

PROCEEDINGS

At the Thirty-first Anniversary of the Newfoundland Church Society holden at St. John's, in the Cathedral Sunday School Building, on Tuesday, September 3rd, 1872.

The Chair was taken at 8 o'clock, P. M., by His Excellency Governor HILL, C. B., supported and assisted by the Revd. T. M. WOOD, Rural Dean, Vice-President of the Society.

After prayer, the business of the evening commenced with reading the Report, and submitting the Treasurer's Accounts, after which the following Resolutions were proposed, seconded, and carried unanimously :—

1.—Moved by W. V. WHITEWAY, Esq., Q. C., seconded by Revd. A. C. WOOD, M. A. :—

That the Report now read, with the Treasurer's Accounts, be adopted and printed.

2.—Moved by Revd. E. BOTWOOD, seconded by G. J. HAYWARD, Esq. :—

That this Meeting recognizes with devout thankfulness the great goodness of Almighty God manifestly vouchsafed to the Newfoundland Church Society during the past year.

3.—Moved by Revd. G. HUTCHINSON, B.A., seconded by W. H. MARE, Esq. :—

That this Meeting, on behalf of the members of the Church of England in this Diocese, desires gratefully to acknowledge the munificence of JOSEPH CURLING, Esq., R. E., in presenting his yacht *Lavrock* for the use of the Bishop in his voyage of Visitation, and requests that this resolution be communicated to Mr. CURLING.