

Mrs. Ewart presented the thanks of the newly elected officers to the Society. The missionary hymn "Go ye into all the world" was then sung, and in the absence of Mrs. Gordon, Harrington, Mrs. Grant, Hamilton, led in the closing prayer, remembering especially the work of our sisters among the French-Canadians.

The President announced to the Society that she had received an application from a young lady, a graduate of the Toronto Training School for Nurses, with high testimonials, offering her service as trained nurse for the Foreign Field. It was agreed that this application and testimonials should be forwarded to the Foreign Mission Committee.

The President explained that she had received a petition from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Canada, with a request that the official signature of the officers should be attached to it, but that in the circumstances, and owing to the impossibility through want of time to consult with the Executive, she felt constrained to decline.

The Twelfth Annual Meeting was then closed by singing the 317th hymn, "From Ocean to Ocean."

Officers,—President, Mrs. Thomas Ewart; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. MacMurchy, Mrs. D. J. Macdonnell, Mrs. J. C. Hamilton; Home Secretary, Mrs. Hugh Campbell; Foreign Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Harvie; Treasurer, Mrs. James MacLennan.

At a special meeting of the Board of Management held at Toronto on the 17th April, Mrs. G. H. Robinson was unanimously chosen as Recording Secretary.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE.

As the question about the reading of the Reports of the General Society was not decided at the Annual Meeting, Auxiliaries are requested to bring it up for decision at their earliest convenience, and notify the Home Secretary, if they agree with the following proposal by the Executive Committee:—

"That the Annual Reports of the Board of Management, as prepared by the Home, Foreign and Recording Secretaries and Treasurer, be printed for distribution at the Annual Meeting; and that these officers be prepared to read extracts from their respective reports or make explanations with regard to them; and that the reports of the Presbyterial Societies be read in condensed form as usual."