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WOMEN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF NOVA SCOTIA AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The Sixteenth Annual Meeting of this Society was held in Truro, N. S., Monday afternoon, July 10, 1893.

In the absence of the President, the meeting was called to order by the Vice-President, Mrs. C. Beattie. After brief devotional exercises, the minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

The following officers were elected :

President—Mrs. S. Sykes, of Keswick Ridge, N. B. First Vice-President—Mrs. David Howie, St. John, N. B. Second Vice-President—Mrs. A. N. Tupper, Truro, N. S. Third Vice-President—Mrs. C. Beattie, Truro, N. S. Treasurer—Mrs. C. H. Dearborn, St. John, N. B. General Secretary—Miss Ida A. H. Barker, Sheffield, N. B. Assistant Secretary—Miss Leota Tupper, Kingsport, N. S. Corresponding Secretary—Miss M. Moore, Economy, N. S.

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Reports from the Auxiliaries were read. Mrs. Main gave an account of the way in which Auxiliaries were conducted in the Province of Quebec.

The Treasurer's Report was read and received.

Addresses were made by Rev. David Howie and Mr. James Woodrow, representing the Congregational Union, thanking the Society for the generous help which had been given since its organization in the Home Missionary work. Mr. Woodrow referred to the organization of the Society in 1877, when there being a deficiency in the Home Missionary treasury, the ladies responded to an appeal for their assistance. The delegates requested the ladies to continue the work in the original way, and help the Union in its missionary arrangement with the C. C. M. S.

On motion, *Resolved*,—That Miss Leota Tupper represent the Society in the evening at the public missionary meeting of the Union, according to the invitation of the committee.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

IDA A. H. BARKER, General Secretary.

