

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

The CHAIRMAN—The Nominating Committee present the name of William Bowman, Esq., of this city, for President. (Carried.)

For Secretaries—Rev. E. Barrass, M.A., Bowmanville, and Rev. Andrew Henderson, M.A., Atwood. (Carried.)

Business Committee—William Hamilton, London, Chairman; Rev. E. Barrass, M.A., Hampton; W. N. Hossie, Brantford; Rev. W. Henderson, Glencoe; Rev. H. G. Frazer, Goble's; J. Frith Jeffers, M.A., London; Hiram Haight, Norwich; D. Fotheringham, Toronto; Rev. John McEwen, Lakefield; T. Muir, London; Rev. W. Cuthbertson, B.A., Woodstock; Isaac Hord, Mitchell; George Rutherford, Hamilton; L. C. Peake, Toronto; and the General and Corresponding Secretaries. (Carried.)

A duet by Mr. and Mrs. Blight,

"Jesus, Lover of my soul."

The CHAIRMAN—I now call for the report from Middlesex.

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

Mr. HAMILTON—I wish I had a better report to give. In substance it is much the same as what we reported last year. We have been running about two years and a half with our City Association. We have, on a rough estimate, in the neighborhood of five thousand children whose teachers belong to our Association. We meet once a month, Tuesday evening, for discussion and for mutual assistance; our programme takes the shape of receiving papers, from those who have been asked to get them up, on subjects connected with Sunday School work, and we usually have one paper, or address, or exercise on the lesson for the succeeding Sunday. Sometimes it is presented as it would be presented to a senior class, sometimes as to an intermediate, and sometimes as to an infant class, so as to cover all the grades. Our meetings have been very well attended, but not so well as we would like. Sometimes our meetings conflict with the regular teachers' meeting, and they do not like giving that up. We have made a move towards gathering in neglected children. After hearing the address delivered by Mayor Howland last year at the Provincial Convention, we thought we ought to get some inspiration from him, and we had him here for an evening's talk as to gathering in neglected children. It was a magnificent talk. We divided the city into a number of districts, and allotted the districts to the different churches to operate. The idea was, that the districts should be visited, in order that we might find any who were not attending Sunday School. Our report is not yet full. Our friend Mr. Muir was the person to whom

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