

the letters of our brethren, a girl's school has recently been established by Mrs. Sanford, at Bimlipatam.

Your Missionaries are now beginning to use the native language in public prayer, teaching and preaching.

We regret the fact that the Churches of this Province are falling somewhat behind in their contributions, for in this, as in every great enterprise enlargement and advancement are absolutely essential to success. All the motives and Christian obligations which four years ago, led us to embark in this undertaking are certainly of equal, if not intensified power and importance still.

Your Committee believe that the Churches will fulfil their obligations in connection with this glorious work, if the pastors will faithfully perform the duty of instructing and leading those under their care.

It is cause for thankfulness that the funds, books, and most of the accounts in charge of the Board escaped destruction in the recent terrible conflagration in Saint John.

Your Committee, in conclusion, would urgently call upon all the churches to renew and enlarge their efforts for the promotion of our beloved Foreign Mission. — On behalf of the Committee.

W. B. BOGGS.

Rev. W. B. Boggs, returned missionary, then gave a very earnest and instructive address on Foreign Missions.

Revs. W. P. Everett, Home Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, T. H. Porter, A. B. McDonald and G. F. Miles followed with stirring speeches.

A collection of \$26.39 was then taken for Foreign Missions, and report adopted.

Adjourned after singing the Doxology.

SIXTH SESSION

THURSDAY MORNING, July 12th, 1877.

Association re-assembled at 10 o'clock. Moderator in the Chair. Prayer by Rev. J. H. Hughes.

Minutes of last Session read and approved.

Committee on Circular Letter reported, recommending that the letter be read.

Committee to nominate the preacher of the Association Sermon next year, and the writer of the Circular Letter, reported, recommending that Rev. W. A. Corey preach the Introductory Sermon, and Rev. J. H. Hughes be his alternate, and that Bro. S. C. Wilbur write the Circular Letter. Adopted.

Committee on Education read their Report.

Your Committee report with satisfaction, a growing interest in the subject of Education in our country, and an increasing appreciation of the advantages of its general diffusion. The system of free schools,

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