ABSTRACT OF PROCEEDINGS OF CENTRAL BOARD DURING THE YEAR 1871.

JANUARY.—Report of Land Committee adopted. Claims of the widow and children of the Rev. R. G. Ward on the W. & O. Fund were allowed. Outfits of \$50 each granted to two elergymen out of the General Fund. Grant of \$100 to East Frampton Parsonage.

Resolved,—That the Education Committee hold quarterly meetings, and report missions where schools might with advantage be established.

February.—Resolved,—That the Parsonage at Melbourne be transferred to the Bishop in Trust. The usual allowance to the Chaplain at Grosse Isle was placed at the Bishop's disposal.

MARCH.—The thanks of the Society were tendered to the Bishop of Maine and Rev. J. Carmichael for their assistance at the anniversary meeting.

April.—The Secretary was instructed to notify the Clergy that the subscriptions to the W. & O. Fand will be due on 1st day of May.

MAY.—Committee appointed to secure a Treasurer. Letter to the Church-wardens of Waterville relative to Church property.

November.—Investment authorized in Hamilton Debentures to the amount of \$9000. The Education Committee stated that \$275 would be required to enable them to meet their engagements. A grant of \$247.93 was made out of the Special Fund. The subject of granting a pension to the widow of the late Rev. J. Torrance was deferred. A grant of \$100 on the usual conditions was made to the Magog Mission Church. Treasurer's statement was received.