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Annual Report -OF THE-

## Chatsworth Congregation

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For the Year ending Feb, 16, 1884.

## OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH :

Pastor-- REV. JOH'N McALPINE.
Members of Session-Rev. John McAlpine, Moderator; John McKenzie, James Mitchell, A McGill, Jno. Edgar; Hugh Gordon, Abel Vright, John MeKissock, Peter Cromar and John A. Wilson.
Deacons' Cuurt-Jas. Beattir, John Cameron, John Ferguson, Robrrt Sudden, Robert McClure, Robert Mitchell, William Rankin, John Suthrrland, alex. McCauley, Wm. McGregor, Robert Hogg, Thos. Wright, Wm. Nisbet, Dungan Mathison, and Joseph Pringle.
The quarterly meetings of Deacons' Court are as follows :-The first Tuesday in October, the first Tuesday in January, hour of meeting, Two o'clock p.m. ; the first Tuesday in April and the first Tuesday in June, hour of meeting, Five o'clock p.m.

OWEN SOUND:
Jno. Rutherford, Steam Book and Job Printer.
1884.
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## ADDRESS BY THE SESSION.

The Sessjon, as the Congregation will readily understand, are not in a position to give anything this year like a Sessional report. The hand that would have produced it, that of our late lamented and honoured pastor, Mr. Cameron, is now engaged in other work, that of reaping the reward of the labours he so long faithfully carried on amongst us; while he who now occupies his position has too lately joined us to supply its place. It is intensely gratifying to be able to state that at the Commumion in June, the last at which our late devered pastor presided, eighteen new names were added to the Communicants" roll. Other items must le left over to a succeeding report, when it is to be hoped it will become apparent that we still enjoy the manifestations of the Divine favour.

## REPORT OF DEACONS' COURT.

In submitting the Annual Report of the Deacons' Court this year, it is with the deepest sorrow at the removal by death of our Chairman, the late Pastor of the Oongregation, the Rev. James Cameron, who for so long a period worked on the most harmonious terms with us, always giving us the benefit of his wise counsel and earnest advice, and whose labours as Chairman of the Court, as well as the example he left us, should not fail to be of the greatest service to us in the discharge of our duties in the future, and that his name and his labors amongst us would always be remembered with affection. We would also express our deep sympathy with the widow and family of oinr deceased Pastor, in their severe bereavement. In referring to the finanoes of the Church, it is with pleasure we have to report that during the year an effort was made successfully to pay off the debt against the Church, amounting to $\$ 188.00$, so that we are enabled to say at the present time there are no liabilities against us, while a surplus remains in the hands of the Treasurer to the amount of $\$ 76.00$.
andrew Megill, Sec.-Treas.


## Andrew McGill, Treas., in acc. with Chatsworth Prestlyterian Chureh, from Felb. 16th, 1888, to Felb. $16 t^{\prime} h, 1884$.

## REOUIPTS.



EXPENDITURE.


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Contributions by the Members and ${ }^{2}$ Adherents of the Congregation.

| STIPEND ARREARS OF 1882. | Stipend. | Church chemes |
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| Mrs John Garrett ............. $\$ 400$ | Robert McClure . . . . . . . . . \$7 60 | \$0 50 |
| Samuel Gamble ................ 200 | Alex. McCauly (Chatsworth) 400 | 110 |
| Mrs. Hector McDonald . . . . . Mrs. John Smith $\mathbf{6} 00$ 600 | Wm. Bell................... 300 | 025 |
| Mrs. Whitely jr. .............. 100 | Robert Sudden ........... 400 | 050 |
| 因 \$1600 | Friend .................... 075 |  |
|  | David Rae ................ 650 | 100 |
| Church | James Gilchrist. . . . . . . . . . 650 | 100 |
| 1883 Stipend. Schemes | Mrs. McNabb and Sons .... 300 | 140 |
| Peter Cromar............. . $\$ 1000$ \% $\$ 20$ | Alex. McArthur . . . . . . . . . . 700 | 100 |
| A. Me(iill . . . . . . . . . . . . . 40001200 | James Robertson . . . . . . . . 200 | 100 |
| Eliza Frost . . . . . . . . . . . . 0000000 | John Wright. . . . . . . . . . . . . . 200 |  |
| Wm. Nisbet ............. 800 150 | Hugh McKay ............. 100 | 050 |
| Duncan Mathison . . . . . . . . . 1500000 | George Little. . . . . . . . . . . . 000 | 100 |
| Joseph Whitely .......... . . . 800 | Mrs. John McDonald . . . . . 000 |  |
| Archd. Campbell. . . . . . it . . 000 | John A. Wilson . . . . . . . . . . 1100 | 100 |
| Hugh MeGill. ............. . . 200 | John Currie............ ... 1500 | 100 |
| Mrs. D. McGregor... . . . . . . . 450 | Mrs. Hector McDonald .... 200 | 025 |

Contributions-Continued.


The undersigned certify that the foregoing Financial Statement is correct.
JOHN A. WILSON,
ALEX. McARTHUR, $\}$ Auditors.
Feb. 16, 1884.

