

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Society was held on Wednesday, the 15th October, in the National School-room. The Right Rev. the President took the Chair at 2 P. M. There were present, the Venerable the Archdeacon, and a number of Clergy and lay delegates from the local committees in the country.

After Prayers and reading the Minutes of the preceding General Meeting, the Secretary was directed to read the Report of the Executive Committee for the past year.

It was moved by the Rev. C. Shreve; seconded by the Rev. R. Uniacke, and

Resolved—That the Report of the Executive Committee be received and adopted, and that it be printed and circulated under the direction of the Executive Committee.

The Bishop informed the Society that he had requested the Clergy annually to preach and make a collection in their parishes for the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

It was moved by J. W. H. Rowley, Esq., delegate from Yarmouth; seconded by N. Clarke, Esq., and

Resolved—That the Executive Committee be requested to obtain and to publish in the Annual Reports such historical and statistical Accounts of the Parishes as they may deem expedient.

It was moved by A. M. Uniacke, Esq., seconded by the Rev. C. Shreve, and

Resolved—That the General Annual Meeting of the Society be held in the month of June instead of the present time.

N. Clarke, Esq. moved, that in order to ascertain the feeling of the Members from the country with regard to the proposed change, the meeting should divide on the question, that the majority of the country voters might be apparent.

The division took place, and there was a majority of the Members of the country in favor of the change.

The Rev. J. Ambrose gave notice that at the next Meeting he would move that the time for the General Meeting be changed to October.

The Revd. R. Arnold gave notice of a proposed change in the 5th, 9th, 10th and 11th Rules of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

The first five on the list of the Executive Committee went out of office, and the following Members of the Society were elected by ballot to fill the vacancy:—J. R. DeWolfe, Esq., W. Gossip, Esq., N. Clarke, Esq., S. P. Fairban's, Esq., and A. M. Uniacke, Esq.

At the suggestion of the Rev. T. H. White, seconded by the Rev. R. J.