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T the last meeting of the General Committee of the Diocesan Church Society it was Resolved—"That the "Committee to inter"est Sunday Schools "in the work of Home "Missions, now to be "appointed, be autho"rized to take any "steps that may be "required for the es"tablishing and issu"ing of a Diocesan"

"Magazine, and that "the following do compose the said Committee: "the Reverends J. Rey Campbell, H. Mont-

"gomery, O. S. Newnham and A. Lowndes, "and Messrs, Hurd Peters, H. W. Frith, G. R.

"Parkin, and A. H. DeMill."

HIS Committee, after careful consideration of the work thus entrusted to it, and the responsibility and difficulty involved in the undertaking, has determined to commence the New Year with the publication of such a Magazine as apparently was contemplated by the General Committee.

HE Magazine is issued for circulation among the members of the Church, in order that all may know the amount and character of the work being done, and all "consider one another to provoke unto love and good works."

It is also intended to emphasize the fact that all the different congregations throughout the Diocese are but portions of the same Church, members of one body, pervaded by a common life, and having a common interest. It is desirable that each member, old or young, should be attached to the Church, not only by personal bonds, but also by an intelligent appreciation of its History, Faith, Usages, and Spirit.

HE object of the Magazine, which will be called "Chronicle of the Diocese of Frederictor," will therefore be to give the fullest information possible on the following points:

The Work of the Church in the Diocese—
(a). As to its Parishes and Missions.

(b). As to Special Services, such as Ordinations, Confirmations, Consecration of Churches, &c.

(c). As to Sunday Schools, their Statistics, Modes of Work, Charities, &c.

(d). Reports of Meetings of the D. C. S., Synod, Board of Home Missions, Missionary, Temperance, and other Associations and Meetings, &c.

The Needs of the Diocese, especially in its waste places.

A portion will be devoted to Correspondence in accordance with the usual rules.

It is intended that the Occasional Papers, which have been hitherto issued by the Diocesan Church Society separately, shall in future appear in the pages of the Chronicle.

The Chronicle will be issued monthly if it meet with sufficient support.

It may be hoped that, if duly sustained, it will be materially improved by experience, and by the pecuniary aid arising from increased circulation; and that this first number will not be above, but below the average.

The price of the Chronicle will be thirty cents a year, strictly in advance.

If any Parish or Mission should desire any other Church periodical bound up with the CHRONICLE the same will be furnished at cost.