of nurturing and maintaining an institution. One single devoted ambassador of Christ is worth all the cost of a Synod's educational enterprise.

In concluding this report the Board wishes to convey its thanks to the Faculties who have labored earnestly and diligently, to the congregations for their loyal support and to the many friends of the institution who have so generously supported it. And last but by no means least our thanks are due to the Ladies' Auxiliary for their generous and gracious assistance.

With a working and a praying church supporting our institution, we look hopefully to the future for a greater and more effective School of the Prophets at Waterloo.

Respectfully submitted,

P. S. BARINGER,
English Secretary.

Discussion of this report was deferred to the morning session on Saturday.

REPORT OF THE INNER MISSION COMMITTEE

Your Committee on Inner Missions beg to submit the following report which deals exclusively with the Port Work at Montreal from June 1, 1926, to June 1, 1927.

During the year regular meetings were held and at one of them we had the pleasure of having Rev. Sievert, Secretary Immigration representing the Inner Mission Board of the United Lutheran Church with us. That Rev. Voss, Eganville and Mr. A. Loa, Ottawa resigned and Rev. Isler, Williamsburg and Mr. F. W. Fischer, Pembroke, were appointed in their stead. Also that our efficient Secretary-Treasurer, Rev. Heller received a call to the United States, left another vacancy and J. C. Casselman has been appointed to fill this vacancy.

During this year twenty-one thousand, three hundred and two (21,302) Lutherans entered Canada through this city. This required the meeting of seven hundred and twenty-three boats and trains.

CORRESPONDENCE: During this period nearly four thousand letters have been written or dictated by our Immigration Pastor Dr. Klaehn. This correspondence has not only