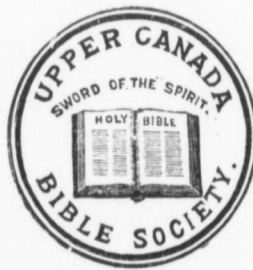


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FOR THE
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LAWS AND REGULATIONS
OF THE
UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.

As adopted at a General Meeting of the Society, held in the City of Toronto, on the third day of August, 1855; and amended at a General Meeting held on the 13th day of April, 1880.

[UNDER THE ACT OF INCORPORATION.]

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be denominated the "UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY," having the same object in view as the British and Foreign Bible Society—that is, the circulation of the Bible, without note or comment.

II. This Society shall endeavour to unite all Bible Societies in the Province, and to concentrate their operations, in order to give more efficiency to the whole.

III. This Society shall maintain, in the City of Toronto, a general depot of Bibles and Testaments, from which all Societies in connection with it shall be supplied with the Scriptures at the lowest price at which they can be afforded.

IV. The business of the Society shall be carried on by a Board of Directors, to consist of a President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, and Secretaries, and a representative from each Branch as provided in Article V., together with twenty clerical and twenty lay members, so selected as to give the Board always, as before, a representative character as regards the principal religious bodies interested in the work of the Society, five of whom shall form a quorum. The five clerical and five lay members who shall have attended the least number of meetings of the Board shall not be eligible for re-election, except in cases where the non-attendance has arisen from illness or absence from the country, in which cases the Board may nominate such member or members for re-election.

V. Each Branch Society shall be entitled to a representative on the General Board. The President of the Branch shall be *ex-officio* such representative, or any other resident member whom the Committee may appoint as a substitute, who shall be a member of such Branch.

VI. At any meeting of the Directors, the President, or, in his absence, the Vice-President first upon the list then present, and in absence of such Vice-President, the Treasurer, and in his absence such member as shall be chosen for that purpose, shall preside.

VII. Each person paying annually one dollar shall be a member of this Society; and persons paying fifty dollars at any one time, either to this Society or to any of the Societies in connection therewith, or through them to the British and Foreign Bible Society, or who may have rendered important services, shall, at the discretion of the Directors, be declared Life Members.

VIII. Each Life Member of this Society shall be furnished with a certificate of membership, under the corporate seal of the Society, duly signed by the President and Secretaries.

IX. The Board of Directors for the time being shall have the appointment of the Permanent Secretary, Agents, Depository, Colporteurs, Bookkeeper,

and Assistants of the Society, and the fixing of all salaries and allowances ; and shall have the superintendence and management of all the property, real and personal, of the corporation, as well as the management and control of its general affairs and the appropriation of its funds, with full power to enact such rules as may be requisite to effect the objects contemplated by the Act of Incorporation.

X. The Board of Directors shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Tuesday of each month, at the hour of 7.30 p.m. Special meetings may be called by the Secretaries at any time, at the request of the President, or of any three Directors.

XI. The Annual General Meeting of the Society shall be held on the second Wednesday in the month of May in each and every year, or at such other time as the Directors, for the time being, may deem best for the interests of the Society ; when the Officers and Directors for the ensuing year shall be chosen ; a report of the operations of the Society during the foregoing year shall be presented, together with the Treasurer's and Depositary's accounts, duly audited. Special general meetings may be called at any time by the Board.

XII. In case of the death or removal of any Director during the year, the Board shall at the next ensuing meeting thereof fill such vacancy.

XIII. No alteration in these By-laws shall be made except at a General Meeting of the Society, and after one month's notice of the proposed alteration has been given to the Board.

RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RELATIVE TO GRANTS TO SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

That in all applications for grants of Bibles to Sunday-schools, the applicant be requested to furnish the Secretaries with an account of the state of the School ; the number of Scholars and Teachers ; the amount of funds at the disposal of the managers ; who are its officers ; and why it is necessary to make such application : all which should in every case be certified by a Minister of the Gospel, or some person of known respectability. And further, this Board recommends that the Secretaries make grants in future only to destitute settlements ; reporting the same to the next General Meeting of the Board of Directors.

RULES

RECOMMENDED TO BRANCH SOCIETIES



I. That a Society be formed in connection with the British and Foreign Bible Society, through the medium of the Upper Canada Bible Society, for the purpose of contributing to the circulation of the Holy Scriptures without note or comment: the English copies being of the authorized version *only*.

II. That the Society be denominated "THE _____ BRANCH BIBLE SOCIETY."

III. That all persons subscribing one dollar annually, or five dollars at one time, shall be members of this Society.

IV. That the business of this Society shall be conducted by a President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and a Committee consisting of not less than _____ other members; five to constitute a quorum.

V. That all Ministers of the Gospel who join the Society shall be reckoned members of the Committee.

VI. That the Committee shall meet quarterly or oftener; time and place of meeting to be fixed by themselves.

VII. That the Committee divide their sphere of operations into districts, and appoint visitors for each district, to solicit subscriptions and donations from the inhabitants, and also to ascertain the wants of the people regarding the Word of God.

VIII. That the whole of the subscriptions and donations received by this Society shall, after deducting incidental expenses, be remitted yearly to the Upper Canada Bible Society, for the purpose of translating the Word of God into the Indian languages, and for supplying other nations, through the Parent Institution, with the pure Word of God: or for the purchase of Bibles and Testaments to supply the neighbourhood *at cost price*, or gratuitously to those who cannot purchase.

IX. That a General Meeting of the Subscribers be held on the _____ day of _____, in each year, at _____, when the accounts shall be presented; the proceedings of the past year stated; a new Committee appointed, and a Report agreed upon; the Report to be published under the direction of the Committee if required.

X. That on the formation of a new committee, the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and such three-fourths of the other members of the Committee as have most frequently attended, shall be eligible for re-election for the ensuing year.

FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.



In this semi-centennial year of the City of Toronto the minds of most of its inhabitants are naturally carried back to the year of its incorporation, and they desire to recall and realize the state of things existing in the then newly inaugurated city. Especially is this the case with those who were themselves living in it at that time. Although this professes to be only the forty-fourth annual report of the Upper Canada Bible Society, as strictly it is, yet this Society can rightly claim its place among the institutions of the city at the time of its incorporation, for the change of name and the extension of its field in 1840 did not destroy its individuality. It is fitting, therefore, at this time to take a brief glance back at its past history.

As early as in the year 1818 a Society was formed under the title of "The Bible Society of Upper Canada." Among the speakers at the meeting at which it was organized were two men whose names can never be forgotten in the history of this city; the Rev. Dr. Strachan, afterwards the first Bishop of Toronto, and Jesse Ketchum, Esq., the munificent benefactor of this Society. The Rev. Dr. Strachan, was in fact the founder of that Society, and the moving spirit of the meeting, and we cannot refrain from quoting one passage from his speech. He said "in this country where all denominations of Christians meet together, there is generally a disposition to unite and be kindly affectionate one towards another. This spirit should be cherished, and no Society can promote it more than one for disseminating the Sacred Scriptures." However, the Society then started only continued three or four years, and the real existence of this Society properly dates from the 3rd of November 1828, when the "York Auxiliary Bible Society" was organized under the Presidency of the Hon. John Henry Dunn. The first anniversary meeting was held in the Steamboat Hotel on the 9th of February 1830, when the total income for the first year was reported as £180.10.0, or as we would say in these days \$722.00. The total distribution had been 542 copies. The young Society took up very vigorously the important matter of getting the Scriptures translated into the Chippewa, or more properly Ojibway, language, and at this first anniversary was able to report that the first seven chapters of St. Matthew had, at its request and expense, been translated by the Rev. Peter Jones.

When the city was incorporated in 1834 the name was changed to "The City of Toronto Auxiliary Bible Society," and the report of that year states that during the year 1833 the receipts had been \$680 for sales, and \$678 from donations and subscriptions, making a total of \$1358. The issues had been

1777 and the number of Branches was 30. The report also states that the Rev. Peter Jones had completed the translation of the Book of Genesis into the Ojibway language; and that the Society had during the year circulated the Gospels of St. Matthew and St. John among the Indians at the different mission stations in the Province. In the year 1840 the present style and title of the Society was adopted, and in a circular which was issued to announce this we find the following words, which give us the object aimed at by the change: "With a view to unite into one body all the different Bible Societies in the Province, and to concentrate all the Bible operations in the same, in order to give more efficiency to the whole, the Society has assumed a Provincial character under the name of 'The Upper Canada Bible Society.'" The circular then goes on to enumerate several advantages to be gained by this step, among which is the appointment of the Rev. James Richardson, afterwards Bishop Richardson, as Agent to visit and stimulate the Branches, and to form new ones. The total income of the Society that year was \$2055, and the issues were 2,819 copies. The income in the year now just closed has been \$30,633 and the issues 31,271. In the course of its history the Society has received \$851,569 with which it has circulated 1,240,141 copies of the Holy Scriptures in its own field, and has sent over \$250,000 to spread the word of God in Romish, Mohammedan, and Heathen lands.

The total income of the year just closed has been \$912 less than that of the previous year, but a larger decrease might have been expected as money has been less abundant; moreover, the Directors feel encouraged by the fact that the free contributions from the Branches are in advance, although several of the larger ones have fallen far short of their usual standard, and they hope that this may be taken as an indication that the field is being more fully occupied and better canvassed. The whole decrease is more than accounted for by the unusually large amount received from bequests in the previous year; and although the proceeds of sales are less, it is gratifying to mark that the number of issues is greater by 1506 copies.

The only bequest received during the year was the very handsome one of \$1,000 from the late James Michie, Esq., of Toronto. The larger donations received have been \$100 from Donald Fraser, Esq., of Nairn, \$100 "In memory of a beloved brother," \$100 from Miss Helen Lesslie, of Dundas, \$100 from John W. Ball, Esq., of Niagara, \$50 from Robert Black, Esq., of Brussels, and \$50 from Ferguson Whiteside, Esq., of Little Britain.

During the year the Society has lost one of its oldest Vice-Presidents by the death of W. A. Baldwin, Esq. He was a member of the Society from its beginning, and was for several years one of its Secretaries; but for some time back has been unable to attend the meetings of the Board. Several losses have been sustained by the removal of efficient Officers of Branches in different parts of the field, some have gone to their rest above, and some have emigrated to the North-West, where we trust they will yet render good service to the Bible Cause. Prominent among the former was the late F. C. Lesbirel, Esq., the zealous President of the Tiverton Branch. On the last day of February one of the Society's most zealous and liberal supporters, Donald Fraser, Esq., of East Williams, entered his rest after a long and faithful Christian course. His former pastor, now in Scotland, who had known him for 50 years, says he was "ever unwearied in well doing." Although not an office bearer at the time of his death, he had been on the committee of the model Branch of East Williams from the beginning, and Mr. Menzies, the Secretary, says he thinks he never missed a meeting for twenty-two years. Not only in the year just closed, as seen in the preceding paragraph, but several times within the last few years, he has sent very handsome donations, and during his last illness he gave directions that another hundred dollars should be sent to our Society.

Just before the close of its year the Society lost one of its most valuable and valued friends by the death of the Rev. W. W. Ross, who had been its Permanent Agent from 1875 to 1879. The success of his special mission to Manitoba on behalf of the Society was one of the most encouraging features in the last Annual Report. The great value of his services have more than once been publicly acknowledged not only by the Board of Directors, but also by the Branches in Manitoba. As he continued to the end ever ready to do anything in his power for the Society, the Directors looked upon him as one whose zeal, tact, experience, and readiness might be called upon, as occasion required, for many years to come. They cannot, therefore, but feel a sense of great loss by his removal from this scene of action.

In the last Annual Report attention was called to the very dilapidated state of the building jointly owned and occupied by this Society and the Tract Society, and the necessity of providing a new building at an early date; and the Directors were able to report that already several handsome sums had been subscribed for that purpose. They regret to say that very little progress has been made in this matter during the past year; but the Joint Committee has lately appointed Mr. William Hewitt to solicit subscriptions for the Building Fund, and as he is well known to the business community, they hope he will be heartily received and encouraged in this good work. The Directors trust that when this need is really brought before the minds of the Christian public of Toronto, they will in this semi-centennial year of the City readily subscribe the very moderate amount required to provide a suitable habitation for two of its oldest institutions.

BRANCHES.

In the past year, as in every third year, the Board wished to have all the Branches visited by the Agents, which for several reasons is desirable, and therefore did not request any to dispense with such help. A few, however, intimated a wish to do so, and the Directors, of course, acquiesced. Nevertheless the visitation and inspection of the Branches and Depositories throughout the field may honestly be reported as fairly complete, and on the whole very satisfactory.

With very few exceptions, the Depositories are reported as being in good condition; but a few cases of negligence have been brought under the notice of the Board. One Agent reports that in a certain place he found on visiting the Depository that "the Bibles were not at all exposed to the view of persons coming in; but were in a box covered up with goods in a room over the store." Another Agent reports that in another place "the Bibles fell into the hands of some man who bought the insolvent estate of the former Depository, and refused to give them up, thus entailing quite a loss on the Branch." Such negligence is very annoying, and these cases shew the importance of officers and committees of Branches remembering their responsibility in reference to their Depositories. But when it is considered how few such cases are among nearly 400 Depositories, the Directors think they may fairly report that the Society's affairs in this department are in a very satisfactory condition.

Only two new Branches have been formed during the year viz:— Fort Erie, and Mildmay, and one new Depository opened at Fort Simpson, on the Mackenzie River in the far North-West; on the other hand one Branch has been struck off the list, and three reduced to the rank of mere Depositories. This makes our present list to contain 403 Branches and 29 Depositories. At first sight this may appear to some as slightly retrogressive; but in fact real progress is being made in occupying the field. Some of the Branches are forming sub-branches, and others though not forming any subordinate organizations,

are giving increased attention to their outlying districts, which is much better than multiplying weak Branches, and so increasing the expense of Agency.

AGENCY.

The visitation was done by the Permanent Agent, nineteen Provisional Agents, and two Local or Provincial Agents : the Rev. O. Fortin, for Manitoba, and the Rev. R. Jamieson, for British Columbia. Their Reports have been almost all of an encouraging tone, some of them very much so. One writes : "From the office-bearers of all the Branches I received a cordial welcome, and if I may judge from the intercourse I had with them, your work has a firm hold on their confidence and affection. The collectors appointed to canvas the various sections were for the most part present at the meetings and seemed ready for their work. Too much praise cannot be given to these self-denying Christian ladies, and I am looking forward for a great advance in the subscriptions all along the line." This the Board regards as a very encouraging report, for if all the Branches would follow the example of those in this Agent's Section, and have their Collectors ready to go to work immediately after their public meeting, it would make an immense improvement in the total results at the end of the year. Another Agent reports : "The visitation of the several Branches entrusted to me by your Society this year afforded satisfactory evidence of an intelligent and hearty attachment to the Bible, and a practical sympathy with your efforts to secure its world-wide distribution."

These are fair samples of the general tone of almost all the reports ; but of course neither the Agents nor the Directors wish to represent the affairs of the Society as having arrived at a state of perfection ; and as perfection is the goal at which we must always aim, it may be profitable as well as candid, though perhaps not so pleasant, to report and call attention to some of the imperfect features which present themselves here and there. A few of the Agents have still to complain, although there has been great improvement in this respect, that their communications had received very tardy replies or had been entirely neglected, and that sometimes when they arrived at a place they found that no effort had been made to get the people to come to the meeting, in which cases it is very hard for an Agent to get them interested in the work of the Society. One Agent writes : "Could we only get crowded audiences to address, that the Christian public as a whole should have an intelligent idea of the workings and wants of the Society, our income would double in a single year. But how can the public be reached ? That is the problem to be solved. The pulpits must take the matter up and take advantage of sabbath day congregations for enlightenment on this whole subject." Another Agent, among several suggestions at the end of his report, says : "Put into operation the recommendation of last year in respect to the boundaries of our Branches." If the Board of Directors could issue decrees which must be obeyed, this would be a comparatively easy matter ; but the Board can only, through its Agents, endeavour to induce the Officers of the Branches to carry out its recommendations ; and the Directors are glad to be able to report that many of them are giving increased attention to their outlying districts. There can be no doubt however that these two questions : how best to get the country lying between the Branches canvassed, and how our Agents can best reach the ear of the Christian public, are the problems most needing solution.

The Directors regret that they have not been successful in getting special meetings of children during the past year ; but several Sunday Schools have been addressed on behalf of the Society, and some have sent contributions. The gentlemen who distribute the Ketchum prizes in the city schools, moreover, have in doing so from year to year, not only told the scholars something about

the good man who provided these gifts for them ; but have used the opportunity to say a few words to enlist their sympathies in the work of the Society. Several Agents also endeavoured, whenever possible, to visit the day schools in the country and ask the children to announce the Bible Society meeting to their parents, and at the same time to say a few words to interest the children themselves in the Bible cause. This commendable practice is very important, and the Directors trust that the Agents in future years will more and more endeavour to seize such opportunities. It not only helps to increase the attendance at the public meetings of the Branches, but it is undoubtedly the most practicable method of reaching the ears of the rising generation with a view to getting their hearts enlisted in this great work of giving the Holy Scriptures to all nations of the earth. In order to reach their eyes for the same purpose, the Directors wish very much that the Society's friends throughout the country would do what they can to promote the circulation of the "Gleanings for the Young." This beautifully illustrated little periodical, published by the Parent Society is, for its actual value, one of the cheapest things issued for the good of children.

The Rev. Mr. Jamieson, the Society's Agent in British Columbia, regrets very much having to report very little accomplished for the Bible cause in his field during the past year ; but in the present state of affairs in that Province the Board does not think that Mr. Jamieson can with justice blame himself for not seizing opportunities which have never presented themselves. Moreover we have received since the closing of the accounts, a free contribution of \$114 from the New Westminster Branch, and \$54 from other friends in the Province through Mr. Jamieson. Perhaps these contributions might be larger ; but they put to shame many places in Ontario, whose populations are both larger and in more prosperous circumstances.

The Rev. Mr. Fortin's report shews that in Manitoba, where the Society's affairs were in a very unsatisfactory state eighteen months ago, they are now, chiefly through the enthusiasm and wisdom of our lamented friend the Rev. W. W. Ross, in a most hopeful condition. The published report of the Winnipeg Branch says : "New life and zeal were infused into the Society by the visit of the Rev. W. W. Ross, who came last year as the official representative of the Society in Toronto." Mr. Fortin, reports that "the public meetings of the Branches were not as well attended as he could have wished ; but that he was quite cheered by the manifestation of so much zeal and enthusiasm." In another part of his report he says : "Everywhere there is a feeling of gratitude towards your noble Society for the many kindnesses which it has shewn to this Province in the past, and as we become more able there will, I am sure, be some substantial return made."

Extracts from Agents' Reports will be found on page 16.

COLPORTAGE.

The Colportage of the Society has been much hindered, even more than in the previous year, by the heavy snow of last winter, and in some degree again by sickness. There have been six colporteurs employed for longer or shorter periods, Messrs Taylor, Jackson, Currie, Pyke, Aston, and Patterson. The aggregate time spent in the service has been thirty-five months, and they have circulated 5318 copies of the scriptures. The Tract Society's Colporteurs have sold 1765 of this Society's Bibles and Testaments, making the total distribution by colportage, of 7073.

Mr. Taylor was again remarkably successful in Algoma last summer. He was sent up in the beginning of May, and by the end of the month had circulated 252 copies in the district of Thunder Bay. In June, partly in the same neighbourhood, partly near Lake Nepigon, and partly near Sault Ste

Marie, he sold 319 copies. In July he was much hindered by swamps, heavy rain, and the scattered state of the settlers, and yet he succeeded in selling 117 copies and giving six; but he closes his report for this month by saying "I am very much crippled in my legs and feet, so much so that I shall not be able to travel for some time; but I trust I shall be all right again after a little rest." In September and October he was sent to a number of the Agricultural Shows and met with his usual success. He attended those of Toronto, Guelph, Tilsonburg, Drumbo, Brantford, Stratford, and Park Hill. At all these places he received the hearty sympathy and valuable co-operation of the officers of the Branches. In reference to Park Hill he reports: "I never saw the people take so much interest in the different languages as at this Fair. I am very sure it would have done the Committee good to have seen the deep interest which the people took in our work at the Bible stand. I gave away a good number of our handbills with a short history of our Society and its work. Many thanks to the President for his kindness." At the end of November Mr. Taylor was again obliged to desist from work for some weeks, and he is at the present time also resting; but the Directors trust that he will in the coming summer be able again to do valuable work for the Society in Algoma.

Mr. Jackson has been doing good and faithful work; but there is nothing striking in his reports, though he has in several places met with sad examples of how the Church of Rome does all she can to withhold the Holy Scriptures from her people. He has been labouring in the townships of Greenock, Bruce and Saugeen in the county of Bruce; and in Dummer, Asphodel, Belmont, Percy, Seymour and Cramahe in the counties of Peterborough and Northumberland. He received very cordial sympathy and help from the Officers and Committee of the Peterborough Branch. He reports that the month of January was the most severe and least successful he has ever experienced. At the close of February he requested the Board to allow him to cease work for some months, partly on account of ill-health and partly to attend to some private affairs.

Mr. Currie was first employed in the month of May and was sent to the back townships of the county of Hastings, where he laboured for several months. He was afterwards removed to the county of Bruce, where it was thought his familiarity with Gaelic would be particularly useful. He is a good and earnest man, and the Directors had hopes that he would make an excellent colporteur, especially suited for some districts. But he did not like being kept so much away from home as the service of the Society requires; and as he also wished to be able to sell other good books as well as Bibles, he asked to be allowed to give up the work at the end of November.

Messrs. Pyke and Aston only began work in February, and in that month experienced such severe weather and some other difficulties that they felt somewhat disheartened. But having since done better, they feel encouraged, and the Directors hope that both will prove good colporteurs.

Mr. Patterson was appointed on the recommendation of the Committee at Winnipeg, and began work on the 21st of May. He laboured steadily until the end of August in different parts of Manitoba and went as far west as Medicine Hat. He was again employed for a few days in October to attend the Exhibition at Portage la Prairie. In his report of this he says: "This exhibition was not a very successful undertaking either for the Bible Society or for others interested in it, but the exhibit by the Society of scriptures in six languages and in raised letters for the blind appeared to awaken considerable interest and was well noticed by the press." His regular work was very successful, and he sold nearly a thousand copies in three months. The published report of the Winnipeg Branch speaks of him in very appreciative terms, and expresses the earnest hope that his services may be secured for future years.

Extracts from the Colporteurs' Reports will be found on page 28.

FINANCES.

The receipts during the year have been as follows :—

Proceeds of Sales.....	\$9,121.58
Free Contributions, Subscriptions, Donations, and } Bequests..... }	21,266.02
Interest, Ground Rents, &c.	245.10
Total.....	<u>\$30,632.70</u>

The free contributions were for the following objects :—

To the Upper Canada Bible Society.....	\$14,500.79
“ British and Foreign Bible Society.....	6,426.63
“ Montreal Bible Society.....	163.00
“ Quebec Bible Society.....	175.60
Total.....	<u>\$21,266.02</u>

In addition to the above contributions from the Branches, the Board of Directors has sent a grant of \$500 to the Quebec Bible Society, for its work among the French Canadians, and has placed \$1000 at the disposal of the Agency and Colportage Committee for work in Manitoba and the North-West.

DISTRIBUTION.

The number of Bibles, Testaments, and portions issued from the Depository in Toronto during the year is 31,271 being 1,506 copies more than during the previous year. This increase is partly in Colportage and partly in issues to Branch Depositories.

Of these issues, 3,296 were sold, and 1,078 issued gratuitously from the Toronto Depository; 21,579 supplied to Branch Depositories, or sold to the trade; and 5,318 were issued by Colporteurs. Included in the above are 1,308 copies in foreign languages, and 28 in raised characters for the blind.

The total issues of the Society since its commencement is 1,241,141.

SISTER SOCIETIES.

The Directors regret that they are unable to give any account of the work of several of the sister Societies in the Dominion, not having received their reports; but they hope that they are prospering.

The cordial relations existing between the Montreal Bible Society, and the Quebec Bible Society, and our own are a source of great pleasure to our Board, and it is always a very great encouragement to read of their success, whether in their reports, or in the letters occasionally received from them. There is nothing very marked in the last report of the Montreal Bible Society, and we regret to notice there had been a little falling off in their free contributions, and in their issues. But their opportunities are increasing, and their faith and courage are strong. In writing recently to thank our Society for its contributions, the Rev. Dr. Cornish, the Secretary, says: “I am glad to be able to say that the arrangements for our French work during the summer are now completed. We have engaged ten French colporteurs. We are informed that the prospects of the French work in this Province are brighter than they have been for a long time past.”

The report of the Quebec Bible Society shows that its work has been carried on amid discouragements and difficulties, which those alone who are engaged in it can fully understand; and yet with a fair amount of success. The labour has been almost exclusively among the French Canadian rural population. We are glad to find that the Committee have been enabled by

a grant from the Parent Society to employ a second colporteur, who gives gratifying evidence of fitness for the work. In one part of their report they say, "We are still indebted to the Upper Canada Bible Society and its Branches, for the means of carrying on our work among the French Canadian people. We thankfully acknowledge the receipt during the year from that source of the very handsome sum of \$776.05."

Our great neighbour, the American Bible Society, has been doing a remarkable amount of work in the past twelve months. In a letter received a few days ago from the Rev. Dr. Gilman, one of the Secretaries, he says: "Our report when published will show some very noteworthy results of work, both in the United States and in foreign lands. In prosecuting the fourth general re-supply of our own country there were visited 1,217,215 families, and one eighth of the whole number were found to be without the Bible. Two thirds of the destitute families were supplied by sale or gift; fifty thousand refused to receive it. The aggregate circulation surpasses that of every previous year with a single exception. The foreign circulation exceeded half a million of copies, and is more than double that of ten years ago." We are sorry that Dr. Gilman has to report that their receipts have fallen far short of their expenditure; and that they have sustained a great loss in the death of their President Dr. S. Wells Williams, a man whose long labours in translating the Holy Scriptures, together with his moral energy and spiritual self-consecration, brought honour both to the cause of Christian Missions and to the land that gave him birth.

PARENT SOCIETY.

In a letter just received from the Parent Society, we are called upon to rejoice with them over the financial statement for the recently closed year, which shews the largest amount ever received in twelve months, by way of income, and also records an expenditure which has only once been exceeded. The increase of the total income, as compared with the previous year is £22,708 1s 4d, and although this is due chiefly to the great increase in the amount received as legacies, it is gratifying to observe that both the more permanent sources of income, namely Free Contributions and Proceeds of Sales, are considerably in advance. But they ask us to take due notice of the fact that, were it not for the extraordinary sum reached by legacies their receipts would have been several thousands behind their expenditure. The statistics of their circulation had not yet been completed; but they anticipated that the number of copies disseminated would be somewhere about three millions. The forthcoming report of the work done during the year will be of a very encouraging character. Among the most interesting features will be the very great increase of the work in China and India, and the greater opportunities than ever in Egypt and Morocco. Particularly for the benefit of our friends in the Province of Quebec, the Society is bringing out a new and special edition of DeSacy's version of the French Bible. Of course it takes some time to prepare and print the report of such world-wide operations as those of our Parent Society, and we shall probably not receive the report above referred to until the month of August. But the last report begins thus:

"In one of the first reports of missionary work contained in the New Testament, it is said that the apostles Barnabas and Paul 'rehearsed all things that God had done with them.' At an anniversary like the present, when the danger of exalting human agency is great, there can be no more needful reminder than this—that whatever good has been achieved is the deed of God, and not of man. It is not the liberality of the Churches, nor the administration of the Committee, nor the voice of the colporteur, nor even the Book itself that has done the work, but the Divine Spirit acting through and with all these.

“Yet the honour which is due to God alone did not prevent St. Paul from enjoining upon the Thessalonians to know and esteem those who laboured among them ; and your Committee desire to express their gratitude on the one hand to their constituents at home, in the colonies and in foreign lands, for the continuance of generous support, and on the other to their agents and colporteurs, who have gone up and down the field of the world, wounded by its stones and thorns, yet bravely and in patience sowing the good seed.

“The general results of the year, so far as they can be gauged by statistics, are in advance of those reported twelve months ago. The FREE INCOME of the Society has been £112,428 3s. 4d. showing an increase of £7,590 6s. 3d, which falls chiefly under the head of donations, the legacies and contributions of auxiliaries remaining practically the same. The RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF SCRIPTURES at home and abroad have been £98,068 6s. 2d., giving an increase of £3,225 19s. 2d., so that, adding a small item of £104 3s. 7d., for Indian colportage, a total income from all sources is reached of £210,600 13s. 1d., or £10,816 5s. 5d. in excess of the corresponding total for 1883,—but, it should be added, only £1,098 1s. 2d. above the more normal year that preceded it.

“Meanwhile the EXPENDITURE has more than kept pace with this growth of receipts, amounting to £207,996 5s. 2d., or £17,079 5s. 10d. above the expenditure of the previous year.

“The ISSUES from the Bible House in London have amounted to 1,542,413 copies, and from depôts abroad to 1,422,223, making a total of 2,964,636 copies, or 26,091 more than in the previous year. It is satisfactory to observe that the returns both of home and foreign sales show a decided increase in the number of complete Bibles and New Testaments as compared with Portions.

“The issues of the Society from its commencement now reach a total of 96,917,629 copies.”

Of course we cannot here attempt to review even in outline all the scenes of the operations of our great Parent, the British and Foreign Bible Society ; but the following extracts and summaries will give some idea of its world-wide work.

The customary Annual Conference of the District Secretaries had been held in May and the general results of the year's labour which are here given seem to indicate that the Society is rooted as firmly as ever in the confidence of those who value the Word of God.

I. LOCAL SOCIETIES.

The number of Societies in England and Wales twelve months before was 4,962.

Of these 91 were reported as extinct. Against these losses 155 had been formed during the year. The total number was therefore 5,026 showing an increase of 64 Societies for the year.

These Societies are classified thus :—

Auxiliaries	1,037
Branches	364
Associations	3,625
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II. MEETINGS.

5,026

The Public Meetings held during the past year have numbered 3,146 showing an increase of 100. They may be classified as follows :—

Meetings attended by Officers of the Society	2,117
Meetings attended by deputed Visitors	878
Meetings held without a Deputation	48
To these are added the Returns of Local Agents	103
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3,146

III. RECEIPTS.

The total receipts from these Societies during the year had been as follows :-

Free Contributions	£51,659	11	6
For purchase of Scriptures	26,907	19	9

The Free Contributions are *below* those of the previous year by £830 1 1
The Purchase Account is *more* by £767 11 10.

IV. ISSUES.

The issues from the London Depôt to the various Societies in England and Wales had amounted to

Bibles	Testaments	Tests. and Psalms.	Portions
308,674	185,017	4,657	51,369

making a total of 549,717, or 58,830 copies more than in the previous year

V. COLPORTAGE.

The number of copies circulated through this agency has been as follows :-

By seven colporteurs whose salary and expenses are paid, in whole or in part, by the Parent Society	24,560
By two colporteurs at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, at an Exhibition of Domestic Labour-Saving Appliances	373
By two colporteurs at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, at an Exhibition of Furniture	366
At the Alexandra Palace Stall	1,386

In addition to this, the Committee has given assistance to colportage on the Thames, Mersey, Tyne, Wear, &c.

The Committee had made grants towards the support of the London Bible Women amounting to £444 12s. and to the various Sailor's Societies—in money and Scriptures—to the extent of £700. They are indebted to the Thames Church Mission for assistance in supplying Testaments to the troops that embarked last summer for Egypt. A place has been claimed for the Bible at several Exhibitions which have been held during the year, and a kiosk for the sale of Scriptures had been erected at the International Fisheries Exhibition.

The Society had lost no fewer than five of its Vice-Presidents—the late Archbishop of Canterbury, the Earl of Harrowby, the Bishop of Grahamstown, Bishop Steere, and Dean Close. Archbishop Tait was a warm friend of your work. He described it as “the best practical step which is being taken throughout the world to make Christendom one;” and in his charges he urged the clergy “not to stand aside from co-operation in such an acknowledged good work as this great attempt to circulate the Holy Scriptures.” The Committee were deeply thankful to be assured of the hearty sympathy of his successor the new Primate.

The labours of Bishop Steere on the Swahili translation will enure as a monument not only of Christian scholarship, but of patience and self-sacrifice. He took five years to complete the first gospel, and nearly twenty to finish the New Testament; and then, rather than insist that his own hand should be seen in the whole work, he included the translation of one gospel by a fellow missionary, the veteran Rebmann, whose labour he felt ought not to pass unacknowledged.

EUROPE.

In reference to the foreign work of the Society the Committee say :

"Some months ago one of your colporteurs on entering a café, was met with the exclamation—'Take your books to the children. We are men, and do not want them.' This is, in effect, the cry raised in all parts of the Continent by men of labour, who are too busy to listen to the Word of God, and by men of letters, who are too proud to own that it has any message for them.

"To a certain extent your Committee take these objectors at their word. They do carry their Bible to the children, and, what is more, they carry it to the child-nations of the world—like those of Africa and the Southern Seas. But, because they turn to the children, why turn away from the men? and, while caring for heathen lands, why relax effort for countries nearer home, whose need is as great as their resistance is strong?

"Looking first at Europe, a distinction must be drawn between Protestant countries like Norway and Sweden, and the lands, unhappily larger and more numerous, over which the Church of Rome holds sway. In the former your Committee feel that they are best fulfilling their charge by stirring up the native Bible Societies to undertake the whole supply of the Scriptures; and gradually, as this object comes to be attained, a policy of withdrawal will be pursued.

"But as regards the latter, your Committee have been engaged in devising stronger measures, some of which are already being put in force. Thus in France your colporteurs have for the first time, carried their labours into every one of the eighty-six departments; and in Austria, in the teeth of opposition which has never been more bitter, your work has been pursued with so much vigour that the circulation shows an increase of nearly 10,000 copies.

"Germany, it should always be remembered, is to a considerable extent Roman Catholic; yet in Germany 324,614 copies have been sold during the year, and more recently 8,000 copies have been distributed among the homes wasted by the Rhine floods of last autumn."

Mr. James Watt, the Society's Agent for Germany says of the colporteurs :

"These faithful and hard working men are the rank and file of our army. They are also our outposts and skirmishers. It is they who keep touch with the main body of the enemy, and are most roughly used in the fight. Deprived of the sympathies of home, obliged to be content with humble quarters and often with wretched food, exposed to the inclemencies of every season and to the still more trying storms of ridicule and abuse, the colporteur must not only possess a stout heart and iron frame, but be a man of faith, and one who walks with God. All honour to such men! let us support them with our sympathy and prayers."

In reference to Mr Watt himself, who had only about a year before been transferred from Southern Russia to take charge of the work in this field, the Committee say: "Your Agent possesses the advantage of combining loyalty to the traditions of the Society with a quick sense of the requirements of changing circumstances"

The favourable attitude of the Russo-Greek Church towards the circulation of the Scriptures is shown by the sale in Russia of 314,422 copies, and these at prices very little below the cost of production. Hitherto the Society has been restricted, within the Empire itself, to the New Testament; but the past year has witnessed the completion of an edition of the entire Bible in Russ, specially printed by the Holy Synod for the use of your Agencies. The sales in Asiatic Russia have increased sixfold, partly in consequence of the establishment of a depot at Tashkent, where the colporteurs in charge hope some day to join hands with comrades from India, and partly through a further journey made by the Rev. Dr. Lansdell in Central Asia. Your Committee

contributed towards the cost of this journey, and would express their appreciation of Dr. Lansdell's services in exploring parts little known, and depositing with local governors stores of Scriptures for use in hospitals and prisons.

MOHAMMEDAN AND HEATHEN LANDS.

Your work in Egypt was for a short time interrupted by the war. On the return of your depository to Alexandria, it was found that the depot had been burned and damage done to the extent of nearly £900 and a claim was filed for this amount. As soon, however, as the Committee understood that this sum would have ultimately to be recovered from the taxpayers of Egypt, they felt that it would be contrary to the whole spirit of the Society to add to the burdens of those whom it was their sole object to benefit; they therefore notified to the British Embassy at Constantinople the withdrawal of their claim. A letter has just been received from Lord Dufferin expressing his warm appreciation of this step.

In looking to the future of their work in Egypt, the Committee have felt that increased responsibility was laid upon them; and they have resolved to make Egypt the centre of a new Agency embracing Syria and Palestine, the line of the Suez Canal, and the regions bordering on the Red Sea, and no longer to regard these countries as a part of their Turkish field. This Agency will be placed under the care of the Rev. R. H. Weakly, who long laboured in the East on behalf of the Church Missionary Society, and was highly distinguished as a reviser of the Turkish Bible. They would acknowledge the generous spirit in which the American Missionaries in Egypt have expressed their readiness to welcome him on his arrival.

North Africa is now being supplied by the recently-established Agency at Algiers, which owed much to the hearty sympathy of the late Miss Beamish. Her many benevolent enterprises were crowned by the organizing of a work of Scripture distribution to the Easter pilgrims at Jerusalem. One of her last wishes was that this should be kept up; and the Committee have cordially undertaken to carry out the desire of their friend. Some 15,000 Portions are circulated annually in this way. A journey of exploration in Morocco is being taken on behalf of the Society by Mr. W. Mackintosh, a gentleman who has had long experience of mission work in Syria. It is hoped that his enquiries may open the way for Bible work in a country which lies at the very gate of Europe, and yet is less known and more neglected than many lands far more remote.

To a few of these more distant lands the Committee would now turn. Their great Indian Auxiliaries employ a staff of about 150 colporteurs, and have effected an aggregate circulation of about 240,000 copies. In response to invitations from the Committee, they have submitted plans for the development of their work, and undertaken to prepare editions of the Bible to be in readiness for the advance in elementary education which is expected to result from the Viceregal Commission. Special grants, amounting to over £3,000, have been made for this purpose.

The Rev. J. A. D. Macdonald, who superintends the Colportage of the Calcutta Society, gives an interesting and intelligent view of the situation. He says:—

“Our colportage work is mainly undertaken to carry the Bible to those whom ordinary Mission agencies fail to reach. Every Christian preacher doubtless does what he can to induce men to read the sacred volume; but Mission stations are few and scattered in this wide country. In the streets of Calcutta, and in remote towns and villages, there are thousands willing to buy and read the Holy Scriptures. Our problem is to reach these unprejudiced inquirers, and to place the Word of God in their hands.

“This problem is by no means satisfactorily solved. Colportage is pioneer work, demanding great courage, perseverance, and faith on the part of the agents, and considerable aid and attention from those under whose direction they labour. Colporteurs of the right stamp are not easily found, and most missionaries are too busy with their own duties to spare time for an effective supervision. So that there are vast stretches of country where the Bible never goes, though, for aught we know, there may be hundreds of inquirers who are wistfully seeking the Word of God.

“A few weeks ago a schoolmaster was baptized in Calcutta, whose religious history shows the necessity of sowing beside all waters. As a boy he was dissatisfied with idolatry, and longed for a purer faith. This dissatisfaction increased as years went on, and became so strong that he put off marriage in order to seek the way of peace. In a distant part of the country he heard Christian preachers, and obtained from them portions of Holy Scripture. These he studied in private, until he became convinced of the truth of the Divine message. Under the influence of this conviction he came to Calcutta, sought out Christian teachers, and in spite of the entreaties and opposition of his relatives, joined himself by baptism to the people of God.

“Those colporteurs who have made special tours into distant parts of the country have discovered that the Word of God is being studied diligently, although no human teacher is at hand to speak of Christ.”

The journals of Missionary Bible tours, which are appended to the Calcutta Report, are full of interest. The testimony given by missionaries as to the value of the circulation of the Scriptures in their respective districts is strong and hopeful. Thus the Rev. J. Paul writes to the Committee of the Bangalore Bible Society:—

“Year by year the influence of the Bible increases among the people. In illustration of this, I may mention that one day when conversing with a young Hindu, who is a constant reader of the Bible, he said:—‘I feel fully convinced that the Christian religion is the true one, although I do not profess it. You should regard me as a Christian at heart.’ On another occasion, when recommending the Bible to some educated natives as the true veda, they said:—‘We are not strangers to its teaching. We frequently read it. It is only the ignorant who argue against it. To the thoughtful it contains invaluable truth. We feel that we are not able to act up to its moral standard. If we try to do so, we cannot get on in the world.’ The temporal sacrifices involved prevent many from making a public profession of Christianity. Although caste prejudices have strong hold on the people, it is encouraging to know that they are being gradually undermined by the teaching of the Word of God and the advance of education.”

The Telugu revision is now going on with the great advantage that the Rev. Dr. Hay has returned to India to give his whole time to the work, for which he is pre-eminently fitted, his connexion with the London Missionary Society having ceased. An arrangement has been made whereby he will be supported during the progression of this work by our Parent Society. It was in connexion with the Telugu that the Committee had taken the important resolution referred to at the close of the report.

There have of late been such unmistakable indications in China of desire to hear and read the Gospel, that the Committee have felt that they would be faithless and negligent if, having the means liberally placed at their disposal, they did not boldly go forward. At present their staff consists of an agent at Shanghai, eight missionaries giving the whole or half of their time to Bible work, four European colporteurs, and fifty-three native assistants. The circulation by colportage, so far as can be ascertained, has been 162,709 books. Some of the colporteurs have had extraordinary success. Thus Mr. Paton made a journey of two months through a part of the Island of For-

mission, in the course of which he sold 19,400 books. It will be understood that very few of these were complete Bibles or Testaments; a large proportion were single gospels sold at four cash, or a little over a farthing, a copy. Still it is found better to sell even at the lowest price than to give away, though there are exceptional cases, such as the gathering of university students at Peking and Nanking, where some thousands of books have been given freely to young men of a class inaccessible to the ordinary colporteur.

It has for some time been the conviction of your Committee that their arrangements in China ought to be recast upon a larger scale, and they have resolved to create three distinct Agencies for North China, Mid China, and South China respectively, and to engage for each of the eighteen provinces a European head colporteur to travel with, and to superintend, native helpers. In the latter capacity three missionary students have already been engaged, and the Committee are hoping ere long to fill up the number of the appointments with men qualified for the important duties required. They believe that in the action thus taken they have only been carrying out the strong wish of their friends, one of whom indeed has signified his pleasure at this forward movement by adding to large gifts previously made a thank-offering of £2,000 for colportage in China.

There are many other points of interest in their foreign work on which your Committee would fain dwell did time permit. They would, for example, not pass unmentioned the pleasant interviews they have had with the Malagasy Ambassadors, to whom they expressed the hearty prayer of the Society that God in His mercy would be pleased to dispel the cloud hanging over the liberties and Christian life of their people. But one further fact must suffice to show the range of the work—namely, that during the past year the editorial sub-committee has considered or taken action in respect of versions of the Scriptures in eighty-seven languages.

In bringing the Report to a close, the Committee briefly advert to a step they had taken, which they trust may tend to the good of nations that are being brought out of heathenism, and to the closer fellowship of all concerned in mission work, whether abroad or at home.

Letters received from India have shown that there was grave danger in the Telugu field of conflicting versions of the Scriptures being put forth, as has already been the case elsewhere, in consequence of a difference of opinion on the part of translators as to the right words to be employed in that language for expressing *baptize* and *baptism* in the New Testament.

An earnest desire to avoid this calamity to the native Church, and to secure to it the blessing of a single version accepted by all parties, has led your Committee to review the whole subject.

They have long felt anxious that nothing on their part should remain undone which might, without disturbing the conscientious views of others, enable their Baptist brethren to unite with them in the circulation of the same versions; and it has now appeared to them that a solution of the difficulty might be found in the adoption, where needed, of an alternative marginal rendering, stating that the Greek word which expresses this rite is by some translated *immerse*, the neutral or transferred term being itself retained in the text. The Society would thus be carrying out a plan which is of frequent occurrence in the English Bible, and would simply be stating an undoubted fact.

A resolution to the above effect has been passed and communicated to Translating Committees in India, in the hope that it may enable missionaries of various denominations to join in the use of one and the same version.

Whatever may be the immediate result, of this your Committee are assured, that it was right for them to consider how far they could go towards securing united action, and that the question is now being approached on both sides

in a candid and brotherly spirit, which must issue in a deeper sympathy between those whose common aim is to make known among men the living oracles of God.

To a share in this work you are again invited to-day. The great Missionary Societies report growth and success; and it is for you to rejoice with them. But not only to rejoice. Every advance they make, every new mission they plant, must mean fresh demands upon that Society whose happy province it is to accompany and keep step with them all, and to furnish the chief weapon of their warfare. It means that the best Christian scholarship must be engaged to produce new versions of the Bible, and to improve existing versions, and that greater efforts every year must be made to sow through all lands the imperishable seed of the Kingdom.

SUMMARY OF COLPORTAGE IN EUROPE,

Country.	Average number of Colporteurs employed.	Copies Circulated by		Total.
		Colporteurs.	Depots, &c.	
France	48	82,485	26,811	109,296
Belgium	8	10,113	14,936	25,049
Holland	6	14,417	20,803	35,220
Germany	51	109,965	214,649	324,614
Austria.....	48	73,816	48,117	121,933
Italy	38	37,144	21,128	58,272
Spain	23	20,075	26,720	46,795
Portugal	8	4,718	931	5,649
Norway	3	3,225	13,314	16,539
Denmark	9	12,729	22,005	34,734
Sweden.....			65,683	65,683
Russia	28	58,238	256,194	314,432
Turkey	30	23,773	42,384	66,157
Total in Europe....	300	450,698	773,675	1,224,373

NOTE.—The number of Colporteurs employed represents the number of men fully employed during the year. In France 60 men worked for portions of the year.

CONCLUSION.

In conclusion, the Directors of the Upper Canada Bible Society would express their hope that they have discharged their duty to the satisfaction of its members, and their prayer and trust that whatever mistakes or omissions they have made will be overruled by God to the glory of His own name.

EXTRACTS FROM AGENTS' REPORTS.

Rev. E. M. C. BOTTERILL—*Campbell's Cross*.—Here, in the whole-souled officers with which this Branch is blessed, you may expect year by year an increasing liberality.

Erin.—With Brethren Fowlie and Tyler, a wilderness would bloom into a garden, and a garden become an Eden. Words cannot tell our joy to find instead of a once drooping Branch meeting, one of fire, energy and growing importance.

Streetsville.—Of this Branch your Society may be grateful and proud.

Meadowdale.—This sub-branch of Streetsville gave \$25 last year, and was represented to your agent as desiring some special encouragement, and knowing the willingness of the Agency Committee to increase the number of sub-branches, I consented to visit the field. I found a large number of warm hearted friends, all eager to hear of our progress during the year, and fully in sympathy with all our difficulties and victories.

Brampton.—The President of this Branch is my ideal of a presiding officer. He has made our Society the one thing of his life, and into all the possibilities of Bible Society work, as well as all its present attainments, he enters heartily and fully. The good friends in this town were eager to exalt our annual meetings into the position of honour they ought to occupy, and all the pulpits in the town were available. Your Agent preached in the morning in the Presbyterian Church—addressed the children and friends in the Primitive Methodist Church in the afternoon, and in the evening preached in the Methodist Church of Canada; while our annual meeting was held on Monday evening in the Baptist Church. Kindness, superabounding kindness was shown me from everybody, and the whole town on Monday and Tuesday seemed to talk of nothing besides the success of our meeting.

Rev. JAMES CARMICHAEL—*Meaford*.—Your Agent visited the Branch on Monday the 15th October. The day was exquisitely beautiful. The hills on one side were crowned in all the glory of their autumn foliage; on the other side the beautiful, treacherous waters of the Georgian Bay kept up their never ceasing lay, lapping upon the shore. Called upon several friends of the Society. Had a splendid meeting in the evening, with stirring speeches from Rev. Mr. Patterson, Mr. Perry, and Mr. Vickery. The collection was larger than last year, and the contributions far in advance of former years, and the office-bearers are full of hope that they can do better still in the year to come.

Rev. A. A. DRUMMOND.—*Mount Pleasant (Cavan)*.—This Branch is in a healthy condition, and will give a good report of itself when the contributions are forwarded to you. Mr. McLean, an old tried friend of the Society, has enlisted the lady collectors, who soon will be engaged in their laudable work.

Keene.—This is one of the best country Branches I have ever visited, and the agent who will not be fired by the enthusiasm of the meeting must be void of sympathy. A good chairman, a good report, and a good meeting make a good agent.

Hastings.—In the morning a union thanksgiving service was held in the Methodist Church, and by request I preached the thanksgiving sermon. In the evening we had the largest Bible Society meeting that was ever held in the village. All the Protestant ministers were present and spoke. If we may judge from the collection and the interest otherwise displayed the contributions will be ahead of last year. One man had come seven miles to attend the meeting. One family waited to the very close, who had five miles to go home and over a rough road, but they seemed to think nothing of it. I need hardly say they were Scotch, and true friends of the Bible.

Lakefield.—It was a pleasure to your agent to present the claims of your Society on both occasions and to be so well backed by the resident ministers. The people responded nobly to the appeal made to them. The collections taken up at the Hall amounted to the large sum of \$23. This Branch has done nobly for the Bible in former years, and will doubtless maintain its character for a large-hearted liberality this year again.

Peterboro'.—Various circumstances conspired to make the Annual Meeting a small one, but what was wanting in numbers was made up in interest. Mr. Munro, of the Baptist Church, in a capital speech gave the key-note, and it was easy for your agent to follow up with an account of the doings of your Society. The audience was deeply interested. The indefatigable secretary, Mr. Stratton, read a very good report. Though old in the service his zeal has not abated, and you may always depend upon him as the staunch supporter of the Bible Society.

Whitby.—This Branch is in good working order. The old and staunch Secretary is unflagging in his labours. Allow me in closing to assure the Society that it has many warm friends throughout the country who are always pleased to see your agents and extend to them a cordial welcome, and are ever ready to co-operate with them in the noble endeavour of giving a copy of the Word of God to every family on the face of the earth.

Rev. O. FORTIN (the Society's Agent in Manitoba).—The annual meeting of the Society in Emerson was held last week. I found that nothing had been done during the year But there is better hope for this season. All the clergymen of the town were present and promised to preach special sermons on the following Sunday, commending the Society to the liberality of their people, after which two ladies have promised to take up subscriptions. At the meeting a gentleman gave a check for \$10, an act which seemed to stimulate the hope and courage of the collectors. I have just returned from Brandon and Portage la Prairie, having gone there last week in the interests of the Bible Society. On Monday evening, the 7th, we had a meeting at Brandon which was fairly attended. Unfortunately the President of that Branch is at present in the South. I was not aware of the fact otherwise I would have written to some one else to arrange for a meeting; as it was, the notice was rather short; but in spite of this contretemps we had a pleasant, enthusiastic and, I hope, profitable meeting. At the close a collection of \$46 30 was taken up, which will be considerably increased when the lady collectors go on their rounds.

At the Portage our meeting was not as well attended as I could have wished. However, I am glad to be able to say that I was quite cheered by the manifestation of much zeal and enthusiasm. We collected \$29 at the meeting, and several ladies are ready to enter upon the work which they did so well last winter. The Depository here is very well kept and has a fine stock on hand; a good many sales are effected. As soon as their winter collections are made they will send you an account of them, remitting you at the same time whatever moneys have been received from

the sale of books. Everywhere there is a feeling of gratitude towards your noble Society for the many kindnesses which it has shown to this Province in the past, and as we become more able there will, I am sure, be some substantial return made. Perhaps it is well that I should mention the fact that we are suffering considerably through the commercial depression which is so general. We suffer all the more in this Province because a considerable portion of the wheat was injured. . . . This may perhaps affect our returns to some extent, but I hope not materially. I mention it only that you may not think that the falling off, if there be any, is owing to indifference.

After conferring with the clergy of Rapid City and Minnedosa, I have thought it better to put off establishing Branches in these two places until there is a revival of prosperity in the country and a consequent growth in their population.

I think I may say that the Society has taken root in this country and that it has a good future before it. God grant that this young Province may be founded upon the Bible; that its people may be a Bible-reading and a Bible-loving people.

Rev. R. D. FRASER.—I have to report that I took advantage of the October moonlight to visit the district assigned me. The weather was most favourable with the exception of two evenings, the arrangements by officers of the Branches were in every case satisfactory, and the attendance at most of the meetings was encouraging; there was not a single failure; while the hearty assistance of brother ministers and friends of various denominations made my work comparatively light. In no case had the subscriptions been collected in advance of my visit; but arrangements were made at the various meetings for a complete canvass of the whole field, and it is hoped that notwithstanding the very serious shortage in the harvest throughout this district, the contributions will show an advance on previous years.

Pine River.—The meeting was small; but larger than in preceding years, and full of interest. This Branch, while working a very limited territory, has done well in the past. A larger staff of Collectors was appointed, that the whole unoccupied space may be traversed. The Depository, which has been closed for three years is to be reopened.

Underwood.—Always to be depended on for a good subscription list did not come up to its usual standard as to attendance, but the business was transacted in good style and a reliable staff of collectors appointed. Addresses of the President, Rev. G. McLennan, both at the beginning and at the close of the meeting, were most effective.

Rev. J. GEMLEY.—The Branches visited were the same as those apportioned to me last year with the addition of a few to which the agent had not gone on the former and some previous years. I find in nearly every case unabated interest and improvement in the Branches.

Fonthill.—A wonderful improvement here. A bright and cheery meeting in the Baptist Church. Collection though not large was given cheerfully; and collectors were appointed. . . . All the ministers of the village aided at the meeting. There was one very interesting incident. The aged and venerable Rev. W. Hancock, Presbyterian minister of North Pelham, who gave us a very nice address, made the statement that he had been personally acquainted with the late Rev. Thos. Hughes, one of the founders of the Parent Society. Thus the present is linked with the past.

North Pelham.—This Branch is always active. It has an admirable Secretary and will remit in due time.

Drummondville.—Meeting in Town Hall. This Branch is well officered and well sustained. The subscriptions have been remitted ere this, and are in advance. Felt I never was more cordially received at any visitation on any occasion.

Dunnville.—This is a good Branch and very methodically managed.

South Cayuga.—This Branch I repeat is a model Branch.

Nanticoke.—This Branch is well managed, and when remittances, in addition to those I have forwarded, are received by you, the contributions will be more than last year. The annual meeting was held in the English church, and was the largest for many years. . . . I may add in conclusion, that in all my visits I met with nothing but kindness, although most of my journeying had to be done by rail, and in every case where other modes of travelling were required, prompt and cheerful help was offered me.

Rev. D. GORDON.—*Princeton.*—This Branch is in good working order. We had a very good meeting in the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Little and Mr. Beattie gave valuable help by practical addresses.

Washington.—The meeting here, was one of the the best I had. All the office-bearers were present, and all whole-souled in the work. There was hearty enthusiasm in the meeting. The President volunteered to double his subscription, and another, and another followed his example.

Plattsville.—The meeting was held in the German Church. Besides the Pastor of the Church the Baptist and Methodist ministers took part. The meeting was very good. The people seemed heartily interested. . . . On the whole, I may say the pleasure I had in the last six places visited, compensated me for the disappointments in the first four, and I do acknowledge that the more careful research and deeper thought on the subject of Bible circulation necessitated in preparing for this work has been to myself a benefit and a blessing.

Rev. JOHN GRAY.—*West Lorne.*—This Society is in a good condition. The President, the Rev. Dr. Schulte, is worthy of all praise for his earnestness and ability in the cause. The attendance was good, although the intense rain of the previous day had made the roads very bad. Along with the President, Dr. Schulte, Rev. C. C. Cousins of the C. M. Church gave aid and encouragement by his presence. The Depository is carefully and well kept, and is doing good work.

Orford.—Notwithstanding that Monday evening proved most unfavourable the attendance was unusually good. This Branch continues to attend to all matters of interest with the utmost care, and is in a good healthy condition.

Fingal.—There is nothing new in the condition of this excellent Branch. The officers and ministers continue alive to its interests. The attendance in the Presbyterian Church was good. All matters pertaining to the prosperity of the Branch are carefully looked after.

Lambeth.—This little Branch showed to unusual advantage in the M. E. Church this evening. The attendance was very good. The officers had favourable reports to give of the past year's work. The pastors of the C.M., and Bible Christian Churches were present and showed the liveliest interest in the work of the Branch.

Westminster.—This Branch continues on in its old way. It may well do so for I know no better way. The Annual Meeting was highly creditable to them.

In submitting this report your Agent has great pleasure in testifying to the kindly manner in which he has been everywhere received, and the general interest which obtains throughout this section in the work in which your Society is engaged. Upon the whole the meetings were better attended than during the previous year and I fondly predict that the result will be considerably increased subscriptions.

Rev. Dr. HODGKIN.—*Tweed.*— . . . Rev. Mr. Kelso, as on my former visit, very kindly conveyed me to Tweed where I found, what I fully expected, a hearty welcome at the house of that earnest living brother, Rev. J. Savage C. M. minister where I had a pleasant home during my short stay. A capital meeting. That staunch friend of the Society Mr. Newton was present and told me to inform the Secretary at Toronto that they might look to him for fifty dollars towards the Bible Society House. Dr. Tuttle was absent but everything at the Depository was found to be highly satisfactory. Books to the front. Sales good. Accounts straight. Cash in hand.

Melrose.—As my last year's report states, I had great difficulty with this formerly interesting Branch. I was not overjoyed to find that the Secretary of the U. C. B. S., set me at it again. I had this year a great deal of trouble and disappointment which I need not detail, but through the kind offices of Rev. Mr. Kelso, I was encouraged to proceed. So I started in faith and reached Shannonville Station where I saw one person on the platform, and he I felt confident had come to meet me. I was not mistaken, he kindly took me to his house. I found that the good people of Melrose were glad to hear of Bible Society work again and that it was not their fault that there had been a break in their efforts. Had a very good meeting considering the shortness of the notice. Reorganized, and expect a good account of them. A very pleasant time was spent in the neighbourhood, and the next day, Mr. Anderson to whom I was indebted for conveyance and hospitality took me to Deseronto. I left Melrose not without a desire that business or pleasure might take me there again, and felt that the Permanent Secretary was quite right in being unwilling to give it up.

Trenton.—One minister who professed warm friendship for the Society thought that travelling agents were useless, and proposed to work up out posts in order that the whole ground might be occupied. The President, W. H. Austin, Esq., who is really a staunch, judicious and hard working friend, while doubting the doing without agency, expressed his readiness to co-operate in any work of extension. Whether these proposed plans will be carried into effect or not I expect well from Trenton. . . . I cannot adequately express my deep sense of the kindness of Mr. Austin, the President, not merely for personal attentions and the hospitality of his home, enhanced by the hearty welcome of Mrs. Austin and the family, but for the very deep interest that he takes in the work of the Society and the constant readiness to afford judicious counsel and personal effort.

Belleville.—The following day, I was at Belleville. At Trenton a kind telegram had been received from Mr. Sheriff Hope, the President of the Society, inviting me to his house during my stay. It would have afforded me much pleasure to have accepted his kindness, the more so as nearly forty years before I had been on the Bible Society platform at Belleville with him, but my young brother, the Rev. E. W. Sibbald, of Christ Church, had previously put in a loving claim for my companionship which I had acknowledged. This however did not prevent my spending a pleasant time at the Sheriff's tea-table before the meeting. I can truly say that whether the meeting was a success or no everything had been done by the friends of

the Society to make it successful. It was held in the City Hall, and the ministers of the city certainly did their part on the platform, as they had done by their previous announcements to have an effort worthy of the object and of the city. This was the only meeting in my tour at which I had the help of a Church of England minister, and I certainly did have it here. I cannot but hope that Belleville will appear better in the list than it has of late. In justice to it it should be stated that the returns made to the U. C. B. S. by this Branch do not fully represent its work, as there are local institutions such as the Deaf and Dumb Asylum, the Marchmont Home and others which receive needed supplies.

—The undenominational character of the work while in one sense its glory is in another its hindrance. No one cares for it as he would for something belonging to "My Church." Ministers let very trivial things prevent attendance as I have sadly seen, and the annual meeting of the Branch Bible Society of a place, instead of being, as in one sense it should be, the religious event of the year, is often the very reverse. True catholicity might be shewn in a general rally, in the real oneness exhibited in the high estimate that is cherished of the written word; but alas "it is not my Zion" and therefore I need not attend.

Rev. S. KAPPELE.—*Mildmay*.—Saturday morning, October the 20th., I made my way partly on foot the seven miles to Walkerton in order to take the train to Mildmay, but owing to wrong information arrived too late and had to wait seven hours for the next train. I arrived at Mildmay in the evening, found a welcome home at the house of the Rev. Mr. Herlon, the Evangelical minister. Found everything arranged for the Sabbath. Preached in the morning at the Methodist, in the afternoon at the Presbyterian Church and in the evening at the Evangelical (German) Church. Monday was occupied in making arrangements for the evening meeting, choosing officers, collectors &c., in which I was assisted by the ministers who resided in the place and by some of the friends whom we asked for advice. With this forethought and pre-arrangement we found no difficulty, after an address by your agent, to form a Branch, and in a most satisfactory way completed all arrangements. This seems to promise a very good and solid Branch.

Winterbourne.—Had a well attended spirited meeting. This Branch has a backbone. It is a pleasure to meet with the people. Mr. Durrant, the faithful untiring secretary, along with the other officers are true and earnest friends of the cause.

Bloomingdale.—Friday found us once more with our friends here, where we had the most interesting and cheering gathering since the Branch was formed. I have seldom seen such interest taken in the arrangements for the work. Several of the men present spoke after the agent's address. All spoke highly of the Society. It did my heart good to listen to these laymen. In the absence of ministers, I found them a great help to me.

Rev. J. LEAROYD.—*Warkworth*.—I made arrangements to hold the annual meeting at this place on Saturday night the 19th inst. Most of the ministers of the place were present. On Sabbath I preached three times at Warkworth and neighborhood, and took up a collection each time on behalf of the Society. On Monday I drove through mountains of snow twenty miles to Harwood where the meeting was appointed. I saw Mr. Ross, the President, in the afternoon, who lives about two miles away, and he said that with the state of the roads there would be no meeting and thought it no use my going. I went and found a fair audience with a number of ministers, some who came ten miles through a blinding storm.

.—I have visited each of the appointments given to me and, with the exception of my last visit, enjoyed the work. I found a greater interest in the Society's work than I did some years ago.

Rev. R. McCOSH.—*Blyth*.—Preached in the Episcopal Church on Sunday Nov. 11th. Meeting held in the same church on following evening. The night was terribly cold and stormy; notwithstanding, there were 115 present. Rev. Messrs. McLean, Fisher and Parke addressed the meeting. The collection amounted to \$7,10. Blyth Branch is ably managed.

Bayfield.—Splendid meeting and yet the rain was coming down freely. It was the largest ever had in this Branch. Over 130 present.

Brucefield.—Meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church. The night was very dark and stormy and the roads bad, consequently there were not over sixty present. Rev. Messrs. Ross, Thompson and Taylor made brief addresses. Our old friend and able Secretary, George Walker, Esq., presented his ably prepared report. He is a model officer, and I heartily wish there were more like him. Collection \$5.32.

Seaforth.—Grand meeting—over 300 present. Rev. Mr. McDonald, the President, said it reminded him of the good old time when Bible Society meetings were packed. After assembling, we heard that the Hon Edward Blake had missed his train, and would have to remain in Seaforth until the morning. The Rev. Mr. McDonald and the Rev. Mr. Edmund went and invited the Hon. gentleman to the meeting. He came and spoke briefly. All the resident clergymen were present. The collection amounted to \$15.32.

Clinton.—Meeting should have been held on November 15th, but the night was terribly wild and stormy. The officers assembled, and thought it advisable to postpone until December 3rd. On that night the meeting was held in the Baptist Church, which was packed to the doors. It was the largest Bible Society meeting ever held in Clinton. This Branch has a splendid staff of officers, and their hearts are in the work. Collection \$13.29.

REV. J. G. MANLY.—My work for the Bible Society has never afforded me so much satisfaction and pleasure, since its beginning in 1870, as in the past year. Just one week's indisposition, at the outset of eight months' continuous labour, seemed to admonish me of dependence on Him in whose hands are my times and ways; and thenceforward to the end, my strength has been as my day. The winter seemed the severest I have known in the thirty-three years of my Canadian life, and must often have lessened our gatherings; but, on the whole, there have been increased attendance, deeper interest, heartier coöperation, and more liberal response in a year of diminished harvest. With exceptions so few as to prove the rule, the ministry of the Churches has come to the recognition and help of the Society, and the people have been like their leaders. The more the Divine book has been slighted and assailed in some quarters, by false friends or open foes, the more determinedly have believers evinced their love of the Word and their desire to circulate it. Substantially, the Bible is already translated for the world, and has so touched every region as to gather its universal first fruits. It so widely and signally spreads and prevails, in salvation and consequent civilization, as to abase man's boasted strength and wisdom. Nowhere more truly than here, in this new world and this new dominion, is the revelation and record of God's love to man accepted in thankful faith, and disseminated with unselfish zeal. To our motley population, it speaks in many tongues; and throughout our extended spaces, it wins its widening way by the multiplied Branches, depositories and agencies of the time-honoured Upper Canada Bible Society.

The meetings at *Parry Sound* and *Bracebridge*, last August, were largely in advance of any previous year. Both Branches are important centres for Bible distribution. The Union Sunday-school at *Auham's Harbour* was gratuitously supplied by the former with the Scriptures, and the latter included a donation of twenty dollars for *Muskoka*. There were three Sunday sermons and collections in September, in the *Winona* region. *Grimby* Branch well occupies its limited field. The meeting at *Mono Mills* in October was the best ever held there, and was attended by all the ministers. *Scarborough* is a model country Branch, that thoroughly canvasses its field, according to the school sections, and gave the year before nearly two hundred dollars. *Markham* arranged for canvassing the surrounding country, as well as the village—a very important matter, too often neglected. *Sandford*, *Mount Albert* and *Sutton* are on the advance; and *Uxbridge* is no less efficient than before. A good meeting at *Beaverton* was sadly followed by the sudden sickness and speedy death of one of its best members. *Stouffville* has advanced from thirty dollars to nearly eighty. *Bradford* evinces vigour. At *Ivy* the President and Secretary undertook to collect, and at *Thornton* the President spoke warm and weighty words for the good cause. *Cookstown* is now doing well. *West Essa* requests Sunday services next year. Collections at *Lloydton* doubled, and to be still further increased by extended canvass. *Lynedoch* does well. At the *Port Dover* meeting, friends from the country requested Branch meetings to afford information and secure extended help. *Laskay* is good and satisfactory as usual; three Sunday services were held for the South Etobicoke Branch. *Norwich* meant work. Sunday services were held at *Newark* and *Otterville*. The previous income of *Simcoe* is nearly doubled. *Rockwood* and *Everton* was expected to reach a hundred dollars. *Georgetown* attendance was doubled in the town-hall. *Acton* excellent. The *Milton* income has somewhat suffered by the failure of two collectors. Revisited *Temperanceville* (to give Sunday services) and *Sunderland*. *Beverley* and *Oneida* deserve to be classed with *Scarborough* as very efficient rural Branches. *Binbrook* is in advance. Good meetings in inclement weather were held at *Caledonia* and *York*. Mr. James Kippen of the latter place has lately bequeathed five hundred dollars to the U. C. Bible Society, and the same to the British and Foreign. Good and well-attended meeting at *Port Elgin*. *Burgoyne* asks for Sunday services next year. *Warton* is doing well. Excellent meeting at *Durham* with several ministers. Large meetings at *Drayton*, and good at *Glenallan* and *Hollin*. Sunday services at *Rothsay*. Capital meeting at *Palmerston* in the town hall aided by five choirs and four ministers. *Thornhill* does well. Sunday services and collections at *Copetown* and *Zion*, followed by the anniversary of *West Flamboro'*.

The many other Branches in my visitations must this year be omitted for want of space; they will all appear, if daily reported, in the financial lists. I feel thankful for the completion of last year's work, for so much pleasant service, for so many good meetings, for the sympathy and help of so many kind Christian friends of the various churches, and for the country's deepening interest in the Society's noble work. The seed of the Kingdom cannot perish, and its fruit is life everlasting.

REV. J. H. MOORHOUSE.—*Harriston*.—Leaving home on the morning of Tuesday, January 7th, I reached here in time for the meeting. Doubtless partly owing to the stormy weather the attendance was not large, but a lively interest was manifested in the work of the Bible Society, your agent's address being received kindly and with marked attention. Three of the resident ministers were present. At the close a resolution was passed by which

the Branch pledged itself to renewed and earnest efforts on behalf of the Bible Society. Next day your agent, after inspecting the Depository, called on three of the collectors, all within reach.

Clifford.—Thursday afternoon I arrived here on time to visit the school and give notice of the meeting in addition to the notices already given. The Depository is well supplied with books, and is kept in a prominent position. Our meeting, which was pretty well attended, was regarded as one of the most successful. This Branch is in a healthy condition, the officers are efficient, and the people are interested in the work of the Bible Society. On Friday I called on four of the collectors, who expressed a willingness to give their help.

Lakelet and McIntosh.— . . . After the meeting was over, I had an opportunity of speaking to two or three of the collectors. Too much cannot be said in praise of the zeal of the President here, Mr. William Harkness, who for some thirty years has steadily assisted in the work of the Society. Without efficient officers the agent can accomplish but little.

Next day, Saturday, I made my way to Lakelet and spent some time in examining the stock of the Depository.

Teeswater.—This was the last meeting of my trip. I arrived here in the afternoon of Friday, January 18th, and spent a portion of the time in calling on the collectors within reach. After the encomium passed upon this Branch by your agent last year, it would be superfluous to say more in this respect, than that the praise was fully deserved. May the people of Teeswater and surrounding country ever retain their interest in Bible Society work, and long continue to set an example that some other places would do well to imitate. The Secretary, Mr. J. K. McLean, spoke of resigning, but was prevailed upon not to do so. It is to be hoped that he will be able to act as Secretary for many years, for he fills the position most efficiently.

Thus closed a trip, which though at times arduous was on the whole very pleasant. I was received with great kindness, and were it not that my report is perhaps already too long, it would be a pleasure to mention the names of those who showed me so much hospitality. Where practicable, I called upon the collectors and spoke an encouraging word. With few exceptions I found the price of the books at the Depositories correctly marked.

Rev. J. L. MURRAY.—The fact that the Permanent agent had visited these Branches only six months ago was inimical to my success, as many would not be easily convinced that two meetings were not thus held in one Society year.

Innerkip.—The President, Mr. McBeath, is a veteran Bible Society worker, and the efficiency of the Branch is due largely to his untiring efforts. When the collectors were appointed he agreed to call on each of them personally and secure promptness of action. The Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. James Hill, is an exact business man, and attends to the duties of his office in an admirable manner. Collection \$4.93—Innerkip is sure to do well this year.

Embro.—Came next in order. This Branch generally conducts its business without the help of an agent; but, when the officers discovered that one born and brought up among themselves was the agent appointed to visit them, they considered it unhandsome to decline his services. I was warmly invited to appear on the scene and warmly welcomed on appearing. The meeting was held in the Congregational Church and was one of the largest and most enthusiastic I have ever attended; no meeting can be dull under the management of such men as Squire Matheson and Captain Gordon. This meeting was a decided success, all the clergymen of the place were present.

A speech was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Scratch, who made his mark as usual. The absence of your gentlemanly Secretary, Reeve Murray, on account of severe sickness, was regretted by us all. The Depository is always well managed in the hands of Mr. Mann. Collection \$7.62. Unless good intentions vanish "like the morning cloud and the early dew", the contributions of this Branch will be double or treble those of last year. Embro is decidedly the banner Branch in my district.

In my short tour I found much to please and much to deplore; a few in every Branch are interested in the circulation of the word of God. The uniform courtesy and hospitality extended to myself as agent was also very gratifying, but I was more anxious to have generosity expended on Bible circulation than on myself. The percentage of the professedly Christian public deeply interested in Bible society operations is very small indeed. When a professing Christian in good circumstances will deliberately break a dollar bill into small change that he may give a part of it, and not the whole, as his yearly contribution to put the Bible into the hands of perishing millions, it is evident that something must be wrong. The head or heart must be astray. The most powerful agency employed at the present time in evangelizing the world is the Bible Society. Not only are its operations on a larger scale, and its catholicity more marked than those of any other society, but its machinery has less waste and more efficiency and directness than that of any other. Apart from the five hundred Colporteurs employed directly by the British and Foreign Bible Society alone in the various countries of the world, preaching the gospel through the eye (while the ordinary missionary preaches through the ear); all missionaries of all churches have to depend on Bible Societies for furnishing the sword of the Spirit—the word of God translated into the languages of the various heathen countries in which they operate. How any Christian can fail to feel the force of these facts, and can contribute meanly to such a society, is beyond my comprehension. Could we only get crowded audiences to address, that the Christian public as a whole should have an intelligent idea of the workings and wants of the society, our income would double in a single year. But how can the public be reached? That is the problem to be solved. The pulpits must take the matter up and take advantage of Sabbath-day congregations for enlightenment on this whole subject. May the God of the Bible touch Christian hearts and open Christian purses, that every man of every tongue and clime may soon be in possession of the Bible.

Rev. Dr. O'MEARA.—*Bowmanville*.—Arrived by the afternoon train, went to the house of the Rev. Mr. Little, of the Presbyterian Church. The public meeting was held in the body of the church where a good, though not very large number had assembled to hear from the speakers on the occasion details of the society's operations and successes during the past year. Preliminary addresses were delivered by the Rev. Mr. Young, of the Canada Methodist Church, who gave some interesting details of what the Bible had done for the Cree Indians, among whom he had laboured for a considerable portion of his ministerial life, and by the Rev. Mr. Harris, of the Bible Christian Church. I endeavoured to draw the attention of the audience, which was said to be better than on former occasions, to the different departments of the work done by the Bible Society throughout the world, illustrating each point that I endeavoured to make by facts and anecdotes taken chiefly from the Society's report for the past year.

Garden Hill.—The meeting at this place was held in the Episcopal Methodist Church and the night being fine and moonlit, the congregation was pretty good. The wonderful success of this Branch which when I visited is

three years ago, I found in an almost moribund state, though then only in its infancy, is in a great measure due to the faithful and energetic labours of the President, Mr. Jas. Gray. I am quite safe in saying that if all the officials of the several Branches of the Society throughout the country were to work as faithfully and as energetically as Mr. Gray, the increase in the funds of the Society would amount to many thousands of dollars. I am happy to say that though he wished to decline reappointment, he was again made President this year by a unanimous vote of the meeting. . . . I was here entertained by the Rev. Mr. Chaffee, of the Church of England, who accompanied me to the meeting. The Rev. Mr. Taylor, of the Episcopal Methodist Church, moved one of the resolutions in a neat and forcible speech, endorsing the work of the Society, which I followed up by entering into details and giving facts connected with that work for the past year.

Tyrone.—I found this Branch in rather a disorganized state, there being neither President nor Secretary. Notwithstanding, preparations had been made for a large and enthusiastic meeting, chiefly I believe through the exertions of Mr. Hancock, the Vice President, and I am bound to say that though the largeness of the meeting was much curtailed by the unpropitious character of the weather, the enthusiasm of those who did attend in spite of the storm was in no wise damped by the wetness of the night, which was shewn by the largeness of the collection taken up after my address, amounting to \$6.84.

Cartwright.—It proved in every sense a very encouraging meeting, the largest it was said that has been for some years. Addresses pertinent to the object of the meeting were ably given by Rev. Messrs Creighton and Clewer, the latter of the Canada Methodist Church. I addressed the meeting at considerable length, giving facts and figures illustrative of the noble work that is being done throughout the world by the British and Foreign Bible Society, of which the Upper Canada Bible Society is but the hand-maid. . . . I would in conclusion state for the information of your Committee, that I have found very much pleasure and I trust profit to my own soul from the intercourse that I have had with brethren in the Lord of all denominations during my attendance on those meetings, and by that intercourse my conviction is strengthened and intensified that not among the least of the many benefits conferred by the Bible Society on the Church of Christ, is the evidence thus afforded that the prayer of the Saviour is answered, and that His people are everywhere joined together in the unity of the Spirit, in the bond of peace and in righteousness of life.

Rev. W. R. PARKER.—The visit of the several Branches entrusted to me by your Society this year afforded satisfactory evidence of an intelligent and hearty attachment to the Bible, and a practical sympathy with your efforts to secure its world wide distribution. The attendance generally was more than average. . . . The ministers of the several sections visited lent their valuable aid in advertising the anniversaries and contributed to their success by their presence, in most cases, and by short addresses. . . . The project to erect a new and imposing structure as your Bible House in Toronto is generally endorsed, though the failure of the crops last year may prevent many heavy subscriptions from the western section of Ontario.

Rev. J. V. SMITH.—*East Williams.*—Too much cannot easily be said in commendation concerning the way this noble Branch takes hold of Bible Society work. It is most perfectly organized and consequently a most successful Branch. Its officers are all thoroughly in sympathy with the cause they represent, making all their arrangements for the material welfare of the So-

ciety with the utmost deliberation and care. We are happy to report the continued prosperity of this encouraging field, and expect the returns this year will still be in advance of previous years.

The Rev. J. Turner, of Ailsa Craig was present at the meeting, and did the Society good service by giving an excellent address.

Theford.—This Branch still continues in excellent working order. It has a vigorous staff of officers, business men, and men who mean business. We had a fine meeting addressed by the Rev. Mr. Curry, Presbyterian, and the agent.

Corunna.—Had an excellent meeting here, Mr. Henry J. Miller, the venerable Treasurer and Depositary, has held these offices for thirty-one years, ever since this Branch has been established, and he is today as enthusiastic in the work as when its operations first began. Such men are worthy of honourable mention in the annals of this glorious cause.

Sombra.—This Branch seems fully resolved to redeem the time by giving a good account of itself during the present year. There is the material for making a first class Branch in this locality.

Sarnia.—I remained in this town over the Sabbath, preached in the Presbyterian church in the morning and the Methodist Church in the evening to large congregations in both churches. On Monday evening we had a spirited meeting in the Baptist Church. The church was packed full with a thoroughly representative gathering of all the denominations. On the platform were the Rev. Messrs. Davis, Episcopalian; Thompson, Presbyterian; McDonagh, Methodist; Johnston, Baptist; Claris, Congregationalist; and in the audience, Rev. A. Bowers, Point Edward, Methodist. It was a grand sight to see churches and pastors uniting together to help on this glorious cause. The meeting was very enthusiastic, the Rev. Messrs. Thompson and Davis both giving excellent addresses. Sarnia will no doubt pull up considerably in advance of last year.

Camlachie.—This is a small village but it has a fine healthy Branch of the Bible Society. We had a large meeting in the Presbyterian Church—the Reverend Jasper Wilson, President, in the chair. This Branch worked up a large section of the country all around, as may be gathered from the fact that no less than twenty-two young ladies were appointed to canvass the several concessions and side lines for miles around, and like the seventy of old went, when sent out, “two and two.”

. . . . At all the meetings this year I have confined myself to the presentation of solid facts bearing upon the operations of the Society, and at every meeting held, I have reason to believe that the facts have told and will tell for the good of the cause. With but one or two exceptions, the meetings have been both larger and better than the year before.

Rev. S. L. UMBACH.—*Zurich*—I attended a spirited prayer meeting in the evening. On the 16th, I made calls inviting the people to the meeting and the result was that we had a good meeting in the Evangelical Church. The President, Rev. H. Dierlam, has his heart in the work. The meeting was conducted in the German language by Rev. R. S. Knetchel of the Evangelical Association. The pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church was also present. The Depository is well kept by Mr. Faust, and the books are in first-class order.

Elimville.—The Rev. Mr. Smith took me to the place where the meeting was to be held on the Thames road. Here I was the guest of the Rev. C. Fletcher. The meeting was appointed in the Presbyterian Church. The

rain poured down in torrents so that I expected no one out, but to my surprise there were between thirty-five and forty persons present, some of whom came two miles and over. We had a nice little meeting. In the absence of the President an aged gentleman, the Rev. Mr. Fletcher, pastor of the church, occupied the chair, and I think good was done. The Secretary, who lives two and a half miles from the place of the meeting was present and deserves credit for his energy and the good work which he does for the Master's cause in the neighbourhood. A cause is safe in the hands of such men. The next day I visited the President, Mr. T. Werry, in company of Rev. Mr. Fletcher, and found him to be an active Christian gentleman deeply interested in the Bible work. Elimville Branch will live. The Depository is in a good condition. The stock is rather small but well selected.

EXTRACTS FROM COLPORTEURS' REPORTS.

J. E. TAYLOR.—May.—I have again entered upon a summer's work in Algoma. My first visit was to Prince Arthur's Landing in Thunder Bay, inhabited by about 200 families—going from house to house I found the people in need of God's word. There is quite a number of Roman Catholics, to whom I sold some Testaments. I then wended my way to Fort William and visited some families on the road. The Fort is about seven miles distant from the Landing; about twenty families are settled here. I sold a good number of Testaments, and found the people very well to do and able to pay for a Bible. My next place was in the township of Oliver; this is the only settled township in this part of Thunder Bay district; it contains about thirty-five families, pretty well scattered, so that I had to travel a long way to reach them; the people are very poor. They had no church and very few religious services. I held two services on the Lord's Day, and we had some prayer meetings from house to house, so that I had a pleasant time and plenty of hard work this month. Total distribution for the month of May 256 copies of God's Word up here among the rocks. I am going down the North Shore of the Lake, to try and find some of the families which are scattered along, but a very long way from each other.

June.—Having completed my work in Oliver township, I left the Thunder Bay district, and went along the north shore of Lake Superior, but did not find many people, only some half-breeds, who are under the control of the priest. I met a priest on Lake Nepigon, who said that he had charge of the people in that reserve, and that if I went among his people with my Bibles he would burn them. I must say this was the most daring priest I have ever met with. I believe that this very priest could have burned me as well as the Bible. The priests are very bold up this way and have great power over the people, but notwithstanding the priest I persevered until I found others who gladly received the Word of God and were very thankful for it in such cheap form. I next went to the North Shore of Algoma, where I found a number of people in want of God's Word, and after leaving the priest I got among black flies, which gave me no rest day or night. The flies are very

bad this summer. I next crossed over to St. Joseph's Island, and went on the top of the mountain and found some people there whom I did not reach last summer. I have sold during the month 319 copies of God's Word.

July.—Having finished round Thunder Bay, my next move was down below Sault Ste. Marie in Tarbutt and Macdonald townships, but I accomplished very little in this field owing to the excessive rain during the spring and early summer, flooding the paths and swelling the swamps. There are not many people in this settlement and they are very much scattered. I afterward proceeded to Rock Lake, where there is a number of people scattered throughout, but not short of God's Word. I then crossed over to St. Joseph's Island to take up the work I left off last summer; I had to climb the mountain, which was a very long one. I found a number of people on the top of this mountain who were very thankful for my visit to them. My next stopping place was on the north side of Manitoulin Island. There are some families settled along this part of the island who were very short of money; they managed, however, to get enough together to buy Bibles and Testaments for their children. I have spent a very pleasant time this summer, and I am thankful to kind Providence that I should have been the means of putting the Word of Life into the hands of so many people. During that time I have sold 700 copies of the Scriptures—the heaviest sales I have made. I did but little this month owing to indisposition through exposure to the continued wet weather and to the roughness of the roads. My legs pained me very much; I hope, however, to be all right again after some rest.

September.— . . . My next fair was at Guelph, where I called on Mr. McCrae, Secretary of the Branch, who gave me a letter to the secretary of the fair ground, asking for room in the building, which he very kindly gave me to the full extent of my requirements. What made this fair so interesting was the great sale of God's Word. My sales were very large, and numbers expressed their pleasure at seeing our noble Bible Society represented at our large fairs. When I gave them the pamphlet containing the 215 different languages they were quite surprised, it seemed to give them renewed interest in our work. I trust that they went home impressed with the necessity and desire of helping the cause.

October.—My first fair this month was at Tilsonburg, where I called on the Secretary, Mr. Garnett, and stated our object in visiting fairs. He was very kind and obtained for me all the space required for my Bible stand. I found the people very much interested in the languages in which the Bible was printed opened out for their inspection. This is a new way of drawing public attention. *Drumbo.*—Being next in order, I called on the Secretary preferring my usual request, and was referred by him to the President, Mr. Passmore, who had undertaken to make all the necessary arrangements. Many thanks to this good brother for his kindness. He not only got me room but brought the people to see my display of Bibles after they were laid out. I was also visited by the Hon. O. Mowat, who seemed to take a deep interest in my work. I gave him one of your pamphlets containing the 215 languages. I trust that this will bear our Society good fruit during the year. This has been a very interesting fair. Many said that they never saw so many languages, and when I told them that the Bible is printed in 250 languages, they were amazed at the work the Bible Society is doing, never having heard of it before. I hope that this will also bear fruit in years to come. *Brantford.*—Here I called on good brother Shenston, who at once gave me a line to the owners of the fair-ground, believing, as he did, that it would be a good opportunity to bring our Society to the notice of the people. I accordingly took the note to the secretary on the fair grounds, who gave me all the space

I wanted for my Bible stand. A great many people made their way in my direction, and were glad to see the Bible Society represented at our fairs. We have a great many friends in this part of Canada. Many thanks to the good brother Shenston for his kindness to me, and who, in addition, gave me a home all the time I was in Brantford. *Parkhill*.—I called on the President of this Branch as the Secretary has left the place. Dr. Caw had not received Mr. Baldwin's letter about my coming, so that I had to explain to him my object in going there. He at once admitted that it was a good plan, and went with me to the fair ground, and gave me all the space I wanted for my Bible stand, and the timber necessary to erect it. I never saw the people take so much interest in the different languages as at this fair. I am sure it would have done the committee good to have seen the deep interest which the people took in our work at the Bible-stand. I gave away a good number of our hand-bills which give a short history of our Society. Many thanks to the President for his kindness.

JOHN JACKSON.—April.—*Township of Greenock*.—My work this month has been to a great extent amongst a Roman Catholic population, and I could not find any of them who read the Word of God. I am more and more convinced that Popery can only live where ignorance prevails. The priests know this and keep from them even their own version of the Scriptures. How wicked is that system that grows only in darkness. I have given a Bible to a woman whose husband is a Papist, tho' she is Protestant. I hope it will prove a light in a dark place.

August.—*Township of Dunmer*.—I left Toronto the last day in July and made my way to Peterboro', found the Secretary of the Branch, Mr. James Stratton, a warm friend of the Society, who gave me a kindly welcome. Made my way to Stony Lake settlement about two miles from Peterboro'. Having occasion to return to Peterboro', I met with another gentleman in the person of Mr. Brunnette, a kind and warm-hearted Christian. In the course of a conversation with a young woman, a Roman Catholic, she told me the priest would not allow them to buy our book, neither did he wish them to read their own Bibles, and that many of their people had not a Bible or Testament in the house. I gave two Testaments to two children where I thought they would do good. I have been able to distribute 230 copies this month. May the blessing of our Heavenly Father go with them.

October.—I have been very much among Roman Catholics this month. I have sold a Bible to a Roman Catholic woman, and also to a French Protestant and to a French Roman Catholic. It is very difficult to get them to buy.

March.—You will see that I have given a 60c Bible to a poor old man who had lost everything he had in a fire, and who is supported by the township. When I told him I would give him one from the Bible Society, he thanked me with tears running down his cheeks, and said, I am sure the Lord has done it.

H. D. CURRIE.—May.—I went to L'Amable and found no demand for either Bibles or Testaments so I returned down to Wollaston Mines, and found some demand for Bibles, &c., from the miners and railroad men in the vicinity. I have a notion to stop this month in Wollaston to finish the supply there, as there is quite a population moving and stationary, though the settlers are far apart, making it severe labour to carry books so many miles per day. I do not grudge my labour among so many different religions and classes of people; but I feel an earnest desire to see them all supplied with these valuable books, and I hope that God will encourage and bless to their use.

¶ June.—I have found the weather very stormy and not favourable to travelling on foot. However, with scarcely an exception, I tried humbly and perseveringly to do some work every day, as the report shows *seriatim*.

I found the mining camps most unpleasant and unprofitable to remain *in or near*, the open blasphemy and reckless disregard of the sacred names of God and Jesus were horrifying and astounding to me. I could not believe such language could be uttered by the lips of men, perhaps it may have partly been done to annoy or intimidate me, knowing my business to be disseminating the Holy Word of God, but my opinion is that it is the natural outflow of the evil life they lead as miners; may God have mercy on them who have no mercy on themselves in leading a life of reckless infidelity. Apart from the mining camp, my experience of the people in their humble homes has been civil and pleasing on the whole.

JAMES PATTERSON.—Province of Manitoba.—May the 23rd, in part a rainy day, we spent in preliminary arrangements with the Secretary consulting with friends of the Bible Society from the country, who happened to be in town attending church meetings on that day. . . . My Colportage work in Winnipeg has been, besides visiting immigrants, in visiting the numerous tents, shanties, and smaller houses, where the poorer classes most likely to need the Scriptures are supposed to live, and the columns on the other side of the report show each day's work. Those found without Bibles were mostly bachelors living in tents or shanties. One family could not read. Those without Bibles who could read, except two, were supplied either by sale or grant.

July.—As trains were not running to Gladstone and few men were at work on the roads, I returned to Winnipeg from the Portage on the 5th and resumed Colportage there. At the meeting of the committee on the 11th, I was directed to go west on the C. P. R. line, if necessary, to Calgary. I proceeded first to Moose Jaw, making note on the way of places at which to call on the way back. Having visited Moose Jaw and Swift Current, I reached Medicine Hat on the 21st. This place is 660 miles west of Winnipeg, but about 125 miles east of where the bulk of the C P R men are at work. After consulting with friends at Medicine Hat, I decided not to go further west. I had not been able to sell many copies to railway men at the places visited and the prospects were that I would not dispose of a great number at the end of the track. The friends at Medicine Hat considered it necessary, if I went further west, that I should have a tent and outfit, which I had not means to purchase, and convinced that expense of living west of Moose Jaw is in the meantime too great for Colportage, I decided to begin the journey homeward. My trunks, through no fault of mine, went astray on the railroad and thus part of the time at Regina was lost. I arrived here this morning and expect, after visiting in this place, to call at Broadview, Moosemin, Virden, &c., and then, unless otherwise ordered, I purpose getting tent and outfit I have at home, and spending some time among the railway men now at work west of Gladstone. I have this month travelled 1180 miles, made 738 visits, and sold 272 copies of the Scriptures.

RICHARD PYKE :—March '84, *Township of Woodhouse*.—The first month has been a peculiarly trying one for Colportage work—the continued rain and consequent deep mud making it almost impossible to carry on the work with success, which has in my case, at times, had a very depressing effect. But thank God it has not been all cloudy; the unfeigned pleasure manifested by some that they are thus supplied with copies of God's Word they can read is cheering amidst the gloom.

FRANK ASTON :—March '84, *Townships of Whitby and Pickering*.—I have kept regularly at work from day to day, as far as the weather and roads would allow. The former part of the month, however, was very bad in both respects in the townships in which I have been.

I am happy to say I am always gladly received, and many are pleased, because they have heard for the first time the *practical nature of the Bible Society*, and only yesterday a man told me that this was the first time he had had Bibles offered to him at such cheap prices.

COLPORTAGE FOR 1883-84.

NAME.	FIELD.	TIME.	SOLD.		GIVEN.	
			Bibles	Test's.	Bibles	Test's
J. E. Taylor.....	Whitchurch, Thunder Bay, Algoma, Georgian Bay, Agricultural fairs, Nich- lo, West Flamboro.....	9½ months.	1085	825	19	21
John Jackson.....	Greenock, Bruce, Saugeen, Dummer, Asphodel, Bel- mont, Percy, Cramahe.	11 “	749	626	8	4
James Patterson....	Manitoba.....	3½ “	589	432	2	5
H. D. Currie.....	Wollaston, Madoc, Raw- don, Osprey, Rodden, Culross, Greenock.....	7 “	388	182	12	27
Richard Pyke.....	Woodhouse.....	2 “	115	53	5	10
Frank Aston.....	Scarborough, Pickering, Whitby.....	2 “	104	56		
	Totals.....	35 months.	3030	2174	46	
Total Distribution in 1883-84.....						5318

OPERATIONS OF THE DEPOSITORY FOR THE YEAR ENDING
MARCH 31ST, 1884.

Issued to Branch Societies, to the trade, &c. :—Bibles, 11,644 ; Testaments, 7,891 ; Portions, 279—total, 19,814.

Issued by Colporteurs :—Bibles, 4,061 ; Testaments, 3,022—total, 7,083.

Cash sales from Depository :—Bibles, 1,010 ; Testaments, 1,157 ; Portions, 1,129—total, 3,296.

Gratuitous issues from Depository :—Bibles, 845 ; Testaments, 100 ; Portions, 133—total, 1,078.

Total issues for the year, 31,271.

Issues in Foreign Languages (included in above total) :—German, 571 ; Italian, 250 ; French, 184 ; Gaelic, 66 ; Hebrew, 62 ; Greek, 56 ; Latin, 29 ; Portuguese, 21 ; Norwegian, 17 ; Swedish, 13 ; Ojibway, 12 ; Spanish, 10 ; Cree, 5 ; Icelandic, 3 ; Chinese, 2 ; Polish, 2 ; Finnish, 1 ; Irish, 1 ; Syriac, 1 ; Urdu, 1 ; Welsh, 1—total, 1,308.

Increase of issues over those of previous year, 1,506.

Total issues of the Upper Canada Bible Society since its commencement, 1,240,141.

Stock on hand at beginning of year : 5,511 Bibles ; 6,502 Testaments ; 3,199 Portions—value, \$5,639.54.

Received during the year :—15,381 Bibles ; 9,325 Testaments ; 1,174 Portions—value, \$8,614.48.

Stock on hand at close of year :—3,816 Bibles ; 3,786 Testaments ; 2,881 Portions—value, \$4,079.22.

DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS.

Donald Fraser, Esq., Nairn	\$100 00
In Memory of a Beloved Brother... ..	100 00
Miss Helen Lesslie, Dundas	100 00
John W. Ball, Esq., Niagara	100 00
Robert Black, Esq., Brussels	50 00
Ferguson Whiteside, Esq., Little Britain	50 00
Bequest of the late James Michie, Esq., Toronto	1,000 00

1884.	Cr.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
March 31.	By B. & F. Bible Society, on Purchase Account....	12,261 10	
	“ Duties paid on Importations.....	539 65	
	“ Upper Canada Tract Society, for Goods.....	94 72	
	“ Sundry Accounts for Goods.....	241 74	
			13,137 21
	“ British and Foreign Bible Society, Free Contributions from Branches, &c., remitted.....	6,487 83	
	“ Quebec Auxiliary, Grant and Contributions from Branches.....	675 60	
	“ Montreal Auxiliary, Contributions from Branches.....	163 00	
	“ Winnipeg B. B. S., for Colportage.....	50 00	
			7,376 43
	“ Colporteurs' Salaries and Expenses.....		1,521 86
	“ Permanent Agent, Salary and Expenses.....	1,628 06	
	“ Provisional Agents, do do.....	1,833 00	
			3,461 06
	“ Recorder and Annual Report, Printing.....	806 00	
	“ do do Postage.....	108 55	
			914 55
	“ Secretary's Salary.....	800 00	
	“ Depository's Salary (B. S. proportion).....	750 00	
	“ Assistants' Salaries.....	997 50	
			2,547 50
	“ City Taxes.....	152 57	
	“ Miscellaneous Printing.....	187 50	
	“ Commission on City Subscriptions.....	100 85	
	“ Postage (Correspondence).....	95 00	
	“ Insurance.....	72 00	
	“ Anniversary Expenses (1883).....	129 85	
	“ Ground Rent of Premises (B. S. prop.).....	63 00	
	“ Fuel, \$30.00; Gas, \$12.80; Water, \$5.76.....	48 63	
	“ Packing Cases, Stationery, and Petty Expenses.....	191 90	
			1,041 30
	By Balance in Treasurer's hands to next year.....		1,236 50
			\$31,236 41

by the Depository) have been examined, compared with the vouchers, and lars Fifty Cents to the credit of the Society in the Treasurer's hands.

DAVID HIGGINS, }
 JOHN HARVIE, } Auditors.

36 INCOME AND ISSUES OF UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY
FROM ITS COMMENCEMENT.

YORK (AFTERWARDS CITY OF TORONTO) AUX. BIBLE SOCIETY.			
YEAR.	ENDING.	ISSUES.	INCOME.
		Volumes.	\$ cts.
1st	December 1st,] 1829	542	722 20
2nd	do 1830	1208	1130 91
3rd	do 1831	1682	1248 57
4th	do 1832	1527	817 22
5th	do 1833	1777	1358 35
6th	do 1834	960	1042 33
7th	do 1835	1429	1620 41
8th	do 1836	2577	1109 93
9th	do 1837	1845	1318 58
10th	April 30th, 1839*	2071	1837 07
11th	do 1840	2819	2055 33
UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.			
1st	April 30th, 1841	8721	3672 81
2nd	do 1842	12127	5657 03
3rd	March 31st, 1843†	11371	5273 37
4th	do 1844	11335	5340 45
5th	do 1845	13066	5538 93
6th	do 1846	11606	6075 91
7th	do 1847	13104	5840 05
8th	do 1848	12323	4870 78
9th	do 1849	13809	4875 82
10th	do 1850	13596	4808 56
11th	do 1851	16393	5596 01
12th	do 1852	13063	4717 88
13th	do 1853	18069	7947 40
14th	do 1854	21574	13286 07
15th	do 1855	28833	14275 20
16th	do 1856	32383	18710 12
17th	do 1857	32509	21790 10
18th	do 1858	24741	19040 86
19th	do 1859	19371	16211 54
20th	do 1860	27037	19256 56
21st	do 1861	29485	19776 33
22nd	do 1862	27267	20372 86
23rd	do 1863	27837	18067 94
24th	do 1864	26593	19766 08
25th	do 1865	35231	17554 21
26th	do 1866	49591	23290 50
27th	do 1867	46899	22644 54
28th	do 1868	42761	25947 42
29th	do 1869	38093	25746 87
30th	do 1870	36785	25105 35
31st	do 1871	40056	29533 96
32nd	do 1872	42794	33119 35
33rd	do 1873	40823	30646 93
34th	do 1874	42240	33069 55
35th	do 1875	35710	30084 95
36th	do 1876	37571	29510 97
37th	do 1877	38174	32043 61
38th	do 1878	38769	31335 77
39th	do 1879	33553	28613 97
40th	do 1880	31184	28085 83
41st	do 1881	32334	29173 06
42nd	do 1882	31187	28852 64
43rd	do 1883	29765	31546 48
44th	do 1884	31271	30632 70
Total to date		1,240,141	\$851,569 22

For convenience of comparison, the receipts are given in decimal currency from the beginning.
* A period of sixteen months. † A period of eleven months.

NOTE.—Up to the year ending March, 1875, a grant of £200 sterling from the Parent Society was included in income, but was then discontinued at the request of this Society.

City Subscriptions

TO THE UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY,

1883-84.

Allan, Hon Geo W...	\$20 00	Bryce, T.....	\$1 00	Denison, M P.....	\$1 00
Adams, J, M D.....	5 00	Briscoe, Wm.....	1 00	Dunbar, R.....	1 00
Alcorn, Samuel.....	4 00	Ballard, Rev J Mc-		Dwight, H P.....	1 00
Aikenhead & Crombie.	2 00	Lean.....	1 00	Dobson, James.....	1 00
Anderson, W.....	2 50	Barclay, Rev Dr.....	1 00	Desbarres, Rev T C...	1 00
Adams, J G.....	2 00	Burns, Wm.....	1 00	Drummond, Mrs.....	1 00
Aikins, Dr W T.....	2 00	Blackstock, Rev W S.	1 00	Durand, Charles.....	1 00
Adams, W C, L D S...	2 00	Burford, W E.....	1 00	Dalton Bros.....	1
Antliff, Rev J C.....	2 00	Burns, R N.....	1 00	Doel, Rev J.....	5 00
Armstrong, Thos.....	1 00	Buckland, George.....	1 00	Davies, Thos.....	2 00
Austin, J.....	1 00	Bethune, James.....	5 00	Dalziel, Mrs (Vaughan)	1 00
Ashby, C J.....	1 00	Broughall, Rev A J...	1 00	Earls, John.....	5 00
Alison, Thos.....	1 00	Buchan, Dr H E.....	2 00	Elliott, Wm.....	4 00
Armour, Mrs.....	1 00	Blake, Hon S H.....	5 00	Eastwood, John.....	2 00
Ardagh, H H.....	1 00	Banks, G.....	1 00	Elliott, John.....	1 00
Adamson Wm.....	1 00	Bradshaw, John.....	1 00	Evans, Geo M.....	1 00
Anonymous.....	1 00	Bull, Dr E.....	2 00	Fenton, F.....	2 00
A F K.....	10 00	Barnes, Wm (Pickering)	15 00	Forrest, J.....	2 50
Blake, Kerr, Lash & Cassels	20 00	Beatty, Dr (Lambton Mills)	2 50	Fuller, Mrs T R.....	1 00
Baldwin, Rev H G.....	2 00	Copp, Clark & Co.....	5 00	Friend.....	1 00
Baldwin, Morgan.....	4 00	Clark, Wm Mortimer.	5 00	Freeland, W.....	1 00
Banks, A F.....	2 00	Cockshutt, Charles...	5 00	Freeland, Mrs M J....	1 00
Baldwin, Mrs E.....	4 00	Campbell & Son, Jas.	5 00	Fulton, J.....	1 00
Brown, James.....	2 00	Campbell, A H.....	5 00	Fisken, John.....	1 00
Bryce, McMurrich & Co.....	10 00	Caldecott, Burton & Co.....	4 00	Friend.....	5 00
Baldwin, Robert.....	10 00	Crompton Corset Co.	4 00	Gzowski, Buchan & Co.....	10 00
Brown Bros.....	5 00	Cayley, Hon Wm.....	4 00	Grasett, Mrs.....	5 00
Blain, Mrs D.....	5 00	Carswell, Thomas.....	1 00	Grip Publishing Co....	5 00
Beardmore, George L.	5 00	Carswell & Co.....	5 00	Gillespie, Ansley & Martin.....	5 00
Boyd, Hon Chancellor.	4 00	Crombie & Worrell...	2 00	Gooderham, George...	5 00
Baldwin, Rev A H.....	5 00	Copp, J C.....	1 00	Gooderham, W.....	5 00
Blaikie, John L.....	5 00	Caven, Rev Dr.....	2 00	Gooderham, Mrs S K.	2 00
Boyd, Bros & Co.....	5 00	Clarke, H E.....	3 00	Gooderham, Mrs Robt	5 00
Beatty, Chadwick & Blackstock	3 00	Currie, Neil.....	1 00	Goulding & Sons, Geo.	5 00
Briggs, Rev Wm.....	2 00	Cox, James.....	1 00	Gzowski, Colonel.....	4 00
Brookman, Rev W.....	2 00	Cowan & Co, J W....	1 00	Gooderham, Mrs, Senr	3 00
Bugg, Charles.....	1 00	Cochran, Rev Dr.....	1 00	Gregg, Rev Professor..	2 00
Boddy, Rev S J.....	1 00	Coatsworth, E.....	1 00	Gunn, James.....	1 00
Botterill, Rev E M C..	1 00	Cochran, Robert.....	1 00	Gunn & Co, D.....	2 00
Burton, Rev J.....	1 00	Cayley, Rev J D.....	1 00	Greene, Columbus H..	2 00
Bee, Rev W.....	1 00	Clark, Dr D.....	2 00	Gooderham, H.....	2 00
Beckett, E.....	2 00	Campbell, P.....	1 00	Geikie, Dr W B.....	2 00
Blachford, H C.....	1 00	Crane, S.....	1 00	Greene, Rev R W E..	2 00
Beaty, Robert.....	1 00	Cameron, Rev J M....	2 00	Gooderham, Mrs A....	2 00
Bell & Bros, T.....	1 00	Dixon, B Homer.....	5 00	Graham, J E, M D....	1 00
B.....	1 00	Dun, Wiman & Co....	5 00	Galley, E.....	1 00
Bauld, E H.....	1 00	Dewart, Rev E H.....	2 00	Gilray, Rev A.....	1 00
				Grasett, F.....	1 00

Gooch, R N.....	\$1 00	Locke, Rev J H.....	\$1 00	Perkins, Fred.....	\$5 00
Gale, J W & Co.....	1 00	Lake, John N.....	1 00	Perkins, Ince & Co....	4 00
Gibson, Thos W.....	1 00	Litster, Mrs.....	1 00	Park, James.....	2 00
Howland, W H.....	10 00	Lesslie, James.....	30 00	Pim, Joseph.....	2 00
Hunter, Rose & Co....	5 00	McMaster, Hon Wm....	25 00	Pearson, W H.....	2 00
Harrison, Glover.....	5 00	Macdonald, John....	25 00	Pim, George.....	1 00
Hoyles, N W.....	5 00	McMaster & Bros, A R	5 00	Parker, Mrs Robert...	1 00
Heward, Mrs Stephen.	5 00	Macdonald, J G.....	5 00	Paterson, John A....	1 00
Hunter, R J.....	2 00	McBean, Mrs.....	5 00	Page & Page.....	1 00
Higgins, David.....	4 00	Macdonnell, Rev D J..	5 00	Powis, Rev H D.....	1 00
Hunter, Rev S J....	2 00	McLaren, Rev Prof....	5 00	Pomeroy, C C.....	1 00
Hay & Co, R.....	2 00	McPherson, Hon D L.	4 00	Peake, L C.....	1 00
Hobbs, James.....	3 00	McNab, James.....	4 00	Pearcy, Gilbert.....	1 00
Heron, A.....	2 00	McMurrich, W B....	4 00	Richardson, J H, M D	5 00
Harvie, John.....	2 00	McMaster & Co, W J.	2 00	Richardson F.....	5 00
Howard, Miss.....	1 00	McKinnon & Proctor	2 00	Robinson, Lieut Gov..	5 00
Harris, Rev Elmore..	1 00	Macdonald, J K.....	3 00	Reeve, Dr R A.....	4 00
Howland, O A.....	1 00	McHardy, F.....	2 00	Reid, Rev Wm, D D..	2 00
Harris, Mrs J.....	1 00	McDonald, D M.....	2 00	Rennie, Wm.....	2 00
Hynds, Miss.....	1 00	McIntosh, W D.....	1 00	Roddy, Robert.....	2 00
Hughes, Jas L.....	1 00	McGee, David.....	1 00	Rose, Rev Dr.....	1 00
Hamilton, Andrew....	5 00	Maclean, W.....	1 00	Rick, Miss.....	1 00
Hillock & Kent.....	2 00	McKinlay, A C.....	1 00	Robinson, Dr Slade..	1 00
Hagarty, Mrs.....	2 00	McFarlane, L, M D..	1 00	Robinson, C.....	2 00
Hook, Thos.....	1 00	McCausland, J.....	1 00	Ridout, John.....	1 00
Hamilton, Wm.....	1 00	McGee, James.....	1 00	Richard, Rev F.....	1 00
Harbottle, Dr (Bur-		McGregor, Rev A F..	1 00	Rogers, Samuel.....	7 00
ford, for China)....	4 00	McGill, Wm.....	1 00	Ross, James, M D....	1 00
Hayden, Mrs (Brussels)	10 00	Morse, Wm M.....	10 00	Risley, T.....	1 00
Hodgkin, Rev Dr and		Moffat, Colonel.....	5 00	Rosebrugh, Dr A M..	1 00
Mrs.....	2 00	Morris, Hon A.....	5 00	Robinson, C B.....	1 00
Inglis, Russell.....	1 00	Mowat, Hon O.....	5 00	Rains, J.....	1 00
Invalid Lady.....	1 00	Matthews & Co, W D.	5 00	Russell, J P.....	1 00
Jacques, John.....	5 00	Metcalfe, James.....	4 00	Roberts, S E.....	1 00
Johnston, Rev Hugh..	5 00	Mason, J Herbert....	4 00	Roberts, Rev E.....	1 00
Jones, Miss C.....	2 00	Mason, A J.....	2 00	Sampson, Kennedy &	
Jennings & Hamilton..	2 00	Manly, Rev J G.....	2 00	Gemmel.....	5 00
Jones, Mrs E C.....	1 00	Mortimer, Herbert....	2 00	Sanson, Rev A.....	5 00
Jarvis, F W.....	1 00	Morphy, E M.....	2 00	Sloan, Jardine & Co..	5 00
Jarvis, E J.....	1 00	Mara, Thomas.....	2 00	Stark & Co, John....	5 00
Jones, B.....	1 00	Morrow, John.....	1 00	Scott, George.....	3 00
Jones, Rev Sept.....	1 00	Mulholland, Mrs.....	1 00	Smith & Fudger.....	2 00
Jones, W W.....	1 00	M. B.....	2 00	Steele, R C.....	2 00
Johnston, C O.....	1 00	Montgomery, R J....	1 00	Sutherland, W.....	2 00
Johnston, Thos H....	1 00	Mitchell, James.....	1 00	Sweetnam, M.....	2 00
Kennedy, Warring....	5 00	Morphy, J.....	1 00	Stibbs, James.....	2 00
Kay, John.....	5 00	Mitchell, J E.....	1 00	Sandham, Alfred....	3 00
Kilgour Bros.....	5 00	Morrow, J.....	1 00	Smith, Rev John....	2 00
Kingstone, F W.....	5 00	Merryfield, Robt....	1 00	Storm, W G.....	2 00
Keith & Co, D S....	3 00	Matthews Bros & Co..	1 00	Scott, James.....	2 00
Kirkland, Thos.....	2 00	Mason, T E.....	2 00	Sutherland, Rev Dr..	2 00
Kerr, John.....	2 00	Mitchell, Wm.....	1 00	Swan Bros.....	1 00
Kerr, Wm.....	2 00	Milligan, Rev G M....	2 00	Shea, Robert.....	1 00
Kent Bros.....	1 00	Northrop & Lyman..	10 00	Score & Son, R J....	1 00
Kerr, George, jun....	1 00	Nairn, A.....	2 00	Strickland, W R....	1 00
Kane, Mrs Paul.....	1 00	Nasmith, J D.....	2 00	Sheard, Mrs.....	2 00
Lee, Mr & Mrs Geo M.	30 00	Nasmith, M.....	2 00	Salmon, Rev J.....	1 00
Lewis & Son, Rice...10	00	Nelson & Son, H A...2	00	Schomberg, H A.....	1 00
Lyman Bros & Co....	5 00	Nesbitt, E H.....	1 00	Stephenson, C.....	2 00
Lyon, J F.....	4 00	Ogden Uzziel, M D...5	00	Sheraton, Rev Dr....	2 00
Langley & Burke....	2 00	O'Brien, Henry.....	4 00	Swan, Andrew (Blen-	
Lailey & Co, Thos...2	00	Oldright, Dr Wm....	2 00	heim).....	2 00
Livingstone, & Johnston	2 00	Ogilvy & Co.....	2 00	St Andrews (West) S-S	6 60
Lays, Mrs John, jun..	2 00	Ogden, Dr W W.....	2 00	Thomson & Co, Wm..10	00
Laidlaw, J D.....	2 00	Oal, George.....	1 00	Topp, Mrs.....	5 00
Lee, Walter S.....	2 00	Parsons, Rev H M....	5 00	Toronto, Bishop of...5	00

Thompson & Son, Thos	\$5 00	Wells, Gordon &	Wild, Rev Dr	1 00
Thom, John H	4 00	Sampson	Wagner, J P	1 00
Taylor Brothers	4 00	Whitney, J W. G.	Walton M.	1 00
Tolfree, J J	2 00	Winn, Mrs.	Woodsworth, J	1 00
Trees, Samuel	3 00	Walker & Sons, Robt.	Wagner, W J, M D	1 00
Tackaberry, R J	1 00	Walker, Robert	Whitten, W J	1 00
Tovell, Rev I	4 00	Walker, David	Wardell, Wm (Oak-	
Trout, E	1 00	Wilson, Dr Daniel	ville)	10 00
Tait, Joseph	1 00	Wilkes, Mrs R	Wood, Rev Dr	2 00
Thomson, T M.	5 00	Warren Bros & Boomer	Young, John	1 00
Thompson, J B	1 00	Wickson, John	Young, Rev W C	1 00
Vicars, Rev Johnston	1 00	Withrow & Hillock	Young, John	1 00
Wyld, Brock & Dar-		White, Joselin & Co.	Young, J	1 00
ling	10 00	Woodhouse, J J	Small sums	1 50
Wilson, Wm	5 00	Willet, Rev Chas		

Branch Subscription Lists.

ACTON BRANCH.		Small sums	\$2 50	James McClellan	\$1 00
Col. at Pub. Meeting.	\$15 37	Col by W L Worden and Robert Kennedy		Benjamin Ward	1 00
Col by Miss Swan and Miss Campbell		John S Couman	1 00	H C Russell	1 00
D Henderson	5 00	D Sutherland	1 00	Robert Meek	1 00
Jno McRae	1 00	Small sums	2 60	James Cameron	1 00
W H Story	1 00	Col by Jno Shaw and Alex Gordon		Mrs. Alex McGregor	1 00
G C Clark	1 00	Peter Mann	1 00	Thos Russell, J P	1 00
H P Moore	1 00	Alex Mann	1 00	George Russell	1 00
Mrs A Dickson	1 00	G and A McDonald	1 00	Small sums	14 00
Wm Bryers	1 00	John Warren	1 00	Total	23 00
Mrs J Moore	1 00	Robt Warren	2 00	AMHERSTBURG BRANCH.	
Geo Havill	1 00	Small sums	4 05	Col at Pub Meeting	\$5 00
Small sums	16 15	Col by Jno McRae and J McDonald		Col by Misses Ander- son and Gibb	
Col by Miss Speight and Miss Maggie Nicklin		A H Brown	1 00	Small sums	14 59
May Kennedy	1 00	Kinnard Bros	1 00	Col by Misses Kolfage and Fraser	
Mrs Jos Fyfe	2 50	Small sums	5 00	Small sums	3 40
Jos Fyfe	2 50	Col by D McGregor and Jas McDonald		Col by Misses Wright and Hamilton	
John Cameron	1 00	A Campbell	1 00	Small sums	11 55
X Z Y	5 00	Small sums	4 50	Col by Mrs Fortier and Miss Weaver	
Paul Jarvis	2 00	Col by D Henderson and Peter Mann		Wm Fortier	1 00
Mrs Jarvis	2 00	Small sums	5 00	Small sums	1 25
Small sums	7 00	Total	104 42	Col by Mrs Hardy and Miss Skinner	
Col by Arch Campbell and D Kennedy		ALTON BRANCH.		E Anderson	1 00
Small sums	1 25	Donald Cameron	\$1 00	P H Anderson	1 00
Col by J S Warren and C Swackhamer					
Alex Mann	1 00				

BRANCH SUBSCRIPTION LISTS.

D H Terry.....	\$1 00
W D Balfour.....	1 00
Mrs S McGee.....	1 00
Mrs John McLeod ..	1 00
Mrs C M S Thomas..	1 00
Rev J M Hodson....	1 00
James Hamilton....	1 00
Small sums.....	12 95
Total.....	58 74

ANCASTER BRANCH.

Col by Miss Shaver and Miss Bradshaw

Daniel Shaver.....	1 00
Frederick Snider ..	1 00
Rev E Bristol.....	1 00
John Smith.....	1 00
J A Shaver.....	1 00
Small sums.....	5 75
<i>Col by Miss Taylor and Miss Duff.</i>	
B W Donnelly.....	1 00
D A Hyslop.....	1 00
S A Findlay.....	1 00
Wm Lodor.....	1 00
Peter Garrock.....	1 00
W T McCrimmon.....	1 00
Dr Brandon.....	1 00
Rev Mr Johnston....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 30
<i>Col by Miss Lampman</i>	
Crowl Smith.....	1 00
Small sums.....	5 00
<i>Col by Miss Egleston and Miss McCrimmon</i>	
E E McCrimmon....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 50
<i>Col by the Misses Chapman</i>	
Alex Chapman.....	1 00
Jas Wilson.....	1 00
Mr Waugh.....	1 00
John Hyslop.....	1 00
Mr Leith.....	1 00
J H Smith.....	1 00
E Kenrick.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 55
<i>Col by Miss Buttram and Miss Henderson</i>	
Miss Buttram.....	1 00
Robert Buttram ..	1 00
Peter Binkley.....	1 00
David Forsyth.....	1 00
Small sums.....	5 25
<i>Col by Miss Kelly</i>	
Robert Mayhew ..	5 00
Mrs Isaac Kelly ..	1 00
Small sums.....	3 10
<i>Col by Miss Chep and Miss Cooley.</i>	
John Richards.....	1 00
T A Walker.....	1 00
J H Filman.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 50

Total.....\$73 05

APPIN BRANCH.

<i>Col by W Black</i>	
William Black.....	\$2 00
Mrs W Black.....	1 00
Duncan McArthur ..	1 00
David McDonald....	1 00
J D McColl.....	1 00
Malcolm McAlpine..	1 00
James Murray.....	1 00
Peter McArthur....	1 00
Mrs A Miller.....	1 00
Small sums.....	12 55
<i>Col by Charles McFie</i>	
John McIntyre and family.....	2 00
Charles McFie and wife.....	2 00
James W McFie and wife.....	2 00
Alex McMaster.....	1 00
Archd McIntyre and wife.....	2 00
D C Black and family	2 00
Small sums.....	6 13
<i>Col by Miss Nancy Black</i>	
D S Black.....	1 00
Nancy Black.....	1 00
Angus Campbell....	1 00
George Hughes.....	1 00
Rev Mr Penhall....	1 00
Small sums.....	5 65
<i>Col by Robert Lotan</i>	
Robt Lotan and wife.	3 00
A friend.....	1 00
Samuel Lotan and bro	1 15
A friend.....	1 00
John Fletcher.....	1 00
Small sums.....	5 75
<i>Col by Sol'm McIntyre</i>	
William Boyd.....	1 00
Charles Towers.....	1 00
Solomon McIntyre ..	1 00
Small sums.....	1 25
Total.....	\$67 48

ARKONA BRANCH.

<i>Col at public meeting</i>	\$ 2 44
<i>Col by Mrs Eastmon and Mrs R J Smith</i>	
W Vahey.....	1 00
J Williamson.....	1 00
C M Eastman.....	1 00
G B Stephens.....	1 00
R J Smith.....	1 00
John Wilkinson....	1 00
P B Rosenbury.....	1 00
Small sums.....	15 80
Total....	\$25 24

ARKWRIGHT BRANCH.

<i>Col by Richard Barnes</i>	75
<i>Col by Misses Cunningham and Barnes</i>	4 10
Total.....	4 85

ARMOW BRANCH.

<i>Col at public meeting.</i>	\$1 76
<i>Col by Misses Robertson and Hutton</i>	
Kenneth McKenzie..	1 00
Norman McDonald..	1 00
Small sums.....	7 55
<i>Col by Misses Campbell and McKenzie</i>	
Duncan Campbell....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 85
<i>Col by Misses Kerr and McLeod</i>	
Small sums.....	2 58
<i>Col by Miss S A Shier</i>	
Rev Charles Cameron	1 00
Small sums.....	3 70
<i>Col by Misses Campbell and Innes</i>	90
<i>Col by Miss Grey</i>	
Small sums.....	5 25
Total.....	\$29 59

ASHFIELD BRANCH.

<i>Col at public meeting.</i>	\$3 50
<i>Col by Hugh Chambers</i>	
Hugh Chambers....	1 00
John McClelland....	1 00
John Armstrong....	1 00
Finlay McDonald....	1 00
Kenneth McDonald..	1 00
Donald McLennan... 1 00	
Duncan McRae.....	1 00
John McLeod.....	1 00
William Matheson ..	1 00
Small sums.....	3 75
<i>Col by John McKenzie</i>	
Colin McKenzie.....	1 00
Alex McKenzie.....	1 00
D M Buchanan.....	1 00
Rod'k McDonald....	1 00
Donald McDonald..	1 00
Finlay McLennan... 1 00	
Murdoch McGregor.. 1 00	
Small sums.....	7 70
<i>Col by John Murray</i>	
John Murray.....	1 00
Small sums.....	4 80
<i>Col by John Cowan</i>	
Small sums.....	1 25
<i>Col by Donald Boyd</i>	
Donald Boyd.....	1 00
Alex Boyd.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 00
Total.....	\$41 00

ATWOOD BRANCH

<i>Col at Pub Meeting..</i>	\$4 23
<i>Col by Moses Harvey & Arch Simpson</i>	
Moses Harvey.....	2 00
Archibald Simpson ..	2 00
Small sums.....	14 50
<i>Col by J Irvin & Wm Hawkshaw</i>	

Rev A Henderson....	\$1 00	Mr and Mrs Fother-		Mrs J G Watson....	\$1 00
Rev Wm Carey.....	1 00	ingham	\$2 00	Mrs J Watson.....	1 00
Wm Dunn.....	1 00	Mr and Mrs Amos ..	1 00	Robert Guthrie.....	1 00
John Bell.....	1 00	Mrs Monkman	1 00	J L Black.....	1 00
J J Mitchell.....	1 00	Thomas Telfer	1 00	Small sums.....	42 67
Charles Zeran.....	1 00	Small sums.....	18 05		
Mrs J J Harvey	1 00	Col at Thanksgiving		Total.....	78 48
Mrs Calder.....	1 00	meeting	7 70		
Small sums.....	4 00	Col at Annual meeting	6 76		
<i>Col by J J Mitchell &</i>					
<i>J A Turnbull</i>					
J W McBain.....	1 00	Petches.	\$48 51	AYTON BRANCH.	
Miss C A Turnbull...	1 00	John Petch.....	1 00	Henry Damm	1 00
J A Turnbull.....	1 00	Pearson Starr	1 50	Noah Wenger	1 00
Small sums.....	6 30	Mrs P Starr.....	1 50	Aaron Wenger	1 00
<i>Col by S Vipond & Jas</i>		Arthur Van Nostrand	1 00	Peter McLean.....	1 00
<i>Dickson jr</i>		Mrs John Williamson	1 00	Rev H G G Schmidt.	1 00
S Vipond	1 00	James Beaver	1 00	Small sums.....	7 88
James Dickson jr....	1 00	Mrs Geo Richardson.	1 00		
Small sums.....	6 30	D Evans	1 00	Total	\$12 88
<i>Col by J W Boyd & R</i>		Joshua Oliver	1 00	BALTIMORE BRANCH.	
<i>Anderson</i>		Small sums.....	10 50	Col at Pub Meeting...	3 83
J W Boyd	1 00	Col at Meeting	1 75	<i>Col by Geo Lang</i>	8 25
Small sums.....	5 75			<i>Col by Thos Stott</i>	
<i>Col by Wm Lochhead</i>				Wm Stott	1 00
<i>& John Bell</i>				John Baptist.....	1 00
Wm Lochhead	1 00	Mt Pisgah.	\$22 25	Mrs Baptist.....	1 00
Thomas Foreman....	1 00	Mrs Lewis.....	1 00	David Baptist	1 00
Small sums.....	1 75			Small sums.....	1 50
<i>Col by James Duncan</i>		Total	\$71 76	<i>Col by Chas Reynolds</i>	
<i>& S Wherrey</i>				Charles Reynolds	1 00
Small sums.....	4 95	AVENING AND CREEMORE		John H Staples.....	1 00
<i>Col by John Sanders &</i>		BRANCH.		<i>Col by S D Haig and</i>	
<i>C McKenzie</i>		Col at Pub Meeting..	2 35	<i>T A Chapman</i>	
Small sums.....	4 15	Jno Galbraith.....	1 00	Mrs H Carruthers....	2 00
Total.....	\$72 13	Jno McNicol.....	1 00	J C Elliott.....	1 00
<i>Col by Messrs Harvey</i>		Jno Mackay	1 00	N Chapman	1 00
<i>& Vipond, 1883</i>		Rev J K Henry	1 00	Wm Blizard.....	1 00
Samuel Vipond.....	1 00	Joseph Hood.....	1 00	Mrs Taynes.....	1 00
Thomas Harvey.....	1 00	Small sums.....	5 75	Wm McKague	1 00
Wm B Scott	1 00			D S Haig	1 00
John Squire	1 00	Total	\$13 10	C Slater	1 00
Thomas Whaley	1 00	AYR BRANCH.		Thos J Staples	1 00
Thomas J Knox	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$5 71	Wm L Staples	1 00
James Dixon.....	1 00	D Guthrie	1 00	Adam Burwash.....	1 00
John Irwin.....	1 00	W Barrie.....	1 00	A Johnston	1 00
Andrew Little	1 00	D Goldie.....	4 00	R Johnston.....	1 00
Robert Young	1 00	A McEwan.....	1 00	Small sums.....	1 00
A Friend.....	1 50	J L Robson.....	1 00	<i>Col by Wm H Mann &</i>	
John Gray	1 00	Miss H M Muir.....	1 00	<i>John F Fraser</i>	
Archibald Simpson ..	1 00	Thos Stevenson.....	1 00	Alex Mann.....	2 00
James Robb	1 00	John Wallace	1 00	Alex McCutcheon ..	1 00
James Gray	1 00	D Brown, Jr.....	1 00	John F Fraser	1 00
Samuel McAlister ..	1 00	Alex Lillico	1 00	Robert Hewett.....	5 00
Small sums.....	11 50	Wm Currie	1 00	Mrs Lang.....	1 00
Total	\$28 00	Robt Lillico.....	1 00	Wm Muirhead.....	1 00
		James Lillico.....	1 00	Andrew Haig.....	1 00
AURORA BRANCH.		Mrs Baxter.....	1 00	John Mulholland ..	1 00
Mr & Mrs Chas Doan	6 00	D Lillico.....	1 00	John Brewster	1 00
Geo Andrews	1 00	Rev W Inglis.....	1 00	Mrs R Ingram	1 00
Wm G Graham.....	1 00	M Robson.....	1 00	Small sums.....	5 20
Mrs G L Pearson.....	1 00	Wm Baker.....	1 00	<i>Col by Misses Boyd and</i>	
John Marritt.....	1 00	James Stark	1 00	<i>Brown</i>	
A Yule	1 00	Jno Wyllie	1 00	Rev Mr Hammond ..	1 00
		Mrs Christie	2 00	George Brown	1 00
		Rev Jno Thomson ..	1 00	Rev Chas H Cooke ..	1 00
				Wm Mann	1 00
				John Lawless.....	1 00

George M Hogg	\$1 00	Small sums	\$23 70	Dr Whiteside	\$2 50
John A Gordon	1 00	<i>Col by Miss Freeman</i>		Jas Wright	1 00
John Ball	1 00	<i>and Miss Wilkinson</i>		Joseph Bateman	1 00
Thomas Turk	1 00	Miss W Lount	1 00	Selby Evons	1 00
Small sums	7 40	Mrs Dymont	2 00	Jas C Scott	1 00
		Small sums	1 50	Small sums	14 50
Total	\$71 18	<i>Col by Miss Butterfield</i>		Total	\$44 00
BARRIE BRANCH.					
<i>Col by Mrs J Watson</i>		<i>and Miss Finch</i>			
<i>and Mrs A Hay</i>		Small sums	3 80	BELGRAVE BRANCH.	
Mrs J Watson	\$2 00	<i>Col by Miss A Part-</i>		<i>Col at public meeting.</i>	\$2 41
Mrs A C Thomson ..	1 00	<i>ridge & Miss Ardagh</i>		<i>Col by Misses Bengough</i>	
Mrs Ross	1 00	Mrs Creswick	1 00	<i>and Anderson</i>	
Mrs Shortreed	2 00	Mrs Seal	1 00	Wm Bengough and	
Mrs Laidlaw	1 00	Mrs R Ardagh	1 00	wife	5 00
Judge Boys	1 00	Mrs J J Brown	1 00	Rev A E Chowan	1 00
Rev Dr Fraser	1 00	Mrs Forsyth	1 00	Thos Nixon and wife ..	1 00
Mrs Pae	1 00	Mrs Anderson	1 00	Charles McCrea	1 00
Mrs James Wilkinson	1 00	Judge Ardagh	15 00	Henry Brandon	1 00
Mrs Belding	1 00	T O Steele	1 00	C McClelland	1 00
Mrs S Lount	1 00	— Anderton	1 00	Joshua Pearen and	
D Sepler	1 00	Alex Lang	1 00	wife	1 00
Dr McCarthy	1 00	J Cotter	1 00	Thomas Anderson and	
Mrs Ball	1 00	— Ault	1 00	wife	2 00
W F Orr	1 00	— Porter	1 00	Wm Ceaser and wife ..	1 00
Mrs Hammill	1 00	— Lalley	1 00	Walter Allison	1 00
R Bigelow	1 00	H Strathy	5 00	W J Wightman	1 00
Mrs S Dayman	1 00	Small sums	9 50	Lawrence Pearen	1 00
Mrs McKee	1 00	Total	\$151 20	Wm McCrea and wife ..	1 00
25 small sums	8 70	BAYFIELD BRANCH.			
<i>Col by Miss J Graham</i>		<i>Col at public meeting.</i>	\$4 94	John Brandon, senr,	
<i>and Mrs Purvis</i>		<i>Col by Miss McKenzie</i>		and wife	1 00
Wm Hay	1 00	<i>and Miss Elliott</i>		Small sums	7 25
G W Gray	1 00	Mrs T C Naftel	1 00	<i>Col by Misses Geddes</i>	
R Zimmerman	1 00	John T Naftel	1 00	<i>and Hopper</i>	
Saunders Bro	1 00	Small sums	2 50	William Geddes	1 00
G W Lount	1 00	<i>Col by Miss Hunter</i>		Rev Neil Currie	1 00
Mrs McEachern	4 00	<i>and Miss Thomson</i>		Small sums	4 85
R Story	1 00	Dr R Stanbury	1 00	<i>Col by Misses Wight-</i>	
S McAlister	1 00	E Rutlege	1 00	<i>man and Scott</i>	
Otton Bro	1 00	Foss Kendrick	1 00	David Scott	3 00
S Nicholson	1 00	James Gairdner	1 00	Walter Scott	1 00
A Friend	1 00	Mrs Baugh	1 00	Walter Nichol	1 00
J Henderson	1 00	Rev G B Taylor	1 00	John Coultice	1 00
J H McKeggie	1 00	Small sums	12 00	Small sums	11 30
J G Strong	1 00	Total	\$27 44	<i>Col by Misses Bone and</i>	
James Scroggy	1 00	BEETON BRANCH.			
Crompton & Ryan ..	1 00	<i>Col by S Smith</i>		<i>Bretye</i>	
Rev Canon Morgan ..	2 00	S Smith	\$4 00	John Bone and wife ..	5 00
T D McConkey	2 00	Mrs Smart	1 00	James Edmond	1 00
Mrs W Cross	1 00	Wm Cran	1 00	James McCallum and	
J M Hunter	1 00	E + ell	1 00	wife	1 00
Alex Morrow	1 00	Small sums	1 00	John McCallum and	
J A Strathy	3 00	<i>Col by R Semple</i>		wife	1 00
R Power	5 00	Thos Hammill	1 00	John Agnew	1 00
S Varley	1 00	Small sums	2 00	Hugh McBirney	1 00
D J Murchison	1 00	<i>Col by Jas Smart</i>		Archibald Taylor	1 00
Mrs J I Hindly	1 00	Small sums	5 85	Annie Bone	1 00
Mrs McL Stevenson ..	2 00	<i>Col by Jas Austin</i>		Wm Thomson	1 00
Rev J McCormick	3 00	Jas Austin	2 00	Small sums	11 80
Rev Dr Harper	2 00	Small sums	4 15	<i>Col by Misses Watson</i>	
A R Boys	1 00	<i>Col by Dr' Whiteside</i>		<i>and Johnston</i>	
Rev J Milner	1 00	<i>and Joseph Wright</i>		Isaac Rodgerston	1 00
James Arnoldi	1 00			Joseph Clegg	1 00
Miss Warner	1 00			Small sums	6 75
A Friend	1 00			Total	\$86 35

BERVIE BRANCH.		Small sums.....	\$3 60	Dr Sloan.....	\$5 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 40	Col by Misses McBride		Andrew McCaa.....	1 00
Rev J H Moorhouse..	1 00	and Moore		R Henderson.....	1 00
Rev Robert Davey ..	1 00	Mrs Charles Wright .	1 00	Lachlan McQuarrie ..	1 00
Wm Henderson.....	1 00	Francis McBride	1 00	Mrs Jane McGowan.	1 00
Col by Miss McIntyre		Richard Barlow sr ...	1 00	C V Tanner	1 00
and Miss Miller		George Awrey	1 00	Rev A McLean.....	1 00
Small sums.....	10 75	Nicholas Awrey	1 00	N H Young.....	2 00
Col by Miss Connel and		Small sums.....	11 40	Mr Jamieson.....	1 00
Miss Cuyler		Col by Misses Wilson		Charles Hamilton....	1 00
Small sums.....	6 25	and Degrow		T W Sloan.....	1 00
Col by Mrs Edward		Wm Wilson.....	1 00	Small sums.....	7 10
Alexander		Peter Miller.....	1 00	Col by Misses Laidlaw	
Small sums.....	3 70	Thomas Brown.....	1 00	and Scott	
		Wm B Swayze	1 00	Small sums.....	5 10
Total	\$26 10	Small sums.....	3 40		
		Col by Misses Spence		Total	\$64 30
		and Stewart			
		Small sums.....	5 75		
		Total	\$66 98		
BETHANY BRANCH.		BLOOMFIELD BRANCH.		BOND HEAD BRANCH.	
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 30	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 35	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$3 03
Col by Misses Rowan		Mrs Derbyshire's card	1 51	C Wilson and family.	5 00
and McMullen		Mrs McDonald's "	2 60	J Wilson.....	2 00
Joseph Hutchinson ..	1 00	Mrs McMachin's "	6 65	T Gaviller	2 00
David McMullen.....	1 00	Total	\$12 11	Miss Cerswell	2 00
James B Graham.....	1 00			J McGeary.....	1 00
Wm Rowan.....	1 00	BLOOMINGDALE BRANCH.		T Proctor.....	1 00
James Thompson.....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 08	J Hipwell.....	1 00
Thomas Graham	1 00	Solomon Erle.....	1 00	W D Coffey.....	1 00
Small sums.....	7 61	Menno B Clemens ...	1 00	Mrs G Coffey.....	1 00
Col by Misses Ryley		John F Mackay	1 00	W Hill.....	1 00
and Lee		Small sums.....	11 90	F Strangways	1 00
J J Preston	1 00	Total	\$16 98	P Doyle	1 00
W R Parker	1 00			W Doyle	1 00
R E Byers	1 00	BLYTH BRANCH.		H Doyle	1 00
Small sums.....	13 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$7 20	J Doyle	1 00
Total	\$30 91	Col by Misses Walker		R Manning.....	1 00
		and Drummond		F Mills.....	1 00
		Mrs Boie	1 00	C Wilson Jr	1 00
		Rev Mr Fisher	1 00	Mrs Lynd	1 00
		Rev Mr Parke.....	1 00	Jas Manning.....	1 00
		Small sums.....	8 00	W Sutherland	1 00
		Col by Misses Parkes		T Cross	1 00
		and Blackburn		Col by W Wright	5 25
		Small sums.....	2 95	Small sums.....	10 15
		Col by Misses Ritchie		Total	47 43
		and McGowan			
		Small sums.....	4 15	BOTANY BRANCH.	
		Col by Misses Marshall		Col by Misses McKer-	
		and King		richer and McBrayne	
		D B McKinnon	1 00	John Balmer	\$1 00
		Small sums.....	3 25	P Cameron and family	1 00
		Col by Misses Fraser		Small sums.....	3 41
		and Lundy		Col by Misses C McKer-	
		Small sums.....	2 70	richer and L Little	
		Col by Misses Stewart		Small sums.....	2 00
		and Ramsay		Col by Misses Nellie	
		Small sums.....	1 75	Stern and McMillan	
		Col by Miss Newcome		Small sums.....	3 40
		Small sums.....	2 10	Total	10 81
		Col by Misses Phillips			
		and Wilson		BOWMANVILLE BRANCH.	
				J Higginbotham	\$1 00
				Jno A Bell.....	1 00
				McClung Bros.....	1 00

BRANCH SUBSCRIPTION LISTS.

R B Andrew	\$1 00	J St Clair	\$1 00	D Kirkwood	\$1 0
R Windatt	1 40	W H Taylor, M D.	1 00	J A Austin	1 00
Gale Bros	1 00	Thos Driffill	2 00	Thos Morphy	1 00
A H Vanstone	1 00	Saml Lukes	1 00	J Aikins	1 50
S Mason	1 00	John Boddy	1 00	D McKinley	1 00
A Poor Friend	2 00	Wm Forrest, M D.	1 00	Wm Dodgson	1 00
John McMurtry	1 00	Wm Campbell	1 00	Alfd Lansdel	1 00
W McMurtry	1 00	T S Graham	1 00	W J Oliver	1 00
Geo Haines	1 00	W B Scott	1 00	J R Penton	1 00
T Yellowlees	1 00	Small sums	6 50	Mrs Wright	1 00
A Beith	1 00			Mrs R Large	1 00
J McLaughlin	1 00			James Thom	2 00
D Stott	1 00			Hugh Clark	1 00
Couch Johnson & Cryderman	1 00	Total	\$32 05	K Chisholm	2 00
Geo McGill	1 00	BRAMPTON BRANCH.		Miss Alice Murray	1 00
E R Young	1 00	Col at public meeting	\$10 00	Judge Scott	1 00
F Bleakly	2 00	George Dawson	1 00	Rev Thos Griffith	1 00
Mrs R Shaw	1 00	Andrew Rae	1 00	Wm Forster	1 00
Z Frazier	1 00	L McDougall	1 00	J W Beynon	1 00
C Beith	1 00	A friend	1 00	Wm Elliott	1 00
E Moorcraft	1 00	G Blain	1 00	W K Graham	1 00
Mrs Adams	1 00	Wm Newhouse	1 00	Small sums	35 15
Thos Bassett	1 00	Rev R Boyle	1 00		
A Barber	1 00	A Broddy, senr	1 00	Total	\$121 15
Rev W H Warriner	1 00	John Clarke	1 00		
J Dyke	1 00	Rev C C Johnson	1 00	BRIGHTON BRANCH.	
Thos Paterson	5 00	H W Dawson	1 00	Rev J Bredin	\$1 00
Murdock Bros	1 00	R Blain	1 00	G S Miller	1 00
Mrs Wm Doidge	5 00	Wm Broddy	1 00	E Bibby	1 00
Paul Robins	1 00	A Hosie	1 00	C R Kemp	1 00
Richard Hamley	1 00	R D Gamble	1 00	J B Thom	1 00
Small sums	17 25	Mrs Gardner	1 00	R Macklem	1 00
Mr Pinch	1 00	E O Runians	1 00	James Nesbitt	1 00
Rev A Spencer	1 00	D J McKinnon	1 00	A C Singleton	1 00
Mrs Jones	1 00	A F Campbell	1 00	Smaller sums	7 00
Public Collection	18 00	Rev Jas Pringle	1 00		
		R P Campbell	1 00	Total	\$15 00
		Mrs H Burnett, senr	1 00		
		R Craig	1 00	BRUCEFIELD BRANCH.	
		John Hunter	1 00	Col at public meeting	\$5 30
		A Morton	1 00	Rev John Ross	5 00
Total	127 45	Robert Smith	1 00	Mrs Ross	3 00
		Mrs R Smith	1 00	and family	1 50
BRACEBRIDGE BRANCH.		W D Hunter	1 00	<i>Col by Misses Young</i>	
Col at Pub Meeting	\$9 45	Mrs Edwards	1 00	<i>and Swan</i>	
<i>Col by Mrs Statter and</i>		R Cochrane	1 00	John Young	1 00
<i>Mrs Mitchell</i>		Rev M P Campbell	1 00	Wm McMillan	1 00
T Myers	1 00	J Haggert	1 00	Mrs Thomson	1 00
R F Greenlees	1 00	Rev J F German	1 00	Small sums	7 95
T Crompton	1 00	S Wallace	1 00	<i>Col by Donald Grassick</i>	
Alfred Hunt	1 00	Mrs Huston	2 00	John McDougall	1 00
H Matthews	1 00	Mrs Cook	1 00	Donald Grassick	1 00
Rev A Findlay	1 00	John Smith	1 00	Small sums	4 00
Small sums	14 35	Mrs J P Cummings	1 00	<i>Col by John Lands-</i>	
		E S Warne	1 00	<i>brough</i>	
Total	29 80	T Milner	1 00	John Landsbrough	1 00
		Thos Holtby	1 00	Small sums	50
BRADFORD BRANCH.		Geo Graham	1 00	<i>Col by Mrs Mary</i>	
Col at public meeting	\$3 55	Alex Armour	1 00	<i>Walker</i>	
Mrs John Goodfellow	2 00	McConnel & Hamil-	1 00	Geo Walker	1 00
Wm Goodfellow	3 00	ton	1 00	Wm McCaa	1 00
Thos Kilkenny	1 00	John Anthony	1 00	Small sums	3 25
W S Rogers	1 00	Rev E D McLaren	1 00	<i>Col by Misses Beattie</i>	
Mark Scanlon	1 00	J Sutcliffe, junr	1 00	<i>and McQueen</i>	
John Mahan	1 00	W H McFadden	1 00	Mrs Geo Baird	1 00
R Bingham	1 00	Jos Tilt	1 00	Mrs Wm Scott	1 00
F Wood	1 00	Misses Gilbert	1 00		
Wm McConkey	1 00	J Fleming	1 00		

Hugh McCartney....	\$1 00	Rev J E Lancely....	\$2 00	Jessie F Robertson...	\$1 00
Neil Ross	1 00	John Waldie	2 00	Small sums.....	3 40
Small sums.....	5 00	Mrs J Fisher.....	1 00	Col by Miss May I.	
Col by James McQueen		Small sums.....	6 80	Shaw	
Small sums.....	2 65	Col by Miss Crosby and		Thos Shaw.....	2 00
Col by Mr Higgins		Miss Galloway.		John Edmonds & wife	2 00
Small sums.....	4 80	Mrs Norman.....	1 00	James Kerr.....	1 00
Col by Misses Graham		Mrs Dener.....	1 00	P C Black.....	1 00
and Gilmour		W Zimmerman.....	1 00	John C Shaw.....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 35	Mrs Howood.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 00
		John Stuart.....	1 00		
Total.....	\$53 00	Wm Foster.....	1 00	Total.....	\$26 65
		Wm Thompson.....	2 00		
		Mrs Abraham.....	2 00		

BRUCE MINES BRANCH.

Rev Geo H Kenny...	1 00
Rev Thomas Haddon.	1 00
Thomas Collins.....	1 00
Frank Prout.....	1 00
George Marks.....	1 00
A Friend.....	1 00
Small sums.....	7 45
Total.....	\$13 45

BURFORD BRANCH.

Col by Miss Jennie	
Yeigh.	
William H. Wooden..	1 00
Small sums.....	5 75
Col by Miss Chilcott	
and Miss Miller	
Henry Cox.....	10 00
W. A. Hearne.....	1 00
S. A. Elliott.....	1 00
J. M. Charles.....	1 00
George Daniels.....	1 00
William Daniels....	1 00
Mrs. J. A. Smith....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 00
Col by Miss McIntee	
and Miss Brethour	
J. M. Heohir.....	1 00
John Hector.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 50
Col by Miss Fraser.	
Mrs Fraser.....	1 00
J B Standing.....	1 00
John Jull.....	2 00
Small sums.....	9 62
Total.....	\$42 87

BURLINGTON BRANCH.

Col at Pub Meeting..	1 80
Col by Miss Allen and	
Miss McQuarrie	
Mrs McLeod.....	1 00
Mrs D Smith.....	1 00
Mrs Lang.....	1 00
Mrs Howie.....	1 00
Wm Kerns.....	3 00
Robt Coates.....	1 00
Mrs Greene.....	1 00
Mrs Mortimore.....	1 00
Mrs Freeborne.....	1 00

Wm Thomas.....	1 00
Mrs Wesley Freeman	1 00
Mrs Henderson.....	1 00
E B Freeman.....	1 00
E Williamson.....	1 00
Joshua Long.....	1 00
O T Springer.....	1 00
Small sums.....	8 90
Total.....	\$63 55

CAISTOR BRANCH, 1883.

James Kerr.....	2 00
James Corman.....	1 00
Thomas Shaw.....	2 00
Jacob Kerr.....	1 00
Mrs John Edmonds..	1 00
John Edmonds.....	1 00
Mrs Robt Shaw. sr..	1 00
J A. Jackson.....	1 00
A McKinnel.....	1 00
A Friend.....	1 00
Children's collection	
by Miss Robertson.	1 00
Small sums.....	17 00
Total.....	\$30 00

CAISTOR BRANCH, 1884

Col at public meeting.	90
Col by Miss M Felker	
James Corman.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 75
Col Miss R Thomas	
Thos Burke and wife.	2 00
James Kerr.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 60
Col by Miss L St John	
Small sums.....	2 00
Col by Miss Annie	
Jackson.	
John A Jackson.....	1 00

CALEDONIA BRANCH.

Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 01
Miss Ferrier.....	1 00
Miss Weylie.....	1 00
Mrs David Patterson	1 00
Mrs Nicholas Garland	1 00
Mrs Wm Brown.....	5 00
Mr R E Walker.....	1 00
Mrs Robertson.....	1 00
Rev T Wilson.....	1 00
Robert Shirra.....	1 00
S B Weylie.....	1 00
John Roper.....	1 00
David Lindsay.....	1 00
A Atkinson.....	1 00
George Ellwood.....	2 00
John Whicher.....	1 00
S Moore.....	1 00
J B Hull.....	1 00
Mr Annon.....	1 00
William Moore.....	2 00
Small sums.....	30 97
Total.....	\$57 98

CAMLACHIE BRANCH.

Col at Pub Meeting..	\$3 33
Col by Misses Smith	
and McFadren....	3 30
Col by Misses Hyslop	
and Houston.....	2 30
Col by Miss McGregor	1 45
Col by Misses Gillalty	
and Gillalty.....	3 75
Col by Misses Murray	
and Allan.....	3 90
Col by Misses Patton	
and Fleming.....	2 30
Col by Misses Schram	
and Walker.....	3 30
Total.....	\$23 63

CAMPBELL'S CROSS.

Col at Pub Meeting..	\$6 08
Col by John Marshall	
John Marshall.....	1 00
Alex Armstrong....	1 00
A Crawford.....	1 50
Small sums.....	1 50
Col by Wm Shanna-	
han	
Wm Shannahan.....	1 00

Angus McLeod.....	\$1 00	James Campbell.....	\$1 00	Small sums.....	\$5 20
Wm Snyder.....	1 00	Donald Cameron....	1 00	A Friend.....	2 00
John Beattie.....	1 00	Joseph Linn, sr.....	1 00		
John Smith.....	1 00	David Campbell....	1 00	Total.....	\$24 70
Mrs A Smith.....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 50		
John Wiggins.....	1 00	<i>Col by Miss Donaldson</i>			
Hugh Smith.....	1 00	James Moffat.....	3 50	CAVANVILLE BRANCH,	
Small sums.....	1 25	Duncan Campbell...	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$0 28
Col by Jas Buckham.		Robert Campbell...	1 00	James A Coe.....	1 00
James Buckham....	1 00	David Scott.....	1 00	Miss A B Staples...	1 00
Small sums.....	3 05	Andrew Elliott.....	1 00	Mrs Howden.....	1 00
Col by Peter McLeod		Small sums.....	1 00	J W Gardiner.....	1 00
Peter McLeod.....	1 00	<i>Col by A Alexander</i>		Samuel Staples.....	1 00
Rev R D Fraser.....	1 00	<i>and W Elliott</i>		Mrs Richard Coe....	1 00
Mrs R D Fraser.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 30	David Hunter.....	1 00
Archie McGregor...	1 00	Small sums.....	0 45	Abram Carr.....	1 00
James Campbell....	1 00	Total.....	\$40 00	Mrs Ann Matchett..	2 00
Donald Smith.....	1 00			Sarah Matchett.....	2 00
J H Standing.....	1 00	CAMPBELLVILLE, 1883.		Richard Matchett...	1 00
Dr Robinson.....	1 00	Col by Wm Elliott		Abram Matchett....	1 00
George Robinson....	1 00	James Moffat.....	3 50	Mrs Syer.....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 75	Robert Campbell....	1 00	Sarah Sutton.....	1 00
Col by Alex Kirkwood		Duncan Campbell, sr.	1 00	Small sums.....	19 72
Alex Kirkwood.....	1 00	Eliza Donaldson....	1 00	Total.....	\$36 00
Alex Henderson....	1 00	David Scott.....	1 00		
John Bemrose.....	1 00	D & J Peddie.....	1 00	CHATHAM BRANCH,	
Rev G T Richardson.	1 00	Andrew Elliott.....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$8 82
Joseph Campbell....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 25	Col by Mrs Urquhart	
John McDougall....	1 00	Col by W McPhail		and Mrs Lamont	
R J Rutherford.....	1 00	James Reid.....	1 00	Kenneth Urquhart..	5 00
W B Burk.....	1 00	D D Reid.....	1 00	Thomas Stone.....	5 00
William Snell.....	1 00	Small sums.....	5 00	Samuel Barfoot....	5 00
J V Snell.....	1 00	Archie McMullen...	1 00	Daniel Kerr.....	1 00
Small sums.....	6 85	Small sums.....	1 25	John Wall.....	1 00
Col by Wm Smith....		Col by C Smith		W McIntosh.....	1 00
Wm Smith.....	1 00	P Black.....	1 00	W H Martin.....	1 00
Alex Smith.....	1 00	S R Lister.....	1 00	M Weir.....	2 00
Thos Robinson....	1 00	James Menzies.....	1 00	C Wheeler.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 50	S A Mason.....	1 00	J W Tissiman.....	1 00
Col by Wm Cation...		Janet Black.....	1 00	Coltart & Neilson...	1 00
Wm Cation.....	1 00	D Wheelihan.....	1 00	A J Wilson.....	1 00
T C Walker.....	1 00	Small sums.....	1 50	T & J P Boyce.....	1 00
Small sums.....	5 80	Total.....	\$30 50	A Hall.....	1 00
Col by Wm Craig				Kenneth Campbell..	1 00
P A Campbell.....	1 00	CASTLETON BRANCH.		Charles Lanning....	1 00
Small sums.....	4 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	1 04	D M Christie.....	1 00
Total.....	\$71 28	Col by Miss Annie		J Ferguson.....	1 00
CAMPBELLVILLE BRANCH,		May		A Friend.....	1 00
1884.		Anthony May.....	1 00	J Hyslop.....	1 00
<i>Col by C Smith</i>		Mrs F B Strong....	1 00	C A Tye.....	1 00
Mrs Cameron.....	\$2 00	Small sums.....	3 25	A Friend.....	1 00
Peter Black.....	1 00	Col by Miss Minnie		D K McNaughton...	1 00
S R Lister.....	1 00	Williams		A Friend.....	1 00
James Menzies.....	1 00	H P Gould.....	1 00	Mrs McLean.....	1 00
D Wheelihan.....	1 00	G A Williams.....	1 00	A Stringer.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 50	Dr W J Douglas....	2 00	R Morton & Co.....	1 00
<i>Col by W Mc Phail and</i>		Rev A R Campbell..	1 00	Mr Smyth.....	1 00
<i>A Reid</i>		Small sums.....	5 65	John McKeough....	3 00
James Reid.....	2 00	Col by Miss Emma		James Waugh.....	1 00
Small sums.....	7 50	Warner		M Smith.....	1 00
<i>Col by A McMillan</i>		Charles Warner.....	1 00	Mrs D H Taylor....	1 00
James McMillan....	1 00	Small sums.....	1 60	C A Westcott.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 25	Col by Miss Maggie		Mrs H Lamont.....	1 00
<i>Col by A McKenzie and</i>		McIntosh		W F Rutley.....	1 00
<i>J Linn</i>				J Samson.....	1 00
				Mr Smith.....	1 00

BRANCH SUBSCRIPTION LISTS.

W Warren	\$1 00	Mrs J Smith	\$1 00	CHURCHILL BRANCH.	
A Lamont	1 00	Mrs Thos H Taylor ..	1 00	Col by Robert Reive	
S Stephenson	1 00	Small sums	4 55	J S Lucas	\$2 00
W Richards	1 00	Col by Mrs W Mc-		R Reive, M D	2 00
Captain Wood	1 00	Keough and Mrs		Robert Reive	1 00
Small sums	24 65	Dr McKeough		Miss Mary McDonald	1 00
Col by Miss Walker		William McKeough ..	2 00	Richard Boyes	1 00
and Miss Small		Small sums	5 37	James Allan	1 00
Mrs Alister McKay ..	1 00	Col by Mrs Morton		Small sums	7 80
Charles Clark	1 00	and Mrs Eberts		Col by Thomas Al-	
Mrs W Gray	1 00	A Waller	1 00	lan	
Rev W R Parker	1 00	J B Escott	1 00	Thomas Reive	1 00
Small sums	5 75	J L Nichols	1 00	Small sums	3 80
Col by Mrs Cum-		J & J F Scott	1 50	Col by Thomas Todd	
mings and Miss		C D Williamson	1 00	Robert Little	1 00
Hoig		E W Seare	1 00	Small sums	1 75
H F Cummings	2 00	Mrs Adams	1 00	Col by W Balston	
P D McKellar	2 00	Mrs Robertson	1 00	Small sums	5 65
Rev A McColl	1 00	Mrs Holmes	1 00		
Jonathan Knaggs	1 00	Mrs John Morton ..	1 50	Total	\$29 00
Mrs S T Martin	1 00	Mrs Restrict	1 00		
James Banning	1 00	John Waddell	1 00	CLIFFORD BRANCH.	
A M Lafferty	1 00	S Davis	1 00	Col at public meeting.	\$3 43
A Campbell	1 00	R N Rogers	1 00	Col by Misses	
N H Stevens	1 00	S F Gardiner	1 00	Cheves and Purcell	
Rev R O Cooper	1 00	H Malcolmson	1 00	Rev S Young	2 00
Mr Nichol	1 00	Mr Cox	1 00	Dr Ross	1 00
Small sums	10 25	Small sums	5 70	Wm Cheves	2 00
Col by Mrs Burton		Total	\$229 76	Sam'l Neill	1 00
and Miss Tacka-				Rev J C Stevenson ..	1 00
berry		CHATHAM TOWNSHIP		B Crandell	1 00
Rev Mr Battisby	1 00	BRANCH.		Small sums	10 45
Mrs Charteress	2 00	Col at public meeting.	\$1 50	Col by Misses Hoop-	
J P Boyce	1 00	Thomas Moir	1 00	er and Morrison	
Miss Kane	1 00	James Simpson	1 00	Small sums	2 74
Small sums	12 00	Mr Campbell	1 00	Col by Misses Bodie	
Col by Miss Waugh		Thomas Campbell	1 00	and Elmslie	
and Miss Baxter		William Robertson ..	1 00	Small sums	3 62
Mrs R S Woods	1 00	John Urquhart	1 00	Col by Misses White	
Small sums	6 42	Peter McKerral	1 00	and Fletcher	
Col by Mrs Dizney		Small sums	19 50	Small sums	3 00
and Mrs Holden		Total	\$28 00	Total	\$31 24
Mr Zena	1 00				
Small sums	7 00	CHERRY VALLEY BRANCH.		CLINTON BRANCH.	
Col by Miss Dunlop		Horatio Spafford	\$1 00	Col at Pub Meeting ..	\$13 29
and Miss Metcalf		Arza B Ketchum	1 00	Col by Miss Jackson	
James Gardiner	2 00	Rev J McFarlane	1 00	and Miss Foxten	
Rev Wm Walker	1 00	George Richards and		Jas Twitchell	1 00
Mrs H West	1 00	wife	1 00	Jas Thompson	1 00
Mrs Snell	1 00	Allen Taylor	1 00	M Bayley	1 00
H F Patterson	1 00	Small sums	14 72	Rev J Gray	1 00
Mrs Aytoun Finlay ..	1 00	Total	\$19 72	Mrs Farran	1 00
Mrs A	1 00	CHERRYWOOD BRANCH.		Rev J Kenner	1 00
Small sums	15 80	Col at public meeting.	\$1 55	Small sums	9 43
Col by Miss Hoig		Charles Petty	2 00	Col by Miss Smith	
and Miss McKerr-		Thomas Borard	2 00	and Miss Rippey	
rall		F Roach	1 00	J Curtis Stevenson ..	1 00
John McKerral	1 00	James McCreight	1 00	Dr Worthington	1 00
Miss Coutts	1 00	N Burkholder	1 00	W R Lough	1 00
D R Vanallen	1 00	James Taylor	1 00	Mr Kirkpatrick	1 00
Mrs Andrew	1 00	Small sums	5 75	Annie Kirkpatrick ..	1 00
Small sums	8 45	Total	\$15 30	Mrs Spooner	1 00
Col by Miss Thomp-				Mrs S Davis	1 00
son and Miss Lin-				Wm Taylor and Son ..	1 00
nton				R Coates & Son	1 00
Mrs B Smith	1 00				

Pay & Wiseman	\$1 00	Col by Miss Willis	Dr Coleman	\$1 00
W C Searle	1 00	Mrs Hight	Wm Hewson	1 00
Small sums	11 68	Mrs Rosevear	A J Hewson	1 00
Col by Misses Holmes and Herten		Mr Waddell	Mrs Dooley	2 00
Mrs McMurchie	1 00	Mrs Fraser	A Hewson	1 00
Foster & Bayley	1 00	Dr Wood	W G Ellis	1 00
Small sums	13 25	Rev Mr McCrae	Rev R Jones	1 00
Col by Miss Turnbull and Fisher		Small sums	Mrs Longmore	1 00
J Turnbull	1 00	Col by Mrs Bickle and Miss Laws	R Mulholland	1 00
Geo Swallow	1 00	C Laws	Miss E Creighton	1 00
Thos Fair	1 00	J D Roberts	Miss Stock	1 00
J H Combe	1 00	Mrs Gilbard	H Evans	1 00
Miss L Rippey	1 00	Mrs Burn	Rev R Brooking	1 00
A S Fisher	1 00	Mrs A C Munson	G Holmes	2 00
Mr Phillips	1 00	J Jeffery	Rev Dr Nelles	1 00
Rev A Steward	2 00	P McCallum	Minaker & Bro	1 00
R Irwin	5 00	Wm Toms, Jr	J Daintry	1 00
Small sums	9 65	Mrs J C Field	S Collings	1 00
		Mrs Barber	Small sums	7 80
		J Henderson		
Total in Clinton town	\$77 10	Rev H Pedley	Total	\$133 09
Col by E Turner		Field Brothers		
Mr Robb	\$1-00	F W Field	COLBORNE BRANCH.	
Small sums	3 60	Small sums	Rev John T Dowling	\$1 00
Col by Appleton El- cott		Col by Mr Carr	Rev Jas Curts	1 00
Appleton Elcott	1 00	H Carr	Rev W J Maybee	1 00
Robert Bauben	1 00	S Kill	Robert Gray	1 00
Thos D Morton	1 00	Mr Hare	John M Grover	1 00
Small sums	4 50	Small sums	Thos H Peterson	1 00
Col by Robert Thompson		Col by Misses Wil- kinson and Sails- bury	Alex F Peterson	1 00
Robert Thompson	1 00	Mrs H Smith	W A Powers	1 00
Small sums	4 25	Prof Reynar	Geo W Webb	1 00
Col by Misses Whitely and Mc- Dermid		Mrs Polkinghorn	D L Simmons	1 00
Small sums	2 80	Joseph Tonny	James Bawden	1 00
Col by Mrs Tiplady		Geo J Stephens	Mrs W L Payne	1 00
D Tiplady	1 00	W Graham	Mrs C Cummings	1 00
Small sums	5 25	Guillet & Bickle	Small sums	9 80
Col by John Lind- say		A S Kennedy		
J B Lindsay	1 00	J N Campbell	COLDSPRINGS, CAMBORNE AND PLAINVILLE BRANCH.	
Rippel Disney	1 00	Jas Crossen	Col at Pub Meeting	\$5 85
Small sums	5 25	Small sums	Col by G Orr	
Col by Chas Avery		Col by Miss Feather- stone and Miss Bickle	D McKinley	1 00
W J Biggens	1 00	J Wilson	M Lang	1 00
Chas Avery	3 00	Dr Burwash	G Orr	1 00
Small sums	5 65	O W Powell	Small sums	13 30
Col by George Beard		Rev F H Wallace	Col by Wm Don- aldson	
Donald Smith	1 00	Mrs Royle	Wm Donaldson	1 00
Small sums	6 75	W Hargraft, Jr	Alex Linton	1 00
Col by Jas Walkin- shaw		R Wilson	Hugh Donaldson	1 00
Jane Mulholland	1 00	H Hough	Wm Bowman	1 00
Jas Walkinshaw	1 00	A Willis	Walter Ross	1 00
Geo Dale	1 00	Mrs J R Cameron	Small sums	6 50
Small sums	8 55	Wm Kerr	Col by Jno Williams	
		J H Kerr	Jno Williams	1 00
Total in country	\$62 60	M D Cruso	A E Snelgrove	1 00
Grand Total	\$139 61	Mrs Chambliss	T McEvers	1 00
COBOURG BRANCH.		Mrs A Hargraft	Rev Wm Coombe	2 00
Col at Pub Meeting	\$8 29	Mrs A R Bain	Small sums	3 85
		Mrs Rosamond	Col by Jas Russell	
		Mrs Howard	Jas Russell	1 00
		Geo Wilgress	Wm Cruikshank	1 00
		Mrs T Campbell	David Ross	1 00

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Geo Robertson.....	\$1 00	Col by John Mc-	Joseph Oliver.....	\$1 00
Miss M Tennant....	1 00	Clelland	Johnston Golden....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 00	John Sutherland....	Small sums.....	4 50
Col by Jno Bowman		Small sums.....	Col by Misses Cot-	
Small sums.....	3 75	Col by Mrs Geo	ton and Dunton	
Col by Theo Westington		Duff	J McCollay.....	1 00
Mrs Henderson.....	1 00	Geo Duff.....	James Keys.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 05	Jas Dinwoodie....	Mr Snider.....	1 00
Total.....	\$55 30	Jas Ross.....	Jos Gardner.....	2 00
COLUMBUS BRANCH.				
Col at public meeting.	\$2 55	Geo Dinwoodie....	W P McClure.....	1 00
Col by Miss Beith		Small sums.....	W N Right.....	2 00
and Mrs Ratcliffe		Col by P H Stew-	John Leary, sr.....	2 00
R G and W Ratcliffe.	1 00	art	Small sums.....	4 41
Mrs John Hepburn..	1 00	P H Stewart.....	Col by Misses Moore	
Small sums.....	5 10	Small sums.....	and Brown	
Col by S Stocks and		Total.....	Joseph Graham.....	1 00
Thos Dolittle		\$40 62	Small sums.....	4 50
Jas Stocks, sr.....	1 00	COPETOWN BRANCH.		
James Shand.....	1 00	Col at public meeting.	Col by Misses Craig	
Small sums.....	5 35	Col by Miss Lemons	and Leuty	
Col by Wm Scott		Small sums.....	Mrs Jackson.....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 60	Col by Miss Bough-	Rev Mr Harper.....	1 00
Col by Miss M Lytle		ner	T E McBride.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 25	Small sums.....	A Allison.....	1 00
Col by Miss Ormiston		Col by Mrs C Tem-	Mrs Fieldhouse....	1 00
Robert Ormiston....	1 50	plar	Mrs H G Leuty.....	1 00
Mrs J D Howden....	1 00	Small sums.....	Small sums.....	9 30
Small sums.....	1 85	Total.....	Total.....	\$46 34
Col by Jno Roberts		\$13 46	DOVER BRANCH.	
Rev J A Carmichael.	1 00	CORUNNA BRANCH.		
James Burns.....	1 00	Col at public meeting.	John Crawford.....	\$1 00
Wm Richardson....	1 00	Col by Miss Lemons	Barnabas Wemp....	1 00
Wm Smith.....	3 00	Small sums.....	Solomon Winters....	1 00
P L Grass.....	1 00	Col by Miss Bough-	Mr Williams.....	1 00
Small sums.....	9 30	ner	Roderick Ross.....	1 00
Col by T W Ross		Small sums.....	J H Sharp.....	1 00
James Burns.....	1 00	Col by Mrs C Tem-	Rev J McAlmon....	2 00
Geo Ormiston.....	1 00	plar	Small sums.....	22 00
Small sums.....	2 00	Small sums.....	Total.....	\$30 00
Col by Jas Stark, jr		Total.....	DAYTON BRANCH.	
Jonathan Bray.....	1 00	\$20 03	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 21
James Stark.....	1 00	CREDITON BRANCH.		
Wm Ormiston.....	1 00	Col at public meeting.	Col by Misses Fisher	
Alex McKenzie.....	1 00	Col by Misses	and Garneau	
John McKenzie.....	1 00	Brown & Brown	Mrs J B Draper....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 00	M Morlock.....	J Fisher.....	1 00
Total.....	\$53 50	Gott Morlock.....	Alex Love.....	1 00
COOKSTOWN BRANCH.				
Col in Presbyterian	\$6 29	Cookville.....	Mrs L R Adams....	1 00
church.....		C Brown.....	Rev J McAlister....	1 00
Col in Methodist		Small sums.....	S W Fawcett.....	1 00
church.....	4 53	Col by Gotf Oes-	Dr Emes.....	1 00
Col by Mrs Samuel		tricher.....	Small sums.....	14 97
Manning		Col by Misses Holz-	Col by Misses Arm-	
Nathan Jackson....	1 00	man and Brown..	strong and Frank	
Jas Mayhew.....	1 00	Total.....	J D Fawcett.....	1 00
Miss Jackson.....	1 00	\$28 19	J B Draper.....	1 00
Mrs John Wilson....	1 00	DERRY WEST BRANCH.		
Small sums.....	7 20	Col at Pub Meeting..	Col by Misses	
COLUMBUS BRANCH.				
Col at public meeting.	\$2 55	Col by Misses Evans	Waind and Mont-	
Col by Miss Beith		and Lougheed	gomery	
and Mrs Ratcliffe		George Evans.....	Mark Waind.....	1 00
R G and W Ratcliffe.	1 00	Francis McQuoid....	Thomas Hamby....	1 00
Mrs John Hepburn..	1 00	Henry Russell.....	Small sums.....	7 25
Small sums.....	5 10	2 00	Col by Misses Kil-	
Col by S Stocks and		ley and Duff		
Thos Dolittle				
Jas Stocks, sr.....	1 00			
James Shand.....	1 00			
Small sums.....	5 35			
Col by Wm Scott				
Small sums.....	3 60			
Col by Miss M Lytle				
Small sums.....	1 25			
Col by Miss Ormiston				
Robert Ormiston....	1 50			
Mrs J D Howden....	1 00			
Small sums.....	1 85			
Col by Jno Roberts				
Rev J A Carmichael.	1 00			
James Burns.....	1 00			
Wm Richardson....	1 00			
Wm Smith.....	3 00			
P L Grass.....	1 00			
Small sums.....	9 30			
Col by T W Ross				
James Burns.....	1 00			
Geo Ormiston.....	1 00			
Small sums.....	2 00			
Col by Jas Stark, jr				
Jonathan Bray.....	1 00			
James Stark.....	1 00			
Wm Ormiston.....	1 00			
Alex McKenzie.....	1 00			
John McKenzie.....	1 00			
Small sums.....	2 00			
Total.....	\$53 50			
COOKSTOWN BRANCH.				
Col in Presbyterian	\$6 29			
church.....				
Col in Methodist				
church.....	4 53			
Col by Mrs Samuel				
Manning				
Nathan Jackson....	1 00			
Jas Mayhew.....	1 00			
Miss Jackson.....	1 00			
Mrs John Wilson....	1 00			
Small sums.....	7 20			

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Wm Menzies.....	\$5 00	Wm Waters	\$1 00	ELIMVILLE BRANCH.	
Edward Wyllie.....	1 00	H McCallum.....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 22
David Wyllie.....	1 00	Catherine McCallum.	1 00	Col by Misses Cann	
Mrs David Wyllie....	1 00	Mrs McKay	1 00	and Fyfe.....	3 50
John Ross	1 00	Alexander Love	1 00	Col by Misses Hunkin	
A R Fraser	2 00	Andrew J Ross.....	1 50	and Turnbull....	5 26
Mrs A R Fraser.....	2 00	Alexander Ross	1 00	Col by Misses Cel-	
Mrs J Forbes.....	1 00	Andrew Ross.....	1 00	bridge and Cook.	3 45
John McNaughton ..	1 00	Rev L McPherson...	2 00	Col by Misses Mon-	
Duncan McEwan....	2 00	Small sums.....	7 60	teith and Allen	
Thomas Scafe.....	1 00			James Airth, Sr....	2 00
Wm Scafe.....	1 00	Total....	\$158 82	Walter Madge, Sr...	1 00
Alexander Henderson	1 00	EDEN MILLS BRANCH.		Rev Colin Fletcher..	1 00
James McArthur....	2 00	Col at public meeting.	1 22	Donald McInnes....	1 00
Small sums.....	8 35	Col by Miss Argo		Small sums.....	5 20
Col by Misses Hurd		and Miss McFar-		Col by Misses Clark	
and Cameron		lane		and Northy.....	3 45
Alexander McMillan.	1 00	John Kean.....	1 00	Col by Misses Werry	
S Hover.....	1 00	Mrs Head	1 00	and Hall	
Angus McKay	1 00	Daniel Linderman...	1 00	Thomas Werry, Sr...	1 00
Small sums.....	5 15	James Auld	1 00	James Halls	1 00
Col by Misses Be-		Small sums.....	4 30	Small sums	3 85
thune and Fraser		Col by Miss Nicol		Col by Miss S Halls	
Small sums.....	5 75	and Miss Haws		Samuel Parkinson ..	2 00
Col by Misses		Mrs Winyard	1 00	Wm Miners, Jr....	1 00
Wyatt and Ross		Joseph Hagen	1 00	Small sums.....	4 77
Rev J Wells	1 00	James Argo	2 00		
Mrs J Wells	1 00	Small sums.....	2 25	Total.....	\$40 70
D C McKenzie	1 00	Col by Misses Ram-		EMBRO BRANCH.	
N McTaggart	1 00	say and Ramage		Jos Mann	\$4 00
Mrs D Ross.....	1 00	Allan Ramsay	1 00	Jos Murray.....	3 00
David Fraser.....	1 00	T Mason	1 00	D Matheson.....	2 00
John Bailly.....	1 00	George Barnet	1 00	H S McKay	1 50
Mrs Levi.....	2 00	John A Davidson....	1 00	Christy McKay.....	1 50
John Parsons.....	1 00	Mrs R Hampson	1 00	Miss Grinton.....	1 00
Donald Fraser	1 00	Small sums.....	11 95	W Boosey.....	1 00
Small sums.....	9 45			J Glendenning	1 00
Col by Misses Mc-		Total.....	\$32 72	J S McKay	1 00
Leish and Mc-		EGMONDVILLE BRANCH.		Angus McKay.....	1 00
Laughlan		Col at public meeting.	1 98	A L Murray	1 00
Archd McLeish.....	1 00	Col by Andrew		Jas Smith	1 00
Small sums.....	6 40	Story	1 00	Hugh Murray	1 00
From a lady friend..	25 00	Small sums.....	1 60	Mrs Silcox.....	1 00
Col by Misses Love		Col by Jas Hous-		Mrs G Munro.....	1 00
and McCubbin		ton	1 00	J W Burton	1 00
Small sums.....	4 00	Small sums.....	2 15	W Stuart	1 00
Col by Misses Mc-		Col by William Mc-		H McAulay	1 00
Donald and An-		Geoch		Mrs J M Ross.....	1 00
derson		Wm McGeoch	1 00	Dr Adams	1 00
Alexander Anderson.	1 00	Hugh Chesney	1 00	Robert Murray.....	1 00
J W McIntosh.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 00	Small sums.....	70 28
Wm McIntosh	1 00	Col by Wm Ireland			
Donald Fraser	1 00	Small sums.....	1 75	Total.....	\$98 28
Small sums.....	8 45	Col by Daniel Clark		ERAMOSIA BRANCH.	
Col by Misses Mc-		Daniel Clark	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$3 00
Leish and Mc-		Samuel Carnochan..	1 00	Col by Frank Forsyth	
Gregor		Rev Wm Graham....	1 00	Wm Forsyth.....	1 00
Alexander McLeish...	1 00	Rev J McCoy	1 00	Lazarus Parkinson..	1 00
Donald Waters.....	1 00	John Cumming	1 00	Thos R Dryden.....	1 00
Small sums.....	9 10	Thomas Hills.....	1 00	H Parkinson	1 00
Col by Misses Hap-		Small sums.....	8 95	Walter Swanston....	1 00
per and Fraser		Col by Samuel Car-		Small sums.....	75
H W C Clark.....	1 00	nochan		Col by Andrew Scott	
Kenneth McKay, sr..	2 00	Small sums.....	2 50	Walter Scott	1 50
Mrs K McKay	1 00				
Kenneth McKay, jr..	1 00	Total.....	\$31 93		

George Dryden.....	\$1 00	W H Shaw.....	\$1 00	Col by A Munro	
Small sums.....	2 50	Jas Wood.....	1 00	Jno Cormic, sr.....	\$1 00
Col by John A Dickieson		Small sums.....	5 30	Mrs D Wilkie.....	1 00
James Chambers....	1 00	Total.....	\$103 35	James Green.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 05			P Dow.....	1 00
Col by John Grieve				A Munro.....	1 00
John Grieve.....	1 00	ERIN BRANCH.		Small sums.....	6 00
John Mutrie.....	1 00	Col by C Overland		Col by Miss Broadfoot	
Mrs Wm Mutrie.....	1 00	Wm Tyler.....	\$1 00	Wm Broadfoot.....	1 00
Robert Bryden.....	1 00	R Hood.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 45
Small sums.....	50	Wm Cornock.....	1 00	Col by Andw Gerrie	
Col by Thos Dow		Mrs Clark.....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 84
Small sums.....	2 25	Rev R Fowlie.....	1 00	Col by Misses Rettie and Barnet	
Col by Peter Dunbar		Small sums.....	5 00	Jas Rettie & family..	2 00
Maggie Dunbar.....	1 50	Col by C McLachlan		Small sums.....	5 25
P Dunbar.....	1 00	Charles McLachlan..	1 00	Col by Miss Armstrong	
Wm Dow.....	1 00	Mrs C McLachlan....	1 00	strong	
Small sums.....	50	John Sinclair.....	1 00	G S Armstrong.....	5 00
Col by Thos Armstrong, Jr		Thos McLachlan....	1 00	Mrs G S Armstrong..	5 00
Thos S Armstrong... 4 00		Donald McLean....	1 00	Mrs D Allan.....	1 00
Fred Armstrong..... 1 00		Small sums.....	7 00	Small sums.....	4 25
G Armstrong.....	4 00	Col by the Misses Young		Col by Miss Wright	
R Mounce.....	1 00	Small sums.....	1 80	Small sums.....	3 60
D Armstrong.....	2 25	Col by P McGill and T Young		Col by Miss McInnes	
C Bolton.....	1 00	Miss McCormack....	3 00	Small sums.....	6 50
H Carter.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 75		\$92 79
P Bathgate.....	1 00	Col by P Binnie		Col by Misses Wilkie and Whittle	
A Watson.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 75	Robt Phillips.....	2 00
Mrs John Day.....	1 00	Col by J Speirs		W H Johnson.....	1 00
Small sums.....	7 75	Small sums.....	3 65	Mrs A S Cadenhead..	1 00
Col by Thos Sloan		Col by Henry McKinney		Dr O'Reilly.....	1 00
W M Armstrong....	1 00	Albert Thompson....	1 00	Miss D Fordyce.....	1 00
Mrs W M Armstrong	1 00	Small sums.....	3 75	Miss Hewlett.....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 50	Col by J Mathison		A D Fordyce.....	4 00
Col by John Sloan		Small sums.....	5 75	A Barnet.....	1 00
John Sloan.....	1 00	Total.....	\$47 45	A Taylor.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 00	FERGUS BRANCH.		Mr Duncan.....	1 00
Col by Alfred Farrow		Col at Pub Meeting..	8 92	R M Boswell.....	1 00
Asher Farrow.....	2 00	Col by Miss McColm		Mrs Russell.....	1 00
David Rea.....	2 00	Wm Clark.....	1 00	Small sums.....	16 85
Jas S Armstrong....	1 00	Small sums.....	5 00	Col by Miss Smellie and Mrs Mullan	
Wm Wood, Jr.....	2 00	Col by Miss Anderson		Rev G Smellie.....	1 00
Jno Wood.....	1 00	Mrs Muir.....	1 00	A L Argo.....	2 00
D K McDonald.....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 40	A D Ferrier.....	10 00
Jno S Armstrong....	5 00	Col by A Dyce		Small sums.....	9 40
Small sums.....	1 75	A Dyce.....	1 00	Mrs Grain and Miss Armstrong.....	1 00
Col by D B Scott		W Rennie.....	5 00	Mrs Argo.....	2 00
W S Armstrong.....	5 00	Mrs Jas Wilson.....	1 00	Col by Miss Fordyce and Mrs Casttell	
T Scott.....	1 00	J C Ross.....	2 00	James Argo.....	4 00
Mrs Jas Loghrin....	1 00	Small sums.....	9 10	Misses Argo.....	2 00
R Kirby.....	1 00	Col by Misses Richardson		Mrs Kerr.....	1 00
J Wood.....	1 00	J McKirlie.....	1 00	W Castell.....	2 00
J Kennedy.....	1 00	P Rennie.....	3 00	Mrs Groves.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 25	James Currie.....	1 00	H Michie.....	4 00
Col by Robert Smith		Mrs R Elliott.....	1 00	G A Reid.....	1 00
A Smith.....	1 00	A B Richardson....	1 00	Mrs A Richardson... 1 00	
Nancy McKerlie....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 40	W Murray.....	1 00
A Johnson.....	1 00			Rev B Mullan....	5 00
Rev A McKay.....	1 00				
J A Armstrong.....	1 00				
W R Scott.....	1 00				
Small sums.....	3 00				
Col by W H Shaw					

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T J Hamilton.....	\$1 00	May Campbell.....	\$1 00	Small sums.....	\$5 00
Mrs Kennedy.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 10	Col by John Esson..	1 85
R Caldwell.....	1 00	Col by Misses Mitchell		“ Wm Douglas..	1 20
James Muir.....	1 00	and Munro		Small sums.....	3 00
J G Patterson.....	1 00	Katy Mitchell.....	1 00	Col by Mr Emlie....	1 00
Small sums.....	15 10	Small sums.....	3 00	Col by Wm Simpson..	5 00
Col by Mrs Moffat		Col by Misses Mc-		Rev J R Black.....	1 00
and Miss Monger		Lardy and Munro		Small sums.....	4 10
Rev M Swann.....	1 00	C & M Munro.....	1 75	Col by Robt Bichan..	8 15
G D Fergusson.....	1 00	A McLardy.....	1 00	“ Wm Loutitt for	
Mrs Kay.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 25	1883 and 1884..	7 25
Small sums.....	9 05	Col by Misses Munro		“ Wm Townsend..	3 25
High School (Fergus)	4 10	and McArthur		“ Joseph Scaif....	2 00
Public School (do)	13 25	Mrs McArthur.....	1 00	“ John Smith....	3 25
		D Munro.....	1 00		
Free contributions in		A Turner.....	1 00	Total.....	\$55 05
Fergus.....	129 75	Mrs D Turner.....	1 00		
Do Nicol & Garafraxa	92 79	Small sums.....	2 90		
Col at Ann meeting..	8 92	Col by Misses Lynn		GARDEN HILL.	
From former year....	3 75	and McNeil		Col by Misses Mc-	
		P McNeil.....	1 00	Keown & Hamill	
Total.....	\$235 21	H Lynn.....	1 00	James Gray.....	\$1 00
		S Lynn.....	1 00	John Robb.....	1 00
FINGAL BRANCH.		Small sums.....	6 15	Small sums.....	10 50
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 48	Col by Misses Mc-		Col by J Dodds	
Col by Misses Mc-		Cormack and Turner		Wm Jamieson.....	1 00
Pherson and Suth-		D Turner.....	1 00	Mrs A Montgomery..	1 00
erland		Small sums.....	7 15	Small sums.....	4 10
Dr McPherson.....	1 00			Col by Secretary	
Rev G Sutherland...	1 00	Total.....	\$111 78	W G Callender (1883)	1 00
L Fowler.....	1 00			T M Little.....	1 00
J D McPherson.....	1 00	FORDWICH BRANCH.		Small sums.....	1 75
J K McPherson.....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	3 12	Total... ..	\$22 35
T Smith.....	1 00	Col by Misses Arm-			
P Barber.....	1 00	strong and Soth-		GLENALLAN BRANCH.	
D Barber.....	2 00	eran		Col by Mrs Suther-	
C Martin.....	1 00	Thos Wilson.....	1 00	land & Mrs Little	
A E Wallace.....	1 00	E Husband.....	1 00	Hugh McLachlan....	1 00
Rev T Cobb.....	1 00	Mrs B S Cook.....	1 00	Thomas Harris.....	1 00
Small sums.....	11 05	Rev Thomas Muir..	1 00	Rev H Norris.....	1 00
Col by Misses Gornley		Mrs Thomas Muir..	1 00	Rev B Sherlock.....	1 00
and Edmunds		W A Edwards.....	1 00	W S Sutherland....	1 00
James Gray.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 75	George Allan.....	1 00
C Edmunds.....	1 00	Col by Misses Gra-		Small sums.....	7 05
Mrs Edmunds.....	1 00	ham and Milne..	5 15	Col by Misses Suth-	
Wm Edmunds.....	1 00	Col by Misses Hut-		erland and Hender-	
G McKenzie.....	2 00	chison and Mc-		erson	
Mrs Potts.....	1 00	Laugh'an.....	4 35	Small sums.....	4 05
Small sums.....	7 75	Col by Misses Roe		Col by Misses Small	
Col by Misses Oxford		and Bradnock...	2 10	and Wilson	
and Palmer		Col by Mrs John-		Small sums....	4 30
G E Casey.....	5 00	ston and Miss		Col by Misses White	
Miss Oxford.....	1 00	Wilson.....	4 25	and Beyars	
Small sums.....	4 25			Small sums.....	3 80
Col by Misses Mc-		Total.....	\$28 72	Col by Mrs Wilson	
Dermid and Wilson				and Miss Mannell	
D McDermid.....	1 00	GARAFRAXA BRANCH.		Small sums.....	2 75
P Stevenson.....	1 00	Col by H McDonald			
Small sums.....	4 40	A Wray.....	2 00	Total.....	\$27 95
Col by Mrs I Turner		Rev W Millican....	1 00		
Small sums.....	8 35	Rev J Crane.....	1 00	GLENARM BRANCH.	
Col by Misses Mc-		R Y Blyth.....	1 00	Col by Misses Gil-	
Intyre and Mc-		Duncan Currie....	1 00	christ and Elford	
Lachlin		Mrs J Hill.....	1 00	Donald Gilchrist....	\$1 00
Small sums.....	8 20	Wm Leybourne....	1 00	Alexander Gilchrist..	1 00
Col by Miss Burwell		Dr Mennie.....	1 00	Duncan Graham....	1 00

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HILLSBURG BRANCH.		Mrs T Browitt	\$1 00	G B Patterson.....	\$1 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$4 71	Mrs R Hunter	1 00	Mrs Seldon, senr	1 00
Col by Misses Rob-		Mrs M H Curtis	1 00	" J Jarvis	1 00
inson and McMurchy		Mrs Brunt	1 00	Jacob Harris	1 00
John Byrne	2 00	Mills & Buchanan...	1 00	Mrs Webster.....	1 00
D McMurchy.....	1 00	Mrs A McKay	1 00	" Pierce	1 00
James Collins, jr	1 00	Mrs A Ellis	1 00	Joshua Bobier	1 00
Rev W Armstrong ..	1 00	Harry Webb	1 00	Mrs Winkler.....	1 00
Mrs C Armstrong....	1 00	Mrs J C Hegler.....	1 00	W E Irwin.....	1 00
Mrs J Armstrong....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 00	Andrew Oliver	1 00
Rev Mr Lediard	1 00	Col by Misses Chap-		Jas Ruddick	1 00
Thomas Huxley	1 00	man and Haskett		A friend	1 00
Thomas Beaty	1 00	Rev W W Ross.....	1 00	W Bomace.....	1 00
Francis Gray.....	1 00	Rev P W Ross	1 00	Mrs Bailey.....	1 00
Small sums.....	17 25	Rev J Reynolds.....	1 00	Thos Cuddy	1 00
Col by Misses Mc-		Rev E M Bland	1 00	Mrs B Minkler.	1 00
Lellan & Barbour		Mrs Jas Watt	1 00	Miss Hotson	1 00
Small sums.....	4 00	Mr Wilkinson	1 00	Christopher Cairns..	1 00
Col by the Misses		W S King	1 00	Donald Hutchison....	1 00
Barbour		Mrs R Kneeshaw....	1 00	Albert Crawford	2 00
Small sums.....	2 00	" Seldon.....	1 00	Mr Hay	1 00
Col by the Misses		" P J Brown.....	1 00	Small sums.....	15 05
Young		" Thos Wells.....	1 00	Col by Mrs Thomas	
Small sums	3 00	" Nelles	1 00	Choate	
		Dr Williams	1 00	Small sums.....	4 35
Total	\$41 96	Mrs C W Wilson....	1 00	Col by Miss Brad-	
		" Prentice	1 00	bury	
		" W T Root.....	1 00	Mrs D White.....	1 00
		" Jas Noxon.....	1 00	" Jas Sutherland..	1 00
		" C H Slawson....	1 00	" J J Wilson.....	1 00
		" Jackson	1 00	Small sums.....	8 12
		" Scott	1 00	Col by Miss O'Con-	
		Miss C Chapman	1 00	nor	
		C Kennedy	1 00	Mrs J Gibson.....	1 00
		Mr Terwilliger	1 00	" J S Dracon	1 00
		Small sums.....	16 75	" Newton	1 00
		Col by Mrs Dennis		" R McKay	1 00
		George Dennis	1 00	Small sums.....	4 64
		Small sums.....	3 75	Col by Misses Hav-	
		Col by Mrs Hipkins		land and Jarvis	
		Mrs Kirkwood	1 00	Small sums.....	4 90
		D Secord.....	1 00	Col by Miss Craw-	
		L Menhinnick	1 00	ford	
		T Menhinnick	1 00	Mrs B W Crawford..	1 00
		Dr Aikman	1 00	" W C A Crawford	1 00
		" McKay	1 00	" Noble Sharp	1 00
		Mrs Thos Brown	1 00	Miss A Sutherland ..	1 00
		" Hoyt.....	1 00	Small sums.....	9 63
		H Richardson	1 00	Col by Misses Allan	
		Small sums.....	4 45	Mrs James McDonald	1 00
		Col by Misses C and		W Hayward	1 00
		Mary Chapman		Mr Radenhurst.....	1 00
		Edward Chapman.....	1 00	H Crotty.....	1 00
		Mrs Edw'd Chapman.	1 00	George Ross.....	1 00
		Miss J C Chapman..	1 00	Mrs Galer.....	1 00
		" Mary Chapman.	1 00	Small sums.....	8 99
		Mrs T Chapman	1 00	Col by Miss Knee-	
		E J Chapman	1 00	shaw	
		Mrs Jas Chapman	1 00	Mr Holmes.....	1 00
		Miss Annie Grieve...	1 00	R W Woodroffe	1 00
		John Colyer	1 00	R Kneeshaw	1 00
		Mrs Parks	1 00	J Gordon.....	1 00
		" Wickens	1 00	A Ellis.....	1 00
		" Sandich	1 00	Mrs Thompson	1 00
		" J H Lowes.....	1 00	Mr Stinson.....	1 00
		" E Kennedy	1 00	J E Norsworthy.....	1 00
HOPE BRANCH.					
Col by Rev R Hur-					
ly, at Welcome					
J Giles.....	\$1 00				
T Brown.....	1 00				
S Jacobs	1 00				
William Tink.....	1 00				
Rev R Hurley	4 00				
Rev R T Courtice....	1 00				
Mrs H A Walker....	1 00				
J Nott.....	1 00				
William Henwood ..	1 00				
Richard Thompson ..	1 00				
Small sums.....	9 50				
Col by do, at Zion					
Miss Holden	1 00				
Robert Little	1 00				
Small sums.....	8 15				
Col by do, at Pt Bri-					
tain					
Mrs G Walkey.....	1 00				
Frederick Hoidaway..	1 00				
Small sums.....	3 05				
Col by do, at Mt					
Pleasant					
Small sums.....	2 50				
Col by Misses Millig-					
an, Gist & Peters					
Rev J C Seymour....	1 00				
James Loves	1 00				
N Peters	1 00				
Small sums.....	5 00				
Total	\$48 20				
INGERSOLL BRANCH.					
Col by Mrs Hegler					
Mrs McDowell.....	\$1 00				

BRANCH SUBSCRIPTION LISTS.

Small sums.....	\$4 10	Evans Bros.....	\$1 00	KINCARDINE BRANCH.	
Col by Misses McKenzie and Williams		John McDermid	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$5 70
Rev D McKenzie....	1 00	Thomas Syer.....	3 00	Col by Misses Johnston and Akin	
Small sums.....	9 90	Small sums.....	22 95	Norman Robertson ...	2 00
Mrs G Thompson....	1 00	Total	\$51 70	George Tyre	1 00
Mrs Marr.....	1 00	KEENE BRANCH, 1883.		James Warren	10 00
R McKay.....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$13 00	A Campbell	1 00
Small sums.....	50	Col by Misses Hope and Fife		M McKendrick.....	2 00
Interest on deposits..	2 81	Small sums.....	7 75	Rev J L Murray	10 00
Total.....	\$208 11	Col by Miss Cameron		James Johnston	1 00
INNERKIP BRANCH.		James Cameron.....	1 00	A M Johnston	4 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$6 34	Mrs A Esson	1 00	J M Johnston	2 00
Col by Misses Ellis and Brown		Thomas Esson.....	1 00	W A Malcolm	1 00
John Richardson	1 00	James Becket.....	1 00	Mrs Pemberton.....	1 00
Thomas Hart.....	1 00	Robert Esson	1 00	Small sums.....	16 00
James Hill	1 00	Small sums.....	17 30	Col by Misses Fisher and Morrison	
Small sums.....	2 90	Col by Misses Stewart & McIntyre		Small sums.....	1 05
Col by Misses McLean and Ellis		Small sums.....	8 40	Col by Misses Johnston & Stewart	
Small sums.....	2 90	Col by Misses Blezard and Gillespie		Mrs Waer	1 00
Col by the Misses Gillespie	1 00	Wm Blezard	1 25	M Richardson	1 00
Wm Gillespie.....	1 00	Alex Gillespie	1 00	Rev J B Hamilton ...	1 00
Small sums.....	6 30	Robert Borland.....	1 00	Small sums.....	8 62
Col by Misses Moore and Hendry		John Wood.....	1 00	Col by Misses Bone and Gardner	
Robert McLean.....	1 00	Small sums.....	11 90	W C Robertson.....	5 00
Small sums.....	5 70	Col by Misses Read and Kirby		Small sums.....	6 20
Col by Misses Gillespie and Nicol		Rev F Andrews.....	1 00	Col by Misses White and Fisher	
James Gillespie.....	1 00	Rev J Tozeland.....	1 00	J H Scott	1 00
Nelson Borland.....	1 00	Thomas Campbell....	1 00	Small sums.....	5 25
Small sums.....	2 00	James McNeil	1 00	Total	\$88 82
Col by Misses Block and Nichol		John Kindred	1 00	KINTORE BRANCH.	
Small sums.....	3 30	George Reid	2 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	2 50
Col by Misses Scott and Danbrook		Small sums.....	11 60	Col by Misses McKenzie and Ross	
James Scott	1 00	Total	\$86 20	Walter Ross	1 00
David McBeith.....	1 00	KEENE BRANCH, 1884.		Wm McKenzie	1 00
Small sums.....	6 40	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$8 95	Donald McKay.....	1 00
Total	\$44 84	Col by Miss Anderson		Small sums.....	7 00
JANETVILLE BRANCH.		John Anderson	1 00	Col by Misses Frazer and Mackintosh	
John Burn and family	\$5 00	Richard Short	1 00	D K Calder.....	1 00
Daniel Lavery	3 00	Small sums.....	4 10	Rev D Rogers	1 50
Mrs Dr McAlpine	3 00	Col by Misses Cameron		Small sums.....	4 05
Henry Heaslip	1 00	James Cameron.....	1 00	Col by Misses Burton and Jackson	
George Anderson	1 00	Mrs James Cameron	1 00	Robert Eldon.....	1 00
Robert Armstrong....	1 00	Thomas Esson	1 00	Small sums.....	1 30
P F McDermid.....	1 00	David Esson	1 00	Col by Misses Presly and Day	
Mrs H Anderson	1 00	Richard Esson	1 00	John Douglas.....	1 00
Rev H Munteer	1 00	Robert Harrison ...	1 00	Small sums.....	4 10
Rev E A Tonkin	1 00	Donald Cameron ...	1 00	Col by Misses McKay and McPherson	
John Johnston	1 00	Small sums.....	13 50	Donald McKay.....	1 00
James Hobbs.....	1 00	Col by Misses Blezard and Gillespie		John Clarke	1 00
Edward Richardson..	1 00	Wm Blezard	1 00	John McLeod	1 00
Richard Richardson..	1 00	Alex Gillespie	1 00	Small sums.....	5 75
Ben Johnston.....	1 00	Alex Wood.....	1 00	Total	\$37 9
Henry Anderson	1 00	John Wood.....	1 00		
		Small sums.....	11 80		
		Total	\$51 35		

Small sums.....	\$8 87	J A Bucknell.....	\$1 00	Rev W H Emsley....	\$1 00
		J A Barron.....	1 00	W L Herriman.....	1 00
Total.....	\$64 38	J G Edwards.....	1 00	James Moon.....	1 00
		W McTavish.....	1 00	W Sadler.....	1 00
LINDSAY BRANCH.					
1883.					
Col by J R McNellie					
and J H Knight					
Judge Dean.....	\$2 00	Dr A W J Degrassi..	1 00	A Hudspeth.....	1 00
P S Martin.....	1 00	John Clarke.....	1 00	Wm Dean.....	1 00
I C Taylor.....	1 00	S A McMurtry.....	1 00	John Hore.....	1 00
John Dobson.....	1 00	Thos Steward.....	1 00	J H Knight.....	1 00
John McLennan.....	1 00	Walter Darling.....	1 00	Warren Worsley....	1 00
H Gladman.....	1 00	D Browne.....	1 00	Rev S W Jones.....	3 00
J H Knight.....	1 00	C E L Porteous.....	1 00	Mrs S W Jones.....	2 00
J R McNeillie.....	1 00	J C Finley.....	1 00	R Sylvester.....	1 00
J H Southeran.....	1 00	T B Dean.....	1 00	R Bryans.....	1 00
Alex Cathro.....	1 00	O Bigelow.....	5 00	James Winters.....	1 00
James Watson.....	1 00	F Matchett.....	1 00	W Darling.....	1 00
Wm Needler.....	1 00	O J McKibbin.....	1 00	T E Bradburn.....	1 00
J D Flavell.....	1 00	H Dunsford.....	1 00	F C Taylor.....	1 00
J R Dundas.....	1 00	Rev W Lambert.....	1 00	A Jackson.....	1 00
Miss Havell.....	1 00	Dr W L Herriman..	1 00	George Matthews....	1 00
W Flavell.....	1 00	Rev J S Clarke.....	1 00	John Clark.....	1 00
E McGaffey.....	1 00	R Hamilton.....	1 00	R Sutton.....	1 00
J Monypenny.....	1 00	R Junkin.....	1 00	John Thexton.....	1 00
S Perrin.....	1 00	P Mitchell.....	1 00	S Bigelow.....	1 00
C D Barr.....	1 00	Small sums.....	10 10	James Graham.....	1 00
R Smyth.....	1 00	Total.....	\$101 10	John Dobson.....	1 00
Cash.....	2 00	LINDSAY BRANCH, 1884.			
Edmund Gregory..	2 00	Mr and Mrs Easton..	\$5 00	W E Tilley.....	1 00
Adam Hudspeth..	2 00	T Matchett.....	1 00	W J Hallett.....	1 00
Alex Jackson.....	1 00	J R McNeillie.....	1 00	R H Dunn.....	1 00
A Campbell.....	2 00	P Mitchell.....	1 00	Small sums.....	17 30
J E Thornbury.....	1 00	Wm Grace.....	1 00	Total.....	\$91 30
A Higinbottom....	1 00	O J McKibbin.....	1 00	LITTLE BRITAIN BRANCH.	
J W Wallace.....	1 00	John Barrett.....	1 00	Col by Mrs Beer	
James Graham.....	1 00	L Maguire.....	1 00	Rev W C Beer.....	1 00
James Hamilton....	1 00	R Smyth.....	1 00	Dr A E Vrooman....	1 00
F Reeves.....	1 00	Jesse Parkin.....	1 00	John Broad.....	1 00
John Anderson....	1 00	J D Flavell.....	1 00	Jno J Broad.....	1 00
Jesse Parkin.....	1 00	Minnie Flavell....	1 00	Wm Wickett.....	1 00
W H Gross.....	1 00	J R Dundas.....	1 00	Daniel Noble.....	1 00
H Holtorf.....	1 00	Wm Flavell.....	1 00	Mrs James Smith....	1 00
E Woods.....	1 00	James Hamilton....	1 00	Mrs George Culbert..	1 00
T E Bradburn.....	1 00	E McTavish.....	1 00	Wm Hambly.....	1 00
W I Russell.....	1 00	H J Keighley.....	1 00	John Cowle, jr.....	1 00
Newton Bros.....	1 00	J G Edwards.....	1 00	Ferguson Whiteside..	50 00
Britton Bros.....	1 00	James Wetherup....	1 00	Small sums.....	7 13
Dr Rogers.....	1 00	Mrs Soanes.....	1 00	Col by Miss Dix	
J Neelands.....	1 00	A Campbell.....	1 00	Jno Dix.....	1 00
R Bryans.....	1 00	Edmond Gregory....	2 00	Small sums.....	5 49
D J McIntyre.....	1 00	J Neelands.....	1 00	Total.....	\$74 37
S Bigelow.....	1 00	S A McMurtry.....	1 00	LUCKNOW BRANCH.	
Rev J Hastie.....	1 00	T B Dean.....	1 00	Rev John McNabb..	\$1 00
Geo Matthews.....	1 00	H Gladman.....	1 00	Joseph Little.....	1 00
W E Tilley.....	1 00	James Watson.....	1 00	Rev Thomas Cosford.	1 00
H L Dunn.....	1 00	J H Oliver.....	1 00	Jno H McHardy.....	1 00
G A Smith.....	1 00	P S Martin.....	1 00	John Scott.....	1 00
W J Hallett.....	1 00	Hugh Murray.....	1 00	Rev D Cameron.....	1 00
G A Irwin.....	1 00	Alex Jackson.....	1 00	Wm Traver.....	1 00
M Peplow.....	1 00	J H Southeran....	1 00	Small sums.....	25 70
M J Wray.....	1 00	James K Mark.....	1 00	Total.....	\$32 70
Rev S Weston Jones.	2 00	C D Barr.....	1 00	MALTON BRANCH.	
Dr Burrows.....	1 00	Joseph Lisle.....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	
J R Easton.....	1 00	Thos Robertson....	1 00	1 83	
		Geo Crandell.....	1 00		
		J C Finney.....	1 00		

Col by Messrs Robinson & Johnson		Tobias Hodgson	\$1 00	Wm Archer	\$1 00
John Robinson	\$1 00	H C Black	1 00	Mr Anderson.....	1 00
Robert Johnson.....	1 00	S McPhail	1 00	Small sums.....	24 45
Small sums.....	3 50	Dr Luke	1 00	Col by Misses Mc-	
Col by David Row-		James McIndoe.....	1 00	Iver and Williams	
land		Charles McFadyen ..	1 00	Arch'd Wood.....	1 00
D Rowland.....	1 00	Joseph Thompson ..	1 00	Mrs Ainley	1 00
Jas Walker.....	1 00	Thomas Rundle	1 00	Mrs Sowdon.....	1 00
A Shields	1 00	James Elliott.....	1 00	Mrs O'Brien	1 00
A Gregory	1 00	Allan McLean and		Dr Burnham	1 00
Small sums.....	2 00	family	1 00	Samuel Jamieson ..	2 00
Col by Messrs Gar-		Small sums.....	27 40	W H Russell.....	2 00
butt & Culham		Total	\$75 65	Rev Jas Cameron.....	1 00
John Chapman	1 00			Mrs Allen	1 00
Wm McKay	1 00	MARA BRANCH.		E Mulligan.....	1 00
Small sums.....	4 75	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$4 21	Small sums.....	6 75
Col by Messrs Broc-		Col by Misses Mc-		Col by Misses Nat-	
klebank and San-		Lennan and Mc-		tras and Fallis	
derson		Nabb		Small sums.....	5 97
Townley Brocklebank	1 00	Small sums.....	6 07	Total.....	\$58 96
George Sanderson....	1 00	Col by Misses			
Jno Hooper.....	1 00	Walker and Mc-		MINESING BRANCH.	
Thos Ward.....	1 00	Kay		Col at public meeting.	5 57
Small sums.....	0 50	Albert Scholes.....	1 00	Mrs Bennet.....	1 00
Col by Misses Job-		Small sums.....	3 43	Peter Gilchrist	1 00
son and Shaw		Col by Misses		Mrs Jas McKinley... 1 00	
T B Allen	2 00	Graham & Bruce		Mrs Alfred Morren.. 1 00	
Rev G Wood	1 00	Small sums.....	7 40	Mrs Ronald	2 00
John McMullen	1 00	Col by Misses Mc-		John Young	1 00
Mrs Gardhouse	1 00	Intosh and Mc-		Joseph Chappel..... 1 00	
Small sums.....	6 17	Donald		Mr Livingstone..... 1 00	
Col by Messrs Clark-		Small sums	3 55	Wm J Standen	1 00
son and Thomas		Total.....	\$25 66	John W Orchard 1 00	
Wm Clarkson.....	1 00			Andrew Ronald..... 1 00	
James Cook	1 00	MELROSE BRANCH.		John Standen..... 1 00	
F Dawson	1 00	Col at public meeting.	\$2 50	Small sums.....	28 05
D Tomlinson.....	1 00	Col by Misses Mc-		Total.....	\$46 62
Small sums.....	2 25	Farlane and Mc-			
Total	\$42 00	Laren		MITCHELL BRANCH.	
		Wm McFarlane	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$9 45
MANILLA BRANCH.		D McFarlane.....	1 0	Walter Thomson 2 00	
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$7 35	Wm McLaren.....	1 00	Isaac Hord	1 00
John M Michael	1 00	Alex McLaren	1 00	J Middlemiss.....	1 00
Wm Varcoe	1 00	Mrs Simpkins	1 00	O Sinclair	1 00
J L Grose	1 00	Small sums.....	3 00	Rev W Ayers	1 00
John McIntyre.....	1 00	Col by Misses De-		D S Campbell	1 00
Wm Coone.....	1 00	Mill and Osborn		Abraham Robb..... 1 00	
Hugh Ferguson.....	1 00	J G McKinney.....	1 00	Rev A F Tully	1 00
George Douglas.....	1 00	D Anderson	1 00	Rev J W Gilpin..... 1 00	
Mrs George Douglas..	1 00	Small sums.....	3 75	J Phinnamore..... 1 00	
A Friend.....	1 00	Col by Alexander		George Hodge, MD.. 1 00	
Isaac Whitesmith....	1 00	McLaren, junr		J S Ford.....	1 00
Norman Minturn....	1 00	Charles McLaren....	1 00	Thomas Davison 1 00	
John Coone & family.	2 75	James McLaren.....	1 00	J H Flagg	1 00
Elias Bowes	1 00	Miss A McLaren	1 00	W W Hicks	1 00
Mrs E Bowes.....	1 00	Small sums.....	1 50	T McDonald	1 00
" Vardon	1 00	Total.....	\$20 75	H Metcalf	1 00
" J Whitesmith ..	1 00			R H Coleman..... 1 00	
A Thankoffering....	3 00	MILLBROCK BRANCH.		J T Barley	1 00
Small sums.....	7 15	Col at public meeting.	\$6 79	Thomas McClay 1 00	
Col by John Coone		Col by Misses Allen		James Mickle	1 00
Mrs Stabback	1 00	and Turner		Rev P B De Lom	2 00
" A Edwards	1 00	Dr Turner.....	1 00	W R Davis.....	1 00
H Glendinning	1 00			Mrs W Kerr	1 00

BRANCH SUBSCRIPTION LISTS.

A Friend.....	\$1 00	Thomas Lewis	\$1 00	Col by Misses Best	
G K Matheson	1 00	Robert Cobean	1 00	and Jacks n	
Richard Babb	1 00	Joseph H Jolliffe	1 00	M A Best	\$1 00
J W Cull	1 00	Rev A Watt	1 00	Small sums.....	7 85
George Awty.....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 30	Col by Misses Best	
Alden Burritt	1 00	Col by John Rich-		and Gardiner	
Rev A Cunningham..	1 00	ardson		Geo Jamieson	2 00
H J Hurlburt	1 00	Rev A Tait.....	1 00	Rev J Ewing	1 00
Wm Stuart.....	1 00	Jane E Lewis	1 00	F Gardiner	1 00
Small sums.....	24 10	William Lewis	1 00	Small sums.....	6 65
		Hugh Potter	1 00		
Total	\$68 55	Jackson Potter	1 00	Total.....	\$23 67
		John Richardson	1 00		
		Small sums.....	1 00		

MOLESWORTH BRANCH.

Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 17
Archibald McDonald.	1 00
Duncan McDonald...	1 00
Donald McDonald...	1 00
John McDonald	1 00
Alex McDonald	1 00
Wm McKee, sr	1 00
Wm McKee jr	2 00
Mrs McKee	2 00
Andrew McKee	1 00
Andrew P McKee	1 00
Samuel McKee	1 00
Mrs Samuel McKee..	1 00
Michael McKee.....	1 00
Mrs Love	1 00
Andrew Mitchell	1 00
James Menzies	1 00
Joseph Armstrong ..	1 00
Rev D Bickell	2 00
Mrs Bickell	2 00
Wm Spence	1 00
Michael Spence.....	1 00
Peter Stewart	1 00
Robert Elliot	1 00
C W Watson	2 00
Mrs Watson	3 00
Small sums.....	25 35
Total	\$59 52

MONO CENTRE BRANCH.

Robert McCutcheon..	1 00
Andrew Henry	1 00
Wm Denton	1 00
John Barclay	1 00
Ephraim Irwin.....	1 00
Mrs James Irwin	1 00
James Irwin	1 00
Beaty Lewis	1 00
James Bower.....	5 00
James Coleman.....	2 00
Mrs James Coleman..	1 00
Daniel Galbraith	1 00
Small sums.....	13 05
Total	\$30 05

MONO MILLS BRANCH.

Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 33
Col by Misses Arm-	
strong and Cobean	
James Lewis	2 00

Total	\$19 63
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MOUNT PLEASANT (BRANT) BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.	\$3 01
Col by Misses Mc-	
Intyre and Bryce	
John Thompson	1 00
George Bryce.....	1 00
Mrs George Bryce....	1 00
Peter McIntyre.....	1 00
W L Jones.....	1 00
Col J K Gould.....	1 00
J R Ellis.....	1 00
Rev R Hobbs.....	5 00
R L Biggar.....	1 00
Wm Biggar.....	1 00
John Eadie.....	1 00
Small sums.....	7 05
Col by Misses	
Phelps and Ellis	
Charles Phelps	1 00
Dr Marquis	2 00
Herbert Biggar.....	1 00
Rev Thos Alexander.	1 00
Elmer Townsend....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 65
Col by Misses Dev-	
lin and Ferguson	
Peter McEwen	1 00
Small sums.....	2 60
Col by Misses Sil-	
verthorn and	
Meggaitt	
A Silverthorn	1 00
Wm Biggar.....	1 00
John Eadie.....	1 00
Small sums.....	2 65
Col by Misses Dev-	
lin and Phelps	
H Biggar.....	1 00
Walter Phelps	1 00
Charles Phelps	1 00
A Townsend	1 00
Small sums.....	75
Total	\$47 71

MOUNT PLEASANT (CAVAN) BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.	\$4 17
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NAPANEE BRANCH.	
Col at public meeting.	\$3 31
Col at public meeting	
at Selby	1 39
Col by Misses Trigg	
and Allen	
Rev Alexander Young	1 00
Mrs Alex Young	1 00
James Kussell	1 00
Walter Coxall	1 00
S Dunning	1 00
Miss M Ferguson....	1 00
Willie Ewart.....	1 00
Small sums.....	16 45
Total.....	\$28 15

NEWBRIDGE BRANCH.

Col by Misses Par-	
ker and Rennie	
Small sums.....	\$5 35
Col by Misses Wal-	
lace and Johnston	
Small sums.....	4 85
Col by Misses Hind-	
man and Fallis	
Camil Hindman	1 00
James Fallis	1 00
Small sums.....	2 80
Total	\$15 00

NEWCASTLE BRANCH.

Col at Pub Meeting..	\$4 63
Col by Misses Drum-	
mond and Allin	
Asa F Walbridge	\$5 00
Hiram Hodges	5 00
Rev Mr Addison	1 00
W T Lockhart	1 00
Robert Fothergill....	1 00
James Eddy	1 00
F J Osborne	1 00
F Farcombe.....	1 00
Canon Brent	1 00
Miss Stewart	1 00
J J Robson.....	1 00
Small sums.....	8 10
Col by Misses Sim-	
mons and Palmer	
Rev A A Drummond	2 00
Rev Mr Kennedy....	1 00
Maurice Cooper.....	1 00

Edward Rutherford..	\$1 00	J Tyreman	\$1 00	Small sums	\$5 05
Small sums	2 70	Andrew Wright	1 00	Col by Misses Shee-	
Col by Misses Stark		Lachlan Thornton ..	1 00	py and Smith	
and Hunter		Mrs Colville	1 00	Small sums	3 05
David Stark	1 00	A J Lockhart	1 00	Col by Misses Ewing	
John D Stark	1 00	A Tucker	1 00	and Mahan	
David Stark	1 00	G M Long	2 00	Small sums	5 65
James D Stark	1 00	R Moment	1 00	Col by Miss Hamil-	
Alex Hunter	1 00	J Best	1 00	ton	
John Smith	1 00	R Knox	1 00	Small sums	0 70
Robert Smith	1 00	Small sums	32 05	Col by Miss McCallum	
James Stark	1 00			Small sums	2 75
James Turner	1 00	Total	\$44 70	Col by Misses Mau-	
George Murray	1 00			ly and McBeth	
Andrew Murray	1 00	PAINSWICK BRANCH.		Small sums	5 50
John Knox	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$0 51	Col by Miss Mun	
Hugh Martin	1 00	Col by Miss Church		Small sums	4 05
Alexander Dale	1 00	Small sums	4 10		
John Reid	1 00	Col by Misses Thom-		Total	\$106 62
Small sums	2 50	son and Shannon			
Col by Misses La-		Small sums	3 87	PARIS BRANCH.	
Belle and Herod		Col by Misses Mc-		Col at Pub Meeting..	\$10 35
Robert Rutherford..	1 00	Kay and Sibbald		Mrs McCosh	1 00
Mrs H Anderson	1 00	Small sums	6 12	Mrs Davidson	1 00
John Anderson	1 00			Mrs P Adams	1 00
Small sums	7 00	Total	\$15 00	G Brown	1 00
Col by Norman Mc-				Mrs S Baker	2 00
Leod and James		PAISLEY BRANCH.		Mrs Walker	1 00
Baird		Col by Misses Mc-		Miss J A Sovereign..	2 00
Small sums	3 50	Donald and Jelley		H Moyle	1 00
Rev Alex Grant	25 00	G W Malloch	\$10 00	Mrs A Qua	1 00
		John McCool	1 00	Mrs A H Baird	1 00
Total	\$82 72	R Given	1 00	J Penman	1 00
		Miss M Jelley	1 00	Mrs W E Adams	5 00
OAKVILLE BRANCH.		Benjamin Mills	1 00	Mrs Keachie	1 00
Col by Miss Andrew		Small sums	15 00	Dr Burt	1 00
Rev J B Worrel	\$1 00	Col by Misses Hart-		R C Jennings	1 00
C Armstrong	1 00	greave and Stark		F D Mitchell	1 00
Mrs W Smith	1 00	Rev J Hale	1 00	E C Allworth	1 00
Mrs Geo K Chisholm	1 00	E Saunders	1 00	W J Robinson	1 00
Small sums	4 85	Rev J Edge	1 00	Mrs Bradford	1 00
Col by Miss Ewan		Rev J Duncan	1 00	Rev H Hughes	1 00
Charles Corte	1 00	Small sums	9 65	J Macmillan	1 00
Jno A Williams	2 00	Col by Misses Ar-		Miss M J Gamble	1 00
Robert Bulmer	1 00	nold and Berrie		Mrs Adams	1 00
Mrs Geo Ewan	1 00	Small sums	11 35	" Anderson	1 00
Small sums	1 90	Col by Misses Blues		" Allan	2 00
		Mrs W Rusk	1 00	J H Hackland	2 00
Total	\$15 75	Small sums	3 75	D Maxwell	2 00
		Col by Miss McAr-		James Maxwell	1 00
OAKWOOD BRANCH.		thur		W W Clay	2 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$6 06	A McArthur	1 00	Mrs Dickson	1 00
Col Thanksgiving ser-		Small sums	3 3	Miss E J Curtis	5 00
vice	2 42	Col by Miss Read		" M G Curtis	10 00
E Weldon	1 00	Small sums	3 25	" M Curtis	5 00
Jos Tinney	1 00	Col by Miss Chis-		R Montgomery	1 00
Charles Eck	1 00	holm		Mrs Caswell	1 00
Jessie Weldon sr	1 00	Small sums	2 25	Mrs D Brown	1 00
A Cameron	2 00	Col by Misses Wal-		T Hull	2 00
George Graham	5 00	lace and Rowan		Mrs McLeod	1 00
W C Jeffers	1 02	John McFarlane	1 00	H Finlayson	1 00
Small sums	4 50	Small sums	6 90	Rev J Grant	1 00
		Col by Miss Stodart		J Walker	1 00
Total	\$25 00	Small sums	3 40	J W Akers	1 00
ORONO BRANCH.		Col by Misses Buck-		T McCosh	1 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 65	ley and Sherman		Jno Anderson	1 00

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Miss L R Latshaw ...	\$1 00	J Croxall	\$1 00	Small sums	\$ 9 10
Mrs Drynan	1 00	Mrs T Robinson	1 00	Col by Miss Ayal	
Mrs Turnbull	1 00	Thomas Maybury ...	1 00	A Douglas	1 00
M Folsetter	1 25	Small sums	18 06	G N Blair	1 00
G McVicker	1 00	Col by Misses Good-		Rev A Martin	1 00
W Moyle	1 00	man and McDon-		Geo B Boyce	1 00
T Armstrong	1 00	ald		J B Stone	1 00
Mrs Burt	1 00	Mrs Colonel Goodman	1 00	Small sums	5 00
John Bray	1 00	Mrs T Mulveney ...	1 00		
P Wilson	1 00	A widow	1 00		
Mrs J Tennant	1 00	W Dickson	1 00		
" W Tennant	1 00	W H Hutchins.	1 00		
D Rutherford	1 00	Rev H A Thomas ...	2 00		
Small sums	118 30	Small sums	13 36		
Total	\$213 90	Total	\$55 62	Total	\$129 39

PETERBORO' BRANCH.
Col by R Kingan
and W W John-

A Moffat	\$1 00
A Friend	1 00
J R Stratton	1 00
Mrs E Brown	1 00
W A Morrow	1 00
Geo A Cox	2 00
A L Davis	1 00
A Hall	1 00
Wm Metcalfe	1 00
H S Macdonald	1 00
G Mitchell	1 00
R H Dennistoun	1 00
G M Roger	1 00
A P Pousette	1 00
Rich'd Hall	1 00
Robert Hall	1 00
J W Flavelle	1 00
F Hall	1 00
P Connel	1 00
W G Ferguson	1 00
J Robinson	1 00
Jas Best	1 00
McKee & Davidson ..	1 00
M Millar	1 00
Geo Stethem	1 00
W A Sanderson	1 00
J C Turnbull	1 00
W Fairweather	1 00
B Shortly	1 00
J H Roper	1 00
W Monson	1 00
J Stevenson	1 00
James Campbell	1 00
H C Winch	1 00
J Taylor	1 00
D W Dumble	1 00
J Bradburn	1 00
J B Pentland	1 00
W Patterson	2 00
Henry Moore	2 00
Val Best	1 00
J Carnegie	1 00
J S Stenson	1 00
Mrs Gilmour	1 00
Miss Scull	1 00
R Johnston	1 00
A Friend	2 00
Mrs E A Haultain	2 00
Dr McCrea	1 00
Geo Allen	1 00
J D Collins	1 00

PARKDALE BRANCH, 1883.

Col at Pub Meeting,	
1883	\$3 10
Rev T W Campbell	1 00
Mrs Ingles	1 00
Dr Turver	1 00
Rev W A Hunter	1 00
H McMath	2 00
E G Kinzinger	1 00
A W Spaulding	1 00
R S King	1 00
Major Gray	1 00
George Booth	1 00
J M Wingfield	1 00
Small sums	23 00
Total	\$38 16

Parkdale, 1884.

Dr Bentley	1 00
Rev E Clement	1 00
Edward Terry	3 00
Mrs T W Campbell	2 00
John Inglis	1 00
Mrs Ingles	1 00
Mrs Duff	1 00
George Gurd	1 00
Rev W A Hunter	1 00
Mr Weeks	1 00
Mrs Wadsworth	1 00
" Fryce	1 00
" J A Carlow	1 00
A W Spaulding	1 00
Hugh McMath	1 00
E George Kinzinger	1 00
Thomas Moore	1 00
Rev Charles Duff	1 00
Walter Gaynor	1 00
Small sums	24 06
Total	\$46 06

PARKHILL BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.	9 20
Col by Misses	
Shoults and Porte	
Wm Caw, M D	\$2 00
John M Gibbs	1 00
T L Rogers	1 00
R Porte	1 00

PERCY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting,	
1883	\$18 31
Col by Misses	
Snodgrass and	
Grattan, 1883	
John Douglas	1 00
R P Hurlburt	1 00
Rev D Sutherland	1 00
A E Mallory	1 00
N Empy	1 00
J Humphries	1 00
Small sums	20 00
Col by Misses	
Grattan and	
Humphries, 1884	
J Douglas	1 00
N Empy	1 00
R P Hurlburt	1 00
A E Mallory	1 00
A M Hamilton	1 00
Rev D Sutherland	1 00
J Humphries	1 00
Rev W Buchanan	1 00
Small sums	18 10
Col by Misses	
Runceman and	
Armstrong	
A Runceman	1 00
Donald Douglas	1 00
Small sums	11 98
Col by Misses Ger-	
man and Gerow	
Wm H German	1 00
J L Gerow	1 00
C A Mallory	1 00
John Beswetherick ..	1 00
Small sums	2 85
Col by Misses Mc-	
Lelan and Inglis	
Small sums	2 05
Col by Misses Ang-	
us and Patterson	
George Angus	1 00
James Patterson	1 00
John Blezard	1 00
Joseph B Whelan	1 00
James Ewing	1 00
Mrs B Hopkins	1 00
Edward Hopkins	1 00

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Small sums.....	\$3 25	Edward Tolton	\$1 00	Mrs G McKersie.....	\$1 00
Col by Miss Sutherland		Small sums.....	6 05	Mrs John McNab.....	1 00
Small sums.....	3 25	Col by Mr Dredge		Small sums.....	1 85
Col by Misses McLean and Smith		Small sums.....	3 00	Col by R Dredge...	
Small sums.....	1 70	Col by Miss Fitzsimmons		Small sums.....	1 90
Col by Misses McKay and McLeod		Wm Farrish	1 00	Col by Misses Pasmore and Hewat	
Small sums.....	3 30	Small sums.....	2 50	Thomas Harris	5 00
Col by Misses McKenzie and McPhail		Col by Misses Shaw and Dryden		Eli Stout	1 00
Small sums.....	2 15	Mrs McKersie	1 00	Alex McMillan.....	1 00
Col by Misses Torrence and Campbell		Small sums.....	4 15	Samuel Harris	1 00
Small sums.....	2 50	Col by Misses Passmore and Hewatt		Rev D Strachan	2 00
Col by Misses Kennedy & Roulston		T Harris	3 00	Mrs Fletcher.....	1 00
Small sums.....	1 40	Eli Stout	1 00	Mrs Smith	1 00
Col by Misses Featherston & Rutherford		J R Harris.....	2 00	R Pasmore	1 00
Small sums.....	0 45	Mrs J R Harris	2 00	J R Harris and wife..	2 00
Col by Misses Sutherland and McDonald		Alex McMillan	1 00	W Harris and bros ...	4 00
Peter McDonald.....	1 00	Miss Smith.....	1 00	J Cunningham & wife	1 00
Rev A Sutherland ...	1 00	Rev D Strachan	1 00	Mrs W McCarthy... ..	2 00
Mrs Sutherland.....	1 00	Robert Passmore... ..	1 00	Small sums.....	7 25
Arch McDonald	1 00	Mrs Fletcher.....	1 00	Col by Mrs Garstang and Halsted	
Allan McDonald	1 00	Small sums.....	9 20	James Grey	1 00
Small sums.....	14 90	Col by Miss Dickieson		Small sums.....	1 75
Col by Misses Hewitt and McKenzie		George Dickieson	1 00	Col by Misses Tovel	
James McLeod	1 00	George Scott	1 00	Mrs McWilliams	1 00
P D McInnis.....	1 00	Rev John Durkee... ..	1 00	Small sums.....	4 25
Small sums.....	6 90	John Dickieson	1 00	Col by Miss Fitzsimmons	
Total	\$56 39	Small sums.....	1 00	John Fitzsimmons... ..	1 00
		Col by Misses Gartan and Black		John Ramsay	1 00
		John McQueen	1 00	William Farrish	1 00
		James McQueen	1 00	Small sums.....	1 35
		Small sums.....	2 00	Col by Misses Waters and Harris	
		Col by Misses Walters and Harris		Thomas Harris	2 50
		Thomas Harris	2 00	Mrs Thos Harris	2 00
		Mrs Thomas Harris.. ..	2 00	Mrs Joseph Harris... ..	1 00
		Thomas Waters.....	1 00	Thomas Waters.....	1 00
		Small sums.....	5 20	Small sums.....	7 25
		Col by Misses Webb and McMillan		Cl by Misses Dickieson	
		Small sums.....	2 68	John Clark.....	1 00
		Total	\$95 16	A Friend	1 00
				Mr Dickieson.....	1 00
				Small sums.....	2 10
				Col by Miss McTavish	
				Edward Tolton	1 00
				Small sums.....	1 75
				Col by Mrs Campbell	
				Small sums.....	2 35
				Col by Miss Sinclair	
				Small sums.....	4 00
				Col by Misses Black and McLane	
				John Black.....	1 00
				Small sums.....	6 50
				Col by Misses Webb and Sunter	
				Mr Anderson.....	1 00
				Small sums.....	2 00
				Total.....	\$108 34

ROTHSAY BRANCH.		Mrs R McLaren.....	\$2 00	Small sums.....	\$13 87
Col at Presbyterian ch	\$1 65	" C St John	1 00		
Col at Methodist ch..	2 25	" H A King	1 50	Total.....	\$50 00
Col by Misses Digby and Billings		" C Benson	1 00		
John Taylor.....	1 00	James Norris.....	2 00	ST. HELEN'S BRANCH.	
Small sums.....	3 00	Mrs McCollum.....	4 00	Col at public meeting.	\$1 51
Col by Misses Push and Delmage		" Douglas.....	1 00	Col by Misses Asquith and Rutherford	
Mrs Edmison.....	1 00	" G P M Ball	1 00	Small sums.....	8 25
Small sums.....	6 20	" John Nay	1 00	Col by Misses Gaunt and Thom	
Total.....	\$15 10	M D Haynes.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 00
		Mrs Edmonds	1 00	Col by Misses Gordon and Haines	
		" Arnold	1 00	Rev R Leask.....	1 00
		S Bate.....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 75
		J R Benson	5 00	Col by Misses Lockhart and Wellwood	
		Mrs J Taylor.....	1 00	Robert Lockhart	1 00
ST. CATHARINES BRANCH.		A J Booth	1 00	Small sums.....	4 62
Col at public meeting	\$9 25	Mrs Murray	1 00	Col by Misses Baldwin and Henry	
Mrs Jas Gilleland...	2 00	Thos Shaw.....	2 00	Small sums.....	1 55
Jas Gilleland.....	1 00	J W Shenston.....	1 00	Col by Misses Wilson and Robinson	
Mrs A M Smith	1 00	G W Hodgetts	3 00	Small sums.....	2 60
Mrs Thos Bullivant..	1 00	J W Carman	1 00	Col by Misses Phillips and Stein	
John Hamilton.....	1 00	Mr Crawford.....	1 00	Small sums.....	1 86
B C Fairfield.....	1 00	" Gilleland	1 00		
Geo B Coy	1 00	Mrs Collison	2 00		
W J McCalla	20 00	" Campbell	1 00		
A Friend.....	1 00	John McCalla.....	10 00		
Sylvester Neelon	5 00	Mrs E Higgins	1 00		
Miss Hull.....	1 00	" P McCallum.....	1 00		
Dr Youmans	1 00	H P McCraney	1 00		
James Reilly	1 00	Mrs G Burch.....	2 00		
R Lawrie.....	1 00	A Friend.....	2 00		
Thos Clarke	1 00	Mrs S Collinson	2 00		
Rev G Burson	2 00	" L C Camp.....	1 00		
J C A	1 00	W L Copeland	2 00		
J S Bigger	1 00	D W Beadle	1 00		
Rev Wm Ratcliffe...	1 00	Small sums.....	70 66		
Rev J A Williams...	1 00	Total.....	\$231 41	SANDFORD BRANCH.	
Mrs Dr Downey	1 00			Col at public meeting.	\$4 85
John Carter	1 00			Col by Allen Dick and Albert Russell	
Miss Lamb.....	2 00			Rev N Wellwood	1 00
Mrs Jackson	1 00	ST. GEORGE BRANCH.		George Smith.....	1 00
W J Stanley	1 00	Col at public meeting	\$3 63	A W Moore	1 00
Rev Mr Fennell	1 00	Benjamin Bell.....	4 00	Edward Taylor.....	1 00
Miss Leitch	1 00	Mrs B Bell.....	4 00	Thomas Burnham....	1 00
Mrs C Mills	1 00	Miss Carrie Bell....	2 00	Small sums.....	5 45
Mrs R Peterson	1 00	Thos W Charlton....	1 50	Col by Miss Taylor	
James Mills	1 00	J P Galloway	1 00	Small sums.....	8 13
R Stanley	1 00	Rev Robt Hume	1 00	Col by G Smith	
L H Collard	4 00	S D Bingham.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 60
W B Allan	1 00	Frank I Patten.....	1 00		
A G Allan	1 00	William Kinney	1 00		
J K Black	1 00	J L Lawrason	1 00		
W H Hewson	1 00	Charles Nixon	1 00		
Mrs J Marshall.....	1 00	George A Chrysler ..	1 00		
Mrs McGibbon.....	1 00	W B Wood.....	1 00	SARNIA BRANCH.	
James Dougan	2 00	Jas B Kitchen.....	1 00	Col at public meeting.	\$12 69
Mrs Senkler	1 00	A McRoberts	1 00	Col by Mrs Armstrong and Miss McGregor	
Mrs Fowlie	1 00	E F Kitchen	1 00	T Flintoft	4 00
Dr Greenwood	1 00	Edward Kitchen	1 00	Small sums.....	8 35
S Junkin.....	2 00	Jas Mullen.....	1 00	Col by Thos Houston	
Dr Comfort	1 00	D McKenzie.....	1 00	T Houston	1 00
Mr Purves	1 00	Robt Turnbull	1 00	J Mackenzie	1 00
Mr Faulkner	1 00	Rev J H McCartney..	1 00	Wm Steed	1 00
S R Boyle	1 00	Alfred Kitchen.....	1 00	J Brebner.....	1 00
T R Merritt	5 00	John Richardson	1 00	T W Nisbet	2 00
Mrs T R Merrit	2 00	John Ironsides	1 00		
Chas A Ball.....	5 00	William Robb	1 00		

Col by Misses Hyde and Patterson		H Mulkins.....	\$1 00	Sarah Shirk	\$1 00
Alex Hyde.....	\$1 00	Donly & Johnson....	1 00	Armino Albright....	1 00
Wm Hyde.....	1 00	R Huton.....	1 00	V Housberger	2 00
Robert Hyde.....	1 00	P Mabee.....	1 00	A Bilger	1 00
John A Fraser.....	1 00	N Challen	1 00	Samuel Fry.....	1 00
Donald Robertson....	1 00	Mrs Perry.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 00
Small sums.....	2 25	Richard Smith	1 00	Col by Miss Dohn	
		Rev M W Livingston	1 00	A Nash	1 00
		C C Beemer	1 00	D W Nash	1 00
Total.....	\$30 35	O H Falls	2 00	Valentine Dohn	1 00
		F A Brown.....	1 00	Michael Schisler	1 00
SIMCOE BRANCH, 1884.		Stephen Brown	1 00	Small sums.....	4 35
Col at public meeting	\$4 10	Rev J Gemley	2 00	Col by Treasurer	
A J Donly	1 00	G A Curtis	1 00	Isaac M Wismer	1 00
Judge McMahon.....	5 00	J W Chapman	1 00	Richard Havill	1 00
Rev John Gemley....	2 00	T J Doak	1 00	Small sums.....	3 25
“ R M Croll	1 00	Z Landon	1 00	Col by Miss Nellie	
“ A Turnbull	1 00	Rev A E Russ	1 00	Fry	
“ A E Russ	1 00	Dr Salmon	2 00	Dilman Fry	1 00
“ M W Livingstone	1 00	Josh Brook.....	1 00	David Fry	4 00
G F Counter	1 00	J C Boyd	1 00	Peter Zimmerman	1 00
O Hendry	1 00	Mrs A McCall	1 00	Small sums.....	5 18
J L Campbell.....	1 00	Jessie Rice	1 00		
E Cowdry	1 00	Mrs A Walsh.....	1 00	Total	\$70 04
Henry Groff	5 00	“ Tisdale	1 00		
A H Harris.....	1 00	A J Donly	1 00	SOUTH ETOBICOKE BRANCH.	
G L Darling	1 00	Cope & Young.....	1 00	Col by James John-	
J Curtis	1 00	H Dobson	1 00	ston	
N C Ford	1 00	D Campbell	1 00	Small sums.....	\$1 70
Robert Young	1 00	Frank Gordon.....	1 00	Col by S W Bigham	
Peter Mabee	1 00	Dr Hayes	1 00	Small sums.....	6 75
Mrs T R Nelles.....	1 00	N C Ford	1 00	Col by A E Mather	
Cope & Young	1 00	L G Sovereign.....	1 00	Small sums.....	8 40
D Campbell	1 00	J Fairburn	1 00	Col by Jas Mather	
F L Walsh.....	1 00	L Wells	1 00	Small sums.....	4 25
C C Rapelge	1 00	C C Rapelje	1 00	Col by Fred Custed	
H Mulkins.....	1 00	Mrs Campbell	1 00	Small sums.....	6 00
Edmund Deeds.....	1 00	Small sums.....	42 87	Col in Islington	
Jas Hayes, M D	1 00			Meth church	4 86
Donly & Johnson....	1 00	Total	\$116 37	Col in Ebenezer Bap-	
Mrs D Tisdale	1 00			tist church	2 59
Doctor Salmon	1 00	SIMTHVILLE BRANCH.			
C Clowes.....	1 00	H F Bridgman	\$1 00	Total	\$34 55
Wm Wilson.....	1 00	Small sums.....	3 00		
Mrs D Campbell....	1 00			SOUTH MONAGHAN AND CAVAN	
Wm Todd.....	2 00	Total.....	\$4 00	BRANCH.	
Small sums.....	11 10			Col at Pub Meeting..	\$4 74
Total	\$58 20	SOUTH CAYUGA BRANCH.		Col by Misses Lar-	
		Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 51	mer & Armstrong	
SIMCOE BRANCH, 1883.		Col by Miss Emily		Francy, Wm	1 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$4 50	Fry		Armstrong, D G.....	1 00
T B McMahon.....	10 00	Samuel Albright, sr..	3 00	Armstrong, J D.....	2 00
Henry Groff.....	5 00	Mrs C Albright	2 00	Armstrong, Joseph ..	1 00
H H Groff	2 00	Nelson Drake.....	5 00	Armstrong, Robert ..	1 00
E E Ford	1 00	Silvester Fluhrer	1 00	Larmer, Isaac	1 00
M C Brown	1 00	Isaac Overholt	1 00	Porter, Joseph	1 00
G L Darling	1 00	Mrs Barbara Overholt	2 00	Porter, Mrs Joseph ..	1 00
Jon Austin.....	2 00	“ Nelson Drake....	1 00	Earl, Henry	1 00
F G Matheson	1 00	Sarah Fluhrer	1 00	Fair, John	1 00
F L Walsh.....	1 00	Mrs John Smith	1 00	Fair, Mrs John.....	1 00
Edmund Deedes	1 00	Isaac Fry	1 00	Stewart, Mrs J.....	1 00
T R Nelles.....	1 00	Mrs I Fry	1 00	Tait, Mrs John	1 00
J Curtis	1 00	Small sums.....	4 75	Brown, Mrs	1 00
John Wilson	1 00	Col by Miss Albright		Small sums.....	3 25
A N Duncombe	1 00	Abrm Albright	10 00	Col by Misses Ruth-	
		Jo-iah Albright	1 00	erford & Tru cott	

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Col by Misses Marshall and Down	Col by Miss Hamilton, N E H	Samuel Hatton.....	\$1 00
Rev E Patterson.....	Small sums.....	Andrew McKague....	1 00
Mrs Jas Dow.....	Rev E W Pantou ...	Thomas Fairbairn....	1 00
“ Marshall.....	1 00	H B O'Connor.....	1 00
“ Robinson.....	1 00	John Logan.....	1 00
Miss Dow.....	Total.....	Allan McLean.....	1 00
“ Dent.....	\$132 81	Miss May Laing.....	1 00
Wm Gordon.....	TARA AND INVERMAY	James Henderson....	1 00
Small sums.....	BRANCH.	John Stutt.....	1 00
Col by Miss Knight	Tara.	Col by Misses Mc-	
Wm Jeffrey.....	Col by Misses Rog-	Vicar and Irwin	
Dr Hyde.....	ers and Gerolamy	Small sums.....	18 20
Mrs Hyde.....	Whitford Vandusen..	Col by Misses Wal-	
Rev P Wright.....	\$2 00	do and Watson	
Mrs Laughlin.....	W A Gerolamy.....	Small sums.....	28 47
D Davis.....	1 00	Col by Misses Mc-	
Small sums.....	Wm Gibson.....	Gregor and Little	
Col by Misses Hou-	R C Bruce.....	Small sums.....	3 50
ton and Miller	2 00	Col by Misses	
Mrs Hossie.....	Dr Dumble.....	Straith and Mc-	
“ Moderwell.....	1 00	Kenzie	
“ Mowat.....	Small sums.....	Small sums.....	5 45
“ Dunn.....	20 28	Col by Misses Bal-	
Rev T McPherson..	Invermay.	lagh and Burton	
Mrs Sherman.....	Col by Misses Dyer	Small sums.....	3 90
Miss McPherson....	and Freeborn	Col by Misses Keith	
A Drennan.....	Rev E S Rupert, M A	and McKenzie	
Small sums.....	2 00	Small sums.....	9 20
Col by Misses Orr	“ R S Cooper, B D	Col by Misses Cop-	
and Ballantine	1 00	lin and McKenzie	
Mrs Ballantine....	“ R Carson.....	Small sums.....	7 90
“ Jennie L Ross..	1 00	Col by Misses Hem-	
J M Frazer.....	A Neelands.....	mingway and	
Small sums.....	1 95	Clark	
Col by Miss Es on	Small sums.....	Small sums.....	7 15
Mrs Wm E-son.....	20 28	Col by Misses Hut-	
A E Smith.....	TAVISTOCK BRANCH.	ton and Tophey	
Small sums.....	Col at public meeting.	Small sums.....	4 90
Col by Misses Cale	\$3 25	Col by Misses Mc-	
and Noland	Col by Misses Wer-	Kague and Mc-	
Small sums.....	ner, Staebler,	Lennan	
Col by Misses Max-	Poehlman and	Small sums.....	5 63
well and McDon-	Wildfang	Col by Misses Al-	
ald	Thomas roehlman....	lan and Elliott	
Small sums.....	1 00	Small sums.....	4 25
Col by Misses Da-	John Zimmerman....	Col by Misses Hen-	
vison and Bean	1 00	derson and Stutt	
Jas Hamilton.....	William Gillard....	Small sums.....	5 90
Mrs B P McDonald..	1 00	Col by Misses Bush	
“ James Fisher....	J P Rankin.....	and Donaldson	
Rev Mr Richardson..	1 00	Small sums.....	3 60
Miss Mathews.....	J Pequegnat.....	Col by Misses Hall	
Small sums.....	1 00	and McIver	
Col by Miss Rankin	John G Staebler....	Small sums.....	3 15
A Baley.....	1 00	Total.....	\$143 24
Small sums.....	Levi Wildfang.....	THEDFORD BRANCH.	
Col by Miss Kenne-	17 88	Col at public meeting	\$3 12
dy (Downie)	Total.....	Alex McNabb.....	1 00
Mr Waldie.....	\$28 13	Alex Brebncr.....	1 00
Small sums.....	TEESWATER BRANCH.	Robert Rae.....	1 00
Col by Miss McFar-	Col at public meeting	Peter McCallum....	1 00
lane (Downie)	\$5 24	Thos Carmichael....	1 00
Mr Bradshaw.....	Rev Peter Currie....	W J Rattray.....	1 00
Wm Douglas.....	2 00	H L Morphy.....	1 00
Small sums.....	“ David Wardrope		
	1 00		
	“ A G Harris.....		
	1 00		
	“ J W Sanderson..		
	1 00		
	Ira Fulford.....		
	1 00		
	Samuel Waldo.....		
	1 00		
	Mrs D Wardrope....		
	1 00		
	John McVicar.....		
	1 00		
	J K McLean.....		
	1 00		
	Samuel Kirkland....		
	1 00		
	John Chapman.....		
	1 00		
	W C Atcheson.....		
	1 00		
	William Watson.....		
	1 00		
	R W Walden.....		
	1 00		
	Joseph Switzer.....		
	1 00		
	Hugh McKague.....		
	1 00		
	William McLennan..		
	1 00		

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J P Burns	\$1 00	Col by Misses Henry		W W M & W H J ..	\$1 00
Chas Hall	1 00	and Thompson		Small sums.....	6 45
John Blake	1 00	J Henry	\$1 00	Total.....	\$37 70
Mr and Mrs Adams..	1 00	J Heylands.....	1 00	TWEED BRANCH, 1883.	
Martin Watson.....	1 00	R Cunningham.....	1 00	Col by Miss Newton	
W A Munns	1 00	Small sums.....	4 60	John Newton.....	\$10 00
Robert Reid.....	1 00	Total.....	\$19 35	J A Elliott.....	1 00
Small sums.....	23 17			Johnston Adams ..	1 00
Total.....	\$40 29	THOROLD BRANCH.		Joy Roblin.....	1 00
THORBURY AND CLARKSBURG		Small sums.....	\$43 00	George Clare.....	1 00
BRANCH.		Mrs J B Smith.....	1 00	Wellington Harrison.	1 00
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$5 15	James Lawson.....	1 00	Small sums.....	5 50
R Stephenson	1 00	Mrs Dalgleish	1 00	Col by Mrs Detlor	
Rev A T Colter.....	1 00	Mrs C Warner.....	1 00	Wm Garrett	1 00
Rev H H Wyllie	1 00	Rev C D McDonald..	1 00	Mrs Wright	1 00
Mrs T W Tyson.....	1 00	Geo Williams.....	1 00	" J W Savage	1 00
J H Tyson.....	1 00	Rev Mr Kay	1 00	W T Easterbrook....	1 00
Frank Henman.....	5 00	Mrs McClelland	1 00	George Easterbrook..	1 00
W J Marsh.....	2 00	Geo Keefer.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 85
T W Tyson & Sons ..	2 00	John Baird	1 00	Col by Miss Gordon	
Walter Hunter.....	1 00	A Abbott.....	1 00	Robert Gordon	1 00
Mr Low.....	1 00	Mrs Henry Beatty...	1 00	Adam McGowan	1 00
Geo Patterson.....	1 00	Mrs Wakefield.....	1 00	Small sums.....	2 75
Andrew Shire.....	1 00	R Moderwell.....	1 00	L O Lodge, 94	1 00
Small sums.....	30 05	Wm McClearey.....	1 00	Total.....	34 10
Total.....	\$53 20	Mrs John McDonagh	1 00	TWEED BRANCH, 1884.	
THORNHILL BRANCH.		Mrs John H Wilson .	1 00	Col at Pub meeting ..	\$2 75
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 74	Mrs Dr McClure	1 00	Col by Mrs Detlor	
W B Wilson	1 00	Mrs Geo Calcott....	1 00	George Easterbrook..	3 00
George Monkman....	1 00	Mrs Daniel Monro...	1 00	Dr Tuttle and Wife..	2 00
Rev J W Totten....	1 00	W J Robertson.....	1 00	Mrs Detlor.....	1 00
Edward Gallanough..	1 00	Mrs A Fraser.....	1 00	J W Savage.....	1 00
Johnston Wilson ..	1 00	F Lampman.....	1 00	Wm Andrews	1 00
Mrs Hood.....	1 00	Mrs Hubbard.....	1 00	Wm Easterbrook	1 00
Robert Vanhorn....	1 00	James Millar.....	2 00	Wm Garrett	1 00
John Lane	1 00	Robt Dougan.....	2 00	Effie Wright	1 00
J E Stonge.....	1 00	James Munro.....	2 00	Wm Wright	1 00
John Francis.....	1 00	Mrs Geo Baxter.....	2 00	Small sums.....	3 45
Miss Ganson.....	1 00	Mrs John Brown	2 00	Col by Miss Newton	
William Bowes.....	1 00	Mrs Margaret Ball...	3 00	Jno Newton	10 00
Mrs James.....	1 00	James H Beatty.....	5 00	George Clare.....	2 00
John Ramsden	1 00	Total.....	\$85 00	Mrs G Rutledge	1 00
James D Higgins....	1 00	TRENTON BRANCH.		Wm Harri-on	1 00
Charles C Cooper....	1 00	W H Austin	\$5 00	Small sums.....	2 50
John C Woods.....	1 00	Rev D Fish.....	2 00	Col by Miss Gordon	
Daniel Barker.....	1 00	D Y McMullen.....	2 50	L O Lodge, No 94 ...	2 00
James Millyard.....	1 00	D S McMullen.....	2 50	Jno Graham	1 00
David Smilie.....	1 00	D Gilmour	2 00	Jno Gordon	1 00
James Shuter.....	1 00	B N Davis	2 00	Robert Gordon	1 00
Small sums.....	19 85	D Elliott.....	1 25	Adam McGowan	1 00
Total.....	\$42 59	H C	1 00	Small sums.....	3 00
THORNTON BRANCH.		R B O'Flynn.....	1 00	Total.....	
Col at Pub Meeting..	\$1 65	Rev W T Wilkins ..	1 00	\$43 90	
Col by Misses Evans		H Meade.....	1 00	UNDERWOOD BRANCH.	
and Lucher		Rev E D Howard....	1 00	Col at Pub Meeting..	\$2 27
Rev J J Cochrane....	1 00	E Hilton.....	1 00	Col by Misses John-	
Thos Scott.....	1 00	R Hilton.....	1 00	son and Leggett	
S Armstrong.....	1 00	J W G.....	1 00	John Henderson	1 00
Thos Gall.....	1 00	R M Mowat	1 00	Mrs Andrew McKay..	1 00
Small sums.....	6 10	Argus Urquhart ..	1 00	N D McKinnon.....	1 00
		James Richardson ..	1 00	Small sums.....	3 05
		Mrs Cruickshank ..	1 00		
		J Funnell	1 00		

BRANCH SUBSCRIPTION LISTS.

Col by Misses McKay and Calder	Mrs D Campbell \$1 00	Annual meeting at Mt Carmel..... \$2 60
Hugh Murray \$1 00	J Reeves..... 1 00	Col by Mrs Rolston
Amos Hilker 1 00	Mrs H Gould 1 00	James Chipps 5 00
James Wilkie..... 1 00	Small sums..... 30 40	George Gillespie..... 1 00
Donald McKay..... 1 00	Col by Mrs Hemphill and Miss Button	John Robson..... 1 00
Rev Geo McLennan.. 1 00	Dr Bascom..... 2 00	Small sums..... 8 20
James Ross..... 1 00	Rev J Davidson..... 1 00	Col by Miss Usher
George D McKay.... 1 00	Mrs A R Stewart.... 1 00	Small sums..... 5 25
Small sums..... 11 70	Rev G J Bishop 1 00	Col by Misses Victoria Usher and Effie Card
Col by Misses Bauder and West	T Armstrong..... 1 00	Small sums..... 3 95
Small sums..... 2 40	Jno Argue 1 00	Col by Mrs McRae
Col by Misses Foster and McKay	John Watt & Co 2 00	D McRae..... 2 00
Small sums..... 6 52	A T Button 2 00	G Robson..... 1 00
Col by Misses Gunn and McLean	A D Williams..... 1 00	J Blacklock 1 50
Small sums..... 2 05	John Watt..... 1 00	Small sums..... 4 95
Col by Misses McLean & McDonald	W Mansfield 1 00	Col by Miss Wait
Small sums..... 1 35	L P Stickney..... 1 00	J Pettit..... 1 00
Col by Misses McKenzie and McIntyre	Z Hemphill..... 1 00	Small sums..... 1 50
Wm Hunter 5 00	Thos Bolster, sen... 1 00	Col by Miss Boyd
Small sums..... 2 05	Mrs H H Cook..... 1 00	J G Boyd..... 1 00
Col by Misses McCallum & Stewart	" Sharp 1 00	Small sums..... 4 00
Small sums..... 2 95	Mr Mackee..... 1 00	Col by Miss McCarrol
Total \$49 34	A D Weeks 1 00	P Hinman 1 00
	F E Davis 1 00	R J Rutherford..... 1 00
	W B Stewart..... 1 00	Small sums..... 1 93
	Geo Peers 2 00	Col by Miss Noble
	W W Nation..... 1 00	Small sums..... 5 82
	R P Harman..... 1 00	Col by Miss Bowen
	Small sums..... 24 28	Mrs Meredith 1 00
	Total..... \$123 18	Small sums..... 3 75
		Total..... \$60 15
UXBRIDGE BRANCH.	VARNA BRANCH.	VICTORIA BRANCH.
Col by Misses Davidson and Palmer	Col at public meeting \$5 17	Col at Pub Meeting.. \$ 73
Rev E Cockburn \$2 00	Col by R Armstrong and E Robinson	Col by Miss Gordon
J J Magee 2 00	Rainy Armstrong.... 1 00	Joseph Goodfellow... 1 00
L Lapp 1 00	David Armstrong.... 1 00	Small sums..... 5 20
N C James 1 00	Edward Robinson.... 1 00	Col by Misses Smith and Montgomery
John Noble..... 1 00	Small sums..... 5 00	Small sums..... 4 65
Mrs Heaston..... 1 00	Col by Wm Clark and Wm L Keys	Col by Misses Black and Steele
" McGratten..... 1 00	James Shaw 1 00	Rev Wm McConnell. 1 00
W Henry..... 1 00	John Peck 1 00	R G McCraw..... 1 00
Mrs Finch and Henry	John Clark 1 00	Small sums..... 9 75
John Symons..... 1 50	Small sums..... 3 85	Col by Miss McConkey
Joseph Gould..... 2 00	Col by Jas McClymont and John Torrance	Small sums..... 75
Mrs John O'Neil ... 1 00	Small sums..... 6 05	Col by Miss Wico
" Wm Johnston... 1 00	Col by Thos McAsh and Jas Wanless	Small sums..... 1 15
Dr Black..... 2 00	Joseph Morrow..... 1 00	Total..... \$25 23
Rev J W Cameron... 1 00	John McAsh 1 00	
J Summerville 1 00	Small sums..... 4 00	WATERDOWN BRANCH.
Mrs A Gordon 1 00	Col by Jas Wells... 1 00	Col at public meeting \$3 20
" D Card 1 00	and Wm J Armstrong	Col by Misses Parks and Cooper
" D Dowling..... 1 00	Small sums..... 7 00	Mrs Corning 1 00
Wm Smith..... 1 00	Total..... \$39 07	Peter Creen..... 1 00
Mrs Davidson..... 2 00	VERNONVILLE BRANCH.	J B Thompson..... 1 00
A Friend..... 1 00	Annual meeting at Eddystone \$1 70	Rev J W Holmes..... 1 00
Mr Gregg..... 1 00		Thos Stock..... 1 00
Mrs J A Lord 1 00		
I I Gould..... 2 00		
J A McGillivray ... 2 00		
C H Widdifield.... 1 00		
G Wheeler 1 00		
E Cleeves..... 1 00		
S L McKeanill..... 2 00		

Small sums.....	\$4 05	Neil McMillan	\$1 00	Geo Bowditch	\$4 00
Col by Misses Evans and Foster		James Patterson	1 00	Mr Lewis	1 00
John McDonald	1 00	Wm Bull	1 00	Mrs Arnold	1 00
George Forbes.....	1 00	Small sums.....	26 30	“ James White.....	1 00
Mrs Featherstone....	1 00	Total	\$38 11	“ C Kerr	1 00
“ Tuck	1 00			“ Whitelaw	1 00
Small sums.....	7 25			“ Milne	1 50
Col by Misses McMonies and Clarke		WINDSOR BRANCH.		Small sums.....	6 30
L A Cummer	2 00	Col at Pub meeting..	\$9 04	Col by Miss Millman	
Dr James McLaren..	2 00	Miss Fuller	1 00	T Crispin	1 00
Balfour Bros	1 00	J W Blackadder	1 00	Mrs I E McKenzie ..	1 40
John T Stock	1 00	Col by Mr Blow		“ A Dawes.....	1 00
D C Hunter.....	1 00	Small sums.....	6 50	“ Laidlaw	1 25
Thos Little	2 00	Col by Mrs Oldacre ..		“ F Martin	2 00
Small sums.....	6 80	Small sums.....	3 25	Rev James Hill and Mrs Hill	6 00
Total.....	\$36 10	Total	\$20 79	T E King	1 00
		WINGHAM BRANCH.		Mrs Muttlebury	1 00
WEST DARLINGTON BRANCH.		Col at Pub meeting..	\$5 27	G Richardson	1 00
Col at public meeting	\$1 73	Rev H McQuarrie ..	1 00	G Strauchon	1 50
Thos Harris.....	1 00	Mrs Dr Bethune	1 00	Mrs S B Fuller.....	1 00
Robert Courtice....	1 00	John Dickson.....	1 00	“ Guppy.....	1 00
James Rundle	1 00	Mrs D McInnis.....	1 00	Rev A A Hastings...	1 00
Small sums.....	16 95	Robert Currie	1 00	Rev W and Mrs Williams.....	2 00
Total.....	\$21 68	Rev R McCosh	1 00	G Caldbeck.....	1 00
		Mrs Dr Towler	1 00	Mr Mayoock	1 00
WEST FLAMBORO BRANCH.		Robert Currie	1 00	Small sums.....	24 15
Col by Misses Kelley & Colcleugh		Dr P McDonald.....	1 00	Col by Miss Hay	
Israel Kelley	\$1 00	Small sums.....	37 65	Mrs Wm Scarff.....	1 00
J A Durrant	1 00	Total	\$51 92	“ Fred Millman ..	1 00
Rev T W Jackson....	1 00	WWINNIPEG, MANITOBA, BRANCH.		John Wilson	1 00
George Jones	1 00	Col at Annual meeting	\$12 70	W A Reid	1 00
Rev S W Fisher	1 00	A Friend	5 00	Mrs Barr	1 00
P A Neff	1 00	Dr Agnew	1 00	Mr McEwan	1 00
J W Bitzner	1 00	Rev Prof Bryce.....	1 00	Mrs Campbell	1 00
Mrs John Weir.....	1 00	Rev Prof Hart	2 00	“ Sutherland.....	1 00
Misses Weir	2 00	Hon J C Aikins	10 00	S G McKay	1 00
Wm Clark	1 00	Rev R Hicks	2 00	Mrs Blackwood.....	1 00
Gidney & Stutt.....	1 00	Thomas Nixon	1 00	J Glendenning.....	1 00
Alfred Jones	1 00	S Tomlinson	1 00	Mrs Fowell	1 00
Wm J Ballard	1 00	Geo Pau	0 95	James Holmes	1 00
James Stutt	1 00	A Keepings	5 00	Mrs E Field	1 00
Mrs Sanderson	1 00	Richard Waugh.....	1 00	Rev W T McMullen .	5 00
Small sums.....	9 00	Col by Miss A Ward ..	6 25	John Douglas	2 00
Col by Misses Hills and Cook		J H Hacking.....	1 00	James Hay, sr	1 00
James George	1 00	Rev O Fortin.....	5 00	Small sums.....	18 53
Geo Paterson.....	1 00	C E Hamilton	5 00	Col by Miss Knight ..	
Mrs Hunter	1 00	S H Fowler.....	1 00	Mrs A Fletcher.....	2 00
Dundas Kinnaid....	1 00	W N Kennedy	2 00	“ Lund.....	1 25
Mary Hanes	1 00	R D Richardson	5 00	“ J M Crawford ..	1 00
Small sums.....	3 25	M K	1 00	“ R W Knight.....	1 00
Col by Misses Inksetter & Thompson		James Hogg	5 00	“ T Knight	1 00
Robert Inksetter ..	1 00	W R Mulock.....	5 00	Small sums.....	9 40
Robert Thompson....	1 00	Rev E A Stafford ..	5 00	Col by Mrs H McKay ..	
Small sums.....	8 34	Archdeacon Pinkham	2 00	Mrs F R Ball.....	4 00
Total	\$43 59	Albert Dennis	1 00	Mrs Russell	1 25
		Rev A A Cameron...	4 00	Mrs Higgins	1 00
WIARTON BRANCH.		Small sums.....	6 25	“ Cummings	1 00
Col at Pub meeting..	\$8 81	Total	\$90 90	“ Shedden	1 00
		WOODSTOCK BRANCH.		Wm Campbell	1 00
		Col by Miss Parker ..		Miss R Hall	1 00
				Sheriff Perry.....	2 00
				Small sums.....	9 45

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Col by Miss E Weir	J Hall	\$1 00	WROXETER BRANCH.
Mrs G Carry	Mrs Little	2 00	Col by Misses Brown
Small sums	J G Short	2 00	and Lawrie
Col by Mrs G Pyper	James White	1 00	A Friend
Alex Watson	John White	3 00	Thomas Rae
Mrs J G Hay	John Head	1 00	William Lee
Mr Gardner	W H Vaningen	1 00	William Robinson
Rev W A McKay	Dr Welford	1 00	A Patton
Mrs J Robertson	Dr H McKay	2 00	Mrs A Gibson
James Kennedy	Wm Grey	5 00	McKercher
Small sums	J M Grant	1 00	John Gibson
Col by Miss Holtby	Small sums	5 30	John Moffat
Mrs W C McLeod	Col by Mrs Alex		Small sums
V Holtby	Gunn		Col by Misses San-
Mr and Mrs Crawford	W H McKay	1 00	derson and Orr
James Wilson	Mrs McGachie	1 00	Dr Smale
Mrs Baird	Rose	2 00	James Ireland
Wilson	Miss Short	1 00	Small sums
Small sums	Mr & Mrs N H Eakins	4 00	Col by Misses Allan
Col by Miss Watt	Mrs I C Ross	1 00	and Gibson
Mrs Badden	T H Parker	1 00	John Martin
Wm Anderson	Mrs John Cameron	1 00	Rev J Isaac
Small sums	H J Finkle	1 00	William Lawrie
Col by Miss McMullen	Fuller	1 00	John Knutson
Mrs Robertson	T Scott	1 00	Mrs Brown
H Parker	Small sums	11 80	Small sums
Grant, sr	Col by Miss Hallam		Col by Miss Fortune
Danby	Mrs C Beard	1 85	Thomas Fortune
Bickle	Revell, sr	1 00	Small sums
Dr Field	H T Burch	1 00	Col by Misses Mor-
Small sums	Miss Beard	1 00	ton and McTavish
Col by Miss Short	Small sums	8 55	Small sums
J Bagley	Col by W H Eakins		Col by Miss Pope
Mrs Evans	F B Scofield	1 00	Small sums
P Johnston	Prof Wolverton	1 00	Col by Misses Mil-
W A Karn	Prof McKechnie	1 00	ler and Snell
Woodroffe Bros	Prof Bates	1 00	Small sums
Mrs McPherson	Mrs Carlyle	1 00	Col by Miss Hen-
John Gordon	Lindsay	1 00	derson
W G Boyes	Mr Hallam	1 00	Small sums
Mrs John McKay	Caister	1 00	Col by Mrs Knox
James Scott	Collins	1 00	Small sums
James Cranston	Small sums	11 60	Col by the Misses
Robert Stark	Col by Mrs Rose, sr		Brown and Lovell
Wm Dease	Small sums	14 63	Donald Steward
George Pyper	Interest	2 50	Small sums
Messrs Ball & Ball			
Mrs John Marshall, sr			
	Total	\$321 90	Total
			\$59 55

LIST OF BRANCHES OF THE UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.
WITH SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31ST, 1884.

Branches formed since publication of last Report are indicated by an asterisk (*); the sign (+) prefixed to moneys received indicates that they were received after the close of the Society's year.

BRANCH.	Remittances.		PRESIDENT.	TREASURER.	SECRETARY.	DEPOSITARY.
	Pur. Acct.	Free Con.				
Acton.....	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	Rev W J Piccott	D Henderson	D Henderson	J E McGarvin
Alborton.....	.....	107 00	George Taylor	G H Palmer	G H Palmer	A Humphrey, Rodney
Aldborough.....	.....	23 00	Rev J Mann	S Kirkpatrick	S Kirkpatrick	Joseph Rayson
Alliston.....	31 94	5 40	Rev J W Annis, BA	John Strachan	L McKinnon	G M Scott
Alton.....	2 47	.....	Robert Meek	D Cameron	Rev A S Falls, AB	Henry Morris
Amherstburg.....	.....	23 00	Samuel McGee	C M S Thomas	T A Walker	B W Donnelly
Ancaster.....	.....	72 30	J H Smith	S A Findlay	Wm Walker (Carluke PO)	J B Smith
Ancaster East.....	.....	.....	A Somerville	Wm Walker	Alvin Orton	Charles McGregor
Angus.....	.....	.....	John Davidson	Alvin Orton	John McIntyre	C M Eastman
Appin.....	.....	73 00	William Black	Charles McFie	A D Alton	Joshua McKim
Appleby.....	.....	25 00	T Blanchard	A D Alton	G B Stephenson	John Hiles
Arkona.....	12 50	.....	W Vahey	G B Stephenson	Joshua McKim	Wm Scott
Arkwright.....	.....	8 40	John Hearst	Joshua McKim	Joseph Shier	D M Buchanan, Kintail
Armow.....	2 91	27 00	F Robertson	George Hudson	A McPherson	Mrs J J Harvey
Arthur.....	.....	.....	Rev James Thom	John McLennan	J McLennan (Amberley)	J W Lloyd
Ashfield.....	.....	46 00	John Armstrong	John McLennan	J A Turnbull	W L Coulter, Avening,
Atwood.....	8 65	90 00	Rev A Henderson	Rev A Turnbull	Rev P G Robertson	W J Corbett, Creemore
Aurora.....	79 27	+71 76	Charles Doan	Andrew Yule	James Carleton	James Stark
Avening and Creemore.....	23 12	+13 00	John Galbraith	Thomas B Murray	M Robson	Dr. McLean
Ayr.....	.....	+89 10	John Wylie	M Robson	F A Walden	George Brown
Ayton.....	24 80	12 88	William Langdale	Geo Maurer	John Lawless	
Baltimore.....	71 00	Rev CH Cooke	John Lawless		

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	Pur. Acct.	Free Con.				
Barrie.....	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	Rev W m Fraser, DD	R R Jennison	R R Jennison	W C McLean
Bayfield.....	63 06	27 44	Dr R Stanbury	H Hunter	H Hunter	J Gairdner
Beachville.....			Solon Martyn	Thomas Taylor	James Dickey	Thomas Taylor
Beamsville.....			Rev D C McIntyre	R Vannorman	J Rosie	R Vannorman
Beaverton.....			Rev D Watson	B Madill	D Cameron	John McKinnon
Beeton.....	30 04	44 00	Dr Whiteside	James C Scott	Wm Paget	Wm Paget
Belgrave.....	3 78	95 00	Rev J F Parke	Wm Bengough	James C Scott	Chas McClelland
Belleville.....	222 66		Sheriff Hope	A G Northrup	W H Northrup	L W Yeomans & Co
Berlin.....	25 93	235 24	Dr Bowlby	M Eshleman	E W Moyer	Pequignat Bros
Bervie.....	17 57	31 00	Rev J H Moorhouse	W Henderson	W Henderson	Wm Henderson
Bethany.....	5 50	43 00	Rev D McCamus	Wm Rowan	J J Preston	J Armstrong
Beverley (Kirkwall PO).....		76 57	Rev S Carruthers	Walter Tait	R McQueen	H Swayzie
Binbrook.....		40 00	Rev W P Walker	John Brown, jun.	John Brown, jun	W J Armstrong
Blairston (Depositary).....				S W White	Wilfred Burr	Wilfred Burr
Bloomfield.....		17 90	Benjamin Story	John F McKay	Solomon Erb	
Bloomingdale.....		20 63	William Erb	John Robertson	R Y Hartley	
Bluevale.....	6 00	40 00	James Timmins	H McQuarrie	Dr Sloan	Wm Messer
Blyth.....	11 80	54 67	N H Young	John Aitken	John Aitken	W Drummond
Bobcaygeon.....	32 00	21 00	Irvin Junkin	J J Bell	Albert Dodds	Dr McCamus
Bolton (Albion I O).....		40 00	J F Warbrick	Thomas Gaviller	Thos Gaviller (Beeton PO)	
Bond Head.....		52 00	William Hill	N P Weekes	N P Weekes	J R Hipwell
Botany.....	8 91	11 00	James McKerracher	Thos Yellowlees	Thos Yellowlees	C McBrayne
Bowmanville.....	34 30	92 15	J Higginbotham	R M Browning	A Barron	P Trebilcock
Braesbridge.....		35 00	Rev A Findlay	Thos Drifill	Dr Forrest	T Crompton
Bradford.....		+32 05	Rev J Bryant	J W Beynon	R P Campbell	Thomas Drifill
Brampton (2 years).....	79 80	285 92	George Dawson	Dr Spencer	Thos Lockhart	E T Stork
Braudon (Manitoba).....		128 36	J W Sifton	I Cockshutt	T S Shenston	Dr Fleming
Brantford.....	183 55	600 00	Rev F R Beattie, BD	A C Singleton	Edwin Bibby	I Cockshutt
Brighton.....	21 70	6 86	George S Miller	James Cuttle	W W Forte	W W Forte
Brooklin.....		7 52	John Camplin		H T Langford	James Cuttle

Brougham	9 36	Colin Phillips	W Hubbard	S H Stevenson	A McDowell
Brucefield	40 00	Rev John Ross	George Walker	George Walker	Wm Scott
Bruce Mines	33 22	Rev Thomas Haddon	Thos Collins	Rev G H Kenny	Albert Keetch
Brussels		Rev John Ross, BA	W H Kerr	W H Kerr	G A Deadman
Burford	46 87	Hervey Ross	W H Wooden	W H Wooden	Henry Cox
Burgoyne	4 73	+10 00 W McLachlan	John A Darling	John A Darling	John A Darling
Burlington	18 72	41 00 William Kerns	T Graham	C H Davidson	Thomas Graham
Burrard Inlet (BC)		2 79 Rev John Cairns	T C Court	T C Court	Alex Best
Buxton					
Caistor (Woodburn FO)		55 00 Jacob Kerr	Thos Shaw	Thos Shaw	Thomas Shaw
Caistorville		2 10 Adam Spears, sen	Fred Scott	Fred Scott	Adam Spears, jun
Caledon East and Mono Road	2 20	Rev C J Dobson	H F Ames	Wm Tench	H F Ames
Caledonia		63 95 Geo Elwood	John Roper	James Old, jr	John Roper
Cambay	8 03	8 12 Wm Fair	John Sinclair	Rev J R Scott	H J Lytle
Camlachie	20 13	23 16 Rev Jasper Wilson	Peter Cairns	Joseph Cairns	Peter Cairns
Campbellford		1 50 J M Ferris, M P P	C Smith	J T Vosper	W B Archer
Campbell's Cross					{ Standing & Co, Claude ; J Caesar, Campbell's John Mason } Cross
Campbellville (2 years)	13 20	65 00 Donald Smith	P A Campbell	P A Campbell	John Mason
Campden		70 00 James Menzies	James Reid	James Reid	J S Moyer
Cannington		43 00 Jacob Hipple	W A Comfort	W A Comfort	Wm Fead
Cartwright		Rev W Burns	Chris Brandon	Rev Wm Burns	R H Prust
Castleton	9 60	Thomas Werry	R H Prust	John Hughes	D Rankin
Cavan		26 80 H F Gould	Wm Nichols	Wm Nichols	
Cayuga		36 00 Saml Staples	W H Coultter	Richard Coe	
Cayuga South		39 16 Judge Stevenson	G S Cotter	G S Cotter	E C Campbell, jun
Charleston (Caledon P O)		71 45 V Housberger	A Nash	A Nash (Upper P O)	Isaac Fry
Chatham Township	144 15	Wm Bell	W J Dodds	Wm Rutledge	W J Dodds
		228 96 Rev Wm Walker	Kenneth Campbell	James Gardiner	Kenneth Campbell
		28 00 Rev J A McAlmon	W Robertson	Thomas Campbell	
		(Oungah P O) }	(Chatham P O) }		
Cheapside	9 90	11 59 Rev W Fugsley	Wm Baird	A McDonald	K H Hemstreet
Cheltenham	7 85	33 20 Rev J R Gilchrist	J L Findlay	J L Findlay	J L Findlay
Cherry Valley		19 72 W B Blakeley	H Spofford	John Kinney	C Cranston
Cherrywood		15 30 Jas McCreight	Fred Roach	Fred Roach	G H Golding
Chesley		56 26 Rev J Uniacke	John McBain	G H Golding	J Morrow, Katho
Chesterfield and Katho		85 50 N Sylvester	R McCredie	Wm Murray	A Herbold
Chippewa	6 00	4 00 Rev E J Fessenden, BA	James Allan	John Lucas	John Lucas
Churchill		29 00 Dr Reeves	George Bundy	Rev P Flint	George Bundy
Claremont		62 27 D S McFarlane			

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BRANCH.	Remittances.		PRESIDENT.	TREASURER.	SECRETARY.	DEPOSITORY.
	Pur. Acct.	Free Con.				
Clifford	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	R Campbell	K M Walton	K M Walton	K M Walton
Clinton	12 00	37 24	Dr Worthington..	J C Stevenson	J C Stevenson	W H Simpson
Cobocok (<i>Depository</i>)	56 85	113 29				Wm Hamilton
Cobourg	7 50	131 96	C Lawes	J C Field	Richard Wilson	A S Kennedy
Colborne	69 49	27 80	J M Grover	W A Powers	Dr C M Gould	W A Powers
Coldsprings	37 28	60 55	Rev Hugh Pedley	D McIntosh	W S Snelgrove	D McIntosh
Collingwood	+52 43	+74 54	Rev R Rodgers	Hall Telfer	W A Parlane	Rev R Ewing
Columbus		+50 00	Rev J A Carmichael	Wm Purves	Jas Burns	W Purves
Comber		11 00	Rev J Howie	R O Y Ainslie	R O Y Ainslie	D McAlister
Cookstown (2 years)		84 86	George Duff	W J Finlay	W J Finlay	P H Stewart
Cooksville	1 01	22 49	James Galbraith	T D King	T D King	J Galbraith
Copetown		+13 00	David Patterson	F J Fry	F J Fry	G W Howell
Corinth	+6 00	+7 00	Rev W Rigsby	Wm Moore	James Amos	Wm Moore
Corunna		20 00	John Wheatly	Henry J Miller	N Tisdale	H J Miller
Courland		3 67		Perez Dean		C S Harris
Craigvale and Stroud	3 60	25 00	John Chantler	James Cross	R G McCraw	{ John Chantler R G McCraw
Crediton	16 76	27 00	Rev John Viele	Charles Brown	S S Nash	Charles Brown
Cumminsville & Lowville		33 14	R Simpson (Kilbride P O)	J Turnbull (Lowville P O)	Wm Wilson	{ A B Culloden, Lowville A Robertson, Cumminsville
Dawn Mills	13 72	5 28	J Carpenter	W A Ward	W A Ward	W A Ward
Delhi (<i>Depository</i>)						J Whiteside
Dereham (<i>Brownsville</i> P O)						F Millard, Brownsville
Derry West (Britannia P O)		20 00	J W Elliott	W A Sherwood	W A Sherwood	
Deseronto		46 34	W P McClure	W Dunton	W Dunton	
Dover (Baldoon P O)	15 54	35 85	E W Rathbun	W R Aylisworth	Rev S Russell	W G Egar
Downsview		+30 00	B Wemp	James Walker	James Walker	
Drayton	+10 00		J P Bul	John Gouling	Ignatius McGee	
			Alex Love	J B Draper	J B Draper	John Fisher

Dresden	23 05	25 00	Wm Ward.....	Wm Ward.....	E Miller & Co
Drumbo	4 52	96	J L Burgess.....	F M Ainsley.....	J L Burgess
Drummondville	20 00	142 84	Abel Land.....	M Morse.....	J M Douglas
Duffin's Creek	17 38	38 50	B Bunting.....	B Bunting (Pickering P O)	Wm Logan
Dunbarton			Wm Dunbar.....	Jonathan Holmes.....	Geo Parker
Dundaik			Jas Deans.....	Jas Deans.....	Jas Deans
Dundas			T H McKenzie.....	C A Berge.....	Dundas Drug Co
Dungannon			Walter Stuart.....	W Stuart.....	W McArthur
Dunnville			Sam Cornick.....	John Coutts.....	Sam Cornick
Dunsford			W Thurston.....	E Woolard.....	John Cameron
Durham			John Cameron.....	N McKechnie.....	John Cameron
East McGillivray			Asa Collins.....	D Shoff (McGillivray P O)	Asa Collins
East Oxford			S R Wallace.....	S R Wallace (Holbrook P O)	S Falconbridge (Aberfoyle)
East Puslinch	2 45	431 00	James McLean.....	Hugh Cockburn (Aberfoyle P O)	S Falconbridge (Aberfoyle)
East Westminster (Wilton Grove P O)			Adam Nichol.....	John H Elliott.....	
East Williams			Wm Menzies.....	William Menzies (Ailsa Craig P O)	
Eden Mills			Allan Ramsay.....	James Nicol.....	James Nicol
Eglinton			C H Kerswill.....	J C Laidlaw.....	Miss Hargraves
Egmondville			Thomas Hills.....	Thomas Hills.....	George Jackson
Elfrida and Tapleystown	4 91	4 00	J C Harris.....	J C Harris.....	J C Harris, Tapleystown
Elmville			James Halls.....	W Miners, jun.....	W Miners, jun
Elmira			Joseph Fear.....	David Bean.....	Wm Stephen
Elora	30 87	200 00	Jas Graham.....	Jas Graham.....	C Clark (Elora), Wm Allan (Salem), J Walker (Alma)
Embro			Alex Gordon.....	Robt Murray.....	James Mann
Emerson (Manitoba)			Rev Thos McGuire.....	Rev Thos McGuire.....	F T Garman
Enniskillen	76 00	111 25	Dr J C Mitchell.....	Dr J C Mitchell.....	R Hutchison
Eramosa (Speedside P O)			David Rae.....	Jas Kennedy.....	J A Armstrong
Erin	9 00	46 78	Wm Tyler.....	Wm Tyler.....	Robert Wood
Etobicoke, North			Andrew Kaake.....	A Kaake (Thistletown P O)	J T W Wallis
Etobicoke, South			G Shaver.....	C Shaver (Islington P O)	R McLean Purdy
Eugenia (Depository)			Joseph Jewell.....	R Walton.....	Henry Cross
Fenella (Harwood P O)					

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Fenelon Falls.....	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	James Graham.....	James Cameron.....	Jas Cameron.....	George Keith
Fergus.....	90	200 00	Rev G Smellie.....	A D Fordyce.....	A D Fordyce.....	John Brotherhood
Fingal.....		100 00	D McPherson.....	Levi Fowler.....	Levi Fowler.....	W Richardson
Flesherton (Depository).....		2 13	E Morris.....	D Kinsman.....	A B Rice.....	D Kinsman
Font Hill.....	5 00	28 72	P Hepinstall.....	J Hutchison.....	E H Husband.....	Eli Husband
Fordwich.....	13 00		Dr Hutton.....	D McBean.....	D McBean.....	James Maylor
Fort Chipewyan (Depository).....	N	W T				Rev W D Keeve
*Fort Erie.....		5 40	Rev R Arnold.....	Charles H Lewis.....	Thos Loveridge (Victoria P O).....	John Shaw (Victoria)
*Fort Simpson (Depository), N W T.....						
Fort William (Depository).....	6 70		E Sills.....	Thos Foster.....	J Brown.....	Archd McLaren
Frankford.....			Rev R Hamilton.....	Jas Woodley, senr.....	P G Harding.....	+ Glass
Fullarton.....	10 06	50 00				F Coleman
Galt.....		300 00	Rev W S Walker.....	James Woods.....	James Woods.....	Misses Hill
Garafraza.....		55 00	Wm Simpson.....	Wm Ward.....	R Y Blyth.....	
Garden Hill.....		20 00		Thos M Little.....	T M Little.....	
Georgetown.....		77 00	Rev Geo Robertson.....	H McKay.....	H McKay.....	Thos Ruston
Glanmis.....		25 66	Rev A F Mackenzie.....	R W Harrison.....	R W Harrison.....	James Hendry
Glanford.....			Gideon Smith.....	Cyrus Smith.....	Joel Smith.....	Daniel Case
Glenallan.....	5 20	29 00	M Henderson.....	David Ghent.....	David Ghent.....	H McLachlan
Glenarm.....	2 20	37 41	Rev D McDonald.....	D Gilchrist.....	S Rickaby.....	S Rickaby
Goderich.....		85 44	Capt Gibson.....	Thos Dettlor.....	Thos Dettlor.....	D Gordon
Goodwood.....		14 00	Saml Johnson.....	C Stafford.....	William J odd.....	Jas McCullough
Gore Bay.....			John Hawkey.....	H Eckert.....	J M Fraser.....	Alex Hogg
Gorrie.....	2 11	30 00	S P Dorland.....	Richard Ross.....	J W Green.....	J McLaughlin
Grafton.....		3 24	David Elliott.....	Thos Lawless.....	Rev J W Smith.....	Thos Lawless
Greenbank.....	14 59	37 71	James Miller.....	R T Harrington.....	T E Cragg.....	R T Harrington

Greenwood						S Somerville	C Rogers (Kinsale P O)	M Gleeson
Grimsby	+28 05	Alex Mackie	Edgar Palmer	Edgar Palmer	J D Fitch			J D Fitch
Guelp	+100 03	James Hough	E Newton	E Newton	B Savage			B Savage
Hagersville	12 55	H Hind	S W Howard	S W Howard	J H Hager			J H Hager
Haliburton (Depository)	8 39				J Anderson			J Anderson
Hamilton	43 48	J D Macdonald, M D	J W Bickle	J W Bickle	D McLellan			D McLellan
Hampton	47 97	R H Bunt	H Elliott, sen	H Elliott, jun	H Elliott, jun			H Elliott, jun
Hanover	27 88	Rev S Becker	G Hollinger	John Proctor	John Ball			John Ball
Harrington		Rev D Gordon	J S Betzner	J S Betzner	Robert Heron			Robert Heron
Harrison		Rev J W German	W Kerr	A Wyness	R H Young			R H Young
Hastings		H M Fowlds	H Morton	H Morton				
Hawksville (Depository)					J B Hilborn			J B Hilborn
Hesper	18 82	J P Phin	W B Smith	J N Cober	J Conway			J Conway
Hibbert (Cromarty P O)	4 80	Rev P Scott	Robert G Webb	Robt G Webb	A C Jones			A C Jones
Highland Creek		John Bunnett	Robert Neilson	Wm Stevenson				
Hillsburgh		D McMurchy	John Byrne	John Byrne	Donaldson & Carmichael			
Holland Landing (Depository)								
Hollin	4 11				Wm Luck			Wm Luck
Hope (Canton P O)		John Laing	Dr H H Fell	Dr H H Fell	Hugh Maxwell			Hugh Maxwell
Huntsville		Rev R Hurley	N Peters	N Peters	L E Kinton			L E Kinton
		Robert Scarlett	W H Jones	John D Reid				
Ingersoll	59 00	Rev E M Bland	R Kneeshaw	R Kneeshaw	R Kneeshaw & Co			
Inerkip		D McBeath (Woodstock P O)	James Hill	James Hill	W B Tanner			W B Tanner
Ivanhoe (Depository)		Thos Parker	Wm Banting	Thos McDonald	Wm Banting			Wm Banting
Ivy					John Burn			John Burn
Janetville	14 66	John Burn	H Anderson	Thos Syers	James Mills			James Mills
Jarvis	8 04	Rev G Johnstone	James Mills	Charles Allen	Levi Howell			Levi Howell
Jerseyville	1 03	George Howell	John Swartz	John Swartz				
Keene		John Kindred	George Read	George Read	James McNeil			James McNeil
Keswick and Medina		Henry Draper	Isaac Marritt	John Sowerby	R Vannorman			R Vannorman
Kincardine		M Macpherson	M McKendrick	Wm Sellery	Wm McKibbin			Wm McKibbin
Kinlough (Kinloss P O)	1 09	J Lane	Robert Paxton	Robert Paxton	Robert Paxton			Robert Paxton
Kinmount (Depository)	22 75				H Graham			H Graham
Kintore		Barth Presley	J Morrison	E J Pearson	Robert Eldon			Robert Eldon
Kintyre		Rev J Currie, Clachan P O		E McMillan, Kintyre P O	E McMillan			E McMillan

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Kippen	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	Wm Copp	Robert Mellis	Robert Mellis	Robert Mellis
Kirkfield (Depositary)	20 90	27 74	Rev James Harris	T Somerville	T Somerville	J McTaggart A Doube
Kirkton	35 15	120 00	R A Strickland	John C Sherin	John Hull	S Henderson
Lakefield	4 83	40 30	W Harkness, Belmore PO	W J Halladay	W J Halladay	W J Halladay
Lakelet and Mackintosh		44 00	E H Brown	H Hutchinson	H Hutchinson	H Hutchinson (Lakeside)
Lakeside						J McDonald (Medina)
Lambeth		40 81	Joseph Poole	John Revel	Geo W Ferguson	Rev D Davidson
Langside			Rev D Davidson	Wm Dawson	Alex Gordon	J K McLennan
Langton			John Gordon	John Thompson	E Marshall	W M Bowes
Laskey	3 56	64 38	Rev J W Cameron	Rev J Carmichael	Rev J Carmichael	A & J Edgar
Lefroy and Bell Ewart		17 34	G P McKay	R Goodfellow	H Grose	R S Porter
Lindsay	56 30	99 05	Judge Dean	J H Knight	Wm Flavelle	Chas. Webster
Lion's Head (Depositary)						W McMillan
Listowel	20 00		Rev G Taylor	N P Newman	Rev E Barker	W H Fogue
Little Britain	9 53	86 73	F Whiteside		J G Ford	Isaac Turner
Little Current (Depositary)						John M Wood
Lloydtown		20 00	Chas Irwin	Wm Winter	John M Wood	Richard Adams
Londesboro	15 63	40 00	James Campbell	Richard Adams	Richard Adams	Watt & Noble
Lucknow	138 00	21 00	Rev J McNabb	Joseph Little	John Baird	W R Scott
Luther		16 36	Thos Gordon	W Gordon	Rev T R Fydel	W A Charlton
Lyr edoch	14 95	50 00	J Charlton M P	W A Charlton	W A Charlton	
Madoc	35 77	31 50	A F Wood	E D O'Flynn	E D O'Flynn	C G Wilson
Magnetawan (Depositary)	10 00					Wm Holditch
Malton		142 00	J McMullen	T Brocklebank	T B Allen	P B Wallace
Manchester (Auburn PO)	2 92	30 00	Rev M Hilliard	P B Wallace	J P Brown	George Douglas
Manilla	7 76	67 05	John Coone	Elias Bowes	Geo Douglas	Geo McDonald
Manitowaning	10 00		W R Abery		J H Tinkiss	

Maple Valley.....	8 00	36 00	W D Taylor.....	James Dick.....	Wm Gilson.....	H McQuarrie.....
Mara (Brechin P O).....	1 64	24 16	Rev G C Patterson.....	James Kelly.....	Samuel Luck.....	D C McMurray, Brechin
Markdale (Depository).....		2 33				Wm Brown
Markham.....	14 70	40 00	James Speight.....	Dr. Crowle.....	W R Rowan.....	Wm E Gladney
Marmora (Depository).....	7 18					A W Ireland
Meaford.....	20 00		Rev J T Paterson.....	J C Whitelaw.....	J C Whitelaw.....	Wm Miller
Medonte.....			Capt Hill.....	James Yates.....	W Thomson (Hobart P O).....	
Melrose.....		20 00	Wm Farlane.....	Chas Anderson.....	A McLaren, junr.....	
Michael's Bay (Depository).....	1 12	14 09	Thos Timmins.....	C W Asling.....	John P Weeks.....	R A Lyon M.P.P.
Midland.....			W Thomas.....	M Lorimer.....	George Curle.....	J B Horrell
*Mildmay.....	3 15	13 20	T Magwood (Poole P O).....	Dr J Johnson.....	W A Rutherford.....	Lemuel Eby
Millbank.....		57 50	George Needler.....	W H Russell.....	W H Russell.....	Wm Harron
Millbrook.....		180 00	Sheriff Clement.....	Jas Hollinrake.....	J M Bastedo.....	F J Jones
Milton.....	+16 00	18 30	Rev M Maurer.....	P Hoffman.....	J G Grosch.....	Jacob Karn
Milverton.....			Robert Reed.....	James Grant.....	James Grant (Shiloh P O).....	
Mimosa.....						
Minden (Depository).....						
Minesing.....	3 40	54 67	Joseph Orchard.....	S Jacobs.....	S Jacobs.....	A McIntosh
Mitchell.....		70 00	Rev J W Gilpin.....	J H Flagg.....	J H Flagg.....	A Ronald
Moira.....	5 00	7 27	Joseph Mullett.....	J Mc Laggart.....	John L Foster.....	N Brisbin
Molesworth.....		59 52	Andrew Mitchell.....	C W Watson.....	C W Watson.....	Henry Green
Mono Centre.....		+30 00	James Coleman.....	Jas Coleman.....	John Barclay.....	C W Watson
Mono Mills.....		22 00	Rev A C Watt.....	J Richardson.....	J Richardson.....	Wm Denton
Moorefield.....						W J Mills
Mooretown (Moore P O).....	9 67	9 81	Saml Rowell.....	Wm Jamieson.....	Wm Jamieson.....	Wm Jamieson
Morris, Man. (Depository).....			Peter Mackenzie.....	D Morrison.....	D Morrison.....	D Morrison
Morrison.....						Mrs Greig
Mount Albert.....	11 06	10 85	B Brown.....	Geo Elfner.....	Geo Barth.....	B Brown
Mount Forest.....	45 74	41 76	Rev D B McDonald.....	A W Smith.....	Thos Wallace.....	J R Mann
Mt Pleasant, Cavan.....	2 85	65 00	John Robinson.....	Wm Tasker.....	T J Smith.....	Wm Glanville
Mt Pleasant, Brant (Mohawk P O).....		13 04	Geo Jamieson.....	James McLean.....	James McLean.....	Jas McLean
Nanaimo (B. C.).....		21 07	Rev T Alexander.....	J R Ellis.....	Robt A Chatterson.....	J R Ellis
Nanicoke.....						
Napanee.....	41 07		M Bate.....	Rev W Clyde.....	Rev J Hall.....	M Wedrick, jr
Nassagaweya.....		40 00	J W Mencke.....	H Livingston.....	H Livingston.....	T A Huffman
Newark.....		67 74	Rev Alex Young.....	J C Huffman.....	W J Black.....	J Easterbrook
Newbridge.....		+50 00	Rev John Neil.....	James Milne.....	Henry Milne.....	
Newburgh.....		2 05		Uriah Snell.....	Uriah Snell.....	
		15 00	Adam Spence.....	James Fallis.....	James Fallis.....	M Cavanagh
			James Thomson.....	Hiram Casey.....	Chas Thomson.....	A Caton

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Newcastle	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	A F Walbridge	Dr McNaughton	Dr McNaughton	Daniel Allin
New Dundee	10 00	45 00	D K Erb	Isaac Krupp	A Kilborn	James G Wing
New Durham	23 53	57 28	Charles Walker	Philip Kelly	James Paterson	C Walker, Beaconsfield
	19 59	28 13				M Jeffer, New Durham
New Hamburg	25 51	69 54	Fred Merner	Jacob Becker	Peter Rieder	W H Boullée
Newmarket	13 40		Wm Rennie	J C Robertson	W A J Martin	J C Robertson
Newtonville and Kendal		25 75	Rev A Leslie, M A	W J Jones	D Moffatt	Jas Lockhart
New Westminster, B. C.	70 40	4168 87	W J Armstrong M. P.P.	C J Major	Rev R Jamieson	C J Major
Niagara	8 37	61 05	Robt N Ball	T P Blain	T P Blain	Wm Senior
Niagara Falls & Queens- ton		32 83	Rev Jas Gordon M.A.	A Logan	Rev G W Calvert	Thos Ward
North Pelham	6 00	16 75	Dr McGlashan	Warren Cross	Warren Cross (Effingham P O)	R H Comfort
North Sydenham (Annun P O)		56 00	Rev R Dewar	J P Telford	J P Telford	Geo Redpath, Effingham
Norval	2 07	31 60	Rev J Alexander	Wm Clay	J M Malcolm	Wm Clay
Norwich	46 11	5 86	James Barr	Thos Walker	Thos Walker	John A Tidey
Norwood		100 00	Rev J Carmichael M.A.	W H Stephenson	W H Stephenson	J A Butterfield
Oakville	14 10	11 15	Robert Balmer	John Barclay	Henry Wilson	John Barclay
Oakwood	5 00	25 00	Jesse Waldon	W C Jeffers	W C Jeffers	M N Anderson
Omamee		40 00	Wm Curry	Dr Geo Norris	Dr Geo Norris	Dr Norris
Oneida	10 00	86 00	A Dunn-tt	Peter Elder	P Elder (Clanbrassil P O)	Mrs Cossar
Orangeville			Rev J Simpson	Thos Stevenson	W T Bailey	Thos Stevenson
Orford (Duart P O)		50 00	J Cunningham	C Elford	Andrew Tait	
Orillia (2 years)		+80 95	W J Forbes	H Cooke	J Cuppage	H Cooke
Orono	50 00	59 00	Robert Moment	G M Long	G M Long	Wm Henry
Oshawa			J C Smith	R Wellington	J W Higginbotham	J W Higginbotham
Otterville			H N Courtland	R C Coote	R C Coote	R C Coote
Owen Sound			Rev J E Howell M.A.	James Caton	James Caton	J Rutherford

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Painwick	15 00	W H Hewson	John Warnica	John Sibbald	Rev Geo Hartley
Paisley	106 62	Rev John Hale	Benjamin Mills	B Mills	J S Brown
Palmerston	34 00	James Gamble	M Tillane	M Tillane	Walter Gaynor
Paris	210 00	Thomas Hall	H Finlayson	S Dudson	John Scoon
Parkdale	90 00	Edward Ivory	A W Spaulding	A W Spaulding	Dr Walton
Park Hill	55 00	Dr Caw	R Porte	J M Ansley	A C Osborne
Parry Sound	11 28	Wm Beatty L.L.B.	Dr Walton	A Sneath	AM Hamilton, Warkw'rth
Penetanguishene	2 45	A C Osborne	Wm West	R P Hurlbut	R P Neville, Norham
Percy (Warkworth P O)	100 00	John Douglas	R P Hurlbut	R P Hurlbut	P Connal
Peterborough	188 00	John Walton	J H Roper	Jas Stratton	C B Allison
Picton	53 01	Walter T Ross	Robert Boyle	J Twigg	James Wilkie
Pine River and Amberley	43 79	Rev John McFarlane	James Wilkie	Jas Wilkie (Amberley PO)	Robert Keyes
Pinkerton	6 31	Lewis Emery	Robert Keyes	John Davidson	Veitch & Neal
Plattsville	20 72	Wm Ronse	James Hunter	James Hunter	Thos Hawkins
Port Albert	11 04	Wm Pillow	James Hunter	James Quaid	Frank Noble
Port Colborne	57 67	Rev J D Hazlewood	W F Henderson	Rev P K Dayfoot	P G Bagley
Port Dover	20 00	Peter Lawson	T P Barrett	David Abel	D McLachlan
Port Elgin	14 64	Rev J Gourlay	S Kinzey	S Kinzey	W H Parsons
Port Hope	48 65	H H Meredith	James Craick	W H Parsons	Miss Chisholm
Port Perry	15 95	Rev J Carry, D D	John Rolph	Thos J Widden	A D Vatcher
Port Rowan	42 93	Rev J S Jones	C Biddle	P F Fick	Joseph Taylor
Portage La Prairie (Man)	2 90	Rev A L Fortin, M A	W A Prest	W M Miller	C Nisnel
Preston	26 60	Ephraim Erb	A Z Detweiler	Thos Hepburn	A W Whitelaw
Prince Albert	38 52	David Cash	Rev S C Philp	Rev S C Philp	A W Thomson
Prince Arthur's Landing	4 00	Dr Sicellie	C Sproule	C Sproule	Miss C Smith
Princeton	26 52	Thomas McKenzie	H C Forsyth	Joseph Beamer	Wm Turner
Queensville (Depository)	25 70	Rev D W Kelly	G D Culp	G D Culp	S Overholt
Rainham Centre	146 86	Eben Roy (Theford PO)	John Taylor	John Taylor	Peter Wiens
Ravenswood	13 62	Robert Marsh	J H Sanderson	J H Sanderson	M H Keefer
Rheinland (Depository) Man	54 14	Rev Robt Burns	Dr Brewster	J H Beam	Dr Brewster
Richmond Hill	180 00	Rev R Paul	Archd McDonald	James McLeod	Archibald McDonald
Ridgeway	28 59	Rev D Strachan	J R Harris	J R Harris	R Pasmore
Ripley	6 31	A Humphrey	Jacob Mistell	James Lowry (P O)	A Humphrey
Rockwood and Everton	25 25	Rev T Snowden	Archd McIntyre	Archd McIntyre (Mulmur)	George Cumming
Rodney	7 26	F Cornish	Chas Hudson	Rev D Kelso	
Rosemont					
Roslin					

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Rothsay	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	Wm Oxley	R Harrington	R Harrington	J F Campbell
Rugby	+20 00	16 77	G Tudhope	James Ball	Rev R Fairbairn	James Ball
St Ann's	+3 42	+18 58	J T Harcourt	George Snyder	J S Nash	J E Johnstone
St Catharines	63 35	226 00	W J McCalla	John McCalla	James B Grey	S S Junkin
St George	20 20	50 00	J P Galloway	Rev R Hurre	S D Bingham	W W Howell
St Helen's		28 86	Rev R Leask	John Gordon	J W Morgan	John Gordon
St Mary's	19 40	50 00		A Carman	A H Leff	M Laughton
St Thomas			Rev D W Rowland	John Farley	D K Mackenzie	C Chaisegreen
St Williams			Rev R H Balmer	Samuel Jull	W G Bristow	L McKinnon
Sandford	+7 12	+26 03	Rev N Wellwood	G Smith	D A Dick	Edward Taylor
Sarnia		+139 31	Hon A Vidal	J F Elliott	Thos Hounston	J F Elliott
Sault Ste Marie	16 65	15 00	George Alderson	Wm Vaughan	W H Carney	D A McDougald
Scarborough		164 47	Rev R P Mackay, M A (Agincourt P O)	Amos Thomson	DW Thomson (Ellesmere)	
Scotland			I B Merritt	Joseph Nunnick	Fred Smith	Wm Foster
Seaforth		87 34	Rev A D McDonald	R Lumsden	R Lumsden	R Lumsden
Sebringville	+16 58	+4 53	Dr A Eby	Andrew Goetz	E Muench	Scarth Bros
Selkirk	13 25	4 33	Dr J Fry	E E Phillips	Rev Geo Baker	E E Phillips
Shakespeare		30 35	Rev R D McKay	E C Mowat	E C Mowat	J Callin
Shelburne			Rev J Straith	A McLachlan	Geo Rutherford	Berwick & Co
Shequindah (Depository)						David Lewis
Silver Islet (Depository)						John Livingstone
Simcoe	+15 50	+84 50	A J Donly	John Curtis	John Curtis	Geo R Perry
Smithville	7 56	4 00	H F Bridgman	D W Eastman	D W Eastman	D W Eastman
Sombra (Wilkesport P O)			A R McGregor	J Parkinson	Orra Bishop	J Parkinson
Sonya		5 00	Rev A Currie, M A	J McKinnon	J McKinnon	
South Monaghan and Cavan		111 00	Edward Kerr	R Waddell	Jno Riddell (Bensfort PO)	Robert Fair

Springville			J Robertson (Peter- boro' P O)	J Robertson (Fraserville P O)	J Robertson (Clarksburg P O)	J Robertson (Clarksburg P O)	J Robertson (Clarksburg P O)
Stayner	48 00	25 00	Alex Nicol	Alex Hislop	John Lane	John Lane	John Lane
Stirling			Dr Boulter	Dr Boulter	R Cunningham	R Cunningham	R Cunningham
Stoney Creek			A G Jones	H Combes	James Munro	James Munro	James Munro
Stouffville	20 00	75 17	Rev J Unsworth	James Blackie	W A McCollum	W A McCollum	W A McCollum
Strabane		443 00	Rev T McPherson	A Cochran	N McInnes	N McInnes	N McInnes
Stratford		170 00	R Barber	Jas Hamilton	Alex Totten	Alex Totten	Alex Totten
Streetsville		50 00		Wm Webb	Rev W J Wilkins	Rev W J Wilkins	Rev W J Wilkins
* Meadowvale (Sub-branc h)		2 31		Francis Doble	Chas Cosens	Chas Cosens	Chas Cosens
Sunderland				G A Bateman	Wm Wright	Wm Wright	Wm Wright
Sutton (Georgia P O)	33 48	17 80	Rev J Fraser	J M Smith	W R Clemens	W R Clemens	W R Clemens
Tamworth	9 04	2 26	P F Carscallen	J H Vandusen	Hugh Murray	Hugh Murray	Hugh Murray
Tara and Invermay	15 00	50 63	A Brunton	James Pequegnat	M Braithwaite	M Braithwaite	M Braithwaite
Tavistock	15 90	28 13	L Wildfang	J K McLean	Wm Smith	Wm Smith	Wm Smith
Teeswater	9 90	160 00	Rev D Wardrope	B Lloyd	John McAsh	John McAsh	John McAsh
Temperanceville			James Stewart	George Gordon	P Hinman	P Hinman	P Hinman
Thamesville	32 38	20 00	Rev Wm Davis	W J Rattray	James Shaw	James Shaw	James Shaw
Thedford	15 37	+39 15	Robert Rae	W Hunter	Duncan McRae	Duncan McRae	Duncan McRae
Thessalon (Depository)	9 73			John Lane			
Thornbury & Clarksburg	25 00	53 00	Rev. A T Colter	W Hunter			
Thornhill	17 85	142 58	W B Wilson	John Lane			
Thornton	3 75	29 31	Rev J Cochran	Thomas Gall			
Thorold		80 00	James H Beatty	James Miller			
Tilsonburg		45 07	E D Tilson	John Garnett			
Tiverton	37 61	+30 00		John Macaulay			
Tottenham				Henry Stone			
Trenton	69 50	35 05	W H Austin	D Elliott			
Trowbridge		10 60	William Kellington	W H Nisbett			
Tweed (2 years)	28 14	76 70	Robert Gordon	Chas Garrett			
Tyrene	73	7 00	J S Dorsey	James Bingham			
Underwood	13 56	40 00	Rev G McLennan	N D McKinnon			
Unionville	3 75	46 19	Rev J Fletcher	Geo H Neville			
Uxbridge	47 05	128 78	Rev E Cockburn	Rev J W Cannon			
Varna		49 07	J B Seord	James Shaw			
Vernonville		77 76	George Robson	Duncan McRae			
				James Stewart			
				John G Boyd			

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BRANCH.	Remittances.		PRESIDENT.	TREASURER.	SECRETARY.	DEPOSITARY.
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Victoria, B. C.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	Bishop Cridge.....	D Spencer.....	W C Siffken.....	E M Law C P Young
Victoria Harbour (Depository)	10 00		Henry Lamport.....	Joseph McColl.....	J McColl.....	J S Jenkin Chas S Judson C Bisboprick Thomas Choate William Dunn J B Thompson B H Rammage C Kumpf W P McLaren J H Parker R Morwood J R Gorung T J Howard PO)
Walkerton.....	32 40	+34 00	Judge Kingsmill.....	J S Jenkin.....	J S Jenkin.....	J S Jenkin
Wallaceburg.....	17 00	30 79	F W Robinson.....	D P MacDonald.....	Wm Anderson.....	Chas S Judson
Walsingham Centre.....			Dr Phelan.....	Wm Morgan, MPP.....	James Fry.....	C Bisboprick
Warsaw.....	27 36		John Rennie.....	Thomas Choate.....	A F Choate.....	Thomas Choate
Washington.....			Arthur Tew.....	William Dunn.....	William Dunn.....	William Dunn
Waterdown.....		44 40	Dr McLaren.....	John Graham.....	J B Thompson.....	J B Thompson
Waterford.....			Rev T Athoe.....	J W Green.....	W McWhinnie.....	B H Rammage
Waterloo.....	2 00	30 00	Moses Springer.....	N Killer.....	Joel Good.....	C Kumpf
Watford.....	5 59	89 57	Rev P C Goldie.....	W P McLaren.....	John Fuller.....	W P McLaren
Waverley.....	+13 37		Edward Grigg.....	Robert Anderson.....	Thomas W Pew.....	J H Parker
Welland.....	9 50	2 00	D McEwen.....	R Morwood.....	Rev Geo Clark.....	R Morwood
Wellandport.....			Charles Currie.....	Walter Misener.....	A McKeague.....	J R Gorung
Wellington.....	6 95		J T Dorland, sr.....	S T Flagler.....	D E Clarke.....	T J Howard
West Darlington.....		21 60	W H Everson.....	S Everson.....	W R Courtee (Courtice PO)	T J Howard
West Essa.....	16 30	52 00	J G Hood.....	John Bruce.....	John Bruce.....	D Henderson, West Essa
West Flamboro'.....			Rev S W Fisher.....	John Betzner.....	James Stutt.....	Wm Foster, Everett
West Lorne.....			Rev Dr Schulte.....	E R Mogg.....	James Leslie.....	J A Durrant
West Tilbury.....			RE Dodson.....	H Gracey.....	Wm Keith.....	E R Mogg
Weston.....		40 00	Dr E Aikins.....	William Nason.....	William Nason.....	H Richardson, Trudell
Whitby.....	25 20	28 32	D Ormiston.....	Ross Johnston.....	Ross Johnston.....	William Nason
Whitevale (Depository).....	4 00					W R Howse
Warton.....		38 13	H Brown.....	D G Miller.....	D G Miller.....	D McPhee
Windham Centre.....			Isaiah Glover.....	Robt Green.....	James Robison.....	N McMillan
Windsor.....	13 51	23 00	Capt Sullivan.....	J W Blackadder.....	George Bartlett.....	John Lindabury J W Blackadder

Wingham	22 05	50 00	John Dickson.....	John Neelands.....	John Neelands.....	C E Williams
Winnipeg (Manitoba)	175 32	+90 90	Rev O Fortin, M.A.....	Rev J B Silcox	Rev J B Silcox	A C Perry
Winona			C P Carpenter	Egbert Smith	Egbert Smith	P S Kilborne
Winterbourne		60 00	Rev A M Hamilton.....	P S Kilborne	M Durrant	
Woodbridge and Pine- grove		80 00	Rev W H Way	S Bennett.....	D J Grant.....	J Wright
Woodstock		300 00	William Grey	Robert Stark	Robert Stark	Dickenson & Cranston
Woodville	10 00	+20 00	William Reid	J C Gilchrist	J C Gilchrist	J C Gilchrist
Wroster		64 00	Rev J Fisher.....	Mrs Knutson	Miss Brown	
York (Haldimand).....		18 00	A A Davis.....	A Williamson.....	A Williamson	G W Murton
Zurich		20 00	M Zeller.....	George Hess.....	F Kibler	D S Faust

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.*

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The forty-fourth Anniversary Meeting of the Society was held in Knox Church, on the evening of Wednesday, May 14th, beginning at half-past seven o'clock.

(The Anniversary sermon had been preached the evening before by the Rev. Dr. Behrends of Brooklyn, N. Y., in the Elm St. Methodist Church, and will be published in the October number of the *Recorder*.)

The chair was occupied by the Hon. G. W. Allan, President.

After the singing of the hymn "All people that on earth do dwell" the Rev. H. M. Parsons, pastor of the church, read a portion of Scripture and led in prayer.

The President then delivered the following address :

MY CHRISTIAN FRIENDS :—

I esteem it both a great pleasure, and a great privilege, that I am able to be present and occupy the Chair at our annual meeting this evening. The Sessions of the Dominion Parliament being so frequently prolonged until late in the month of May, have prevented my attendance at our annual gatherings for the past two or three years, and I am the more rejoiced therefore that this year no such obstacle has interposed to prevent my joining with you all in testifying by our presence here, our faithful allegiance to the Upper Canada Bible Society, and our earnest and hearty interest in the Bible cause.

Our Society, my friends, is growing in years. My own connection with it, as your President, extends back now for five and twenty years, and although the Report, which will be presented to you this evening, is only the forty-fourth Report of the U. C. Bible Society, under that name—we have in fact long since passed our semi-centennial, for this is really the fifty-fifth year of the Society's operations. The York Auxiliary Bible Society, as you will find from the brief sketch contained in the Report, was organized in November, 1828, and its first anniversary meeting was held in February, 1830, and although in 1834, the same year in which this city was incorporated, its name was changed to the City of Toronto Auxiliary Bible Society, and subsequently to the Upper Canada Bible Society, you will see that we are in fact an older institution than the City of Toronto itself—as we date back to the days of Little York ! We are, doubtless, all prepared as good citizens to assist in the approaching semi-centennial celebration. We are all proud of our city, of its wonderful growth and progress in the last fifty years, not only in material wealth and prosperity—but in intellectual advancement and culture—witness the many noble institutions in our midst, for the promotion of learning and science—witness the latest provision made, for ministering to the intellectual wants of all classes of our citizens, in the establishment of a Free Public library, whose opening was celebrated only a few months ago. Yet while we rejoice over the progress of our city both materially and intellectually, may we not most fittingly look back

* The Directors do not hold themselves responsible for sentiments uttered by the various speakers.

to-night with thankfulness and satisfaction to the first efforts made in what was then the little Town of York, not for the promotion of mere human learning only, or for the circulation of books of man's writing, but to unite all Christians in the glorious work of circulating the Book of Books!

See how from that beginning the Upper Canada Bible Society grew and increased, and spread its branches throughout the Province, until now we are able to tell you to-night that our income for the year has been \$30,633, and our issues of the Scriptures 31,271 copies, and that in the words of the Report during the course of its history the Society has received \$851,569, with which it has circulated 1,240,141 copies of the Holy Scriptures, in its own field, and has sent over \$250,000 to spread the word of God in Romish, Mahomedan and Heathen lands.

While, however, we humbly thank God, for the growth and progress of the Society, and the success which has so far attended its work in assisting to spread abroad the glorious Gospel in all lands, we must remember that the field is ever widening, and the friends of the Bible must not slack their hands until that time shall arrive, so earnestly longed for and desired by all God's people—when "the knowledge of the Lord shall cover the earth as the waters cover the sea." I have said that the field is ever widening, and so it is, whether we look at home or abroad. In the various countries of Europe, the Great Parent Society is carrying on, with increasing vigour, the work of Bible distribution among those who have not hitherto been in possession of that blessed book, so that we learn from their Report, that in France their Colporteurs have for the first time, carried their labour into every one of the eighty-six Departments. And in Austria, in the teeth of opposition, which has never been more bitter, the work has been pursued with so much vigour, that the circulation shows an increase of nearly 10,000 copies. Each year too, sees further inroads made by the Society's Colporteurs into the dark places of the earth, whether among the benighted followers of Brahma or Confucius, Mahomedan fanatics, or fierce Pagan tribes.

In looking to their future work in Egypt, that country now so torn and distracted by intestine feuds and savage warfare, and to which men's minds have lately been directed with so much interest and anxiety, for the fate of one, whose noble Christian character and love of the Bible have made his name a household word, the Parent Society have resolved to make it the centre of a new and more effective agency, shall we not hope and pray, that He, who ruleth over all, may deliver our gallant countryman from his perilous position, and may yet, out of all these wars and fightings, bring it to pass, that a wide and effectual door shall be opened, for the admission of the Gospel of Peace.

Again in Central Africa, the explorations which Livingstone was the first to begin, with the earnest hope of opening out a way for the Bible and civilization, are now from year to year being vigorously pushed forward, though with different objects, by various agencies and associations, but the missionaries and the scriptures are following the paths thus opened into the heart of "the dark continent," and the field of Bible work there is ever increasing. In China and India too, the British and Foreign Bible Society are arranging for their work on a still larger scale. So that the call to us, my friends, if we would continue to share in the glorious privilege of being fellow-helpers with the Parent Society, is ever one for increasing zeal and liberality.

Then if we turn from abroad and look nearer home. I well remember presiding at an anniversary meeting fourteen years ago in this very Church, and alluding on that occasion to the probable enlargement of our boundaries, and that ere long we might expect to see the whole of the great North-West included in the Dominion of Canada, and thousands of settlers

seeking new homes for themselves in the valleys and plains of the new territory, and that it was for us to look to it, that they not only took with them the spade and the plough, but the Bible also. The North-West has become an integral part of the Dominion of Canada, and thousands of settlers are pouring in there from year to year, surely my friends there is a call to us here. We, who sit at ease in old Canada with our churches and Sunday schools at our very doors, where the Bible is read and its holy teaching inculcated on old and young, rich and poor, on Sunday and often on week days too, shall we be content until we have done what we can to place God's Holy Word within the reach of the thousands scattered far and wide in that vast territory? How many are there who are never reached by the voice of a minister of God, or have their attention called away from the cares and struggles of their daily life, on the blessed day of rest, by the sweet ordinances of religion. Oh! let us at least, if we cannot send the living messengers to carry the glad tidings, send the book which contains the word of life to guide and comfort them.

I have now briefly glanced at our opportunities and our duties as members of the Bible Society, both abroad and at home, and I must not further detain you from the speeches of the evening, which I know you are all desirous of hearing and from which we are all anticipating a rich treat; but I desire, coming nearer home still to advert, for a moment, to one other point, and that is this: If we really love our Bibles, if we feel and believe that it is that book that we are indebted for the peace of our own consciences, for all that makes our homes bright and happy, in the sanctity of the marriage tie, the love and obedience of our children, for the honor shewn to God's Holy Day, for the respect and observance of our laws, for all that, in fact, can make the people truly great—shall we be content with anything less than this, that God's Book shall form part and parcel of the education of the children of this country? Thank God this is being done more or less in our schools now; but I fervently trust that every member of the U. C. Bible Society throughout the length and breadth of Ontario, will each in their several spheres earnestly endeavor by every legitimate means in their power to bring about the time, when in every common school and collegiate institute in Ontario, there shall be heard, once in the day, the sacred words of God's Holy Book read with careful reverence by teachers and children. So shall these young lives, on whose characters and training, so much of the future of this Dominion depends, not be shipwrecked for the lack of that knowledge which is above all the knowledge, but be matured and developed into all that is pure and upright, all that is "lovely and of good report," in Christian men and Christian women.

Mr. Robert Baldwin then moved the adoption of the Report, which was seconded by David Higgins, Esq., and carried.

Col. Moffatt moved, and Mr. John Earls seconded the following resolution:—
 "That thanks be given to the Officers, Committees and Collectors of the various Branches throughout the country, to whose zeal and energy the Society is so much indebted; and that the following gentlemen be Officers and Directors for the ensuing year:—(See list on page 4.)

Rev. Dr. BEHREND moved:—

"That inasmuch as the word of God is the sword of the Spirit, the churches of Christ are summoned to magnify this chosen agency of the Divine ministry, not only by making the Holy Scriptures accessible to all men, but also by so training them in the use of the Bible as to make it a means only of blessing."

After reading the resolution, he said :—Permit me, Mr. CHAIRMAN and Christian friends of the Upper Canada Bible Society to say that it gives me great pleasure to meet with you and to be greeted by you under the circumstances of our present gathering. I have been charmed with the beauty of your city, and have been refreshed by the courteous hospitality of its citizens. I think you have reason to be proud of the past and of the present, and to be hopeful for the future. I am very sure, from what I have seen and heard, that you are quite capable of taking care of yourselves; and I have come to the conclusion that if now and then you send across the border for some one who shall represent your brother church-workers there, it is only because you are thoroughly good-natured, and intend to show by action as well as by speech that you bear us no enmity, but regard us with fraternal and with Christian affection. I assure you that to such a one as myself, who belong to a class of men, whose profession, as it were, is to exalt the Bible, it is very refreshing to hear such words as those we have listened to this evening from the honorable Chairman, words simple and clear, and full of encouragement, and borne out by the daily testimony of his public life. I agree with him that in the system of education provided for the children by the people, a place should be given to the Holy Scriptures. I confess that I shall go away to-morrow morning somewhat chastened in spirit, perhaps, because with the traditional temper of a Yankee (laughter), though I am not native-born, I have been watching the tone of the speeches that have been made, and of the opinions expressed in the city, and have failed to discover any great anxiety to be annexed to the country on the other side. (applause). But I have one answer which I think I shall be able to give my friends when they ply me with questions on my return, and one in which I think you will agree with me, that though there is not evident any desire either on the part of the Province of Ontario or on the part of the Dominion of Canada, for annexation to the United States, yet there is on both sides of this great chain of inland lakes a determination that all the Provinces and all the States,—aye, even all the broad continent from Greenland and Alaska on the north, to Patagonia on the south, shall be annexed to the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ; and that the bonds by which these hundred millions of men, women, and children are to be bound to him in sweet captivity must be forged from the pure gold of Holy Scripture, and in the fires of the baptism of the Holy Ghost. To this we are pledged. And now, as to the resolution that I have read; there are two parts to it. There is, first of all, a recognition of the intrinsic and peculiar value of the word of God as the sword of the spirit, in view of which fact we are summoned to magnify this agency “not only by making the Holy Scriptures accessible to all men, but also by so training them in the use of the Bible, as to make it a means only of blessing.” If I refrain from speaking more particularly on the first part of the resolution it is because I feel sure that the words of wisdom to which you listened only a year ago from the lips of Dr. Hall must be still fresh in your memory, and I should be unable to say anything new. All that he has said, or all that any man could say as to the importance of a renewed and enlarged zeal for the circulation of Holy Scriptures throughout not only our own continent, but all the lands of the earth I would say “amen” to. I would take it, therefore, for granted that the friends and supporters of this society are convinced that the voices of the past and the present summon them to renewed and ever enlarging diligence in the circulation of the Holy Scriptures. To this we are summoned if we would preserve the life of the church. Such diligence is needed also for the preservation of purity of doctrine, and for the prompt expulsion of every kind and degree of error. It is demanded

also for the checking and remedying of what is one of the great evils of modern life, the presence and the increase of an impure literature, the evils of which can be met only by the Bible and by its broadcast circulation. It is demanded, moreover, in order that men may be protected against superstition and against every form of fanaticism ; and lastly it is demanded for the promotion of morality. But when we have recognised this obligation, our work is only begun. It is not enough for us to put in the hands of every man, woman, and child a copy of the Bible. I venture to say that if this were the sum and substance of our moral obligation it would be discharged before the close of the current year ; and money would be poured into the treasuries of the Bible Societies if our obligations were to be discharged by giving every man, woman, and child on the face of the earth a copy of the Scriptures. But that would not convert the world ; we must never forget that generosity is both of the body and of the soul ; and falling back upon that figure of the Bible so often used in the Scriptures themselves—the Sword of the Spirit, I ask you what is the use of a sword in the hands of a dead man ; it cannot defend or protect any one ; for a sword to be of use, there must be a steady hand back at the hilt to wield it aright, and a brave and living heart to give strength and nerve to the hand. So that we come back in considering this obligation of ours to what we are ever forced to come to—that our work must not be merely mechanical. Our work, whether we will it or not, carries with it our temper and disposition ; the whole personality of each one of us must be cast into the current of the work ; the whole forces of our natures must be bent towards it ; and then we may achieve success. The Bible is the Sword ; you can teach others how to use it only by learning to use it yourself ; and I think one of the things to which the Christian church is called, is to have a Christian apprehension of the value of the recognition of this fact, and then to be found fearlessly and constantly acting on that conviction in the systematic and every day use of the Bible. For once, sir, I confess that when I see how both in Jewish and in Christian lands these holy writings have been distorted, misrepresented, and perverted, I am amazed at the vitality of Holy Scriptures ; when I consider the principles of interpretation that have been adopted and advocated in pulpits and on platforms, I am amazed that it has maintained its place and power in the world. I presume that you have heard the story of the parishioner who said that his parson was a very faithful man of God, who never neglected to do two things when he got into the pulpit—first to get away from his text as soon as possible, and second, to take care never to get back to it. That may have been an extreme case, but it seems to me that it may be taken as a fair sample of the method of the use of the Bible in too many cases ; and I repeat, that when I think how this Word of God has been abused and perverted, I am amazed that it has preserved its peculiar and unique vitality. In spite of all that men have done to make the Bible a laughing stock to intelligent men, it rules the life of the world with an ever increasing power. And yet, it seems to me that as soon as possible we should spread a true knowledge of the Word of God in all those parts of the world where it is not known, or where it is imperfectly known. Let us do all that we can to have an enlarged and ever enlarging sphere in which to carry on the work for the accomplishment of which this society was founded. There are two or three things I have in my mind that it seems to me are appropriate at this moment to speak of, not because they are original, but because I think these same thoughts have been burning in many other hearts than my own, and because I am convinced that the time has come for their clear apprehension and persistent application in our use of the Holy Scriptures ; for sword, and anvil, and hammer, and fire as that

word is, we shall never be able to teach others how to use it, until we learn to use it ourselves. The first thing that I have to say is this—that it behoves us in the face of every form of opposition to emphasize the reality of the revelation from God as constituting the peculiar quality of this book. The question of the Supernatural is the question of the hour. This is the turning point of all controversy. Does the Christian religion come from God or is it the product of human thought and aspirations? Does Christianity represent simply the outline of the world's past thought, or is it a revelation from God? Now we have amongst us to-day a peculiar class of men very willing to recognize that there is something in the Bible not to be found in any other department of the world's literature; but that it is the product of the world's thought, and that there is nothing divine about it, and that it is only literature after all. Against this we must firmly make our stand, and constantly, boldly, and clearly proclaim that the revelation is a real one, that this Book is the Word of God. In saying this I do not enter upon the question of the inspiration of the Scriptures. It is as impossible to understand the philosophy of inspiration as it is to understand the philosophy of regeneration. It is only by the impartation of the Holy Ghost that man can be born again. How this regeneration is accomplished we cannot understand, and we know just as little of the philosophy of inspiration, just as little as to how God works in the mind of man. It is sufficient for all practical purposes that we can say, as we are bound to say, that for the purposes for which the Bible was given its authority is plenary and infallible. There is no reason to suppose that Christianity must pass away as the other religions of the world have passed away. Our reasons for this belief lie in the principle that we have a revelation, and of our religion being based upon that revelation; and that we have the records of God's coming down upon the earth in order that man might be admitted to fellowship with God. It is not necessary for us to deny that there is a human quality in the literature of the Bible. The Bible is something more than literature, but it is also literature. The thought of God burns and glows in the living words of man; but it was not given to these Holy men to write by dictation but by inspiration. The second thought I have I can hardly call less important; it is that the Bible shall be interpreted in the simplest way possible. One of the utterances in the passage of Holy Scripture that was read this evening was this: "The entrance of the Word giveth light and understanding to the simple." The substance of Scriptural teaching is exceedingly plain, so that the entrance of the Word into a simple mind giveth it understanding. We do love simple things, simple speech, if it be but true. There is no beauty like the beauty of simple speech. Let us preserve our idea of the beauty of Holy Scripture by its simplicity of speech. And then, just soon word more. The Word of God having taught us what righteousness is, tells us how it may be obtained. These are the two great centres around which all other parts of the Scriptures revolve. Righteousness, we are told, in all the Scriptures is to be found in conformity to God, and all Scriptures emphasize the correlative truth that we can become like God only through faith and love. It seems to me that great harm has been done by not confining our estimation of Holy Scripture to just these themes. An infallibility has sometimes been asserted for the Bible that the Bible nowhere asserts for itself. It has been looked upon by many as if it were a text-book on astronomy, or physiology, or geography. We have heard much of the conflict between science and religion. It is time we cut this gordian knot at once and for ever. The Bible, from the beginning to the end, deals only with the double question of righteousness and how it may be obtained. Whole libraries have been written, and may be found in our Universities and

and Seminaries, to prove either that the first chapters of Genesis do not disprove the discoveries of modern science, or else that they anticipate these discoveries. I do not believe that any part of the Bible conflicts with the discoveries of modern science, but when you make the further statement that these chapters anticipate such discoveries, I beg leave to withhold my assent, because the language of the Bible is religious, not scientific. We should take a short cut in this controversy by declaring that it does not exist, that it is a legacy of mediaevalism which we have as yet hardly dared to shake off. The Bible has no more to say about geology and Darwinism than a book on political economy has to do with the movements of the stars. In the early part of this century, Thomas Chalmers rose to his feet in a religious assembly when he saw that a conflict was about to be started on the question of geology against the Bible, and in his stentorian voice uttered the single phrase "the book of Genesis has not one word to say about the antiquity of the globe." I think the truth of that sentence ought to be generally recognised. The Bible is not a text-book of science but of life eternal. It deals with the righteousness of God and how it may be obtained. The two things—science and religion, can never clash, for they come from the same hand. In the 16th verse of the 3rd chapter of John we have the text upon which all Christ's teaching is based—"God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him, should not perish, but have everlasting life." What music like unto that for the broken heart, for the contrite spirit, for the soul standing on the edge of darkness and peering out into the land of shadows and silence. "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." No suggestion of that love of God has ever come from the iron lips of science. And yet more than this: we are told that man "liveth not by bread alone, but by the word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God;" and of those words this blessed book is the chosen and sacred treasure. Let us ask the Lord Jesus Christ to increase in all our hearts a divine zeal to make known the knowledge of His word to the uttermost ends of the earth, and to bring the bread of life to a famishing and perishing world.

Rev. Hugh JOHNSTON, B.D., moved :—

"That seeing the wonderful openings that are continually presenting themselves to the Parent Society and other great Bible societies for the extension of their grand work in all lands, and recognising it as the will of God that all people should have in their own tongues the divine and matchless word; it behoves the people of Canada to be foremost in zeal and liberality, not only in providing their own land with gospel truth, but also in giving to other nations that blessed book which is the foundation of their peace and happiness."

The report before them and the eloquent and instructive address to which they had listened must, said the speaker, exercise a great influence upon them. He alluded to the work the Society was doing, and said that the man who could not here find room in which to stand with his brethren had not the love of the Bible and of the Lord Jesus Christ regnant in his soul. What would the various missionary societies do without the Bible Societies? The English and American Bible Societies had spent five millions of dollars in the distribution of the Bible through heathen lands. More than seven millions of copies were distributed annually, this being more than twice the number that were supposed to have been issued for the three centuries from the printing of the first Bible in 1460 to the organisation of the first Bible society. The total issue of copies of the Scriptures by all the Societies numbered 180 millions. Who could estimate the good done by this work, and imagine where all these copies of the word of God had gone? And yet, not-

withstanding that the work they had already accomplished, was told in such enormous numbers, they were still only in the threshold of their labours. The Bible, after all the attacks made upon it, still remained supreme, and immeasurably above the books of all other religious systems. They should spread the Bible because it was closely related to the progress of humanity. It was not a book of Science, it was true, as Dr. Behrends had remarked; but see what it had done for science. It was in Christian lands, and in those Christian lands where the Bible was most freely and unrestrictedly distributed that science made most progress; it was in those lands where the telegraph and telephone and electric lighting and other modern wonders has been brought to perfection. Where but in Bible lands had science found its widest sphere? Then look at what it had done for literature and art. The themes of the great universal masters were taken from the Bible: Look, again, at what it was doing for the nations. It had created seventy languages. See what it has done for the German nation and for the British nation. The secret of Britain's power lay in her precious, peerless, Anglo-Saxon Bible. The speaker went on to comment on the report and enlarge upon the work being done in different lands by the Bible Societies, and concluded with an urgent appeal to them to do all that lay in their power towards spreading the Bible until from the Orient to the Occident it should purify all literature, elevate all science, and cleanse and renew all hearts.

Mr. James BROWN seconded the resolution and it was adopted.

Dr. J. G. HODGINS moved:—

“That the hearty thanks of this meeting be presented to the Rev. Dr. Behrends for the instructive sermon which he preached on behalf of the Society last evening; and to the pastor and trustees of the Elm Street Methodist church for kindly granting the Society the use of their church for the occasion.”

Rev. J. M. CAMERON, seconded the resolution and it was adopted.

The Hon. Wm. McMASTER moved:—

“That the hearty thanks of this meeting be presented to the pastor and trustees of this church, for granting its use on the present occasion; and to the organist and precentor for their valuable services on the occasion of this annual gathering.”

Rev. J. MANLY seconded the resolution, and it was adopted.

A hymn was then sung, and the proceedings were concluded with the benediction pronounced by the Rev. Dr. Reid.