

The TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING of the *MONTREAL AUXILIARY BIBLE SOCIETY* was held in St. ANDREW'S CHURCH, St. Peter Street, on Wednesday Evening, January 27, 1841. Hon. P. M'GILL in the Chair. Reading of the Scriptures and Prayer by the Rev. A. MATHIESON, D.D. The Report was read by the GENERAL AGENT.

Moved by the Rev. Dr. BLACK, seconded by the Rev. R. L. LUSHER :

1. *Resolved*,—That the Report which has now been read, be adopted, and that it be printed under the direction of the Committee.

Moved by the Rev. C. STRONG, seconded by the Rev. W. TAYLOR :

2. *Resolved*,—That this meeting contemplates with much satisfaction, and with sincere thanksgiving to God, the progress that has been made during the year that is now closed, in circulating the Holy Scriptures among our fellow-subjects of this province speaking the French language, and professing the Roman Catholic religion.

Moved by the Rev. H. ESSON, seconded by JOHN DOUGALL, Esq. :

3. *Resolved*,—That this meeting rejoices in the increasing prosperity of the British and Foreign Bible Society, as indicated by its last year's operations, in which its income has been larger, and its circulation of the Scriptures, in its many tongues, more extensive than in any former year; and earnestly desires that this Society may be enabled to aid it, in every way, in its noble and extensive undertaking.

Moved by the Rev. J. THOMSON, seconded by the Rev. M. WILLOUGHBY :

4. *Resolved*,—That this meeting rejoices with gratitude and humility before God, for the extensive circulation of the Scriptures, by the Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society, during the last and previous years of its operations, and hopes to see completed in due time the good work committed to its trust, by placing a copy of the entire Word of God in every family throughout the province.

Moved by Rev. J. T. BYRNE, of L'Original, seconded by the Rev. F. BROOME :

5. *Resolved*,—That the following gentlemen be the Office-Bearers of the Society for the present year, viz :—

President :

THE HONORABLE PETER M'GILL.

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The Hon. W. P. CHRISTIE,
J. T. BARRETT, Esq.
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Secretaries :

Rev. HENRY WILKES, A.M., *FOREIGN SECRETARY.*
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Mr. JAMES MILNE, *GENERAL AGENT AND DEPOSITORY.*

Committee :

Rev. Dr. Mathieson,
Dr. Black,
Dr. Davies,
William Taylor, A.M.
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A Collection was taken up, amounting to £26 12 7.