

"ciety are employed is not to be construed so as to preclude the Executive Committee from making a grant for one of the said missionaries to a separate cure, whether of an old or a new Parish, in any case where they may think such grant to be necessary."

At a meeting of the Executive Committee April 20, 1855, it was directed that the following *form of Legacy* be printed in the next Report:

"I give to the Diocesan Church Society of Nova Scotia the sum of £ to be applied to the general purposes of the Society, and the Receipt of the Treasurer of the Society shall be sufficient discharge for the same."

At a meeting of the Executive Committee March 16th, 1855, it was directed that the Jubilee fund be transferred to the Governors of King's College, Windsor, upon Receipt of a Resolution from that body, "declaring that they accept the money, amounting to £146 15s. 8d., as a trust, and that they will keep it as a distinct fund, the interest of which is to be applied toward the payment of the salary of a Theological professor at King's College, Windsor."

At a meeting of the Executive Committee Oct. 19th, 1855, the following Resolution was adopted:

"That in future all subscription lists received before the 31st March in each year will appear in the next forthcoming Report, while those received after that date shall be omitted."

The attention of the Secretaries of the local Committees is particularly requested to the above Resolution.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Sub-Committee to whom the subject of provision for Widows and Orphans of deceased clergymen was entrusted have succeeded in raising the sum of £1000, as a basis of the proposed plan. The scheme has now gone into operation, and the Society is ready to receive applications from those who wish to participate in the benefits of the fund under the Rules and Regulations adopted for its management.

The income for the payment of pensions will be derived from three sources, viz: the interest of the above-mentioned £1000, the premiums paid by the Clergy, and the proceeds of an annual sermon in every parish or mission in the Diocese. It is thought that not less than £250 may be reasonably expected from the above sources, which is at once a provision for 10 pensions at the present rate of £25. The calculations which have been made prove the plan to be decidedly safe. Whatever surplus funds may be in the hands of the Sub-Committee will be added to the original capital of £1000 for the benefit of those who take certificates of pension. The following Rules will clearly explain the management of the fund.

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