

SECOND ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE
CANADA FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The second annual meeting of the Canada Foreign Missionary Society, was held in the American Presbyterian Church, Great St. James Street, on Friday evening, the 27th January, 1860,—John Redpath, Esq., President, in the chair. Devotional exercises by Rev. J. B. Bonar. The Report was presented by Mr. T. M. Taylor, one of the Secretaries. Financial statement by the Treasurer, Mr. Vennor.

The first resolution was moved by Principal Dawson, seconded by Mr. Baynes :

"That the report, an abstract of which has now been read, be adopted, printed, and circulated, under the direction of the Board; and that the following gentlemen be the Board of Management for the ensuing year." (*See next page.*)

The second resolution was moved by Rev. Dr. Wilkes, seconded by Mr. Wenham, and supported by Rev. Mr. Gemley :

"That this meeting regards with much satisfaction the second year's operations of the Society, on the Labrador Coast; and in view of the return thither of their Missionary, there to live and labor, with the necessary appliances of a Mission station, has much confidence in commending this Mission to the support of Canadian Christians."

The third resolution was moved, in the absence of Rev. W. Snodgrass, by Mr. Morris, who was to have seconded it, and supported by Rev. Dr. Carruthers of Portland :

"That in view of the interesting and practical proposal of Capt. Kennedy for the establishment of the Lake of the Woods Mission settlement, which has awakened the sympathy and received the aid of friends in England, in Quebec, Kingston, and other towns of Canada, and in Portland also, this meeting sees evidence of an earnest purpose to help this civilizing and missionary enterprise for the aborigines of the outlying portions of our country."

The fourth resolution was moved by Rev. Mr. Goadby, seconded by Rev. Professor Cornish :

"That in the present condition of Turkey, India, and China, there is seen ample encouragement to a vigorous prosecution of Missionary labors in their midst, and that therefore this meeting is glad to announce that this Society undertakes to receive and remit, and acknowledge, contributions designated for any of the evangelical missionary organizations laboring in any of these lands."

After thanks were passed to the Trustees of the Building for the use kindly granted of it, and a collection taken up, the meeting closed with doxology and benediction, by Rev. Mr. Greig of Toronto.