

RECOMMENDATIONS.

1. That thanks be given to the King and Head of the Church for the measure of success which has crowned our efforts as a Presbytery during the year.
2. That whereas, we believe that as a Presbytery we could do far better in the way of giving for God's cause, we would urge all ministers and Sabbath School workers frequently to call attention to the fact of the "stewardship of money"—that all we have has been given us of God, and is ours only to be used for God's glory in carrying forward His great purpose, the redemption of the world through Christ; and whereas, liberality is called in the New Testament a grace, we would further urge that all who are desirous of seeing the Kingdom of Christ advance, be instant in prayer that the Holy Spirit may work in the hearts of all our people to their growth in this grace.
3. All the schemes of the church are worthy of support, but whereas some of the schemes of the church are but poorly supported by many of our congregations, and none of them as they ought to be; and whereas, we believe that did our people know more about the aims of the several schemes and the work that is being done through them, they would give more liberally, we would recommend that in every pastoral charge certain Sabbaths during the year be set apart for the presentation of the aims and claims of the various schemes.
4. In view of the Century Fund scheme, adopted so unanimously by the General Assembly, the Presbytery strongly urges every minister and elder, as well as all members and adherents within the bounds of the Presbytery, to yield a loyal response, and to give a hearty support to this great Forward Movement, by which our church proposes to mark the opening of the new century.
5. That the Presbytery direct attention to the desirability of congregations forwarding their missionary money not less frequently than quarterly to the agent of the church, so that the church may be saved a large amount in interest, and the respective committees be in a better position to carry on the work.
6. That every congregation, whether settled or vacant, send in a full and accurate report, and that each minister make it a point to see that this report is sent off so as to be in the hands of the Clerk of Presbytery by the date mentioned on the schedule, and so save our Presbytery Clerk and the Convener of the Assembly's Committee on finance and statistics much annoyance and unnecessary labor.
7. That communion rolls be purged annually. Only by this means can the statistical report from year to year truly represent the progress of the church.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

S. LAWRENCE,

Convener.

July 11th, 1899.