

should have been set at the recent Examinations, and this Section trusts that in future more careful supervision will be exercised in order to prevent such papers being set. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Embree, seconded by Mr. Merchant,—That Teachers skilled in teaching the several subjects in the High Schools have the preference as Examiners of the papers of Candidates for the Departmental Examinations. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Embree, seconded by Mr. Henderson,—That a Committee be appointed to press upon the notice of the Minister of Education the views of this Section as expressed in the several resolutions passed by the Section. Carried.

The Committee appointed consisted of Messrs. Merchant, Strang, Embree, Henderson, MacMurchy, and the Secretary.

Moved by Mr. Dickson, seconded by Mr. Brydon,—That this Section place on record its disapproval of the practice of publishing comparative lists of successful Candidates as necessarily indicative of the efficiency of the Schools and that we as High School Masters employ our best endeavours to create a better public opinion in regard to this matter. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Strang, seconded by Mr. Hagarty,—That in the opinion of this Section the Third Class practical literature paper set at the recent Examinations was not only of too difficult a character in itself for Candidates of that grade but was really harder than that set for Second Class Candidates and that it is desirable that more care should be exercised in grading the difficulty of the papers in English Literature. Carried.

Moved by J. Houston, seconded by J. Henderson,—That the work in prescribed texts for Third and Second Class Teachers' Examinations should be made to correspond in English prose and poetic literature in French and in German as is now the case in Latin. Carried.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year; the Chairman and Secretary being elected unanimously upon nomination, and the Executive Committee by ballot:

<i>Chairman</i>	SAMUEL WOODS, M.A.	London.
<i>Secretary</i>	I. J. BIRCHARD, Ph.D.	Brantford.
<i>Directors</i>	{	L. E. EMBREE, M.A. Parkdale.
		H. B. SPOTTON, M.A. Barrie.
		J. E. DICKSON, M.A. Newmarket.
		J. HENDERSON, M.A. St. Catharines.

A. MacMurchy, M.A., Principal, Toronto Collegiate Institute, was elected a Representative of this Section to be present at the unveiling of the Ryerson Memorial Statue.

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