

Business for the Month.

Believing that it will prove interesting and profitable to the members of the Society to be informed from month to month of the more important matters coming before the Board for consideration, it has been decided to publish a brief summary of such items in the **LETTER LEAFLET**. It would be impossible in our limited space to give an extended account of each Board meeting. Routine business necessarily occupies a large portion of the time, and this part of the work, though indispensable, is not of sufficient general interest to be reported in detail.

Since the Annual Meeting the special committee on missionary outfits, after carefully weighing the whole question, recommended that the sum for personal outfits for women going to India or China be \$250, and that the paragraph in the manual affecting the ownership of household furniture, etc., be omitted. The recommendation was adopted, and transmitted to the F. M. Committee for approval.

The memorial from St. Andrew's Auxiliary, Kingston, on the danger of overwork of missionaries, presented at the Annual Meeting, has been forwarded to the Foreign Mission Committee. A letter received from Mr. Wilkie bearing on the same subject has also been forwarded to the Committee along with resolutions passed by the Board requesting the Foreign Mission Committee to prepare and adopt some specific rules relating to the appointment of missionaries to stations, overwork, and kindred matters, for the guidance of the Mission Council in Central India.

A member of the Society writes suggesting that the Board request the privilege of a column in the *Church Record* to be set apart for items connected with the Society's work. It was not thought well to undertake this, but it was agreed that the **LETTER LEAFLET** be sent regularly to the editor of the *Record*, so that he may, if so disposed, make extracts from it.