

The chairman moved the adoption of the report and the financial statement, which was seconded by the Rev. Dr. Hunter, who said that from a patriotic standpoint the report was exceedingly gratifying, and the work should elicit the sympathy of all loyal men and women.

The motion having been carried, Dean Carmichael moved the following office-bearers for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Gillespie; *1st Vice-President*, Mrs. Elmenhorst; *2nd Vice-President*, Mrs. Botterell; *3rd Vice-President*, Mrs. Andrew Allan.

Board of Management.—Mrs. Hugh Allan, Mrs. E. H. Botterell, Mrs. Bernard Brackenridge, Mrs. John Cox, Mrs. Cramp, Mrs. Aspinwall Howe, Mrs. Edgar Hill, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. Stinson, Mrs. Shaughnessy, Mrs. Reuben Taylor, Mrs. Sutherland Taylor, and Misses Blaiklock and Macdonald.

* In making the motion, the Dean said that there was no doubt a very large work to be done in this country, in view of the consolidation of its interests, in looking after the individual welfare of such immigrants as might come to our shores. He fancied that in times past the public generally had been somewhat remiss in their appreciation of the value of this peculiar kind of work, and he thought possibly the various churches had been remiss, but there was no question now that the public and the churches alike were beginning to wake up to the importance of the matter. It seemed to him that the more the Society looked after the welfare of the Immigrants remaining in this city, and the more it was brought into connection in some kind of way with the various religious denominations, the better it would be for the welfare of the Society itself, and certainly it would be for the benefit of the girls who placed themselves under it. He trusted that the Society, which had been admirably worked in the past, would go on in its good work and strive to meet the wants of all classes. If this country was ever going to be the country which we trusted it would be, it could alone become that country through co-operation. He thought that one of the wisest acts the Government of this country could do, would be to pour out of its treasury into the hands of those willing to look after Immigrants, ample means to strive and fill in some way this magnificent country, which God seemed to have made as a refuge for the overcrowded parts of the world.

The motion was seconded by Mr. D. A. F. Watt, who suggested that some effort should be made to try and get the right kind