

Brought forward	1196.35
For Syria	39.30
Japan	5056
American Indians	2921
McAll Mission, France	16
India	20
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Payments	
Sent to Mexico for Boys' School, Victoria	400
" Syria for School at Dar Es Salaam	180
" American Indians	41
" McAll Mission, France	10
" Japan	150
Paid for stationery and printing	10.85
" Map of Mexico	10
Balance on hand	506.85
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Summary	
Total receipts from Baltimore Meeting and First day School	492.00
" " Federal Hill	68.21
" " Washington	8
" " Deer Creek	15
" " Lincoln	25
" " Ashton	42.16
" " Patuxent	23.45
" " Bellefonte	31.32
" " Fishersburg	5
" " Richmond	26.25
" " Black Creek	12.71
" " Greeneth	30
" " Somerton	10
	791.15
Interest from Savings Bank	10.52
Balance from last year	561.10
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47 The subject of memorializing the Government of Japan on the subject of the sale and use of intoxicants, was introduced by our friend Katherine H. Jones (recently from Japan) and others. It was referred to the Representative Meeting for their consideration and action.

48 The following report of the Committee on Temperance was read and approved. We believe the liquor traffic to be the most prolific source of crime in our country, a standing menace to our civilization, and one of the greatest hindrances to the spread of the Gospel. We therefore favor total abstinence for the individual, and for the absolute suppression of the sinful traffic.

The Committee was continued, and \$100 was appropriated for the use of the Committee.

Report of Temperance Committee

The Temperance Committee of Baltimore Yearly Meeting has held one meeting during the year. The Executive Board has met several times. Letters have been written to each particular Meeting, and tracts and money sent wherever requested. The responses to the letters show a general interest in Temperance work; much of which, however, is carried on in connection with the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Baltimore. The public meeting has been held, addressed by Joshua L. Bailey, of Philadelphia, at which the fallacy of High License as a Temperance measure was plainly set forth. Two Temperance addresses to Sabbath Schools have been given and 6800 Temperance tracts distributed. A Temperance Lecture illustrated by the Stereopticon, has been delivered to over 300 persons at Federal Hill Mission, and a number of tracts have been distributed.

Deer Creek. The Committee on Temperance of Deer Creek Monthly Meeting have done little work directly as a Committee, though all the female Members are members of the W. C. T. U. and assist in taking charge of a Boys' Meeting, and in all the work of our Society in the neighborhood. The sum of one dollar from the Baltimore Committee, was expended for Catechisms on Alcohol and Temperance literature for the Boys' Meeting.

A "White Ribbon Tea" was held at our Meeting house last winter for social discussion of the Temperance question, being also addressed by a W. C. T. U. worker.

Greeneth. All the tracts received were distributed to the different Sabbath Schools on Temperance Day. Money sent by the Committee was used in various ways to promote the cause of Temperance.

Summing's Creek. A few of our members are actively engaged in Temperance Work. We have distributed a great deal of literature; among which was the 800 tracts sent us by the Yearly Meeting's Committee.