5. The Treasurer's books have been audited and found correct, and an abstract of the receipts and disbursements for 1876 are annexed to this report.

6. Your Committee would respectfully recommend that the monthly special collection to assist in meeting the interest on the church debt be continued as formerly.

7. As many members and adherents of the congregation have taken a deep interest in, and extended liberal aid to, the "London East Mission," your Committee are happy to announce that a new church is in course of erection, and that the basement thereof has been successfully opened for Divine service. This additional church accommodation, it is hoped, will be the means of attracting a large congregation and extending the influence and cause of Presbyterianism largely in that locality.

8. In conclusion, your Committee hope that, with the able and zealous services of our beloved pastor, aided by the assistance of earnest members of the congregation, and under the Divine blessing, the cause of Christ's kingdom will advance more and more amongst us.

9. According to the rules of the congregation, six members retire annually. Those whose term of office now expires are:

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who are eligible for re-election.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Committee by

ALEX. DAVIDSON, Secretary. J. M. FRASER, Chairman.