

After much discussion the amendment was put and lost; a large majority of the Clergy being opposed, and the Laity being unanimously against it.

The original resolution was then adopted by a large majority of the Clergy, and unanimously by the Laity, in the following form, viz: to insert the words *after final judgment* next to the word "immediately." Also to omit the words *allowed by the said Synod* after the word "appeal."

The report of the Committee on Foreign Missionary work was read and adopted:

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Your Committee beg leave to report, that having in view the command of our Lord and Savior to his Church, that the Gospel should be preached to all nations, and the obvious fact that this command is as yet very far from being fully obeyed: Having in remembrance also the Divine promise that they who water others shall themselves be watered—they have found themselves unable to report in any other way, and they feel that you would rightly condemn them did they attempt to report in any other way than by recommending with all their power and earnestness that the Church in Nova Scotia endeavour, to some extent at least, to undertake her part in obeying the Blessed Master's command—that she endeavour in some way to draw down from on High the promised Blessing. Your Committee have not forgotten, either, that a duty of honesty and of gratitude lies upon this Church, that as she has most freely received, she should most freely give. At the same time your Committee have not overlooked the difficulty that so much requires to be undertaken for the edification of God's Church in our own Diocese, that a very large amount cannot be expected for the purpose of Foreign Missions until we are free from our own financial difficulties, and have become a self-supporting body. Your Committee however feel confidence that you will not allow these difficulties to tempt you into selfishness, but that you will repel the idea of refusing your aid to those living in the darkness of heathenism, as unworthy of those who have been redeemed by Him, who for our sakes became poor, that we through his poverty might be rich.

Your Committee do not however recommend the formation of a missionary Society within the Church as commonly understood: such a course they would consider a needless multiplying of agencies and a weakening of the resources of the Church: they

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