

The third Annual Quarterly Board meeting

FOR the current year was held in the church parlor, Friday evening, February 13th. Rev. Dr. Sutherland, Chairman of the district, presiding. The following members were present:—Rev. W. E. Pescott, Dr. Day Smith, Wm. Dicker, R. L. Whyte, A. Raycroft, S. A. Cummer, Robert Oaten, J. B. Griffith, John Bristow, H. Gayfer, J. C. Harris, Jas. Mathews and Thomas Morris Jr.

Mr. R. L. Whyte opened with prayer. The minutes of the last regular meeting and of the special meeting were read and confirmed. It was moved and adopted that the resolution of condolence read by W. A. Edwards at the late memorial service be adopted. The Chairman then reported that he had communicated with Rev. W. E. Pescott, who was at Coburg University, explaining to him our circumstances since the loss of Rev. W. H. Laird, and asked him if he could possibly fill the pulpit for the balance of the year. Rev. Mr. Pescott answered that he would come, although, it would be at a loss to himself on account of this being his graduating year. The financial returns were then brought before the meeting and adopted.

CHURCH FINANCES.

Received past Quarter	\$296 35
" this year up to date	813 26
Amount still due Mrs. Laird	417 00
Dr. Day Smith, Treasurer.	

POOR FUND REPORT.

Nov. 14th, 1890, Balance on hand	\$ 21 16
Dec. 21st, 1890, Quarterly collection	5 94
	\$ 27 10

Disbursements	13 50
Feb. 13th, 1891, Balance on hand	13 60
	\$ 27 10

R. RAYCROFT, Treasurer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT.

Nov. 1st, 1890, Cash on hand	\$183 22
Sunday Collections	55 45
Proceeds of Christmas Entertainment	102 84
Missionary Collections	28 35
Interest	3 72
	\$373 58

EXPENDITURE.

By Class Books, Quarterlies, etc.	\$ 2 43
" Henry & Robson putting up porch	1 50
" Dr. Smith on acc't Building Improv. Fund	102 84
Jan. 31st, 1891, Cash on hand	266 81
	\$373 58

W. G. MOORE, Secy.-Treas.

Y. P. S. C. E. REPORT.

(See January Issue.)

Dec. 25th, 1890, Receipts	\$ 37 82
Expenditure	35 35
Jan. 3rd, 1891, Balance on hand	2 47
	\$ 37 82

AVESA RAYCROFT, Treasurer.

It was unanimously carried that Rev. W. E. Pescott receive \$250.00 for his services for the balance of this conference year and that Mr. R. L. Whyte should make a special appeal to the congregation to make up this extra amount.

Y.P.S.C.E. Committee Reports.

REPORT of LOOKOUT COMMITTEE

On looking over the record for the past month we have reason to thank God and take courage. Of an active membership of eighty-four our average attendance was fifty-four, or sixty-one per cent. of the whole; thirty-seven of these took part by words of testimony and consecration; twenty-nine per cent. by reading or reciting verses; fourteen excuses have been sent in by absentees. This leaves twenty-eight per cent of our active membership, who were present at the last four meetings—silent.

Now to you silent and timid ones, we kindly urge, for your own sake, for the Master whom you love, and for the building up of our society, that you "take some part aside from singing." "Each victory will help you, some other to win," and better still, it will help your friend next you, "who was just waiting for you." The committee would recommend that eight names (already before the executive) should be taken from membership list, the persons having removed from the city, resigned, or ceased to attend. Also that the names of six persons desiring to become members, shall be added to the list. And that as Active workers on the important work of our Mission committee, Mrs. Powell, Messrs Smith, Kendall and Henry be added as affiliated members.

M. LOUNSBURY, Convener.

PRAYER MEETING COMMITTEE.

During the past month your committee has been pleased to notice quite a few new faces in our meetings, to all of these we extend a most hearty welcome, and to all who have not yet joined our society, we would say "come with us and we will do thee good."