly successful, being attended by a very large number of the members of the Society and their friends. The guests were received by the President, John Gordon, Esq.; the 1st Vice-President, W. Arthurs, Esq.; and the 2nd Vice-President, W. B. McMurrich, Esq.