

election was conducted by Mrs. Thorburn, convener of the nominating committee.

While the Board was in session a devotional meeting, presided over by Miss Scott, Ottawa, was held in the church, at which Miss McWilliams, returned missionary from Central India, delivered a most interesting and helpful address.

When the society re-assembled at 11.30 a.m. a paper was read by Mrs. Grant, Orillia, on "The duties of Members of our Society and the responsibility of the women of the Church to Foreign Mission Work." It was followed by a short but animated discussion on methods of work. Mrs. Grant's paper was highly appreciated, and, at the request of the meeting, will appear in next month's LETTER LEAFLET.

NEXT ANNUAL MEETING.

There were two invitations for the next annual meeting; the first from Peterboro', presented by Miss Dickson, and urged by Mrs. Cook, Smith's Falls; and the other from Toronto, conveyed by Mrs. Gray, President of Toronto Presbyteria Society. The Society agreed by a vote of 70 to 51 to accept the invitation to Toronto.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The first item of business on Thursday afternoon was the announcement of the new officers of the Society, as elected by the Board in the forenoon. These were: President, Mrs. Ewart; First Vice-President, Mrs. MacLaren; Second, Mrs. G. H. Robinson; Third, Miss Haight; Fourth, Mrs. Ball. Home Secretary, Mrs. Shortreed; Foreign Secretary, Mrs. Harvie; Secretary of Supplies, Mrs. Jeffrey; Secretary-Treasurer of Publications, Mrs. Telfer; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Hugh Campbell; Secretary of International Alliance, Miss J. Caven; Assistant Home Secretary, Miss Shortreed; Assistant Secretary of Publications, Miss Telfer; Treasurer, Mrs. MacLennan.