

the Minister for his courtesy in conferring with the Association and for the valuable information he had given.

AUGUST 11.

The Section was called to order promptly at 9 o'clock, Mr. Millar in the chair.

The minutes of the former session were read and confirmed. The Chairman called upon I. J. Birchard, of Brantford, who read a paper on "Courses of Study in Higher Education." This was followed by discussion, in which Messrs. Embree, McMurphy and Henderson took part. The result of the discussion was the following resolution:

Moved by J. Morgan, seconded by W. Tamblin, that a committee of three specialists for each of the five Departments, viz., Classics, Mathematics, English, Moderns, and Science, be appointed to consider the work in these Departments as now laid down in the University of Toronto, and to suggest any desirable changes.—*Carried.*

The following are the names of the Committee appointed:

Mathematics, W. J. Robertson, C. Fessenden, A. McMurphy.

Classics, J. Henderson, W. S. Milner, P. S. Campbell.

English, D. H. Hunter, G. A. Chase, J. D. Christie.

Moderns, D. C. McHenry, J. Turnbull, J. M. Hunter.

Science, F. W. Merchant, A. P. Knight, H. B. Spotton.

Moved by Mr. Henderson, seconded by Mr. Morgan, that the Senate of Toronto University be requested to classify the Courses of Study in the University Curriculum as (1) General Course, (2) Special Courses; and to rank in Honors Students who have obtained the required number of marks in any course.—*Carried.*

A paper on "Classical Studies" was next read by Mr. W. S. Milner, after which the Minister of Education again met with the Section to explain some of the changes proposed in the new Regulations.

Moved by F. W. Merchant, seconded by W. J. Robertson, that in the opinion of this Section the subject of Algebra should not be dropped nor be made optional in 3rd Class work.—*Carried.*

Moved by L. E. Embree, seconded by D. C. McHenry, that both the nomination and election of members of the Executive and Legislative Committees from the High School Section be conducted by ballot and be the first order of business on the third day of meeting.—*Carried.*

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following are the names of the Officers elected for the ensuing year:

Chairman—Jno. Millar, St. Thomas.

Secretary—I. J. Birchard, Brantford.