committee by the officers of the Association and one member from each of the local societies.

Letters of regret at inability to be present were sent by the following:— The Governor-General, Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick, Hon. Geo. W. Ross, Rev. Dr. Scadding, Mr. A. F. Hunter, Rev. P. L. Spencer.

Rev. Cannon Bull then gave an exposition of the objects and aims of the Association.

Mrs. Curzon followed with a paper on "Early Times in York and Peel." Capt. Cruickshanks reviewed in a singularly felicitous manner what had been done in the way of historical research in Ontario during the past ten years.

Miss FitzGibbons, who has recently returned from England, told of the greatly increased interest taken in the old country in everything Canadian.

Mr. James L. Hughes urged that there should be introduced into the school books, flags and pictures, which would keep alive and develop in the children the feeling of loyalty to country and Queen.

The following officers were elected:-

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REV. CANON BULL, M.A.

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Meeting adjourned.