

MANITOBA.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.—The Report for the past six months of the Rev. J. Robertson, Superintendent of Missions, was submitted. Mr. Robertson's expenses for the half-year (\$192.65) were ordered to be paid.

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY.—It was resolved that the salary and travelling expenses of the Superintendent of Missions be paid entirely from the Home Mission fund.

PRINCE ALBERT.—The Presbytery of Brandon having requested that a teacher for the Prince Albert High School be appointed, whose services would be available for the supply of the mission stations in the vicinity, Dr. Cochrane, Messrs. Macdonnell and Warden were appointed a sub-committee to confer with the Foreign Mission committee, with a view to secure the services of a suitable person.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.—The Superintendent of Missions submitted audited statements of the receipts and expenditure of the Home Mission committee of the Synod of Manitoba and the North-West, both for Home Mission and Augmentation work, for the year now ending. These were remitted to Messrs. Warden, Macdonnell and Pitblado, to examine in detail and report. At a later stage they presented the following report :—

The sub-committee to whom were referred the financial statements from the Home Mission committee of the Synod of Manitoba and the North-West, beg to report that they have carefully examined the statements submitted and found them duly audited. The sub-committee express satisfaction with the full and minute details of the expenditure presented in these statements, indicating, as they do, the judicious and efficient manner in which the mission work is being prosecuted by the Synod. The sub-committee recommend that the following resolutions, adopted last October, be submitted to the General Assembly for its approval, and that in accordance with these, the Home Mission committee of the Synod of Manitoba and the North-West be instructed to forward to the Secretary of this Committee, on or before 25th April next, the annual report of the respective fields, on the schedules furnished by this committee :—

1. That the Synod, through its Home Mission committee, be requested to submit to this committee at its semi-annual meetings in March and October, a financial statement for the six months then ending : and accompanying this a report, on the schedules prepared by this committee, of the work done during the half-year in the respective mission fields, with the names of the missionaries, the amounts contributed by the people, and the appropriations made by the Synod's committee to the several fields.

2. That the Synod, through its Home Mission committee, be instructed to submit to this committee, or on before the 25th of April annually, an audited financial statement of the receipts and expenditure for the year ending 31st March, together with an annual report of the several fields, on the schedules furnished by this committee.