With reference to an application from the Rev. C. J. Shreve, the Secretary was directed to obtain further information relative to the cost of the proposed site for the new church.

Forty dollars were granted for one year, from Oct. 1st, 1872, to Rev. Canon Hensley towards defraying the expense of missionary

visits on Chester Road.

The report of the sub-Committee on Capabilities of Parishes was adopted in the following form :-

"The committee, consisting of the former Committee on Salaries, together with other members of the Society, recommend that the minimum salary to be aimed at in all cases be seven hundred dollars per annum.

The Committee have, in the annexed schedule, stated the amount which in their opinion the several parishes and missions named are capable of paying, and should be required to pay toward the support of their clergyman, irrespective of any proceeds from endowment belonging to the Parish or Mission.

The Committee state moreover the local resources available for the support of such missionary, and they also suggest to the Executive Committee of D. C. S. the grants required to make up the salary to the minimum of seven hundred dollars per annum.

The sub-Committee are of opinion that any payments made from the Church Endowment Fund to a clergyman stationed at any of the places named

in the schedule should tend to reduce the grant from D. C. S."

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:-

"That this Committee having learned that their highly esteemed Vice" President, A. M. Uniacke, Esq., is about visiting Europe for a season, hereby tender to him their hearty thanks for the constant and warm interest he has ever evinced in the well-being of the D. C. S., and trusts that He who rules the raging of the storm and guideth all things right will give him abundantly such things as are good for him to have, and bring him once more in peace and safety to assist us by his wise counsels, and strengthen us by his uniform support in building up and binding together in the bonds of love our branch of the Church of God in this diocese."

"That this Committee having learned, with a deep sense of thankfulness to the Great Disposer of all things, of the happy escape of our esteemed missionary, the Rev. C. Croucher, from great peril and danger incurred while engaged in the discharge of his duties as a minister of God, altho' suffering the loss of horse, carriage, books and vestments, tender to him our hearty congratulations and christian sympathy, and trust the life which has so providentially been spared may yet be found many years with us, gathering, as we hope, souls for the Master's kingdom."

DEC. 13, 1872.—The sum of one hundred dollars was granted to purchase a site for a new church at the head of Chester Basin the money to be paid when the land is conveyed to the D. C. S.

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