

ANNUAL REPORT,

OF

The St. Gabriel Church,

MONTREAL.

FOR THE YEAR 1885.



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The Saint Gabriel Church Montreal,

(Organized, 12th March, 1786)

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MINISTER.

REV. ROBERT CAMPBELL, M.A., 68 STE. FAMILLE STREET,

ELDERS.

ROBERT BRODIE,	-	-	-	-	-	Coteau St. Pierre.
JAMES H. MICHAUD,	..	..	..	..	499	Sherbrooke Street.
WILLIAM DARLING,	..	..	..	..		Hochelaga.
DANIEL DRUMMOND,	..	..	..	..	..	Petite Cote.
THOMAS GRAHAM,	..	..	..	..	110	St. Lawrence St.
MATTHEW HODGE,	..	..	..	..	181	St. Lawrence St.
JAMES ROBERTSON,	..	..	..	..	49	Park Avenue.
JOHN A. STUART,	..	..	..	..	156	German Street.

Clerk of Session,—J. H. MICHAUD.

Board of Trustees.

WILLIAM ARNOTT,	..	..	..	..	35	Parthenais Street.
CHARLES BARKER,	..	..	..	..	1837	Ontario Street.
CHARLES BYRD,	..	..	..	..	94	Duroch Street.
DAVID CUNNINGHAM,	..	..	..	..	52	Chenneville Street
J. M. FARQUHAR,	..	..	..	..		Cote St. Antoine.
THOMAS GRAHAM, <i>Treasurer</i>,	..	..	..	..	110	St. Lawrence St.
W. L. HALDIMAND,	..	..	..	..	1452	St. Catherine St.
ARCHIBALD McNAUGHTON,	..	..	..	..	1226	Notre Dame Street.
WILLIAM PATON,	..	..	..	..	613	Craig Street.
WILLIAM REED, <i>Secretary</i>,	..	..	..	..	159	Laval Avenue.
JAMES ROBERTSON, <i>Chairman</i>,	..	..	..	..	49	Park Avenue.
DAVID SLEETH,	..	..	..	..	85	Parthenais Street.

The Board meets on the first Wednesday in each Month.

AUDITORS.

WILLIAM FOULIS,	..	..	..	..	58	Cadieux Street.
R. MCCOLLOCH,	..	..	..	..	167	St. Antoine Street.

Church Officer,—JOHN H. THOM, 52 St. Elizabeth Street.

The Congregation is divided into NINE DISTRICTS, each of which is assigned to an Elder. It is his duty to visit the families in his District, to note changes of residence, and to inform the Minister and Session of special cases of sickness or poverty,

DISTRICT NO. I.—DANIEL DRUMMOND, *Elder*.

Pointe aux Trembles, Petite Cote, St. Michel, Sault aux Recollets, and all outside the city limits northwards.

DISTRICT NO. II.—MATTHEW HODGE, *Elder*.

From Papineau Road and Square, East, including Hochelaga, Longue Pointe and Longueuil.

DISTRICT NO. III.—JOHN A. STUART, *Elder*.

From Papineau Road and Square, West to Campeau street, including the latter.

DISTRICT NO. IV.—*Elder*.

From Campeau Street to St. Lawrence Street, including the latter, and from Sherbrooke Street to the River.

DISTRICT NO. V.—J. H. MICHAUD, *Elder*.

From Sherbrooke Street included northwards to city limits, and from St. Lawrence Street included eastwards to city limits.

DISTRICT NO. VI.—JAMER ROBERTSON, *Elder*.

From St. Lawrence Street to Bleury Streets, included, and from Dorchester Street, northwards to city limits.

DISTRICT NO. VII.—THOMAS GRAHAM, *Elder*.

From St. Lawrence Street to Bleury Street, both included, and from Craig Street to Dorchester Street, included.

DISTRICT NO. VIII.—WILLIAM DARLING, *Elder*.

From Bleury Street, westwards to city limits, and from Craig and St. Antoine Sts., northwards to city limits.

DISTRICT NO. IX.—ROBERT BRODIE, *Elder*.

From Dalhousie Square westwards to city limits, and from Craig and St. Antoine Streets southwards to the River.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

HOURS OF DIVINE SERVICE on Lord's Day ; 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING on Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER is observed on the third Sabbath in March, June, September and December.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM is administered on the first Sabbath in each month.

TO THE MEMBERS AND ADHERENTS OF ST. GABRIEL CHURCH.

DEAR FRIENDS,

Suffer a word of exhortation from me in connection with the issuing of the Annual Congregational Report.

The past year has been important in several regards. The Lord was pleased to take away from us a larger than usual number of people, of all ages and conditions, some of them in the midst of their usefulness, as members of the Church, and as related to the domestic and social life of the community. Whilst we who survive mourn their loss, let it be ours to feel a deeper obligation and louder call to earnestness and diligence in our Master's service. Whatever our hands find to do, let us do with our might.

A good many families claim a connection with the congregation, and share in its privileges, that have not yet realized the duty which they owe to the Church, in the way of according to it financial support. I trust the effort now put forth to secure this will be successful. It will be doubly advantageous : those contributing to the maintenance of ordinances will greatly profit by it, in the upholding of their self-respect, and in the greater cheerfulness and regularity with which they will attend the services, when they feel that they are doing their part towards sustaining them. And it will make the work of those who have to manage the temporalities of the congregation a great deal lighter, since "every little helps." In this connection it is a hopeful sign, that so many of the young men and women of the church feel that they ought not to depend upon what their fathers and mothers do in the way of contributing to the finances. The Trustees as well as Session are grateful to the Young People's Association for their influence and assistance in relation to this matter.

You have all got your burdens of care and trial and sorrow. Our journey through life is attended with fatigues and difficulties and conflicts. Bring them with you every Lord's day to the Throne of Grace. It is our privilege to bear each other's burdens. One way in which we can do this is in joining with one heart and voice in imploring God's help on behalf of the helpless, and His pity for those that are in distress. Do not suffer your trials to eat secretly into your own hearts and darken your peace ; make common cause with others similarly afflicted with yourselves, by seeking the Lord in the sanctuary. "There the Lord giveth grace and glory."

The centenary of the founding of Presbyterianism in this city, with which this church has been so specially identified and to which reference was made in our last Annual Report, is now a thing of the

past. The success of the celebration went beyond our most sanguine expectations. The attention and sympathy of the entire community were secured during the week of festivities held in connection with the event, and the best thanks of the congregation are due to the many friends who attested their goodwill towards us and tendered their congratulations on the occasion. We make special acknowledgment of the kind and efficient help rendered by the several clergymen who officiated on the two Sabbaths, 7th & 14th March,—Very Reverend Principal Grant, D.D., Rev. Henry Wilkes, D.D., L.L.D., Rev. Wm. Reid, D.D., the Venerable Archdeacon Evans, M.A., and Rev. Principal Douglass, L.L.D., of the Wesleyan College.

Having entered upon the new century of the history of our Church in Montreal, let us who are honoured to worship in this venerable edifice, which has been the mother of so many Congregations, do what we can to make the coming century a far nobler, purer, and more glorious one in every respect than that which has just ended.

Now unto Him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,—unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.

Ever your faithful friend and pastor,

ROBERT CAMPBELL.

Montreal, *March 31st*, 1886.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BIBLE CLASS.

Meet every Lord's day at 3 p.m.

Superintendent,—Rev. R. Campbell, M.A.

Assistant Superintendent,—Mr. J. A. Stuart.

Secretary Treasurer,—Mr. Arch'd. McAllister.

Librarian,—Mr. Wm. Bickerstaff.

Assistant Librarians,—Messrs. Wm. Beckingham and Thos. Blair.

Representative to S. S. Association,—P. M. MacTavish.

Teachers,—Misses Brophy, Campbell, Kyle, MacQueen, McAllister, and Taylor,
Messrs. R. M. Campbell, Hodge, Lampard; McTavish and Stuart.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

President, Mrs. Campbell.

Vice Presidents, Mrs. W. Darling, Sr., Mrs. Jas. Robertson,

Secretary Treasurer, Mrs. Haldimand.

The Society meets fortnightly during the winter season, for work, the members also taking work home with them. Besides providing for the poor of the Congregation, the society contemplates affording assistance to the finances of the church, and all the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to the meetings.

MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

OFFICE BEARERS & EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

President, Rev. R. Campbell.

Vice-Presidents, Messrs. W. Darling & W. L. Haldimand.

Treasurer, Matthew Hodge.

Secretary, Wm. Peddie.

Auditors, P. M. MacTavish & A. Watt.

Committee, Messrs. Arnott, Bain, J. M. Farquhar, W. Foulis,
Hyndman Irwin, J. Loughhead, Arch'd McAllister,
R. McCulloch, A. McDonald, A. McNaughton, Sr.,
T. Stewart and J. A. Stuart.

COLLECTORS :

District, No.	1	Mrs. Arnott and Miss Sleeth.
"	" 2	Mrs. Blair and Mrs. Lognon.
"	" 3	Mrs. Foulis and Miss Brophy.
"	" 4	Mrs. J. Taylor and Miss Michaud.
"	" 5	Mrs. Lynch and Miss McAllister.
"	" 6	Messrs. Byrd and Andrew McAllister, Jr.
"	" 7	Misses Drummond and McIntosh.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION.

Honorary President,—Rev. R. Campbell.*President*,—P. M. McTavish.*Vice Presidents*,—W. H. Cross, Arch'd Watt.*Financial Secretary*,—Miss M. Patton.*Treasurer*,—J. M. Farquhar.*Secretary*,—J. H. Thom.*Executive Committee*,—George Loughead, *Chairman*, Frank Graham, Miss M. Darling, Miss Nellie Campbell, Miss Flora Ferguson.*Visiting Committee*,—Andrew McAllister, *Chairman*, Thos. Hakness, Misses E. H. Taylor, Jennie Lynch, Esther Michaud.*Social Committee*,—R. D. Matheson, *Chairman*, Arch'd Watt, Misses Amelia Michaud, Maggie Patton, E. J. McNaughton.*Temperance Committee*,—J. R. Bain, *Chairman*, J. T. Cunningham, James West, Misses Shepard, Catherine Kyle.*Finance Committee*,—J. M. Farquhar, *Chairman*, William Darling, W. T. Lindsay, Misses Maggie Loughead, Louise McNaughton.*Music Committee*,—Arch'd McAllister, *Chairman*, Frank Graham, Misses Jean Robertson, May Robinson, Georgina Stansfield.

SUMMARY OF AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED BY THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S
ASSOCIATION OF ST. GABRIEL CHURCH.
during the year ending 31st Jan. 1886.

Weekly Offerings to Church Funds handed in on Collection Plate			
from 1st Feb., 1885, to 31st July, 1885	\$62	15	
from 1st Aug., 1885, to 31st Jan., 1886	86	55	
	\$148	70	
FROM ASSOCIATION FUNDS :			
Received for Members Subscription	\$ 7	25	
“ from Socials	44	95	
“ Sundry	1	29	53 49
			\$202 19

ST. GABRIEL CHURCH TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION.

Honorary President, Rev. R. Campbell, M.A.*President*, J. R. Bain.*Vice President*, Andrew McAllister.*Secretary*, J. H. Thom.*Assistant Secretary*, Miss S. Loughead.*Treasurer*, Mr. A. McDonald.*Executive Committee*, Arch. McAllister, W. Peddie, W. Irwin, Geo. Loughead, Miss Marion Taylor, Miss Maggie Patton, Miss Ferguson, Miss Stansfield, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. McNaughton, R. D. Matheson, J. A. Stuart.

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STATISTICS.

No. of Families in the Congregation	181
No. of Single Persons not embraced in Families	58
No. of Communicants on Roll 1st January, 1886	385
No. added during year 1885	33
No. removed during the year	48
No. of Baptisms	37
No. of Marriages	10
No. of Burials, five of them not belonging to the Church	23

In Memoriam.

The following Members and Adherents of the Congregation were removed by death during the year, 1885 :—

Barker, Charles.....	May 9th.
Barker, Jessie	June 16th.
Bennett, Eva Florence (child).....	Mar. 13th.
Carson, Mrs. Sarah.....	June 5th.
Christy, Henrietta (child)	April 3rd.
Currie, Mrs. M. M.....	Jan. 3rd.
Darling, William.....	Nov. 1st.
England, Alexander.....	April 29th.
Finney, Mrs. S. A. B	June 4th.
Gabler, Carl Theodore.....	Sept. 27th.
Griffin, Mrs. A. M.....	July 12th.
Griffin, Archd. Jas. (infant)	July 25th.
Lynch, Janet Barr	Nov. 7th.
MacSween, John A. (child)	June 20th.
MacSween, Amelia E. (child)	Oct. 20th.
McAllister, John	Oct. 22nd.
McRae, Jas. A.....	Sept. 30th.
Morrison, John H.	Feb. 1st.
Stewart, David R. [child].....	Feb. 10th.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION
OF ST. GABRIEL CHURCH.

The Nineteenth Annual Meeting of St. Gabriel Church, in accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws, was held in the School-Room on the evening of Wednesday, 13th January, 1886.

On motion of Mr. John A. Stuart, seconded by Mr. James H. Michaud, Mr. James Robertson was called upon to preside. *Carried.*

On motion of Rev. R. Campbell, seconded by Mr. A. McNaughton, Mr. J. R. Bain was called on to act as Secretary. *Carried.*

It was then moved by Mr. J. A. Stuart, seconded by Mr. J. H. Michaud, that this meeting adjourn until Wednesday the 27th of January, 1886. *Carried.*

Signed, JAMES ROBERTSON, *Chairman*
JAMES R. BAIN, *Secretary.*

The adjourned Annual Meeting of St. Gabriel Church was held in the School-Room on the evening of Wednesday, 27th January, 1886, when Mr. James Robertson was requested to act as Chairman, and Mr. J. R. Bain as Secretary.

The minutes of the former Meeting were read and confirmed.

After information from the Rev. Mr. Campbell as to how the various schemes in connection with the Church were progressing, it was moved by Mr. J. A. Stuart, seconded by Mr. Farquhar,

"That this Meeting be adjourned till Wednesday, February 10th, 1886." *Carried.*

The adjourned Annual Meeting of St. Gabriel Church was held in the School-Room on the evening of Wednesday the 10th Feb., 1886.

On motion Mr. W. Darling was called on to preside and Mr. Wm. Foulis to act as Secretary.

The meeting opened with praise and prayer. The minutes of last annual meeting were read and confirmed.

The Report of the Trustees for the past year, also the Treasurer's Statement of accounts, receipts and disbursements, duly audited, were presented.

Moved by Mr. John A. Stuart and seconded by Mr. A. McAllister, "That the reports now read be received and adopted and printed, for the information of the Congregation." *Carried.*

Moved by Mr. R. McCulloch and seconded by Mr. A. Watt, "That the retiring Trustees viz : Messrs. Wm. Patton, D. Cunningham & D. Sleeth, be re-elected Trustees for the ensuing year." *Carried.*

Moved by Mr. P. M. McTavish, seconded by Mr. Wm. Foulis, "That the thanks of the Congregation be tendered to Mr. W. Reed, for his valuable services to the Church." *Carried.*

Moved by Mr. Hodge, seconded by Mr. Laurie,

"That the warmest thanks of the Congregation are due and are now tendered to the Treasurer, Mr. T. Graham, for the time and patience he has bestowed on the arduous duties of his office." Carried.

Moved by Mr. A. Watt, seconded by Mr. J. Loughhead,

"That the Congregation desire at this time to record their thanks to the members of the Choir for the cheerful manner in which they have done their part in the services during the past year, and to Mr. Bain under whose skilful leadership they have made such excellent progress, as well as for his kindness in undertaking a class for training the children in the practice of singing, which will eventfully prove of great benefit to the church. Carried.

Moved by Mr. J. R. Bain, seconded by Mr. A. McAllister,

"That Mr. W. Foulis and Mr. R. McCulloch be elected Auditors for the ensuing year." Carried.

Moved by Mr. J. A. Stuart, seconded by Mr. Laurie,

"That an Alphabetical List of the families that are members and adherents of the church be added to the Annual Report. Carried.

Moved by Mr. J. R. Bain and seconded by Mr. A. McAllister,

"That the following committee composed from the Session, Trustees and Young People's Association be formed for the purpose of assisting in increasing the finances of the Church. viz :—All the Elders, Messrs. McNaughton & Byrd for Trustees, and Messrs. McTavish and Bain for Young People's Association." Carried.

Moved by Mr. Hodge and seconded by Mr. McTavish,

"That Mr. Darling do now leave the chair and that Mr. W. Reed be called on to preside."

It was then moved,

"That a vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. W. Darling for the very efficient manner in which he had performed the duties of Chairman. Carried.

The Benediction having been pronounced by the Rev. R. Campbell, the meeting was closed.

WILLIAM DARLING, *Chairman.*
WILLIAM FOULIS, *Secretary.*

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD
OF TRUSTEES OF ST. GABRIEL CHURCH,
for the year ending 31st January, 1886.

As provided for by the Rules and Regulations of St. Gabriel Church, a statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the past year will now be laid before the Congregation, and the Trustees in doing so respectfully submit, that, considering the many difficulties under which a church so situated must necessarily labour, the fact as exhibited by the Treasurer's Statement that all current obligations have been so nearly met, ought to be a subject of thankfulness, and congratulation.

The Receipts from our ordinary sources of revenue are as follows :

Weekly Offerings	-	-	\$1884 90
Pew Rents, (old system,)	-	-	242 00
Ordinary Collections,	-	-	357 10
		—————	\$2484 00

There remained uncollected for the year about \$125.00 which the Treasurer should have received before he was obliged to make up his accounts for the inspection of the auditors.

That there should be some arrears at the close of each year, appears to be unavoidable, and it may be that there are adherents of the church who do not sufficiently realise the duty involved of contributing to the support of gospel ordinances ; but a comparison of the receipts from all sources with those of the past years, shows unmistakably that the great proportion of the worshippers in St. Gabriel Church are fully alive to the privileges enjoyed by them, and striving conscientiously to make up in spirit what they lack in numbers, which are few when compared with many congregations, so that the removal of even a single family from our midst tells on our finances.

Modern progress as displayed in large cities has little respect for old associations, and it cannot be expected that any exception will be made for such an ancient landmark of Presbyterianism as St. Gabriel Church.

In spite of the brave struggle which the church has made, it has become more and more evident as the years went by, that it has not full scope for its energies in this part of the city, and the conclusion is forced upon us that a removal to some more convenient locality has to be faced, as such a move would undoubtedly consolidate and strengthen the congregation ; and it is earnestly hoped that with the hearty co operation of every well wisher of the church some scheme may be devised by which such a measure might be carried to a successful issue. Some informal negotiations in that direction have been in

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progress for some time which it is hoped will yet lead to the desired end.

In this connection it is not too much to expect to enlist the sympathy and practical assistance of the young people of the church.

It is very gratifying to be able to report that their contributions through the medium of their association now form no inconsiderable item of the revenue, and their interest once thoroughly awakened to the furtherance of any measure for the welfare of the church would go a great way in insuring its success.

The Trustees sustained a heavy loss during the past year by the death of the late Mr. Wm. Darling. At the date of that event he was in the nineteenth year of his connection with the Board, during fourteen of which he presided over the deliberations of that body. Only those who have had the privilege of sitting with him at the Board during these years can fully appreciate how much of any measure of usefulness which may have been achieved by the management, has been due to his administrative abilities and wise counsels which were at all seasons at the service of the Church, which had no more earnest or sincere friend than the Chairman of the trust. At the time St. Gabriel Church Congregation through the liberality of its members purchased a Lot in Mount Royal Cemetary, in which the remains of the Late Rev. Mr. Somerville might rest, the Trustees in their Report of February 1881, ventured to hope that some Memorial would be set up there by other Institutions that were understood to have also benefited substantially by the Christian Liberality of the St. Gabriel Church Pastor, but up to this date the Board is not aware that any steps have been taken in that direction.

The retiring Trustees at this time are :—

WM. PATTON.
J. M. FARQUHAR.
D. CUNNINGHAM.
D. SLEETH.

All of whom are eligible for re-election.

The whole respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM REED, *Secretary.*

The Trustees of St. Gabriel Church in account with T. Graham, Treasurer,
from 1st February, 1885, to the 1st February, 1886.

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To Weekly Offerings.....	\$184 90	By Balance Due Treasurer.....	\$ 244 78
" Ordinary Collections.....	357 10	" Paid Minister's Stipend.....	2000 00
" Pew Rents.....	242 00	" Church Officer.....	132 00
" Interest.....	300 00	" Precentor.....	180 00
" Special Collections viz:.....		" Interest Widow's & Orphan's Fund.....	120 00
Augmentation Stipend Fund.....	\$36 00	" Gas.....	48 93
Home Mission.....	25 00	" Fuel.....	78 83
Widows & Orphans.....	20 00	" Water.....	14 00
French Evangelization.....	24 00	" Printing.....	43 25
Assembly's College.....	16 00	" Repairs.....	29 74
Sabbath School.....	26 00	" Insurance.....	30 00
Dorcas Society.....	16 00	" Session Expenses.....	10 75
Presbyterian Record.....	16 00	" Sundries as per Vouchers.....	24 79
	179 00	" Assembly's Fund.....	18 00
" Donation from Young People's Association.....	15 00	" Presbytery Expense Fund.....	15 00
" Balance.....	210 07	" Synod Expenses.....	5 00
		" Special Collections viz:	
		Augmentation Stipend Fund.....	\$36 00
		Home Mission.....	25 00
		Widows & Orphans.....	20 00
		French Evangelization.....	24 00
		Assembly's College.....	16 00
		Sabbath School.....	26 00
		Dorcas Society.....	16 00
		Presbyterian Record.....	30 00
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Examined and found Correct,

WM. FOULIS, {
ROBT. MCCULLOCH, { Auditors.

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EXTRACTS FROM THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

"The receipts of the year, \$371.95, have been the largest ever reported, with one exception, and are \$36.35 in excess of those of the year immediately preceding. Considering the condition of things in the city for some months past this is a very creditable showing, and one that could not be exhibited, were it not that there is a proper sentiment on the question of the duty which we owe to make sacrifices for the Lord's cause, on the part of the contributors, and great zeal and faithfulness on the part of the collectors. It has been a season of trial with many of our people in more senses than one. Their faith has been put to the test, and we are glad to think that it has come successful through the strain put upon it. In the Treasurer's Statement we have evidence that our people feel that if retrenchment is necessary it should not begin at the Lord's House."

"The returns show that the collectors have done their work well; and to them the congregation is greatly indebted for their selfdenying labors. There is the best reason to believe that their visits once a month are greatly appreciated by the families on whom they call; for they come to the homes of the people as representatives of the cause of the Redeemer, and they enable all our families to realize that they can do something to promote the Saviour's Glory, and the salvation of precious souls."

The following Statement shows the amounts collected in the respective Districts:

District No. 1	\$31 60
" " 2	41 00
" " 3	40 40
" " 4	89 50
" " 5	55 55
" " 6	18 90
" " 7	95 00

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THE DISBURSEMENTS WERE:

To the City Mission Fund	\$ 75 00
" Home "	10 00
" Foreign "	40 00
" Manitoba College "	.....	10 00
" Lumber Mission "	.....	20 00
" Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund	.....	10 00
" Widows' and Orphans'	.....	60 00
" College	60 00
" Bursary	25 00
" French Evangelization	50 00
" Printing	57
Balance	11 38

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Wm. Foulis, }
Auditors, }
ROBT. McCULLOCH, }

ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT OF SABBATH SCHOOL.

The members of the staff regret that they have not more time to devote to their work, but as they are all busy people they are just doing the best they can, and they ask the sympathy and hearty co-operation of the parents of their pupils in prosecuting their important duties.

They reiterate an old complaint of want of facilities and accomodation for success in obtaining and retaining large classes. Yet they are not discouraged but are going on patiently sowing seed in the hope of a future harvest of intelligence and piety in the hearts and lives of the young whom they are instructing.

The report mourns the sudden taking-off of two young and energetic members of the staff, Mr. John McAllister, the Secretary-Treasurer, and Miss Janet Lynch, one of the teachers. Their untimely death was a severe loss to the school, but the staff console themselves with the thought that their loss is the gain of their departed co-workers. These events following one another at a brief interval produced a solemn impression upon the entire school, both teachers and taught feeling the importance of working while it is day, seeing that the night cometh in which no man can work.

The number on the roll at present is 147, 8 fewer than a year ago, 70 boys and 77 girls. The average attendance was 95, 45 males and 50 females.

TREASURER'S REPORT ST. GABRIEL SABBATH SCHOOL, 1885.

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Jan. 1.	To Balance on hand.....	\$70 58
	“ Bank Interest, 1884.	92
Feb. 1.	“ Proceeds of Festival	58 00
	“ Balance Missionary Collections.....	63
	“ Church Collections	28 00
	“ S. S. Collections	61 99
	“ Subscriptions for Library	67 50
Dec. 31.	“ Bank Interest	20
		————\$287 82

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Feb. 4.	By Paid Printing	\$ 56
“ 18.	“ Expenses Festival	55 37
Mar. 30.	“ Point aux Trembles School	50 00
	“ Day Spring	16 00
	“ School in India	17 00
May 4.	“ Home Mission Fund	20 00
	“ Library	67 50
Dec. 9.	“ Drysdale's Account	46 90
	Balance.....	14 74
		————\$287 82

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LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF ST GABRIEL CHURCH in account with
M. A. HALDIMAND, Treasurer.

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Oct. 21st, Cash on Hand.....		\$ 11	13
Subscriptions		44	40
Nov. 14th, Thanksgiving Collection.....		13	42
		—	\$68 95
1884.	<i>Dr,</i>		
By Aid to the Poor.....		\$ 44	79
June 3rd, 85 Paid Treasurer Women's Missionary Society.....		12	00
Sept. 28th, Cash on Hand.....		12	16
		—	\$68 95

SUMMARY OF FINANCES.

Weekly Offerings & Collections,	\$2484	00
Interest on Investments,	300	00
Special Collections,	179	00
Missionary Association,	371	95
Sabbath School,	192	32
Subscriptions to Colleges,	165	00
Subscriptions to Augmentation Fund,	100	00
Ladies' Aid Bazaar,	230	00
Dorcas Society,	44	40
Women's Foreign Mission Society,	39	52
Young People's Association,	53	49
Other Objects,	421	00
	<u>\$4580</u>	<u>68</u>
	<i>Expended upon.</i>	
Strictly Congregational Objects,	\$2712	29
Schemes of the Church,	839	00
Other Religious and Benevolent Objects,	1029	39
	<u>\$4580</u>	<u>68</u>

In case friends desire to make provision, by will, for helping the proposed Centenary St. Gabriel Church, they are requested to use the following :—

FORM OF BEQUEST.

" I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the St. Gabriel Church, Montreal, (Presbyterian,) for the erection of a new Church for the use of the Congregation, the sum of \$and I hereby declare that the receipt of the Treasurer of the said Church for the time being shall be an effectual discharge to my executors for the said legacy."

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Heads of Families and Other Members and Adherents

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ST. GABRIEL CHURCH.

- Arnott, William, 35 Parthenais St.
Bain, James R. 129 Cadieux St.
Barker, Chas. 1837 Ontario St.
Barker, Wm. “ “ “
Barker, Geo. “ “ “
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Batchelor, Mrs. A. 164½ Cadieux St.
Batchelor, Alex. 92 St. Jean Baptiste St.
Beckingham, John 40 St. Gabriel St.
Beckingham, Jr. John “
Beckingham, Wm. “
Bennett, John D. 562½ Craig St.
Bennett, James “
Bennet, Wm. 52 Tupper St.
Bennett, Mrs. W. Maisonneuve, P. O.
Bennett, Wm. D. Longue Pointe, P. O.
Bennett, Joseph 70 Montcalm St.
Bertram, Wm. St. Lambert's
Bertram, Miss 37 Mance St.
Bickerstaff, David 70 Montcalm St.
Bickerstaff, Wm. “
Blair, John 45 Wolfe St.
Blair, Wm. “
Blair, Thos. “
Blakley, Jas. D. 8 Champlain St.
Blakley, Robert 16 Rousseau St.
Bone, John 58 St. Francois Xavier St.
Booth, Edward 8 Champlain St.
Booth, James “
Borrowman, John 57 St. Constant St.
Bowman, Wm. 210 St. Hypolyte St.
Boyce, Mrs. Eugene 145 St. Constant St.
Boyd, Mrs. John 180 Bleury St.
Boyd, Wm. 10 Champlain St.
Boyd, John 163½ Chatham St.
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Brophy, Robert 29 Courville St.
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Brown, Peter 597 Mignonne St.
Brown, Mrs. R. 42 Mance St.
Brown, Mrs. J. 60 Argyle Avenue.
Brown, Geo. “
Bruce, David 68 Chaboillez St.
Byrd, Chas. 94 Durocher St.
Campbell, Rev. R. 68 Ste. Famille St.
Campbell, R. M. “
Campbell, Miss J. P. 30 Plessis St.
Campbell, Ruth 668 Sherbrooke St.
Chesnut, Robert 94 Inspector St.
Christy, Robert 237 Craig St.
Clark, Mrs. 68 St. Louis St.
Clelland, Wm. 1703 Ontario St.
Cooper, James 639 St. Lawrence St.
Crawford, Geo. 206 Lagauchetiere St.
Cunningham, David 52 Chenneville St.
Cunningham, John 21 Alymer St.
Cunningham, J. T. “
Darling, Wm. Hochelaga.
Darling, Sr. Mrs. W. 69 University St.
Darling, James “
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Donaghy, Robert 621 Craig St.
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Donaghy, Eliza “
Donaghy, Margaret J. 49 Belmont St.
Donaghy, Bella 955 Dorchester St.
Dougall, R. M. 5 Richmond Avenue.
Drummond, Daniel Petite Cote
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Edgar, Robert 84 Lagauchetiere St.
England, Mrs. A. 472¼ Lagauchetiere
Ennis, J. H. 132 Amherst St.
Ennis, Lewis 132 Ahermerst St.
Ewing, Wm. 668 Sherbrooke St.
Ewing, Jr. Wm. 28 Park Avenue
Farquhar, R. A. Cote St. Antoine
Farquhar, J. M. “

- Ferguson, Alex. 607 Craig St.
 Ferguson, Arch. "
 Finney, Thos. 325 Dorchester St.
 Foulis, Wm. 58 Cadieux St.
 Foulis, John "
 Fraser, James 56 Ste Elizabeth St.
- Gabler, Mrs. 167 Mance St.
 Gardner, Thos. 10 Champlain St.
 Gilbert, James 79 Sanguinet St.
 Gordon, John 12½ St. Justin St.
 Grafton, Mrs. M. L. 50 Chenneville St.
 Graham, Thos. 110 St. Lawrence St.
 Graham, Frank "
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 Hardie, Eliza 68 Ste. Famille St.
 Hardie, John 135 St. Constant St.
 Harkness, Thos. 37 St. Genevieve St.
 Hay, Wm. D. 54½ St. Hypolyte St.
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 Higgins, Mrs. T. 56 Chenneville "
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 Hodge, Matthew 181 St. Lawrence St.
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 Hood, Mrs. David Cote St. Antoine
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 Houston, James 143 St. Urbain St.
 Hunter, Robert Pea Lane.
- Irving, Geo. Pointe aux Trembles
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- Jamieson, T. 55 St Lawrence St. J. Bpte.
 Johnston, Miss 52 Tupper St.
 Jordan, W. F. 5 St. Elizabeth St.
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 Kemp, Mrs. 111 Fulford St.
 Kerr, Wm. Longue Pointe
- Kilgour, David 37 Moreau St.
 Kincaid, Mrs. 154 St. Urbain St.
 Kingsland, Thos. 1451 Ontario St.
 Knox, Wm. 1713 Ontario St.
 Knox, Mrs. 1160 Notre Dame St.
 Kydd, Samuel 140 Cadieux St.
 Kyle, John 500 Lagauchetiere St.
- Laidlaw, Mrs. W. Longue Pointe
 Laurie, David 114 St. Urbain St.
 Lawlor, Mrs. J. 247½ St. Urbain St.
 Lawson, J. 14 Dumarais St.
 Leith, Mrs. T. 120 Marlborough St.
 Leney, Andrew Longue Pointe
 Leney, Wm. "
 Lindsay, W. T. 374 St. Paul St.
 Lognon, Mrs. 1160 Notre Dame St.
 Loughhead, John 483 Lagauchetiere St.
 Lucas, Mrs. 37 St. Genevieve St.
 Lunan, Mrs. H. 1470 Notre Dame St.
 Lunan, Robert "
 Lunan, Harry "
 Lynch, Mrs. Geo. 31 Burnside Place
 Lynch, Richard "
- MacTavish, P. M. 434 St. Dominique St
 Marsh, John 177 Craig St.
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 Matheson, Mrs. 1596 St. Catherine St.
 McAdoo, Martha 720 Craig St.
 McAllister, Andrew 208 St. Martin St.
 McAllister, Jr. Andrew "
 McAllister, Arch. "
 McCulloch, Robert 167 St. Antoine St.
 McDermid, Mrs. 46 Perthus St.
 McDonald, Alex. 102 Wellington St.
 McDonald, Peter "
 McDonald, Ellen Cote St. Antoine.
 McDonnell, Mrs. A. 33 Jacques Cartier
 McGillivray, Robert 107 Amherst St.
 McGillivray, George 158 Wolfe St.
 McGowan, Richard 87 Amherst St.
 McGregor, Mrs. 488 St. Denis St.
 McIntosh, Wm. St. Michel.
 McIntosh, John "
 McIntosh, Thos. 41 St. Philip St.
 McIntosh, Andrew 46 Perthus St.
 McKenzie, John 7 Montcalm St.
 McKenzie, Simon M. 35 Latour St.
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 McLaren, Margaret 31 Berthelet St.
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 McNaughton, Wm. 38 Lorne Avenue.
 McNiece, Thos. 12½ Argyle Avenue,
 McQueen, The Misses 112 St. Urbain St.
 McRae, F. A. 571 St. Urbain St.
 McSween, Alex. 351½ St. Lawrence St.
 Michaud, J. H. 499 Sherbrooke St.
 Michaud, David “
 Morrison, Miss 58 St. Francois Xavier
 Morrison, P. S. 20 Bleury St.
 Morrison, P. R. 254 German St.
 Morrison Jas. 7 Montcalm St.
 Munn, Robert 49 Wolfe St.
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- Nelson, Alex. 1076 St. Catherine St.
 Nelson, Robert 53 St. Constant St.
 Ness, F. B. 150 Mansfield St.
 Nicholson, John A. Presbyterian College
 Noble, Charles 354 St. Lawrence St.
 Norman, George 116 St. George St.
- Open, H. J. 151 St. Antoine St.
- Patterson, J. M. 824 Ontario St.
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 Peddie, Mrs. Walter 49 Victoria St.
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 Penny, Mrs. W. 30 Maisonneuve St.
 Pratt, Wm. 135 Vinet St.
 Prevost, Mrs. Joseph 1596 St. Catherine
 Pringle, George 377 Dorchester St.
- Reed, Wm. 159 Laval Avenue.
 Reed, Stuart “
- Richardson, Robt. 15 St. Chs. Borromee
 Richardson, Wm. 555 Albert St.
 Riddell, Ruth 80 Mountain St.
 Robb, John 239 St. Charles Borromee St
 Robertson, James 49 Park Avenue
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 Robertson, James 70 Montcalm St.
 Russell, Mrs. J. 31 Berthelet St.
- Sandilands, Wm. 1229 Notre Dame St.
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 Schroeder, G. P. 1140 St. Catherine St.
 Scott, Robert 515½ St. Lawrence St.
- Seebold, Mrs. F. 411 Dorchester St.
 Shepard, Thos. 90 St. James St.
 Sinclair, Angus 271 St. Charles Borromee
 Sleeth, David 85 Parthenais St.
 Sleeth, Wm. Cote St. Louis.
 Smeall, James Pointe aux Trembles.
 Smeaton, John 27 St Constant St.
 Sparling, Mrs. 1140 St. Catherine St.
 Stansfield, Miss 90 St. James St.
 Stewart, Robert 71 City Councillors St.
 Stewart, John 98 Lagauchetiere St.
 Stewart, Thos. 81 Sanguinet St.
 Strachan, Mrs. David 55 St. Constant St
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 Street, John 337 Dorchester St.
 Stuart, John A 156 German St.
 Sutton, Thos. 12 Overdale Avenue.
- Tait, Mrs. David 171 Fortification Lane
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 Taylor, J. M. 76 Fortier St.
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 Thom, Mrs. A. 52 St. Elizabeth St.
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 Thom, John H. “
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 Thomson, Catherine J. 83 Mansfield St.
 Thomson, Mrs. R. 50 St. Elizabeth St.
 Thompson, Wm. 21 St. Urbain St.
 Trenholme, Mrs. Longue Pointe.
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 Turner, Peter Jr. “
- Unwin Mrs. 108 Peel St.
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- Yelland, George 6 Dumarais St.
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