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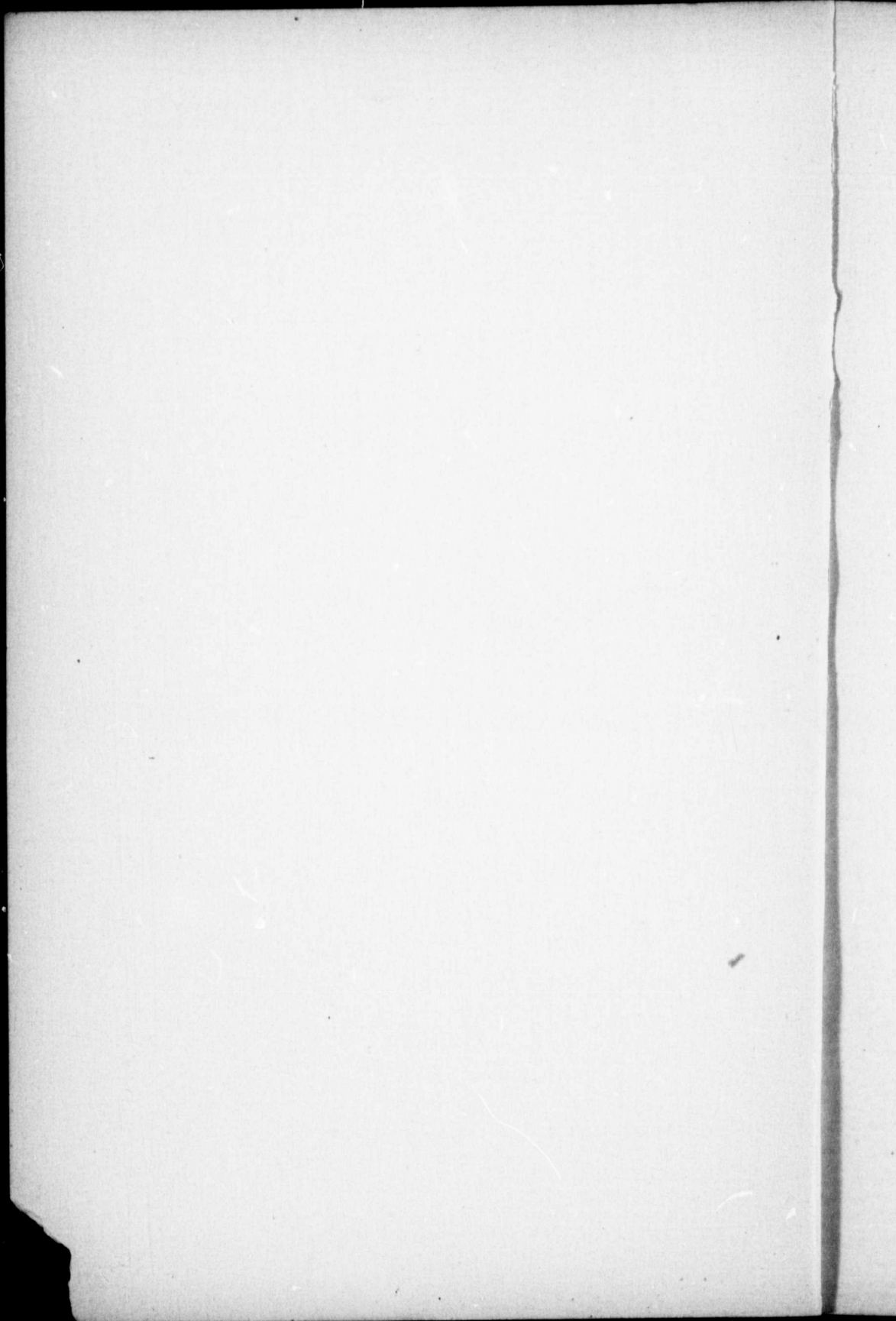
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ANNUAL REPORTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1899.

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Division of the Congregation
into Districts,

WITH THE

ELDERS AND DEACONS IN CHARGE THEREOF.

I.

Bounded by McGill and Notre Dame Streets, including these Streets, to the River, and Point St. Charles

D. CAMFRON, *Elder.* D. W. CAMPBELL, *Deacon.*

II.

Bounded by McGill, Notre Dame and St. Antoine Streets, not including these Streets, to Atwater Avenue.

H. CAMERON, *Elder.* W. J. MORRICE, *Deacon.*

III.

Bounded by St. Antoine, Genevieve and Dorchester Streets, including these Streets, the latter to Drummond Street only.

Elder. R. L. CHARLTON, *Deacon.*

IV.

Bounded by Dorchester, Mansfield and Crescent Streets, including these Streets, and Ontario Avenue, to the Mountain.

R. MUNRO, *Elder.* S. S. BAIN, *Deacon.*

V.

Bounded by Dorchester, Guy and Bishop Streets, including Dorchester and Bishop Streets, to the Mountain.

D. ROBERTSON, *Elder.* JAS. SLESSOR, *Deacon.*

VI.

Bounded by Guy, Dorchester and St. Catherine Streets, including Guy and Dorchester Streets and St. Catherine St., south side.

HUGH WATSON, *Elder.* S. A. MCMURTRY, *Deacon.*

VII.

Bounded by Guy and St. Catherine Streets, including Guy Street
and St. Catherine Street, north side.
D. MORRICE AND GEO. HYDE, *Elders.* JAMES MCGOUN, *Deacon.*

VIII.

Bounded by McTavish, Mansfield and Dorchester Streets and
Union Avenue, including all but McTavish Street.
D. WILSON, *Elder.* THOS. FORDE, *Deacon.*

IX.

Bounded by Union Avenue, Genevieve, Craig and St. Urbain
Streets, not including any of these streets.
ARCHIBALD MCGOUN AND D. T. FRASER, *Elders.*
W. D. GILLEAN, *Deacon.*

X.

Bounded by St. Urbain, Craig and St. Denis Streets, including
St. Urbain and St. Denis, but not Craig Street.
JAMES ROSS, *Elder.*

XI.

Westmount, from Greene Avenue westwards.
R. N. MCCALLUM, *Elder.*
A. BREMNER AND D. CAMERON, *Deacons.*

XII.

Cote Des Neiges, Outremont, Petite Cote, St. Michel and
Longue Pointe.
JAMES ROSS, *Elder.* R. BRODIE, *Deacon.*

Trustees:

ARCH. MCGOUN. DAVID MORRICE,
JAMES ROSS.

Treasurer, JAMES ROSS, Office in Church Library.

Standing Committees, 1900.

PEWS AND SITTINGS—R. N. McCallum, Jas. Ross and J. Slessor.

SUPERVISION COMMITTEE—D. Robertson, D. Wilson, T. Forde.

MUSIC—H. Cameron, D. Robertson, D. T. Fraser and G. Hyde.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS—James Ross and Jas. McGoun.

CHURCH OFFICER—J. Davis. (Resides in rear of the Church.)

HISTORICAL MEMORANDA

IN CONNECTION WITH

Crescent Street Church, Montreal

(FORMERLY FREE CHURCH, COTÉ STREET.)

- The Congregation owes its origin to the deep interest which some individuals had in the struggles of the Free Church party in Scotland, and who met together to advance Free Church principles. They were called the Free Church Committee. The Congregation was organized, and for seven years ministered to by Deputies from the Free Church of Scotland.
- 1844.—January 10. First Meeting of Free Church Committee. Invitation sent to REV. DR. CUNNINGHAM, then in the United States, to come to Montreal.
- “ Arrival of DR. BURNS, of Paisley, the First Deputy from the Free Church.
- “ May.—A call for a Minister sent to the Free Church Colonial Committee, with promise of adequate support. A call sent to REV. W. C. BURNS at the same time to come out as an Evangelist.
- “ End of summer.—REV. MR. KING, of Glasgow, and REV. MR. MACNAUGHTAN, of Paisley, Deputies from the Free Church arrived. REV. W. C. BURNS, arrived about the same time and preached in St. Gabriel Street Church.
- 1845.—The REV. J. BONAR, of Larbert, arrived in Spring, preached in St. Gabriel Street Church till a temporary wooden church was erected on Lagauchetiere Street. He opened this Church on May 11th, and on the 25th of May inducted the first elders, viz: John Redpath, James R. Orr, David Ferguson, Evander MacIver.
- “ The REV. W. ARNOT, of Glasgow, arrived about this time, and supplied the pulpit till the end of September.
- “ The REV. A. N. SOMERVILLE, of Glasgow, took charge during October and November.
- “ The REV. W. C. BURNS, in November, received but declined a call to labour in Canada, the Congregation promising to support him. In December he was again urged to fall in with this request, but finally declined on January 19th, 1846.
- 1846.—The REV. G. STEVENSON, of Pulteneytown, ministered from January to April.
- “ The REV. T. MACLAUGHLAN, of Stratherrick, ministered during May and June.
- “ The REV. J. MUNRO, of Rutherglen, ministered during July and August.
- “ The REV. J. ALEXANDER, of Kirkcaldy, ministered from November to March, 1847.
- 1847.—The REV. J. B. DUNCAN, then a Student, ministered during April and part of May.
- “ The REV. J. MACGILLIVRAY, of Aberdeen, opened the Church in Coté Street, on Sabbath, the 16th of May, preaching morning and evening, while the Rev. Henry Wilkes preached in the afternoon.
- “ The REV. J. BUCHANAN, of Bothwell, ministered from May to October.
- “ The REV. R. BREMNER, of Glasgow, ministered from November to April.
- 1848.—The REV. J. PATTERSON, of Tranent, ministered from May to October.
- 1849.—The REV. J. LEWIS, of Leith, ministered from April to August.
- “ The REV. J. C. BURNS, of Kirkliston, ministered from September to February, 1850.
- “ —The REV. J. C. FAIRBAIRN, of Allanton, ministered from August to October, 1850.
- “ —The REV. D. COUPER, of Burntisland, ministered from November to February, 1850.
- 1851.—The REV. D. FRASER, ordained Pastor, August 8th, 1851.
- 1859.—The REV. D. FRASER, translated to Inverness, Scotland, February 3rd, 1859.
- “ —The REV. B. F. GREIG, ministered four months from April, 1859.
- “ —The REV. HUGH COBBAN, of Braemar, ministered from Sept, 1859, to Jan., 1860.

- 1860.—The REV. GEORGE LEWIS, ministered several months from May.
 “ The REV. WM. SCRIMGEOUR, ministered from Nov., till Jan., 1861.
 1860.—Debt on Coté Street Church extinguished.
 1861.—The REV. D. H. MACVICAR, inducted pastor, January 30th, 1861.
 1868.—The REV. D. H. MACVICAR, translated to the Presbyterian College, Montreal, Sept. 10th, 1868.
 1870.—The REV. R. F. BURNS, inducted pastor, May 4th, 1870.
 1875.—The REV. R. F. BURNS, translated to Halifax, February 22nd, 1875.
 1878.—CRESCENT STREET CHURCH was opened on Sabbath, March 10th, 1878.
 The REV. DR. ORMISTON, of New York, preaching in the morning,
 The REV. DR. MACVICAR, of Montreal, in the afternoon, and
 The REV. A. B. MACKAY, of Brighton, Eng., in the evening.
 1879.—The REV. A. B. MACKAY, inducted Pastor, May 16th, 1879.
 1889.—Debt on Crescent Street Church extinguished.

Elders.

| | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|---|
| JOHN REDPATH..... | May 25th, 1845, | Died 5th March, 1869. |
| JAMES R. ORR..... | “ “ | Died March, 1852. |
| DAVID FERGUSON..... | “ “ | Removed to Metis, Q. |
| EVANDER MACIVER..... | “ “ | Died in 1854. |
| ARCHIBALD FERGUSON..... | Sept. 16th, 1847, | Removed to Edwardsburg, C. |
| WILLIAM HUTCHISON..... | “ “ | Removed to Ottawa. |
| ADAM STEVENSON..... | “ “ | Ceased acting March, 1878. |
| WILLIAM BROWN..... | Nov. 26th, | “ Removed to Pakenham, O. |
| DAVID DAVIDSON..... | “ 1852, | Removed to Edinburgh, Scotd. |
| JAMES COURT..... | “ “ | Died at Glasgow, 14th Feb., 1883. |
| FREDERICK W. TORRANCE..... | April 5th, 1857, | Died 2nd January, 1887. |
| JOHN CAMPBELL..... | “ “ | Died 18th Sept., 1878. |
| JOHN PLIMSOLL..... | Feb. 15th, 1863, | Withdrew 29th May, 1866. |
| ARCHIBALD MCGOUN..... | “ “ | “ |
| DAVID MORRICE..... | May 27th, 1866, | “ |
| JAMES ROSS..... | “ “ | “ |
| JOHN STIRLING..... | Feb. 3rd, 1867, | Died December 6th, 1899. |
| THOMAS MAIR..... | May 13th, 1868, | Resigned 19th Sept. '68, removed West. |
| JAMES DAIVSON..... | “ “ | Died 25th December, 1883. |
| PHILIP S. ROSS..... | “ “ | Resigned 11th Dec. 1873, left 5th March, |
| PETER NICHOLSON..... | Feb. 2nd, 1879, | Died May 1st, 1892. [1874. |
| JOSEPH MACKAY..... | “ “ | Died 2nd June, 1881. |
| HUGH WATSON..... | “ “ | “ |
| DAVID CAMERON..... | “ “ | “ |
| W. C. MUNDERLOH..... | Feb. 25th, 1883, | Died at Chicago, March 12th, 1893. |
| JOHN G. SAVAGE..... | “ “ | Removed to Lachine, 1899. |
| JOHN LAIDLAW..... | “ “ | Left for Kingston, May 1st, 1884. |
| HUGH CAMERON..... | March 1st, 1885, | “ |
| FREDERICK W. KELLEY..... | “ “ | Removed to Montreal, West. |
| ALEXANDER MACDOUGALL..... | “ “ | Resigned. |
| WM. McCLURE, M.D..... | July 15th, 1888, | Ordained by appointment of General Assembly, now Medical Missionary at Chuwang, Honan, China. |
| DAVID ROBERTSON..... | Dec. 9th, 1894. | “ |
| GEORGE HYDE..... | “ “ | “ |
| ROBT. N. McCALLUM..... | “ “ | “ |
| DANIEL WILSON..... | “ “ | “ |
| ROBERT MUNRO..... | “ “ | “ |
| D. TORRANCE FRASER..... | “ “ | “ |

Annual Meeting.

CRESCENT STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

MONTREAL, 24th January, 1900.

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation was held this evening in the School room. The Pastor, Rev. Dr. Mackay, presided, and the meeting was opened with praise and prayer.

The minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read and approved.

The Report of the Deacons' Court and Financial statements for the year 1899, having been read, it was moved by Rev. Dr. MacVicar, seconded by Mr. Robert Munro, and supported by Mr. Hugh Watson: "That the Report of the Deacons' Court, with the Treasurer's statements just read, be received and adopted, and that the same be printed and circulated among the members of the Congregation." Carried.

Dr. Mackay then addressed the meeting, after which it was closed with the Doxology and Benediction.

An adjournment was then made to the Lecture Hall to partake of refreshments and for social intercourse.

W. D. GILLEAN,

Clerk Deacons' Court.

Members of the Kirk Session

FOR THE YEAR 1900.

REV. A. B. MACKAY, D.D. *Moderator.*

DAVID MORRICE,
JAMES ROSS,
HUGH WATSON,
DAVID CAMERON,
DAVID ROBERTSON,
GEORGE HYDE,

ROBERT N. McCALLUM,
DANIEL WILSON,
ROBERT MUNRO,
D. TORRANCE FRASER,
W. McCLURE, M.D.

ARCHIBALD McGOUN, } *Clerks of Session.*
HUGH CAMERON, }

The year 1899 will be ever memorable to me as a year of the greatest losses by death I have ever experienced in my ministry. There has been a great harvest among us of those whom we greatly loved and highly esteemed. Yet the consolation vouchsafed was very real. We have entered more deeply into the meaning and power of that great benediction, "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord," and we are better prepared to face the last enemy ourselves, if the Lord tarry. We have also a close personal interest in the war in South Africa, as some connected with us are there. So far, we are thankful to say their lives have been spared, though two have been reported wounded.

Among those whose loss we mourn is our faithful elder, Mr. John Stirling. The session put on record the following minute concerning his death: "For more than half a century the late Mr. John Stirling has been connected with this congregation, having joined the church in 1847, and during the whole of that period he has taken an active and helpful part in the work of the congregation.

For forty-seven years he has served as a deacon, and for thirty-three years as an elder, and during all that period has been most diligent in the performance of the duties of these offices. We thank God for the great gift which this faithful servant has been to this congregation, but we shall miss him greatly for his kindly spirit, his clear intellect, his wise counsel, his generous gifts and his good example, and we pray that the Father of Mercies and God of all Comfort may comfort the hearts of all dear to him."

During the year there was registered 22 Births, 2 Marriages and 15 Deaths. The number of names on the roll is 667

A. B. MACKAY.

In Memoriam.

The following Deaths have been Registered
during the year 1899.

| | | | |
|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|
| JAN. | 4—ELEANOR ESTHER WRIGHT, | - | Aged 70 Years. |
| FEB. | 10—HUGH BRODIE, | - - - | “ 57 “ |
| MAY | 17—MRS. ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, | - - - | “ 60 “ |
| “ | 30—MRS. JAMES DAVISON, | - - - | “ 82 “ |
| JUNE | 1—JOHN STUART MILLER, | - - - | “ 64 “ |
| “ | 11—CHRISTIAN MURRAY, | - - - | “ 28 “ |
| “ | 19—MRS. JOHN McBAIN, | - - - | “ 45 “ |
| “ | 20—MRS. E. F. KERR, | - - - | “ 29 “ |
| JULY | 8—ALEXANDER CHEVIS CLARK | - - - | “ 72 “ |
| “ | 24—MRS. WILLIAM POWER | - - - | “ 37 “ |
| AUG. | 8—MRS. ROBERT BRODIE, | - - - | “ 78 “ |
| SEPT. | 18—GEORGE SHERRIFF MORRICE | - - - | “ 28 “ |
| OCT. | 7—HELEN RUTH HOLLAND, | - - - | “ 4 “ |
| “ | 8—JAMES CROCKET WILSON, | - - - | “ 58 “ |
| DEC. | 9—JOHN STIRLING | - - - | “ 79 “ |

MEMBERS OF THE DEACONS' COURT.

REV. A. B. MACKAY, D.D.

ELDERS.

ARCHIBALD MCGOUN,
DAVID MORRICE,
JAMES ROSS,
HUGH WATSON,
DAVID CAMERON,
HUGH CAMERON,
DAVID ROBERTSON,
GEORGE HYDE,
ROBERT N. McCALLUM,
DANIEL WILSON,
ROBERT MUNRO,
D. TORRANCE FRASER,
WM. McCLURE, M.D.

DEACONS.

JAMES SLESSOR,
ALEX. BREMNER,
DUNCAN CAMERON,
JAMES MCGOUN,
THOS. FORDE,
WM. J. MORRICE,
S. A. McMURTRY,
S. S. BAIN,
R. L. CHARLTON,
D. W. CAMPBELL,
ROBERT BRODIE,
W. D. GILLEAN.

Report of the Deacons' Court

FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31st, 1899.

The Court, in presenting its Annual Report, desires to congratulate the Congregation upon the results of the year now ended, and also express thankfulness to God for having put into the hearts of our people to fully maintain the several departments of the Congregational finance.

The total receipts from all sources amount to \$20,583.31, as shown in the Treasurer's statements.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS.

The receipts, ordinary and special, for the year, amount to \$11,806.95, of which \$8,473.15 was contributed by envelope, \$1,284.85 by open collection, and \$2,048.96 by special subscription, being an increase over former year of \$1,396.48.

In the amount of special subscriptions is included \$1,200.00, which deserves special mention, as such was subscribed in response to the appeal and efforts of our Pastor for the purpose of maintaining the salary of Dr. McClure, our Missionary in China, thereby enabling the Court to allocate to Home Missions a much larger contribution from the Weekly Offerings than heretofore.

The weekly average of envelope and open plate collections is \$184.50, and if special subscriptions are added, would make the weekly average \$223.00.

The annual collection on behalf of the Montreal General Hospital was taken on Thanksgiving day, amounting to \$129.18.

PEW RENTS.

The revenue from this source amounted to \$4,636.10 and, after allowing for the current expenses chargeable to this account, leaves a balance to be carried forward of \$254.18.

MISSIONARY AND BENEVOLENT ALLOCATIONS.

From the weekly offerings and special contributions, the Court recommend the following allotments:

| | |
|---|------------|
| Foreign Missions for support of Dr. McClure, China, by special subscriptions..... | \$1,200 00 |
| Foreign Missions, General Assembly schemes \$145.00) special 105.00) | 250 00 |
| Home Missions, " " schemes 1,170.00) special 130.00) | 1,300 00 |
| Augmentation of Ministers' stipends, \$250; special, \$50. | 300 00 |
| Presbyterian College, Montreal..... | 400 00 |
| French Evangelization, General Assembly schemes..... | 105 00 |
| " " Namur Church..... | 50 00 |
| Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund..... | 100 00 |
| Ministers' Widows and Orphans Fund..... | 50 00 |
| Assembly Fund..... | 30 00 |
| Crescent Street Sabbath School..... | 216 35 |
| City Missionary..... | 100 00 |
| Students' Missionary Society..... | 50 00 |
| Italian Missions, special..... | 50 00 |
| Presbyterian Sabbath School Association..... | 25 00 |
| Chinese Work..... | 77 56 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4,303 91 |

HEATING AND VENTILATION.

The promised subscriptions amount to \$5,036.50, upon which has been paid \$2,979.50. The Court will require about \$500.00 additional to cover the cost of the heating system and to extinguish the balances of the building accounts as set forth in the report of 1898. The Court wish to express their gratification for the generous response of the Congregation to its appeal for these necessary objects, and trust that further subscriptions will be forthcoming.

The new heating system has been installed, but having been in operation only for a short time, it has not been tested sufficiently to warrant the Court in expressing an opinion as to its efficiency.

CONCLUSION.

In closing our summary of the year's work, let us do so with gratitude to the Most High for His goodness to us as a Congregation, in enabling us to efficiently maintain His work amongst ourselves, and to aid materially in extending the Master's Kingdom in those directions in which our Church feels it is her commission to labour.

Respectfully submitted.

W. D. GILLEAN,
Clerk Deacons' Court.

It will be gratifying to the friends who contribute to the choir and organist special account to read the following appreciation of our congregational singing from the pen of an eminent Scottish professor. His correspondence appeared in a Scottish paper and was copied by a Montreal paper.

After speaking of visiting St. James Cathedral on Dominion Square, he continues: "We did not take time to appreciate the sermon in the church, for the time for worship in the Presbyterian Church was at hand, and we hastened to be present. We heard an excellent sermon, well thought out, well delivered, earnest and practical. The singing was splendid, in fact we never heard any congregational singing to compare with it. The organist is a genius, and knows the place he ought to fill in the harmony of the whole. To simply sustain the singing, to suppress himself, and to use himself for the good of the large whole is to make a great demand on the moral qualities of an organist; but if he does not yield to the situation, if he asserts himself and drowns the congregational voice by the sound of the organ, he himself ought to be suppressed. But the singing, the playing and the whole service of praise was beautiful and edifying. Dr. A. B. Mackay, the pastor, hails originally from Montrose."

WEEKLY OFFERINGS.

Dr.

Crescent Street Presbyterian Church in account with the Treasurer, for the year 1899.

Cr.

| RECEIPTS, | | |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| To Collection in Envelopes..... | \$ 8,473 15 | |
| “ “ Open..... | 1,284 85 | |
| | | 9,758 00 |
| “ Special Subscriptions—Foreign Missions (\$50 for India)..... | 105 00 | |
| “ Home Missions..... | 130 00 | |
| “ Augmentation Fund..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Italian Missions..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Dr. McClure's Salary..... | 1,208 00 | |
| | | 1,543 00 |
| “ Rebuilding Merritton Church (special)..... | 80 50 | |
| “ “ Churches in Formosa..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Mission to the Lepers..... | 23 50 | |
| “ Collections from Chinese Sunday School Class..... | 88 96 | |
| “ Collection on Thanksgiving Day..... | 129 18 | |
| “ Interest on Bank Account..... | 33 82 | |
| | | \$11,706 96 |

| PAYMENTS. | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| By Minister's Stipend..... | \$ 4,500 00 | |
| “ Manse Rent..... | 500 00 | |
| “ Pulpit Supply..... | 225 00 | |
| “ Grant for Poor Members of Congregation..... | 315 00 | |
| “ Ladies' Visiting and Aid Society..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Salary of Congregational Missionary..... | 600 00 | |
| “ Home Missions, General Assembly Schemes..... | \$1,170 00 | |
| “ “ Special..... | 130 00 | |
| | | \$1,300 00 |
| “ Augmentation Fund..... | 250 00 | |
| “ “ Special..... | 50 00 | |
| | | 300 00 |
| “ Naz'th St. Mission. Miss. Salaries..... | 500 00 | |
| “ “ Water Rate & Ground..... | | |
| “ “ Rent..... | 21 31 | |
| “ “ Expenses..... | 140 00 | |
| | | 661 31 |
| “ Rebuilding Church in Merritton..... | 80 50 | |
| “ City Missionary, Rev. J. Patterson..... | 100 00 | |
| “ Students' Missionary Society..... | 50 00 | |
| | | 2,491 81 |
| “ Foreign Missions—Support of Dr. McClure.... } | \$1,200 00 | |
| “ (Honan China), special..... } | 1,200 00 | |
| “ Gen. Assembly Schemes..... | 145 00 | |
| “ “ Special..... | 105 00 | |
| | | 250 00 |
| “ Re-Building Churches in Formosa special..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Italian Mission, special..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Chinese S. S. Class, per Rev. Dr. Thomson.... | 11 40 | |
| “ “ | 77 56 | |
| | | 88 96 |
| | | 1,638 96 |
| “ French Evangelization..... | \$105 50 } | |
| “ French Church in Namur... } | 155 00 | |
| “ Presbyterian College, Montreal..... | 400 00 | |
| “ Aged and Infirm Minister's Fund..... | 100 00 | |
| “ Ministers' Widows' and Orphans' Fund..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Assembly Fund..... | 30 00 | |
| “ Crescent Street Church, Sabbath School..... | 216 35 | |
| “ Presbyterian Sabbath School Association..... | 25 00 | |
| “ Mission to the Lepers..... | 23 50 | |
| “ Expenses Chinese Night School..... | 20 00 | |
| “ The Presbyterian Record..... | 62 50 | |
| “ Montreal Presbytery, Expense Fund..... | 50 00 | |
| “ Printing, Stationery, &c..... | 24 66 | |
| “ Montreal General Hospital..... | 129 18 | |
| | | \$11,706 96 |

JAMES ROSS, Treasurer.

PEW RENT ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Crescent Street Presbyterian Church in Account with the Treasurer, for the year 1899.

Cr.

| RECEIPTS. | | PAYMENTS | |
|-----------------------------|------------|---|------------|
| To Pew Rents..... | \$4,638 10 | By Church Officer, J. Davis..... | \$ 500 00 |
| “ Books of Praise Sold..... | 33 75 | “ Water for Organ..... | 104 90 |
| “ Balance from 1898..... | 185 37 | “ Organ Tuning..... | 60 00 |
| | | “ Fuel..... | 365 31 |
| | | “ Water Rate, Church..... | 162 47 |
| | | “ Electric Light..... | 270 12 |
| | | “ Insurance..... | 340 00 |
| | | “ Communion and Soiree Expenses..... | 81 30 |
| | | “ Roofing, Plumbing and Glazing..... | 103 84 |
| | | “ Printing, Stationery, &c..... | 141 19 |
| | | “ Carpentering and Window Guard..... | 176 83 |
| | | “ Stove Repairs and Inspection of Boilers..... | 15 50 |
| | | “ Matting and Scarlet Cloth for inside doors..... | 43 40 |
| | | “ Montreal Carpet Beating Co..... | 46 83 |
| | | “ Decorations and loan small tables..... | 13 00 |
| | | “ Wardrobe and Chinaware..... | 18 80 |
| | | “ Advertising..... | 28 00 |
| | | “ Tinting and Painting School Room, &c..... | 147 90 |
| | | “ Special Assessment..... | 5 96 |
| | | “ Books of Praise, imported..... | 51 84 |
| | | “ Snow Shovelling, Scrubbing, Laundry Work, Re- moval of Ashes and Cartage, and help for Fur- naces for Season..... | 90 81 |
| | | “ Sundry Accounts..... | 44 71 |
| | | “ Church Treasurer’s Salary..... | 400 00 |
| | | “ Transfer to Choir and Organist Account..... | 1,300 00 |
| | | “ Laurie Engine Co., \$6.20, Wm. Sclater & Co., \$27.50. | 33 70 |
| | | “ Montreal Ice Exchange, three years..... | 15 00 |
| | | “ Interest on the Jos. Mackay and R. Anderson bequests. | 41 63 |
| | | “ Balance to 1900..... | 254 18 |
| | \$4,857 22 | | \$4,857 22 |

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JAMES ROSS, Treasurer.

BUILDING FUND, OR REAL ESTATE ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Crescent Street Presbyterian Church in account with the Treasurer, for the year 1899.

BUILDING FUND, OR REAL ESTATE ACCOUNT.

Dr. *Crescent Street Presbyterian Church in account with the Treasurer, for the year 1899.* **Cr.**

| RECEIPTS. | PAYMENTS. |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| To Balance carried forward to 1900..... \$ 636 97 | By Balance from 1898..... \$ 636 97 |
| \$ 636 97 | \$ 636 97 |

NAZARETH STREET MISSION BUILDING ACCOUNT.

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| To Balance carried forward to 1900..... \$ 559 28 | By Balance from 1898..... \$ 548 65 |
| | " Carpenter Work..... 10 63 |
| \$ 559 28 | \$ 559 28 |

CHOIR AND ORGANIST ACCOUNT.

| | |
|--|---------------------------------|
| To Subscriptions Received in 1899..... \$1,125 00 | By Joseph Gould..... \$2,500 00 |
| " Amount transferred from Pew Rent Account..... 1,300 00 | |
| " Balance..... 75 00 | |
| \$2,500 00 | \$2,500 00 |

HEATING AND VENTILATION, &c. ACCOUNT.

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| To Subscriptions Received in 1899..... \$2,979 50 | By Geo. W. Reed & Co., on account..... \$1,000 00 |
| | " Bonus, to Jos. Davis, Church Officer..... 50 00 |
| | " By Balance..... 1,929 50 |
| \$2,979 50 | \$2,979 50 |

SPECIAL ACCOUNT.

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| To Balance from 1898..... \$ 650 00 | By Petite Cote Mission Sabbath School, Interest..... 18 00 |
| " Interest..... 41 63 | " Nazareth Street " " "..... 23 63 |
| | " Balance..... 650 00 |
| \$ 691 63 | \$ 691 63 |

WEEKLY OFFERINGS, 1899.

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| Aitken, R. A. \$ | 7 85 | Crawford, Norman \$ | 2 20 |
| Allan, Louise F. | 2 65 | Cameron, Miss M.D. | 8 00 |
| Allan, Mrs. H. | 2 00 | Cowans, Robert. | 150 00 |
| Atkinson, Miss M. | 49 25 | Clark, A. C. | 54 00 |
| Allan, Mrs. A. | 30 00 | Cottingham, Wm. H. and | |
| Auld R. S. | 26 50 | Mrs. | 5 00 |
| " Mrs. | 13 25 | Coltman, Miss M. A. | 9 10 |
| " Beatrice. | 13 25 | Charlton, R. L. | 14 85 |
| " May. | 13 50 | Cockfield, H. M. | 35 50 |
| Adams, Jessie J. | 2 35 | " Mrs. | 13 00 |
| Alves, Mrs. Jas. | 5 30 | " Henry Reid. | 2 70 |
| Aird, William. | 53 00 | Dalgleish, Mrs. | 13 25 |
| Allan, Robert. | 26 50 | " Miss M. | 14 00 |
| Allan, Bessie. | 4 45 | Deery, George. | 25 95 |
| Brodie, Mrs. R. Sr. | 14 50 | Duguid, R. J. | 7 95 |
| Brown, Jonathan. | 106 00 | " Mrs. | 7 95 |
| Bremner, Alex. | 26 50 | " Colin. | 2 65 |
| Baker, Mrs. W. A. | 35 00 | " Amelia. | 2 65 |
| Bremner, James. | 15 50 | Davie, Jean A. | 25 50 |
| Badenach, T. and Mrs. . | 101 00 | " James G. | 20 00 |
| " Miss. | 26 50 | Dowsley, Edwin. | 43 30 |
| Brodie Hugh. | 3 00 | Davidson, Mrs. Thos. . | 106 00 |
| Bain, S. S. | 27 00 | " Miss. | 15 50 |
| " Mrs. | 26 95 | " J. Herbert. | 2 80 |
| " Georgina. | 5 40 | Davis, Mrs. J. | 5 35 |
| " Lorne. | 2 50 | " Florence. | 2 65 |
| Burns, Andrew. | 26 50 | Darling, Mrs. Thos. . | 13 00 |
| " Mrs. | 13 25 | " Grace. | 6 20 |
| " Agnes. | 13 25 | " Isabella. | 2 60 |
| " John A. | 23 50 | " Ethel. | 2 65 |
| Boll, C. and Mrs. | 13 25 | Evans, Miss M. | 16 00 |
| Brown, Mrs. | 12 95 | " Miss M. A. | 16 00 |
| " Helen. | 3 10 | Ewing, Robert. | 13 25 |
| " Mary. | 5 00 | Fenwick, Rev. K. M. . | 13 00 |
| Ballantyne, Robert. | 10 65 | Fleming, G. and Mrs. . | 5 00 |
| " Jessie. | 7 80 | Fraser, D. Torrance. . | 18 25 |
| " John. | 5 20 | " D. J. | 20 00 |
| " William. | 2 35 | " Septimus. | 13 80 |
| Carter, Mrs. | 5 10 | " Mrs. | 14 90 |
| Campbell, D. W. | 50 00 | Fuierter William. | 46 00 |
| Cameron, Hugh. | 53 00 | " Mrs. | 46 00 |
| " Hannah. | 5 80 | Fraser Donald. | 26 50 |
| " Elizabeth. | 5 50 | Forman, John. | 61 00 |
| " Isabella. | 2 75 | Forde, Thos. | 53 00 |
| " Duncan. | 10 25 | Foreman, T. W. and Mrs. | 6 90 |
| " Mrs. | 8 20 | Ferguson, Miss Mgt. . | 9 15 |
| " Jennie. | 2 10 | Grier, G. A. and Mrs. . | 132 50 |
| " David. | 13 20 | Gentles, R. A. | 16 25 |
| " Charlotte. | 3 25 | " Misses. | 13 25 |
| " Mary B. | 3 40 | Gillean, W. D. and Mrs. | 53 00 |
| Christie Miss C. | 13 25 | " R. H. | 2 20 |
| Crawford, Wm. | 13 35 | Gammell, I. and Mrs. . | 27 50 |
| " David. | 12 20 | Grant, Miss J. | 6 75 |
| " Lorne. | 3 60 | Gibson, Robt. J. | 13 50 |

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| Gibson, Mrs.....\$ | 7 00 | Mackay, George D.....\$ | 27 75 |
| Grier, William..... | 24 00 | McMurtry, S. A..... | 26 50 |
| Galletly, James..... | 24 00 | " Mrs..... | 16 00 |
| Gordon, James H..... | 13 00 | McCallum, R. N..... | 33 50 |
| Henry, Thomas..... | 15 25 | McGoun, A. and Mrs... | 26 00 |
| Hamilton, Mrs. J..... | 5 00 | " James..... | 40 00 |
| Hogg, David H..... | 236 00 | McDougall, D. A..... | 13 00 |
| Henry, Knox..... | 21 15 | " Walter..... | 8 40 |
| Hyde, Misses..... | 10 75 | " Mary F.... | 4 85 |
| " John..... | 52 00 | McCall, J. T. and Mrs.. | 53 00 |
| " George..... | 212 00 | McDougall, Alex. & Mrs. | 79 50 |
| " Mrs..... | 53 00 | Mackay, R. and Mrs.... | 530 00 |
| " J. Reid..... | 2 50 | " Hugh..... | 13 00 |
| " Geo. T..... | 3 50 | " Cairine..... | 12 75 |
| " Elsie..... | 3 50 | McMaster, Miss M..... | 10 25 |
| Henry, Hugh..... | 26 00 | " Miss S. J.... | 10 00 |
| Harte, J. Alex..... | 50 00 | McGillis, R. A. and Mrs. | 16 75 |
| " Miss..... | 5 20 | Mackay, Rev. Dr..... | 371 00 |
| Harper, James..... | 61 50 | " Malcolm..... | 13 25 |
| " Miss..... | 8 50 | " Jeanie..... | 10 90 |
| " Miss J..... | 7 25 | " Eric..... | 10 65 |
| Hastings, T. and Mrs... | 7 75 | MacDiarmid, J. C..... | 28 45 |
| Holland, J. C..... | 21 20 | MacIntosh, Miss I. G... | 7 00 |
| Kinmond, P. L..... | 30 50 | McLean, J. A..... | 12 50 |
| Kerr, W. M..... | 40 00 | MacVicar, Rev. Dr..... | 66 25 |
| " Miss L. S..... | 21 25 | MacDonald, Misses.... | 13 25 |
| " Ernest F..... | 79 50 | MacMartin, Miss M.... | 10 00 |
| K—, J..... | 39 75 | McBean, John..... | 53 00 |
| Lawrence Wm..... | 2 85 | McLennan, D..... | 15 90 |
| " Mrs..... | 1 80 | MacDiarmid, Mrs. J.... | 12 75 |
| Livingstone, Miss C.... | 1 50 | McBain, Dr..... | 12 50 |
| Lampard, J. Sr..... | 11 55 | McQuaig, Miss R..... | 5 50 |
| " John A..... | 40 50 | McLeod, Alex..... | 9 50 |
| Lithgow, George..... | 4 50 | Mackay, J. H. A. | 1 35 |
| Lewis, D. A..... | 20 85 | " Douglas..... | 2 20 |
| Matthews, A. R..... | 20 65 | " W. B. and A. B. | 2 00 |
| Morrison, James..... | 12 50 | McMurtrie, J. G..... | 5 00 |
| " Mrs..... | 4 75 | " Ewan..... | 2 55 |
| Morton, Henry..... | 123 00 | McLeod, Mary..... | 1 50 |
| " Mrs..... | 53 00 | McCallum, N..... | 5 65 |
| Munderloh, Mrs. W. C. | 52 00 | McAdam, James..... | 14 50 |
| " Henry..... | 51 00 | Nicholson, Mrs. P..... | 53 00 |
| Mooney, J. H..... | 24 30 | " Miss..... | 13 25 |
| Morrice, D. and Mrs.... | 477 00 | Nairn, A. M. and Mrs.. | 39 00 |
| " Wm. J..... | 106 00 | " Alice..... | 5 00 |
| Munro, R. and Mrs.... | 106 00 | " Nellie..... | 5 00 |
| " R. D..... | 10 60 | " Norman..... | 2 50 |
| " A. J..... | 2 65 | Nelson, Mrs. W. J..... | 14 70 |
| " Miss..... | 12 80 | Patterson, Mrs. Wm.... | 6 95 |
| Marchbank, John..... | 10 70 | Paterson, Mrs. S..... | 18 55 |
| Millar, Mrs. Wm..... | 106 60 | Ramage, Jno. and Mrs.. | 13 25 |
| Murray, Miss L..... | 4 00 | Robertson John..... | 53 00 |
| McGoun, A. Jr. and Mrs. | 33 50 | Roddick, Dr. T. G..... | 53 00 |
| MacIver, Mrs..... | 3 20 | " Misses..... | 53 00 |
| " J. M..... | 3 05 | Ross James..... | 31 80 |
| Macpherson, Miss..... | 3 80 | Ross, Capt Wm..... | 22 35 |
| Mackay, J. F..... | 13 00 | Redpath, Mrs. J..... | 165 00 |

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| Robertson, Miss Marie.. \$ | 5 20 | Slessor, W. P. and Mrs. \$ | 53 00 |
| “ R | 11 75 | Stevenson, Mrs. R..... | 22 00 |
| “ David..... | 53 00 | Stirling, John..... | 260 00 |
| “ Dr. A. A..... | 10 60 | Somerville, Marie..... | 12 25 |
| “ Miss J. M..... | 7 95 | “ M. A..... | 8 95 |
| “ D. F..... | 7 95 | Stevenson, Mrs. S. C.... | 12 25 |
| Russell, H. and Mrs.... | 18 05 | Stewart, T. de G..... | 12 75 |
| “ A..... | 3 20 | “ Miss C..... | 7 65 |
| “ Nellie..... | 3 60 | Smith William..... | 14 00 |
| “ Victor..... | 1 65 | “ Agnes | 1 25 |
| “ Ernest..... | 1 80 | St. Quinten, Mrs..... | 16 25 |
| Reid, James..... | 6 25 | Staples, Mrs..... | 11 25 |
| “ Mrs..... | 9 75 | Traquair, Mrs. P. J.... | 13 25 |
| “ Bessie | 9 50 | “ Miss..... | 5 30 |
| “ May..... | 8 35 | “ Miss Janet.... | 5 30 |
| Ross, William..... | 4 30 | “ Miss C. G.... | 7 95 |
| “ Mrs..... | 3 60 | Tait, William..... | 10 15 |
| “ Emily | 1 70 | “ R. E. and Mrs.... | 10 00 |
| “ Mabel..... | 1 75 | “ T. S..... | 2 95 |
| Robertson, Mrs. Jas.... | 10 75 | Taylor, Andrew T..... | 90 00 |
| Ross, A. S. and Mrs.... | 3 25 | Thomson, Misses. | 5 30 |
| Reid, Miss E. J | 32 80 | Tolmie, M. and Mrs.... | 42 50 |
| “ Mrs. G. D..... | 8 00 | Thomson, C. and Mrs... | 11 50 |
| Sutherland, Fred..... | 26 50 | Watson, Hugh..... | 211 00 |
| Scott, J. Archibald.... | 23 00 | “ Mrs..... | 13 25 |
| Sykes, Henry..... | 7 05 | “ Iza G..... | 4 20 |
| Symington, Mrs..... | 15 90 | Wilson, D. and Mrs.... | 66 25 |
| Smardon, W. F..... | 10 50 | “ J. W..... | 5 30 |
| “ W. J..... | 7 45 | Watson, Miss L..... | 19 50 |
| Smith, Robert..... | 9 25 | Wighton, John..... | 2 00 |
| “ Kate G..... | 3 55 | Walker, Andrew..... | 12 75 |
| Sleeth, David..... | 26 00 | Anonymous..... | 17 60 |
| Stewart, Mrs. D..... | 12 50 | Sums under one dollar.. | 4 80 |
| Smardon, W. and Mrs.. | 26 25 | | |
| “ Sarah L..... | 8 20 | Total Envelopes.... | \$8,473 15 |
| “ Walter R..... | 5 40 | Open Collections... | 1,284 85 |
| Slessor, James..... | 265 00 | | |
| “ Miss C. F..... | 13 50 | | \$9,758 00 |

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

CRESCENT STREET CHURCH AUXILIARY OF THE WOMAN'S
FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|-----------------------|---------|
| Mr. and Mrs. Morrice..... | \$100 00 | Miss Kinmond | \$ 2 00 |
| Mrs. G. A. Grier..... | 100 00 | “ Lilius Watson. | 2 00 |
| “ Munderloh..... | 10 00 | Mrs. G. Fleming..... | 1 60 |
| “ Nairn | 10 00 | “ Symington..... | 1 50 |
| “ D. J. Fraser..... | 10 00 | “ Lawrence | 1 32 |
| Miss S. J. McMaster..... | 10 00 | “ Cockfield..... | 1 14 |
| Mrs. H. Morton..... | 5 00 | “ St. Quentin | 1 04 |
| “ H. Watson..... | 5 00 | “ S. S. Bain..... | 1 00 |
| “ MacVicar | 5 00 | “ A. McLaurin..... | 1 00 |
| “ T. Davidson | 5 00 | “ Matthews | 1 00 |
| “ A. MacDougall..... | 5 00 | “ Daniel Cameron..... | 1 00 |
| “ Allan..... | 5 00 | “ J. A. Lampard..... | 1 00 |
| “ A. B. Mackay..... | 5 00 | “ D. Sleeth | 1 00 |
| “ G. Hyde..... | 5 00 | “ R. E. Tait..... | 1 00 |
| “ Jonathan Brown..... | 5 00 | “ Wm. Tait..... | 1 00 |
| “ Duguid | 5 00 | “ G. Kydd..... | 1 00 |
| “ R. Mackay..... | 5 00 | “ T. Hastings..... | 1 00 |
| “ MacDiarmid..... | 5 00 | “ J. T. Storer..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. McLean..... | 5 00 | “ Sutherland | 1 00 |
| Miss Slessor | 5 00 | “ J. Scott..... | 1 00 |
| “ McMaster | 4 00 | “ Collins..... | 1 00 |
| Mrs. Ballantyne | 4 00 | “ J. Bremner..... | 1 00 |
| “ S. Fraser..... | 3 00 | “ McMurtrie..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. Robertson..... | 3 00 | “ T. Badenach..... | 1 00 |
| “ Gammell..... | 3 00 | “ J. Caldwell..... | 1 00 |
| “ A. Burns..... | 3 00 | “ Richardson..... | 1 00 |
| “ P. Nicholson..... | 3 00 | “ A. Walker..... | 1 00 |
| “ D. Robertson..... | 3 00 | “ A. Bremner | 1 00 |
| “ D. Lewis..... | 3 00 | “ J. Reid..... | 1 00 |
| “ Braidwood | 3 00 | “ S. Paterson..... | 1 00 |
| Misses Evans..... | 3 00 | “ H. Cameron | 1 00 |
| Mrs. R. A. Gentles..... | 2 85 | “ Mathews..... | 1 00 |
| “ Munro..... | 2 00 | “ W. Smardon..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. A. McLean..... | 2 00 | “ S. White..... | 1 00 |
| “ T. Ramage..... | 2 00 | “ R. K. Brodie..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. Ramage..... | 2 00 | “ Forde..... | 1 00 |
| “ W. D. Gillean..... | 2 00 | “ D. Wilson..... | 1 00 |
| “ Forbes..... | 2 00 | “ Millar | 1 00 |
| “ D. Crawford..... | 2 00 | “ Harmon..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. F. Mackay..... | 2 00 | “ Stevenson..... | 1 00 |
| “ McGoun | 2 00 | “ McCall | 1 00 |
| “ Aird..... | 2 00 | “ Garrow | 1 00 |
| “ D. A. MacDougall..... | 2 00 | “ W. Ross..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. A. Harte..... | 2 00 | “ R. A. McGillis..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. Hyde..... | 2 00 | “ W. A. Baker..... | 1 00 |
| “ Alloway..... | 2 00 | “ Tolmie..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. Forman..... | 2 00 | “ Austin..... | 1 00 |
| “ J. Kyle..... | 2 00 | “ D. Stewart..... | 1 00 |

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| Mrs. Russell.....\$ | 1 00 | Miss Roddick.....\$ | 1 00 |
| “ McMurry..... | 1 00 | “ Harper..... | 1 00 |
| “ K. Henry..... | 1 00 | “ Grier..... | 1 00 |
| “ Henry..... | 1 00 | “ Grace Grier..... | 1 00 |
| “ W. P. Slessor..... | 1 00 | Mr. D. Cameron..... | 1 00 |
| “ W. Grier..... | 1 00 | “ J. A. Scott..... | 1 00 |
| “ A. McLeod..... | 1 00 | Mrs. Galletly..... | 70 |
| “ R. Finlay..... | 1 00 | “ W. Currie..... | 50 |
| “ Whitehead..... | 1 00 | “ D. Fraser..... | 50 |
| “ Gibson..... | 1 00 | “ Nelson..... | 50 |
| “ R. Smith..... | 1 00 | “ McNab..... | 50 |
| “ A. McGoun..... | 1 00 | “ D. Cameron..... | 50 |
| “ G. D. Reid..... | 1 00 | “ A. Smith..... | 50 |
| “ G. J. Gillelan..... | 1 00 | “ D. McLennan..... | 50 |
| “ G. D. McKay..... | 1 00 | “ J. Forbes..... | 50 |
| “ J. Currie..... | 1 00 | “ Traquair..... | 50 |
| “ Rutherford..... | 1 00 | “ W. Rutherford..... | 50 |
| “ T. Henry..... | 1 00 | “ J. Lewis..... | 50 |
| “ Morrison..... | 1 00 | “ Gilday..... | 50 |
| “ Fullerton..... | 1 00 | “ Patterson..... | 25 |
| “ G. McGoun..... | 1 00 | “ Robertson..... | 25 |
| “ J. McGoun..... | 1 00 | “ Mills..... | 25 |
| “ J. C. Wilson..... | 1 00 | “ Robertson..... | 25 |
| Miss Wilson..... | 1 00 | Miss Mooney..... | 25 |
| “ A. Wilson..... | 1 00 | Cash..... | 1 30 |
| “ A. Duguid..... | 1 00 | | |
| “ Coltman..... | 1 00 | | |
| “ Ferguson..... | 1 00 | | |
| “ Somerville..... | 1 00 | For Macao Mission, Mrs. | |
| “ Thomson..... | 1 00 | G. A. Grier..... | 10 00 |
| “ Badenach..... | 1 00 | Thank Offering Collection.. | 93 30 |
| “ Kerr..... | 1 00 | | |
| | | Total | \$582 00 |

TO PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE AND FRENCH
EVANGELIZATION.

EXEGETICAL CHAIR, &C.

| | | | |
|----------------------|----------|-------------------------|----------|
| David Morrice..... | \$250 00 | J. G. Savage..... | \$ 25 00 |
| John Stirling..... | 100 00 | Thos. Forde..... | 25 00 |
| Hugh Watson..... | 100 00 | Hugh Cameron..... | 25 00 |
| W. J. Morrice..... | 50 00 | Dr. Roddick..... | 25 00 |
| Henry Morton..... | 25 00 | Arch. McGouin, Jr..... | 25 00 |
| Alex. McDougall..... | 25 00 | Estate T. Davidson..... | 25 00 |
| D. Wilson..... | 25 00 | | |
| | | | \$725 00 |

SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

| | |
|--------------------|----------|
| David Morrice..... | \$100 00 |
| Robert Mackay..... | 60 00 |
| John Stirling..... | 50 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$210 00 |

ORDINARY FUND.

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| David Morrice..... | \$50 00 |
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POINTE AUX TREMBLES SCHOOL.

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| Robert Mackay..... | \$10 00 |
| H. Cameron..... | 5 00 |
| H. Morton..... | 10 00 |
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| | \$25 00 |

CHOIR AND ORGANIST (SPECIAL).

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|------------------------|----------|--------------------|-------------------|
| David Morrice..... | \$125 00 | Anonymous | \$5 00 |
| W. J. Morrice..... | 75 00 | E. M. Fulton..... | 50 00 |
| John Stirling..... | 125 00 | Geo. Hyde..... | 25 00 |
| Robert Mackay..... | 125 00 | John Hyde..... | 10 00 |
| James Slessor..... | 50 00 | Thos. Forde..... | 25 00 |
| David Robertson..... | 25 00 | Robert Cowans..... | 100 00 |
| D. W. Campbell..... | 25 00 | D. T. Fraser..... | 25 00 |
| J. C. Wilson..... | 100 00 | J. T. McCall..... | 25 00 |
| Jonathan Brown..... | 25 00 | W. T. Miller..... | 25 00 |
| Henry Munderloh..... | 25 00 | Hugh Cameron..... | 25 00 |
| Duncan Cameron..... | 25 00 | John McLean..... | 25 00 |
| T. Badenach..... | 25 00 | Alex Bremner..... | 10 00 |
| R. S. Auld..... | 10 00 | | |
| W. Rutherford, Jr..... | 10 00 | | |
| Donald Fraser..... | 5 00 | | |
| | | | <u>\$1,125 00</u> |

SUNDRY AMOUNTS

FROM MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION SENT DIRECT TO THE TREASURER
OF THE CHURCH IN TORONTO, DURING 1899.

| | | | |
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| J. Stirling, for Manitoba College..... | \$50 00 | | |
| D. Morrice... " Summer Session Fund.. | 100 00 | } | \$200 00 |
| Mrs. Redpath. " " " | 50 00 | | |
| Dr. McClure, for Home Mission Fund..... | 80 00 | | |
| " " Foreign " | 80 00 | | |
| " " French Evangelization..... | 80 00 | | |
| Mrs. Redpath, " Home Missions..... | 100 00 | | |
| E. Dowsley, " " | 10 00 | | |
| " " Widows' and Orphans' Fund..... | 5 00 | | |
| " " Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund..... | 5 00 | | |
| | | | <u>\$360 00</u> |
| D. Morrice, for Montreal College..... | 300 00 | | |
| Geo. Hyde, " " Exegetical Chair..... | 25 00 | | |
| A. T. Taylor, " " Scholarship..... | 10 00 | | |
| | | | <u>\$335 00</u> |
| | | | <u>\$895 00</u> |

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

| | | | |
|---|-------|--|-----------------|
| Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDougall, for Foreign Missions..... | 50 00 | | |
| Hugh Watson, (India) " | 50 00 | | |
| Miss M. L. Kinmond, " | 5 00 | | |
| | | | <u>\$105 00</u> |
| Mr and Mrs. Alex. McDougall, for Home Missions | 50 00 | | |
| Miss M. L. Kinmond, " | 5 00 | | |
| Hugh Watson, " | 50 00 | | |
| Mrs. David Robertson, " | 25 00 | | |
| | | | <u>\$130 00</u> |
| Carried forward, | | | <u>\$235 00</u> |

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| Brought forward..... | | \$235 00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDougall, for Augmentation..... | 50 00 | |
| Hugh Watson, for Italian Missions..... | 50 00 | |
| | | <u>\$100 00</u> |
| Mrs. Alex. McDougall and the Misses McDougall, for re-construction of Churches in Formosa.. | | 50 00 |
| | | <u>\$385 00</u> |

FOREIGN MISSIONS,
IN BEHALF OF DR. MCCLURE'S SALARY.

| | |
|--|-----------------|
| G. P..... | \$5 00 |
| R. I. M..... | 5 00 |
| Henry Morton..... | 20 00 |
| Miss M. A. Coltman..... | 2 00 |
| Miss M. Brown..... | 50 |
| F. Sutherland..... | 1 00 |
| Miss Slessor..... | 2 00 |
| Mrs. Nicholson..... | 10 00 |
| Miss Nicholson..... | 1 00 |
| Miss E. J. Reid..... | 2 50 |
| Henry Munderloh..... | 20 00 |
| Anonymous, 50c., \$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.00, \$10.00, \$10.00. | 25 50 |
| Knox Henry..... | 10 00 |
| Miss M. Ferguson..... | 10 00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDougall..... | 50 00 |
| Mrs. T. Davidson..... | 25 00 |
| Miss M. L. Kinmond..... | 10 00 |
| Mrs. W. C. Munderloh..... | 10 00 |
| D. J. Fraser..... | 10 00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Lewis..... | 5 00 |
| Mrs. Brown..... | 4 00 |
| Hugh Watson..... | 50 00 |
| Mrs. D. Crawford..... | 4 50 |
| Nazareth Street Mission Sabbath School..... | 60 00 |
| David Morrice..... | 50 00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. H. Henry..... | 5 00 |
| Mrs. H. Watson..... | 10 00 |
| D. A. McDougall..... | 3 00 |
| Miss J. A. Davie..... | 2 00 |
| Dr. J. L. Allan..... | 5 00 |
| Dr. F. W. Gilday..... | 5 00 |
| Dr. Ridley McKenzie..... | 5 00 |
| Dr. A. A. Robertson..... | 5 00 |
| Dr. Reddy..... | 10 00 |
| Dr. Garrow..... | 20 00 |
| Dr. T. G. Roddick..... | 50 00 |
| Robert Allan..... | 15 00 |
| R. S. Auld..... | 10 00 |
| S. S. Bain..... | 5 00 |
| W. D. Gillean..... | 10 00 |
| W. J. Morrice..... | 5 00 |
| R. Munro..... | 10 00 |
| | <u>\$568 00</u> |

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| Brought forward..... | | \$568 00 |
| John Robertson..... | 20 00 | |
| James Harper..... | 20 00 | |
| T. Badenach..... | 100 00 | |
| Jonathan Brown..... | 100 00 | |
| G. A. Grier..... | 100 00 | |
| John Lewis..... | 100 00 | |
| W. T. Miller..... | 100 00 | |
| D. W. Campbell..... | 50 00 | |
| Henry Munderloh..... | 50 00 | |
| | | <u>\$640 00</u> |
| | | \$1,208 00 |

CONTRIBUTIONS TO MISSION TO LEPERS IN INDIA, AND
THE EAST.

RECEIVED THROUGH THE CHURCH TREASURER.

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
| Mr. and Mrs. A. McGoun, Jr..... | \$ 1 00 | |
| Anonymous..... | 20 00 | |
| Miss E. J. Reid..... | 2 50 | |
| | | <u>\$ 23 50</u> |

RECEIVED BY MRS. G. A. GRIER
FROM MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
| Mrs. Henry Morton..... | \$ 5 00 | |
| Mrs. James Allan..... | 5 00 | |
| Mrs. T. Davidson..... | 5 00 | |
| Miss Davidson..... | 5 00 | |
| Mrs. A. Walker..... | 1 00 | |
| Mrs. David Robertson..... | 5 00 | |
| Mr. and Mrs. H. Watson..... | 25 00 | |
| Jas. Slessor, Sr..... | 10 00 | |
| Jas. Slessor, Jr..... | 10 00 | |
| Miss Slessor..... | 5 00 | |
| Miss McCaughey..... | 2 00 | |
| Mr. and Mrs. David A. Lewis..... | 5 00 | |
| G. A. Grier..... | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. G. A. Grier..... | 40 00 | |
| The Grier Boys..... | 10 00 | |
| | | <u>\$233 00</u> |
| | | \$256 50 |

HEATING, VENTILATION, &c.

| | | | |
|--------------------------|--------|---------------------------|------------|
| Miss E. J. Reid.....\$ | 5 00 | P. L. Kinmond.....\$ | 15 00 |
| D. A. McDougall..... | 1 00 | Misses McMaster..... | 5 00 |
| Andrew Burns..... | 5 00 | Mrs. H. Allan..... | 5 00 |
| Miss I. Murray..... | 1 00 | Henry Russell..... | 10 00 |
| Miss M. D. Cameron.... | 2 00 | C. Boll..... | 6 00 |
| Mrs. Thos. Davidson.... | 25 00 | John A. Scott..... | 5 00 |
| David H. Hogg..... | 37 50 | Hugh Watson..... | 400 00 |
| H. L. Reddy, M.D..... | 10 00 | Geo. Fleming..... | 5 00 |
| Jas. McGoun..... | 10 00 | David Cameron..... | 5 00 |
| A. McGoun, Jr..... | 2 00 | J. C. Wilson..... | 200 00 |
| A. Walker..... | 2 00 | F. H. Wilson..... | 5 00 |
| Miss C. Christie..... | 5 00 | R. Munro..... | 20 00 |
| Fred. Sutherland..... | 2 00 | Mrs. A. Allan..... | 25 00 |
| Miss L. Boyd..... | 1 00 | Miss N. McQuigg..... | 3 00 |
| Henry Morton..... | 25 00 | Mrs. R. A. McGillis.... | 15 00 |
| Mrs. T. Darling..... | 10 00 | David Sleeth..... | 5 00 |
| Hugh Henry..... | 20 00 | Miss M. Atkinson..... | 25 00 |
| R. S. Auld..... | 10 00 | R. A. Gentles..... | 25 00 |
| Robert Brodie..... | 5 00 | S. S. Bain..... | 15 00 |
| Mrs. S. C. Stevenson.... | 2 50 | E. Dowsley..... | 10 00 |
| R. N. McCallum..... | 5 00 | Jno. N. Christie..... | 10 00 |
| Thos. D. Bell..... | 5 00 | M. Tolmie..... | 5 00 |
| M. G. and Leslie Bell... | 1 00 | D. A. Lewis..... | 7 50 |
| J. F. Mackay..... | 5 00 | Miss Grace Thomson.... | 5 00 |
| Mr. & Mrs. John Ramage | 5 00 | Rev. Dr. Mackay..... | 50 00 |
| J. Stirling, Jr..... | 10 00 | G. A. Grier..... | 25 00 |
| Mrs. Symington..... | 2 00 | C. H. Alves..... | 1 25 |
| Arch. Bowes..... | 15 00 | John Forman..... | 12 50 |
| W. P. Slessor..... | 5 00 | R. E. Tait..... | 2 50 |
| W. A. Baker..... | 5 00 | T. Henry..... | 2 50 |
| Mrs. G. D. Reid..... | 50 | Wm. Rutherford..... | 25 00 |
| Mrs. W. Miller..... | 20 00 | Mrs. R. Stevenson..... | 25 00 |
| Capt. W. Ross..... | 5 00 | J. Albert McLean..... | 20 00 |
| Joseph Davis..... | 5 00 | T. de G. Stewart..... | 2 50 |
| Miss F. Gowans..... | 5 00 | Miss L. S. Kerr..... | 5 00 |
| George Hyde..... | 50 00 | T. McC. Hutchison.... | 2 00 |
| David Morrice..... | 400 00 | Geo. Deery..... | 2 00 |
| W. J. Morrice..... | 100 00 | D. McLennan..... | 5 00 |
| Miss M. Ferguson.... | 2 50 | W. McNab..... | 5 00 |
| W. M. Kerr..... | 5 00 | Jonathan Brown..... | 200 00 |
| J. A. Burns..... | 5 00 | Estate late A. C. Clark.. | 100 00 |
| Wm. Aird..... | 10 00 | Mrs. Redpath..... | 25 00 |
| R. Ballantyne..... | 1 00 | "R. I. M"..... | 5 00 |
| Duncan Stewart..... | 5 00 | Daniel Wilson..... | 100 00 |
| Mrs. Nicholson..... | 10 00 | John Hyde..... | 10 00 |
| Mrs. Traquair..... | 2 50 | Mrs. Carter..... | 1 00 |
| Miss Hyde..... | 3 00 | Robert Mackay..... | 400 00 |
| Alex. McDougall..... | 100 00 | Jas. Koss..... | 6 25 |
| Miss L. Watson..... | 10 00 | Walter McDougall.... | 2 50 |
| A. Young..... | 20 00 | A. Craig..... | 5 00 |
| Miss M. Brown..... | 2 00 | James Morison..... | 12 50 |
| H. M. Cockfield..... | 20 00 | Thos. Forde..... | 20 00 |
| Misses Evans..... | 5 00 | | |
| A. R. Harmon..... | 50 00 | | |
| | | | \$2,979 50 |

IN BEHALF OF INDUSTRIAL ROOMS.

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|--------------------------|---------|-------------------------|---------|
| Miss Slessor..... | \$ 5 00 | Mrs. A. Bremner..... | \$ 1 00 |
| Mrs. D. Morrice..... | 5 00 | “ A. Young..... | 1 00 |
| Mr. W. J. Morrice..... | 5 00 | “ R. S. Auld..... | 1 00 |
| Mrs. Robert Mackay..... | 5 00 | “ T. Badenach..... | 1 00 |
| “ Munderloh..... | 5 00 | “ H. Watson..... | 1 00 |
| “ Jonathan Brown..... | 5 00 | “ D. Cameron..... | 1 00 |
| “ Grier..... | 3 00 | Miss Lillas Watson..... | 1 00 |
| “ Thos. Davidson..... | 2 00 | Mrs. John Hyde..... | 1 00 |
| “ Hy. Morton..... | 3 00 | “ Dan. Wilson..... | 1 00 |
| “ Duncan Stewart..... | 3 00 | “ J. A. Harte..... | 1 00 |
| “ Geo. Hyde..... | 2 00 | “ Alloway..... | 1 00 |
| “ Andrew Burns..... | 2 00 | “ Miller..... | 1 00 |
| Miss Watt..... | 1 00 | “ Rutherford, Jr..... | 50 |
| Mrs. A. McGoun, Sr..... | 1 00 | “ Kyle..... | 50 |
| “ Allan..... | 1 00 | “ McCalli..... | 50 |
| “ McLean..... | 1 00 | A Friend..... | 25 |
| “ Thos. Forde..... | 1 00 | Mrs. Baker..... | 50 |
| “ Russell..... | 1 00 | “ J. C. Wilson..... | 50 |
| Miss S. J. McMaster..... | 1 00 | Miss Wilson..... | 50 |
| “ Harper..... | 1 00 | Mrs. Geo. McGoun..... | 50 |
| Mrs. A. B. Mackay..... | 1 00 | “ Krcx Henry..... | 50 |
| “ Robert Munro..... | 1 00 | A Friend..... | 50 |
| “ Forman..... | 1 00 | Mrs. Dalgleish..... | 50 |
| “ S. S. Bain..... | 1 00 | “ J. A. McLean..... | 50 |
| Miss Evans..... | 1 00 | “ Austin..... | 50 |
| Mrs. D. A. Lewis..... | 1 00 | “ Crawford..... | 50 |
| “ Tolmie..... | 1 00 | Miss Kerr..... | 50 |
| Miss H. Cameron..... | 1 00 | Mrs. Walter Sardon..... | 50 |
| Mrs. P. Nicholson..... | 1 00 | Miss Gentles..... | 25 |
| “ Rutherford, Sr..... | 1 00 | Mrs. Allan Gentles..... | 25 |
| “ Jas. McGoun..... | 1 00 | “ Thomson..... | 25 |
| “ Duguid..... | 1 00 | A Friend..... | 75 |
| “ Gillean..... | 1 00 | Miss Mooney..... | 75 |
| “ McVicar..... | 1 00 | | |
| “ D. Robertson..... | 1 00 | | |
| | | Total..... | \$90 00 |

Crescent Street Presbyterian Church Sabbath School.

OFFICE BEARERS.

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| HONORARY SUPERINTENDENT | - | - | - | - | DAVID MORRICE |
| SUPERINTENDENT | - | - | - | - | ROBT. MUNRO |
| ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT | - | - | - | - | A. M. NAIRN |
| LIBRARIANS | - | - | - | - | { F. H. WILSON |
| | | | | | { A. D. KYLE |
| ORGANIST | - | - | - | - | D. F. ROBERTSON |

TEACHERS.

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| REV. DR. MACKAY | MRS. DR. MACKAY | MISS GRIER |
| MR. GEORGE HYDE | MISS S. J. McMASTER | " G. GRIER |
| " S. S. BAIN | " THOMSON | " KYLE |
| " D. A. LEWIS | " SLESSOR | " BAIN |
| " J. KNOX HENRY | " DAVIDSON | " CAMERON |
| " S. FRASER | " DARLING | " K. CAMPBELL |
| " I. GAMMELL | " DALGLEISH | " HARPER |
| | " MARTIN | " MOONEY |
| | " McDOUGALL | " MACKAY |

ANNUAL REPORT,

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1899.

In presenting the Sabbath School Report for the year 1899, we have again to express our gratitude to God for His continued loving care to us as a Sabbath School during the past year, and trust that we may have even a fuller measure of blessing on our work for the coming year.

Our numbers are as follows :

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| Teachers on Roll..... | 31 |
| Average attendance for year..... | 26 |
| Scholars on Roll..... | 282 |
| Average attendance..... | 228 |

BIBLE CLASSES.

These classes have been continued with well sustained interest. Our devotional meeting of teachers on Sabbath and our usual business meetings have been well attended during the year.

PRIZES.

For repeating the Shorter Catechism, Oxford Bibles were presented by Dr. Mackay to

1. Mary Cameron Reid.
2. Arthur Frank Smardon.
3. Walter Reginald Smardon.
4. Arthur Herbert Milroy.

MISSION COLLECTIONS.

The various amounts collected during the year have been as follows:

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| Weekly class and open collections..... | \$213.12 | |
| Missionary Society, Girls..... | \$71.80 | |
| " " Boys..... | 80.30 | 152.10 |
| Primary Class Mission boxes.... | 11.90 | |
| Dr. Mackay's Bible class..... | 5.50 | |
| Mrs. Mackay's " | 28.83 | |
| Mr. Bain's " | 23.07 | |
| Miss McMaster's " | 16.01 | |
| Bank interest..... | 5.60 | 456.13 |

SPECIAL COLLECTION—

| | | |
|---|---------|-----------------|
| For Dr. Mackay's Church repairs, Formosa | \$50.00 | |
| From members of Congregation towards India famine | 8.00 | 58.00 |
| | | <u>\$514.13</u> |

LIBRARY.

Through the kindness of Mr. McNab, who gave us two lectures with lantern views, the Teachers have been enabled to replenish the Library to the extent of 107 volumes. This enabled us to overhaul the entire Library and re-open it in December free of debt. The Teachers hope for further assistance in order that they may extend its usefulness. Meanwhile the Teachers desire to record their great obligation to Mr. McNab for this important service.

The following papers have been distributed to various classes during the year : The Children's Friend, Children's Record, Forward, Home Quarterly, Our Little Dots, and Berean Leaf Cards.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

As usual the scholars took great interest in responding to the request for the usual supply of books, toys, games and fruit to be distributed amongst the Hospitals.

PIC-NIC.

A Pic-nic of the scholars, teachers and friends of the School was held at Sherringham Park, and as we were favored with a fine day a great many attended and spent a very pleasant day, all expenses of the outing being met by donations from friends in the Congregation.

CHINESE DEPARTMENT.

The work of our Chinese Sabbath School has been well sustained, with an increase of attendance and contributions for most of the year, though untoward circumstances have somewhat lessened the attendance during later Sabbaths.

There are, however, favoring features, especially appearing in connection with the Mission, 748 Lagauchetiere street, in which we share as in the general Chinese gatherings. One such meeting of teachers and friends in the interest of the work, and presided over by our Pastor, was recently held in the Lecture Hall.

One of our scholars, Lee Quong, has been received into the Mission C. E., which has a membership of 20, and an attendance often of 40, and even of 60. A number of these have been received into Knox Church during the year in connection with the Chinese service held there.

Moy Yeu, one of our most regular pupils, died in the General Hospital in August, and was buried from that Chapel. To Dr. Thomson, who visited him frequently, he professed his faith in Christ and his Saviour.

Miss Street, a faithful and devoted teacher, lost her life in the wreck of the Scotsman in September.

A number of our pupils have returned to China, several declaring themselves Christians. One, a particularly earnest Bible student and Christian, has recovered his health, and is witnessing for the Master amidst surrounding darkness in Hoypeng, China. Our teachers deserve much credit for faithful service during the year.

Collections, \$77.40 for year.

H. M. COCKFIELD.

Montreal, January 26, 1900.

FINANCES.

The working expenses of the School exceed our grant from the Deacon's Court by \$92.66, but we trust with the increased allowance for the coming year to try and make ends meet.

All respectfully submitted,

A. M. NAIRN,

Secretary-Treasurer.

CRESCENT STREET CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL.

IN ACCOUNT WITH TREASURER.

Dr.

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| To Balance from 1898 | \$55 85 |
| “ Paid W. Drysdale & Co. | 121 57 |
| “ “ C. W. Sherwood, Soiree Expenses, Annual Meeting | 11 50 |
| “ “ John Robertson, “ “ | 8 00 |
| “ “ R. S. Auld, “ “ | 19 31 |
| “ “ R. Douglas Fraser, S. S. Quarterlies | 3 00 |
| “ “ W. Drysdale & Co., S. S. Supplies. | 22 05 |
| “ “ Rev. E. Scott, 160 Records | 23 88 |
| “ “ Thanksgiving Day Expenses, Postage and Sundries | 2 50 |
| | <hr/> \$267 66 |

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| By Grant from Deacons' Court | \$175 00 |
| “ Balance due Treasurer. | 92 66 |
| | <hr/> \$267 66 |

MISSION FUND.

Dr.

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| To paid Presbyterian College Bursary | \$50 00 |
| “ General Hospital Crescent Street S. S. Cot. | 60 00 |
| “ For pupil at Pointe aux Trembles School | 50 00 |
| “ Central India Mission | 30 00 |
| “ China (Honan) Mission | 30 00 |
| “ French Evangelization | 30 00 |
| “ Augmentation Fund | 30 00 |
| “ Home Missions | 30 00 |
| “ North West Missions | 30 00 |
| “ Westminster Church and Sabbath School | 17 00 |
| “ Hervey Institute | 13 70 |
| “ Quebec Sabbath School Union | 10 00 |
| “ Montreal Jewish Mission | 10 00 |
| “ French Mission Work at Chambly | 10 00 |
| “ Montreal Chinese Mission | 20 00 |
| “ Leper Mission, India | 10 43 |
| “ India Famine Fund | 33 00 |
| “ Dr. Mackay's Church Repairs, Formosa | 50 00 |
| | <hr/> \$514 13 |

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| By Weekly class and open collections | \$213 12 |
| “ Missionary Society | 152 10 |
| “ Primary Class Mission Boxes | 11 90 |
| “ Dr. Mackay's Bible Class | 5 50 |
| “ Mrs. Mackay's “ | 28 83 |
| “ Mr. Bain's “ | 23 07 |
| “ Miss McMaster's “ | 16 01 |
| “ Special Collection for Dr. Mackay, Formosa | 50 00 |
| “ From Members of Congregation towards our India Famine Grant | 6 00 |
| “ Bank Interest | 5 50 |
| | <hr/> \$514 13 |

MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION COLLECTIONS.

GIRL'S CLASSES.

| | | |
|---------------|-------|----------------|
| Miss Martin | ..... | \$12 60 |
| “ Dalgleish | ..... | 10 00 |
| “ Hyde | ..... | 9 70 |
| “ Mooney | ..... | 8 10 |
| “ Bain | ..... | 7 15 |
| Mr. Fraser | ..... | 5 80 |
| Miss G. Grier | ..... | 5 50 |
| Mr. McLeod | ..... | 4 50 |
| Miss Campbell | ..... | 4 35 |
| “ Thomson | ..... | 4 10 |
| | | <hr/> \$ 71 80 |

BOY'S CLASSES.

| | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|----------------|
| Miss Kyle | ..... | \$10 20 |
| “ Harper | ..... | 9 70 |
| “ Davidson | ..... | 8 20 |
| Mr. Henry | ..... | 8 10 |
| Miss McDougall | ..... | 7 50 |
| “ Cameron | ..... | 7 20 |
| Mrs. McGregor (now Miss Mackay) | ..... | 7 10 |
| Miss Grier | ..... | 7 10 |
| “ Darling | ..... | 6 70 |
| Mr. Lewis | ..... | 4 70 |
| Miss K. Campbell | | 2 40 |
| Mr. Smardon (6 months) | | 1 40 |
| | | <hr/> \$80 30 |
| | | <hr/> \$152 10 |

MISSIONARY BOXES PRIMARY CLASS.

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|-----------------------|-------|---------------|
| Hilda Baker | | \$2 03 |
| Walter Hyde | | 1 47 |
| Teenie Finlay | | 1 29 |
| Franklin Irving Tait | | 1 27 |
| Myrtle McLaurin | ..... | 1 13 |
| Bessie Smardon | ..... | 1 05 |
| Marjory McGillis | ..... | 82 |
| Anonymous | ..... | 60 |
| Amy and Willie Currie | ..... | 57 |
| Monty Charlton | ..... | 55 |
| James Stirling | ..... | 42 |
| Willie Cockfield | ..... | 25 |
| Harold Nelson | ..... | 25 |
| Evelyn Arthur | | 20 |
| | | <hr/> \$11 90 |

Nazareth Street Mission Sabbath School.

OFFICE BEARERS FOR 1900.

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| SUPERINTENDENT, | JAMES ROSS |
| ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT, | E. TURKINGTON |
| SECRETARY-TREASURER, | A. S. ROSS |
| LIBRARIAN, | R. A. GENTLES |
| ASSISTANT LIBRARIANS, | { DAVID C. LOGAN ANGUS CAMERON |
| ORGANIST, | MISS JANET TRAQUAIR |

TEACHERS.

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| MR. A. S. ROSS | MRS WEBSTER |
| " R. A. GENTLES | " LAMPARD |
| " JAMES CARMENT | MISS TRAQUAIR |
| " JOHN A. LAMPARD | " JANET TRAQUAIR |
| " J. A. McLEAN | " HYDE |
| " PETER MATHESON | " J. MORRISON |
| " ERNEST VIPOND | " L. McDUGALL |
| " H. P. ANDEUSEN | " K. G. SMITH |
| " RUPERT BUCHANAN | " MARGARET GENTLES |
| " Wm. B. SCARCLIFF | " HOPE |
| " E. TURKINGTON | |
| " N. V. McLEOD | |

Forty-first Annual Report of Nazareth Street Mission Sabbath School, Christmas, 1899.

Another year has passed away and we present to you a report of the work done. And before doing so we desire to place on record our gratitude to God for His continued goodness to us, and for the prosperity that the school has enjoyed.

Our numbers are as follows :

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|---------------------------------------|-----|
| Teachers on roll..... | 22 |
| Average attendance..... | 19 |
| Scholars on roll Christmas, 1898..... | 310 |
| Added during the year 1899..... | 95 |
| Total..... | 405 |
| Removed during the year 1899..... | 104 |
| On roll Christmas, 1899..... | 301 |
| Average attendance..... | 181 |

We again went to Sherringham Park for our annual picnic, which was held on June 27th and was highly successful, there being a large attendance of children, their parents and friends, and having fine weather a very pleasant day was spent by all.

Our Library, which contains many good and instructive books, continues to be well patronized by the scholars.

We continue the distribution of the following papers regularly: The Band of Hope Review, British Workman, British Workwoman, Children's Friend, Children's Record, besides numerous Tracts.

Prizes are given for the correct repetition of the Shorter Catechism and Golden Texts, and we would here urge upon more of the scholars to study and commit to memory these two branches of our work. Not only for the value of the prizes, but for the inestimable good for future life, of such a store of knowledge.

Prizes are also given to those who do missionary work, in bringing in new scholars.

The Lady Teachers have met every Tuesday since October 3rd as a Dorcas Society, and useful articles of clothing, shoes, etc., are distributed to such as require assistance.

The Band of Hope resumed its meetings on October 13th and are held every fortnight. A good programme and temperance address is given at each meeting. Quite a number have signed the pledge, and we hope much good will result therefrom. The meetings are not for the children only, but are open to all, and we here extend a hearty invitations to friends interested in the work to attend.

Our year's collections amount to \$170.99, and are allocated as follows:

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| Home Missions..... | \$20 00 |
| Foreign Missions..... | 25 00 |
| French Evangelization..... | 25 00 |
| Presbyterian College..... | 10 00 |
| Native Missionary in Erromanga..... | 25 00 |
| Crescent Street Church, for Honan, China..... | 60 00 |
| Century Fund..... | 5 00 |
| School purposes..... | 99 |

\$170 99

The Teachers hold a short prayer meeting each Sabbath after school is dismissed, and business meetings are held from time to time, as occasion requires.

Services have been held by Mr. G. McGregor as follows: Sabbath evening at 7 p. m., Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

We regret having had to part with one of our teachers, Miss Ogilvy, who has labored with us earnestly and faithfully for some nine years. We follow her with our prayers in her new sphere of labor in Honan, China.

Before closing, we tender our sincere thanks to the many friends who have assisted us in our work here.

And as we enter upon another year's work, we pray that our Heavenly Father will bestow upon us a still richer blessing.

A. S. ROSS,
Secretary.

Nazareth Street Mission.

The work of this Mission was carried on during the past year with little change, except that the steady increase and progress which we have been privileged to report in former years has continued, and our meetings, especially during the first part of this winter, were the largest we have yet had, the average attendance at the Sabbath evening meetings being from 90-100. On two occasions we had over 100 present, and the order, the general attention, the interest manifested and the reverent air pervading all the meetings have been most pleasing and encouraging.

Last summer we were able through the kindness of some friends to make the hall look brighter by placing flowers on the pulpit and organ. The larger bunches were afterwards divided into smaller ones and distributed amongst the people and were much appreciated, especially in the homes where there was sickness.

During the past winter also, a choir composed of some of the girls attending the meetings was organized by Mrs. McGregor and Miss Traquair, which has certainly been a great help in the singing, as well as a means of interesting these young people.

The attendance at the prayer meeting has also been good, although the improvement has not been so marked as at the Sabbath evening service.

We have very gratefully to acknowledge the kindness of those friends in the Congregation, and the boys' Bible Class under Mr. Knox Henry, who supplied Christmas dinners for the poorer members of the Mission. We also acknowledge several parcels of cast-off clothing from various friends, and a parcel of new clothing for children sent by Mrs. Miller, all of which we sought to dispose of to the best advantage.

The Mission will now be carried on by Messrs. Turkington and McLeod, who began their work on the third Sunday of January last, and we would request that the friends who have encouraged and aided us in our work might transfer their good offices to our successors.

G. MCGREGOR.

H. MACKAY.

Ladies' Visiting and Aid Society.

PRESIDENT,

- MRS. H. WATSON.

The first meeting of the season 1899-1900 was held Monday, October 31st, when appeals for help were made by various charitable organizations.

The sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25), one-half of the usual grant from the Deacons' Court, with 18 yards of flannel and a quantity of good, partly worn clothing, was sent to Nazareth Street Sabbath School Mission.

Some special subscriptions, and the large donations of clothing received from friends, have enabled us to extend our work. Through the kindness of Mr. H. Watson, we were enabled to more than double the help given to the "Mackay Institute" in former years. The needs of Oron Moore, as well as those of his sister, were supplied both in the months of May and November. The hearts of the children, as well as that of their Superintendent, Mrs. Ashcroft, were made glad by complete and pretty outfits of clothing.

Besides helping individual cases connected with the Congregation, the work of Madame Coté, the French Bible Woman, and that of Miss McSween, the trained Nurse, employed by the Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society, was remembered. Parcels of flannel clothing were sent to them for distribution among the Society and the deserving poor.

Some assistance was given to the Presbyterian cause, which is still weak and struggling, at Montreal Annex.

Donations of clothing were also made to the French Protestant Mission at Namur, to the Jewish Mission in the city, under the care of Mr. and Mrs. McCarter; to the Labrador Mission, and to the Victorian Order of Nurses.

Much of this work could not have been undertaken were it not for the large parcels of clothing sent to us by Mr. D. Morrice, Mrs. Alves and Mrs. Redpath.

We are glad of this opportunity of again acknowledging these gifts with warm thanks. We have also to thank members of the Congregation for a quantity of worn clothing which has been helpful in the work.

The special subscriptions kindly collected by Miss Mooney for the "Industrial Rooms Bazaar Fund" amounted to ninety (\$90) dollars.

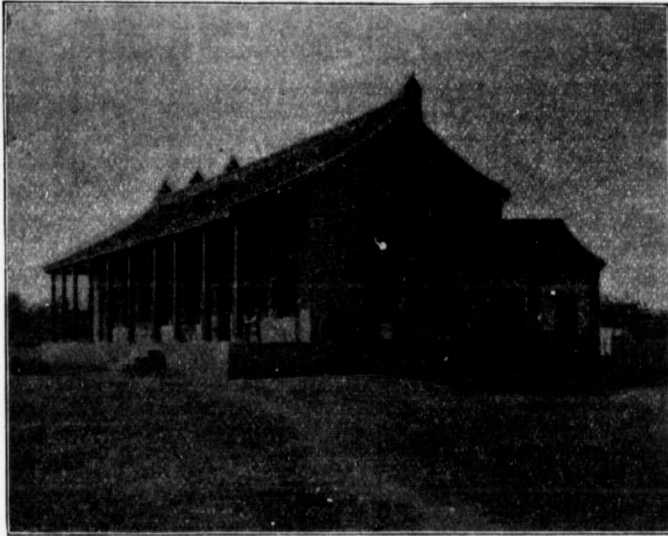
Some members of the Society have assisted in the work of visiting the sick, and calling on new members of the Church.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT (Condensed).

| RECEIPTS. | DISBURSEMENTS. |
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| To Balance from last year..... 14 48 | By Paid.....\$79 49 |
| " Sp. Sub. Mrs. G. A. Grier. 5 00 | " Paid Industrial Rooms... 90 00 |
| " Sp. Sub. from a member.. 5 00 | " Balance on hand..... 15 99 |
| " Sp from Mr. H. Watson 21 00 | |
| " Grant from Deacon's Ct.. 50 00 | |
| " Subs. for Industrial Rooms 90 00 | |
| | \$185 48 |
| \$185 48 | |

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH J. McMASTER,
Secretary-Treasurer.



The Honan Mission.

We reproduce above the picture of Dr. McClure's House, and hope in our next report to have a picture of our hospital and chapel. The best report we can give of his work is contained in the following letter. I have very heartily to thank those friends who so readily and generously responded to my appeal on behalf of our Honan Mission, and feel assured I can fully depend on their sympathy and support in continuing this work.

DEAR DR. MACKAY :

I trust you do not think that because I have not written I have forgotten all the folks at home. Although you and all my friends are often in my thoughts, yet I must confess my shortcomings in not writing oftener. Unlike the chief butler, "it is not this day only that I do remember my friends." I beg forgiveness again from you and all the Crescent street friends, and I hope I may turn over a new leaf in this respect.

Well, just a week ago to-day, we moved into the new dispensary, with hearts filled with thankfulness to the Giver of all good and the friends of Crescent Street Church. It was not, however, without a certain feeling of sadness that we turned our back on the old damp, musty, dingy place, which had been the scene of much of our work during all the years we have been in Chuwang. Now we have a board floor, nicely oiled too, in our dispensary and operating room. A special operating room, with large windows, is a new luxury in Honan.

The chapel adjoining is also an immense improvement on the old place; it is light and airy, with glass windows and blinds. A door opens from it through a partition wall into the dispensing room.

We will still have enough money on hand to build several wards, I think, although I have not yet footed up the total cost of chapel and dispensary. Our old contractor was around yesterday talking about wards—the buildings I always let out by contract. This man puts up two rooms that will accommodate about six men each for about \$10, bed, too, included. This last is a raised platform of brick.

It was exactly one year (June 6th) from the time we moved over to our new home till we moved into the new hospital.

I've reckoned the cost of the house so far at \$845, but there are yet water spouts to put up and servants' quarters, and there ought to be a cistern, so that with these the cost will be very nearly \$1,000.

Lately the patients have been somewhat fewer on account of wheat harvest, but a few severe cases have staid with us all along. Now that the wheat harvest is over they (patients) are beginning to increase.

I enclose a copy of the "Occasional," edited by Dr. P. C. Leslie, giving an account of the opening of the chapel in connection with the dispensary, and I can only add that the day was an enjoyable and profitable one for all, I think. Next morning the Chinese Christians attending the opening brought in the enclosed document, of which I will give you a free translation.

"Greetings to the Canadian Church :

"We need not indulge in empty phrases. Although we have never seen your faces we know the breadth of your love, for when Mr. McGillivray was in Canada on furlough he spoke of the Chuwang chapel and dispensary as being in a dilapidated state, and all the brethren contributed money to build a new one. These buildings are now complete, and we beg you not to be anxious about us any longer. We thank you, and hope that God will give you grace more abundant. Only we would that you would send more labourers to China. As Paul says: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' We extend to you our respectful salutations, wishing you peace.

"FROM THE CHUWANG CHURCH MEMBERS OF HONAN."

A little company of Christians, about ten miles from here, built a church nearly all themselves this year, for which we are very glad, as evidence of their sincerity and of their independence of the foreigners; we helped them to about

the extent of \$2.00 in all, I think. It is a very humble place in appearance, it is true, but is valuable as a proof of their earnestness and as an example to others.

I enclose you a photo of our house, and one of our presbytery, in which all the members are present. Will send a picture of hospital and chapel as soon as I can get one; it is too hot weather to develop photos now.

Therm. was 100° in the shade at back of our house yesterday, with a strong breeze, but not a cool Canadian breeze.

Thanks for copy of Annual Report. Please change my address in report from Chefoo to Honan; we are 500 miles or more from Chefoo. Thanks also for your New Year's sermon.

And many thanks also to the folks of Crescent Street, for their continued support in the way of salary, and do not forget my much-needed support by your prayers, too.

With much love and best wishes to Mrs. Mackay and all the friends,

I am,

Yours truly,

W. McCCLURE.

The following is the account of the opening of our Chapel by Dr. Leslie :

It is with great pleasure that we are permitted to record the opening of our new Chapel and Dispensary to the service of the Lord. This occurred yesterday, and the entire Sabbath was devoted to this purpose. The entire cost of the building has been met by the generosity of Crescent Street Church, Montreal, and we believe is admirably adapted to the sacred purpose for which it has been erected. The building consists of a preaching hall 42 ft. x 19 ft., and a dispensary 24 ft. x 19 ft.; an operating room 14 ft. x 10 ft., and small store room. It is built of Chinese grey brick, roofed with tile, and plastered inside.

We were very pleased to have the presence of Mr. Goforth of Chang Te Fu with us on this occasion, and he conducted the opening service in the morning; in the afternoon Mr. MacKenzie conducted the service, which was

solemnized by the Commemoration of the Lord's Supper. The evening service was led by Dr. McClure, and quite a number of the native Christians spoke or led in prayer. Two men were added to Church membership by Baptism, and doubtless others would have been received but for the rain of the previous day preventing them coming in from the country. A cloud was cast over the proceedings of the day, as it was found necessary to discipline one of our Church members, a trusted woman who was suspended from Church privileges and Communion for one year. A large number of Christians came in from the surrounding towns, and the best of good feeling prevailed throughout the day. A letter of thanks has been drawn up by the Chinese, thanking the good friends in Montreal for the helpful remembrance of the work and its great need. No one who has been acquainted with our old quarters will have any doubt as to the need of such a change. The fresh circulation of air and the bright light stands out in strong contrast to the old dingy, damp and dismal building which has been occupied for the past nine years of work among those people. For all of which we raise our voice and hearts in grateful praise to God.

ANNUAL REPORT
Crescent Street Church Auxiliary
of the
Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society.

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| PRESIDENT | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | MRS. MACKAY |
| SECRETARY | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | MISS DAVIDSON |
| TREASURER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | MRS. McLEAN |
| COLLECTORS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | { MRS. MORTON MRS. WHITEHEAD |
| REPRESENTATIVES | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | { MRS. NAIRN MISS SLESSOR |
| ORGANIST | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | MISS L. CAMERON |

Another year has passed and with it little change in our Society. We go on from year to year quietly and steadily, progressing in knowledge of and interest in Missions.

The attendance at our meetings, which have been held the first Friday of the month, with the exception of the summer months, has been much the same as last year, the average attendance being 35.

The devotional exercises led by our President, Mrs. Mackay, have been most helpful. This year the portions of Scripture chosen have been those bearing on Christian work, showing how best it may stand the test of the Judgment Seat of Christ.

This is followed by praise and prayer. Our missionary knowledge has been gained from papers of world-wide missionary intelligence. These papers have been read by the younger ladies of the congregation.

In the spring we had a visit from Miss McLean—a Missionary from Persia, a land about which we as an Auxiliary have hitherto heard little. Miss McLean's address was both interesting and instructive. She brought with her some of the garments worn by the natives, as well as many other curios, which were examined with great interest. Letters from Miss Dow, the Society's missionary in Honan, have been read from time to time, as also letters

from Dr. McClure, informing us of the completion of the Hospital and Chapel.

Throughout the year we have had full reports by our representatives of the work done at the monthly meetings of the Executive.

The Society hopes this year to send another missionary to India, and our thoughts and prayers have been specially turned in that direction. May the hope of the Society be realized.

The Sewing class at Nazareth Street was most successfully carried on until April last year, when at the closing meeting the children had a most enjoyable afternoon, followed by refreshments provided by the teachers. The class has been again commenced and will be continued during the winter.

In accordance with the wish of the Society that each auxiliary should hold its own thank-offering meeting, ours was held in October, the collection on that occasion amounting to \$93.30.

The Treasurer reports the amount collected for this year to be \$488.70, which, in addition to our thank-offering collection, makes a total of \$582.

In closing we would give praise to God, who has brought us to the end of another year. With thankful hearts let us go forward, trusting in His strength to carry on the work.

For has He not said to us :

“Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature.”

Respectfully submitted.

C. DAVIDSON,

Secretary.

SUMMARY FOR 1899.

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| Weekly Offerings..... | \$11,706 96 | |
| Pew Rents..... | 4,638 10 | |
| Heating and Ventilation.... | 2,979 50 | |
| Sundry Items—Missionary and Benevolent..... | 4,134 38 | |
| | | \$23,458 94 |
| Current Expenses..... | \$ 7,582 84 | |
| The Ministry of the Word at home and abroad, and Missionary and Benevolent purposes..... | 15,876 10 | |
| | | \$23,458 94 |

Young People's Missionary Society.

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| PRESIDENT | - | - | - | MISS CAMERON |
| 1ST VICE-PRESIDENT | - | - | - | MISS McDOUGALL |
| 2ND VICE-PRESIDENT | - | - | - | MISS BAIN |
| SECRETARY-TREASURER | - | - | - | MISS ETHEL DARLING |

The Young People's Missionary Society in connection with Crescent Street Church was organized a year ago last October, at a meeting held at the Manse.

The Society consists of a number of young ladies, whose aim and object in organizing such a Society was to increase their knowledge and interest in Missions.

With this object in view, meetings have been held on the first Monday of every month, excluding the summer months.

At these meetings, besides Bible study, the study of the lives of such eminent Missionaries as John Geddie and William Carey has been taken up.

Music also has been introduced into the programme of every meeting, and has proved quite an acquisition.

At Christmas time the Society has endeavored to contribute to the needs of the less fortunate, and this year we sent a box to Mr. Coté, French Presbyterian Minister at Namur.

Thanks to the kindness of friends, the box was well filled with candies, oranges and toys, as well as many useful articles, and in order to prepare these, sewing meetings were organized and held every week for five weeks previous to the holiday season.

We have to thank the Ladies' Aid Society for a most liberal donation to our box.

Through the kindness of Dr. and Mrs. Mackay, our closing meeting last year was of a very enjoyable social character.

Although the Society is still very young, it is encouraging to note that during the past season the membership list has increased, and the attendance at the meetings is on the whole good.

Memoranda.

- PUBLIC WORSHIP** on Sabbath commences at 11 o'clock A.M. and 7 o'clock P.M.
- SABBATH MORNING PRAYER MEETING** in the Library at 10.15 o'clock.
- WEEKLY MEETING** in the Lecture Room every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
- SABBATH SCHOOL AND BIBLE CLASSES** meet every Sabbath afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Teachers' meeting for business is held on second Thursday of each month.
- THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** is dispensed as required.
- THE ELDERS** visit their districts quarterly and distribute cards for the Communion. Any who may not receive their cards from the Elders, can get them at the close of the Friday Preparatory Service, or from the Elders at the door on Communion Sabbath morning. When members change their residence, immediate notice should be given to the Elder of the district or to the Minister.
- THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER** is dispensed on the second Sabbath of March, last Sabbath of May, first Sabbath of October, and second Sabbath of December.
- THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE DEACONS' COURT** is held on the first Monday of each month, and the monthly meeting of **SESSION** immediately thereafter.
- THE LADIES' VISITING AND AID SOCIETY** meets once a week during the working season.
- THE LADIES' AUXILIARY OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY** meets on the first Friday of every month, in the Library, at 3 o'clock.
- THE YOUNG WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY** meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Minister's house, at 8 o'clock.
- ALL INTERESTED** in the work of these three Societies are heartily invited to attend.
- PEWS AND SITTINGS** can be had by applying to Mr. R. N. McCALLUM, 4187 St. Catherine Street, who has the plan of the Church, or to Mr. James Ross, who has his office in the Church Library, and is in attendance there on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9 to 10, and on Wednesday evenings from 7.30 to 8.

