

After some correspondence with your Committee, and advice having been given, the Trustees of Galt Church sold the property there, to the Young Men's Christian Association, and a Temperance Society, which was done to the entire satisfaction of your Committee. Last Conference decided that Mr. Campbell should have four years in which to pay his indebtedness to the Book Room, to be paid in four equal annual instalments. He cannot pay the first instalment now, but will pay the whole in the four years.

While regretting the state of health which justifies Rev. J. R. Swift in applying for superannuation, your Committee recommended the English Conference to grant the application. Your Committee recommend that in future all notices in reference to District Meetings, shall be sent by the General Committee Delegate of the District to the "Christian Journal," so as to secure order and punctuality.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. BEE, *Secretary.*

GENERAL MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

TO THE CONFERENCE OF 1873.

Last Conference left Mitchell without a minister, and your Committee was expected to make the best arrangements it could. Considerable difficulty was experienced in making arrangements suitable to all parties. For a time it was partly supplied by your Committee, and partly by themselves. After this Mitchell was connected with Stratford, but this was found not to work well. Ultimately Sebringville was taken from Stratford, and connected with Mitchell, the two being worked distinctly, which has done very well. Bro. R. Thompson, who had been withdrawn from Clifford, was stationed at Mitchell. By last Conference Clifford was taken from Brant, and made a separate mission. When Bro. R. Thompson, who was stationed at Clifford, arrived there, he found no home, and unfortunately he could not find a convenient one. He gave a very discouraging account of the prospects of the place. The Committee decided to give up Clifford, and withdraw Bro. Thompson. When he returned from the committee meeting to his station, the people wished him to remain, and promised to find him a home, and pay his salary, but he was directed to abide by the arrangement of the Committee. They then wrote a pressing letter to the Committee; Bro. Angur also wrote, holding out inducements. At the February committee meeting, Bro. Boyd reported his restoration to health, and was ready to take a station; and as the Committee had not a suitable place for him, it was decided that he should be sent to Clifford. He found matters about as Bro. Thompson did when he went there, and after some little correspondence with the Committee, he left the Station.

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