

I. F. Archibald. The following commit-tees were appointed: Finance committee—James MacMur-ray, Alex. H. Campbell, M. H. Dunlop, D. W. Ledingham, D. McLelland, Charles Robinson, John Willet, Mrs. D. R. Wil-let, Mrs. G. W. Campbell, Mrs. R. A. Lamiscon

Jamieson.
Building committee—A. R. Melrose, R. E. Armstrong, F. F. Burpee, A. R. Crookshank, George R. Ewing, O. J. Fraser, C. Kyle, N. J. Morrison, A. D. Malcolm, H. L. McGowan, A. W. Mc-Mulkin, Thos. G. Northrup, Robt. Reid, John A. Sinclair, Alex. Watson, Mrs. R. C. Cruickshank, Mrs. A. R. Campbell, Mrs. Peter Chisholm, Miss Lulu Fraser, Mrs. Atkinson Morrison, Mrs. Alex. Turuer, John Rogerson, with power to add to their number.
The moderator, Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, presented the message of the session, which was highly encouraging and whas a record of a successful year's work. The nembership of the church is 595. The ression showed that the amount given to the support of the Presbyterian misionary, Miss Jennie B. Robb, in Corea, iuring the last year was \$2,363. The

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eria niy of affairs hnally righting them-selves. Matters were reported to be in good condition at last night's meeting in St. Mattaew's church, Douglas avenue. J. Fra er Gregory presided. Rev. H. L. Escence is the new pastor. The treasurer reported that for the year of 1917 all the financial statements exh bited a very good profit and that the church was in every way in a very good financial condition. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. Fraser-Gregory, chairman. John Thornton, treasurer. Robert G. Carson, secretary. The following trustees were elected: Charles F. Stevens, William McHarg, George Craigie, Austin Galbraith, Isaac Hutchinson, and W. N. Collins. At the First Presbyterian church, West St. John, Rev. Dr. J. A. Morison conducted devotional exercises and W. L. McDiarmid was elected chairman L. McDiarmid was elected chairman and James Scott secretary of the meet-

ing. The trustees for the ensuing ver were elected as follows: W. B. Brown, Dun-can McLean, Jarvis Wilson, W. L. Mc-Diarnid, Emsley Bettinson, Fred. Ring, Frank K. Stuart, Thos. Hill and James Anthony. The auditors elected were Jasper Cameron and James McLellan. The first annual congregational meet-ing of Knox church was held last night. Devotional exercises were conducted by the minister. As Mr. Fraser expressed a desire to be freed from the duties of chairman, K. J. McRae was elected chairman and W. S. Clawson, secretary. Reports from all the organizations of the church, dating from the union of St. Stephen's and St. John in last April showed the work to be in a healthy conshowed the work to be in a healthy con-dition. The union has exceeded the ex-pectations of the most sanguine. The pectations of the most sanguine. The attendance at church services is good. The report of the trustees showed that the church is in a good financial con-dition. All these reports, along with the bistory of the two united churches are to be published in a year book. The sum of \$1,000 was voted for choir pur-poses. The following gentlemen were chosen trustees for the ensuing year: L. C. Armstrong, W. S. Clawson, G. M. Robinson, J. C. Mitchell, J. H. Irvine, George McKinney, R. T. Cummings, H. -the Air

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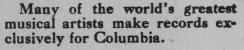
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