

repair of St. George's Church, Duffin's Creek, (Pickering); \$20 (balance of \$50 grant) towards the repair of the Parsonage at Duffin's Creek.

A communication from the Sunday School Committee respecting the expense incurred for advertising and printing in connection with the Sunday School meeting during the last Session of Synod, was referred to the Printing Committee.

Resolved—That the Chairman, Rev. D. I. F. MacLeod and Dr. Hodgins be a sub-committee to draw up a circular, enclosing certain financial questions, to be sent to each parish and mission, and to be answered by the clergyman concerned, with a view to enable this Committee to arrive at an equitable basis on which to impose the assessment for the year 1875; and that the Secretary-Treasurer be requested to re-send the circular to any clergyman, who, by the 1st January, shall have failed to reply to the questions proposed.

The circular should also intimate that in case no reply be received from a parish or mission at the time of the February meeting of the Committee, such an assessment would be imposed on the parish or mission by the Committee as the information in its possession would warrant.

That the Secretary-Treasurer be requested to tabulate the information contained in the answers as they come in. (See page 64.)

Sunday School, and Book and Tract Committee.

Present—Dr. Hodgins, in the chair, (the Provost being detained at the meeting of the Executive Committee), Rev. J. D. Cayley; Messrs. Marling, Gillespie and Wood.

Letter was read from the Chairman of the General Purposes Fund Committee calling the attention of the Committee to the item of \$15 for printing and advertising in connection with the meeting of the Sunday School Association in June last, and asking under what authority such expenditure was incurred.

A sub-committee was appointed to reply to the letter.

Grants of Books were made as follows:—

Rev. R. ROONEY, Riverstown—For Sunday School, 6 Prayer Books, 12 Testaments, 24 Catechisms, 12 Lesson Sheets, 12 Sheets Ten Commandments, 100 Tracts.

Rev. W. H. JONES, Emily—For Christ Church, Omeme, \$5, towards the purchase of a Set of Service Books, Imperial 8vo. For St. John's Church a set of 8vo Service Books.

Rev. W. H. CLARKE, Bolton—For Christ Church, Bolton, \$5, towards the purchase of a set of Service Books, Imperial 8vo.

Rev. W. GREEN, Beamsville—For Smithville Sunday School, 12 Prayer Books and \$14 worth of Library Books, \$7 to be paid.

An application from the Warden of the Central Prison, Toronto, for a supply of Prayer Books, was declined, the Committee not having power to make grants to any but Church of England parishes and missions. An application from the same quarter having been made to obtain a supply of Prayer Books at reduced prices, the same was concurred in, on condition that the Committee be put to no expense in the matter. If the money be paid to the Secretary-Treasurer, the Committee agree that an order be given to Messrs. Rowsell & Hutchison to supply the Prayer Books required.

An application from W. M. Magrath, Muskoka Falls, for a supply of Prayer Books, was declined, as the locality is not in this Diocese.

Consideration of several other applications was deferred till the monthly meeting in December.

Audit Committee.

Present—Lewis Moffatt, Chairman; Revs. W. W. Bates, J. Morton. William Gamble.

The Auditors reported that they had made the usual quarterly audit for the period ending 31st October, 1874, and had found everything satisfactory. The balance sheets of the several funds were presented and adopted, together with the auditors' report.