

## b. Finance

In addition to supporting mission work at presbytery level, the PWF also contributed substantially to the PWF ministry at the synod level as per assessments made by the synod PWF. The Tangram Presbytery PWF thus contributed a total amount of Rs. 37,652.00 (excluding handful of rice) in 1999 annually.<sup>30</sup> The PWF wing is resourceful and is looking forward to contribute more and more in future.

## c. Handful of Rice

Each family used to set aside a handful of rice before cooking food for every morning and evening. This is a substantial contribution of PWF in fund raising. For the ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 1999, the total amount of usual handful of rice collection came to Rs. 1,33,612.00 only.<sup>31</sup> More contribution is anticipated in the years ahead and therefore, Women Fellowship has now become the most successful body in fund drive.

According to the statistical reports in 1999, the total number of Christian family (house) is 264 and total membership of the Tangram Presbytery stood at 780 only.<sup>32</sup> In spite of their small in number the Hrangkhoh Christians are very much active. They take their new found faith very seriously and their Christian commitment is simple but is yet exemplary. They practice what they believe.

Every year religious and other seminars are regularly conducted at the Bial and Presbytery levels for spiritual upliftment and to help members to acquire better knowledge and learn new skills through Bible teaching and paper presentation to educate the people. Sometimes, resource persons are also invited from other presbyteries.

<sup>29</sup> Minute of the 7<sup>th</sup> session of the Tangram Presbytery, PWF, dt. 19<sup>th</sup> February, 2000. Resolution No. 19 & 20.

<sup>30</sup> Information from Presbyterian Women's fellowship CHT Synod, **Haflong report Form**, 1999

<sup>31</sup> Ibid.,