

Montreal, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd of October last, with the request that they may be brought before the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction.

I remain yours sincerely,

ELSON I. REXFORD,

*Secy. P. A. P. Teachers.*

[The letter contained a Report of the Proceedings of the Teachers' Convention, held in October, in the matter of Text-books (*vide Educational Record* p. 8-10), as well as the Resolutions passed with regard to the Examination of Teachers (*ibid.* p. 12.)]

On the motion of Dr. Cook, seconded by the Lord Bishop of Montreal, it was unanimously Resolved:—

"That the report of the Sub-Committee on Text-Books be received and adopted, and that the same with the Amended List of Text-Books, be placed in the hands of the Superintendent to be by him submitted to His Honour The Lieutenant Governor for Approval."

The Hon. the Superintendent of Public Instruction stated that the correspondence in regard to the appropriation of the school-tax on Price's Mills, Metis, was not yet complete.

Dr. Dawson reported that the Hon. Senator Ferrier and he had explained to the Hon. the Treasurer of the Province the views of the Committee as to the Grant of the Normal School, and that he had promised to give consideration to the matter.

The Sub-Committee on the publication of the Educational Record beg leave to report:—

"That, in accordance with the Resolutions of this Committee, the arrangements were completed with the Gazette Printing Company of Montreal, and that two numbers of the Record have been issued. It is intended that the Record shall appear at the beginning of each month, but unavoidable causes have produced a little delay in January and February.

"The mechanical execution of the numbers issued is creditable, and the Editorial Management appears to be satisfactory.

"The publishers report that the number of copies issued has exceeded by 81 the number of 600 contracted for by the Committee; but as it is likely when the lists shall have been brought into a more complete state, that some changes may be made, this matter is left to be arranged at a future date.

"The lists so far include the members of Government and Superintendent of Education, the members of this Committee, the Boards of Examiners, the Inspectors of Schools, the Secretaries of Boards of Commissioners and Trustees, the Principals of Colleges and Academies, the Teachers of Model and Ele-