

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Twenty-Second Annual Meeting of this Society was held in the Y. M. C. A. Rooms on Tuesday, Feb'y. 11th, 1890, at 4 P. M. The President, W. C. SILVER, Esq., in the chair.

After prayer by Rev. D. M. Gordon, an outline of the report for 1889 was read by Mr. Roland Mellish. The President spoke eloquently of the work of the Society, and its wonderful progress. Next to the Bible Society, this was the best. It has been a great blessing to the whole country, from the Maine frontier to Labrador. As a manifestation of Christian union this Society has been a very great blessing. He was thankful for the opportunity of working with the Society.

REV. DR. BURNS moved the first resolution,

That the Report be approved and published, under the direction of the Committee.

He dilated on the value of the Society's work, especially in destitute regions of the country. He briefly reviewed the twenty two years' work of the Society, in its dispersion of Christian literature, and the religious influence of the colporteurs in their visits. There is increasing need of the Society's work. There are districts where the people do not have access of the ordinary means of grace. How important that these should have the benefit of the Bible and other good books, and also the evangelizing visits of colporteurs! The work of the Society in Labrador and the remoter regions of Newfoundland, is most valuable.

The resolution was seconded by WILLIAM DUNBAR, Esq.—He always felt a warm interest in the Society, and witnessed good results of its work. Passed unanimously.