

Resolved—That owing to the great necessity of the Mission of St. Matthew, Leslieville, the grant of \$200 be continued to this Mission for three years.

Resolved—That the grant of \$300 be continued to the Mission of Brooklin and Columbus, the congregations of said Mission having renewed their guarantees for \$300.

Resolved—That the grant of \$200 to the Mission of Seymour and Percy be continued, the congregations of said Mission having increased the amount of their guarantee to \$600.

Resolved—That the Secretary be empowered to purchase from the Indian Department the seven acres of land on the Manitoulin Island on which the Rev. Rowland Hill has erected the Mission buildings.

Resolved—That the Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to pay the balance due to the Rev. Rowland Hill, as such balance may be ascertained by Messrs. Chafec and Marling, to whom the entire matter is referred.

Widows and Orphans' Fund, and Theological Students' Fund Committee.

Present—Rev. H. C. Cooper, Chairman; Revds. I. Middleton, W. Henry Jones, F. Tremayne. Vice-Chancellor Blako, Dr. Wilson, Huson Murray, Captain Blain.

Letter was read from the Churchwardens and Lay Delegates of Newcastle in regard to the appeal made on behalf of the W. and O. Fund, and urging that the Committee in making future assessments should draw a distinction between those Parishes that made up the required quota, and those that fail in their undoubted obligations.

Letter was read from the Rev. T. W. Paterson, of Bradford, stating that if other Parishes had raised the amount required of them last year, his Parish would not this year have been called upon to make up for the deficiencies of other Parishes.

Application was received from the widow of the late Rev. John Hickie for pecuniary aid. The Committee, while regretting the destitution of the applicant, did not feel justified in making any grant from the W. and O. Fund.

The Secretary having furnished a statement of the receipts on account of the October collections, it was decided to pay the January pensions in full, in the hope that the deficiency still existing would be made up by the receipts from the Parishes that have not yet sent in their collections.

Applications for Divinity Exhibitions in Trinity College were received from Messrs. Alfred Fletcher, John Foster, Peter T. Rowe, Robert Ker, and Thomas Geoghegan.

The first four applications were accompanied by the required testimonials and certificates.

As it appeared that the condition of the Fund did not warrant the Committee in placing more than two on the list, Exhibitions were granted to Mr. Fletcher and Mr. Foster, and further consideration of the other applications was deferred.

General Purposes, Statistics, and Assessment Committee.

Present—Rev. John Fletcher, Chairman; Revds. Dr. O'Meara, R. W. Hindes, Thomas Ball, John Vicars, C. W. Paterson.

Dr. Hodgins, Marcellus Crombie, J. C. Morgan, D. B. Read, Q. C.

The Rev. Dr. Lett's application for a grant in aid of a Chapel School House at Collingwood having again been taken into consideration, the Committee acceded thereto, and granted \$60.

Ordered—That \$550 be transferred to the DIOCESAN GAZETTE account for the current year, pursuant to resolution of Synod.

The Chairman was requested to communicate with the Bishop in regard to a Form of Prayer to be used at Committee meetings.