

The stand taken by the Board met with many able defenders, and the discussion clearly showed that a spirit of healthy enterprise regarding the missionary work of the Church is abroad. It was pointed out that the large contributions given for missions by other religious bodies were due to the business-like basis on which their missionary work was placed. The Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada has a great future before it, but it requires now more efficient management than honorary officers, tied down by other duties, can possibly give to it. In keeping with the evident temper of the General Board on this matter, the Board of Management reaffirmed, by a large majority, the principle it had adopted, but appointed a committee to make investigation into the advisability and legality of the step.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

 THE Board of Management met in Committee Room No. 1, St. George's school-house, Montreal, on Saturday, September 14th, at 8 p.m.

There were present:—

From the diocese of Algoma: The Lord Bishop.

From the diocese of Fredericton: Very Rev. Dean Partridge, Ven. Archdeacon Brigstocke, Mr. C. N. Vroom, Mr. Geo. A. Schofield.

From the diocese of Huron: The Lord Bishop, Very Rev. Dean Innes, Mr. James Woods.

From the diocese of Montreal: Very Rev. Dean Carmichael, Mr. Charles Garth.

From the diocese of Niagara: Ven. Archdeacon Houston, Rev. P. L. Spencer, Judge Senkler.

From the diocese of Nova Scotia: The Lord Bishop, Ven. Archdeacon Kaulbach.

From the diocese of Ontario: Ven. Archdeacon of Kingston, Rev. Rural Dean Pollard, Mr. R. V. Rogers, Col. Matheson.

From the diocese of Quebec: The Lord Bishop, Ven. Archdeacon Roe, Rev. Canon Von Iffland, Mr. John Hamilton.

From the diocese of Toronto: The Lord Bishop, Rev. Rural Dean Septimus Jones, Rev. Rural Dean W. E. Cooper.

The Bishop of Toronto presided.

After prayer by the Secretary-Treasurer, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary-Treasurer read his report, including financial statement and report of auditors.

On motion of Bishop of Huron, seconded by

Rural Dean Pollard, the report was received.

It was moved by the Bishop of Quebec, seconded by Dean Partridge, and resolved:

That the sums raised by the Woman's Auxiliary in each diocese for domestic and foreign missions be always shown in separate columns, as well as how much of such sums have been appropriated and how much unappropriated.

A petition was presented from Rev. E. F. Lipscomb, asking for the payment of a portion of his salary, owing to the discontinuance of the Chinese mission in the diocese of Columbia.

It was moved by the Bishop of Niagara, seconded by Rev. P. L. Spencer, and resolved:

That this Board, while holding, as its books show, that it is under no obligation to the mission to the Chinese in Victoria, recognizes that good work has been done by the Rev. Mr. Lipscomb, and directs the treasurer to pay him the sum of \$180.

A letter was read from Rev. G. Rogers, of Winnipeg, asking permission to collect money for the diocese of Rupert's Land within the province. The Board did not feel itself competent to give such permission.

It was moved by Rural Dean Cooper, seconded by the Archdeacon of Kingston, and resolved:

That the grant hitherto made to Miss Smith of \$400, for nurses, be continued, with the understanding that she removes to Nagano.

It was moved by Mr. R. V. Rogers, seconded by Rural Dean Pollard, and resolved:

That the Woman's Auxiliary be requested to raise the \$400 resolved by this Board to be paid to Miss Smith for hospital work.

It was moved by Mr. Vroom, seconded by Canon Von Iffland, and resolved: That the Board proceed to the election of officers.

It was moved by Very Rev. Dean Innes, seconded by Very Rev. Dean Partridge, and resolved:

That the salary of the Secretary-Treasurer be \$2,000, and travelling expenses, for one year.

It was moved by Rural Dean Pollard, seconded by Dean Partridge, and resolved:

That Rev. Dr. Mockridge be appointed Secretary-Treasurer.

It was moved by Mr. Rogers, seconded by the Bishop of Niagara, and resolved:

That Messrs. Pellatt and John R. Cartwright be appointed the auditors of this Board for the ensuing three years.

It was moved by the Bishop of Huron, seconded by the Bishop of Algoma, and resolved:

That a committee be appointed to confer from time to time with a committee of the Woman's Auxiliary on such matters as may arise, and to report to this Board, and that such committee consist of the Lord Bishops of Toronto and Niagara, Mr. Rogers, the Secretary-Treasurer, and the mover.

The Secretary-Treasurer announced that the