

The Secretary read the following report :

"The minutes of the proceedings of the Annual Meeting of 1891, having been printed in December, a copy was sent in time for the Annual School and Municipal Elections to every officer of this Association, and member of a committee, and to every Board represented at the Annual Meeting

"The committee appointed to inquire into Kindergarten Schools, met at Ottawa in April, 1892 : circulars were prepared and sent to the Public School Boards of the cities and larger towns of Ontario. The information elicited will be reported upon by the committee.

"The Executive Committee met in the Legislative Library old Parliament Buildings, Toronto, and early in July prepared a programme for this convention. The topics for discussion were allotted, as best they might be, considering the difficulty of arranging such a matter satisfactorily within a limited time, almost altogether by letter.

"In the last week of September and first of October, copies of the minutes of '1891,' along with the programmes for the present meeting, were distributed over the Province almost broadcast. How to attract representatives from the Public Schools of the Townships, seems to be a problem as yet unsolved by this Association.

"The bills and accounts of this Association are all paid, and there is now in the treasury a balance of \$40.09.

GEO. ANSON AYLESWORTH,
Sec. Treas.

Toronto, 7th Nov., 1892.

The Executive Committee recommended :

I.—That this Association receive the delegation from the "Ontario Educational Association" at the hour of 3 p.m. to-day.

II.—That with the exception of Topic I, and sub-section (a) of Topic II, the programme for 1892 be carried out in the order in which it is printed.

III.—That the Election of Officers for 1893 be held at the hour of 11 a.m. to-morrow.

IV.—That this Association vote the sum of thirty dollars to the Secretary to defray his expenses incurred in attending Committee meetings during the year 1892.

V.—That Topic IV of this year's programme—"Agriculture in Public Schools"—be taken up at the hour of 10 a.m. to-morrow.

Moved by Mr. S. F. Lazier, M.A., LL.B., Q.C., (Hamilton), seconded by Mr. Linus Wolverton, M.A., (Grimsby), that the report of the Secretary, and the recommendations of the Executive Committee, be received and adopted. Carried.

On motion a delegation from the "Ontario Educational Association" was received, and the President of that Association, Mr. S. B. Sinclair, B.A., (Hamilton), and Messrs, J. L. Hughes and W. F. Chapman, Inspectors of Public Schools,

Toronto, and the "Ontario Teachers' Association."

The President briefly replied to questions by members of the P., (Arnprior Sound), the delegation addresses a us." Carried.

Moved seconded by tion of affiliation be referred (Chatham); Col. F. Cuthbert (Sound); Mr. Burritt, (Pelee); the Secretary, (Newburg), to-morrow.

In amended seconded by the report of the dress."

In further discussion, the Registrar, (Arnprior), said that the question of the whole, the

Both arrangements and declared

On motion Mr. J. E. F. discussed the question more than once in five minutes, excepting time for five

Topic iii—"Agriculture in Public Schools"

Rev. J. L. Hughes, in his paper :

To the Association, GENTLEMEN,—

Your committee has the honor to enquire if