

He described the shelving and equipment needed for the Library as displayed in the illustrated catalogue, which he passed around; and quoted estimates as around \$3,000.00 for bookshelves; \$116.00 each for children's and juvenile's tables, and \$21.50 each for chairs for the Children's Alcove.

Mrs Jones brought immediate ^{pleasure} to the members of the Association present, by offering to give eight chairs for the Children's Alcove.

Miss Stillwell reported that, although three months of bad weather had slowed down, and, at times, halted the construction of the new Library, progress had been made in other ways. Emphasis had been laid upon the securing of funds for furniture. In answer to a personal appeal, for instance, a pledge of support had been given by The Cranford Club, with \$500.00 as the Club's immediate goal, and the expressed hope that the gift might be raised to \$1,000.00 eventually.

Mrs. Moore announced that Mr. Fred Cronhimer, organist of Grace Church in Providence and a resident of Greenville, had signified his willingness to give a benefit recital in Greenville, some time after Easter; and she also indicated her own willingness to give a benefit recital for the Library later during the year.

All of the announcements were received with pleasure by the Association members, and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted.

Margaret B. Stillwell
Secretary

Executive
Committee
meeting,
Feb. 13, 1956

Although the meeting of the Executive Committee held on February 13th was very brief, four motions were made and carried.

Voted: To request the sum of \$500.00 from the Town of Smithfield for maintenance of the Library during the coming fiscal year.

Voted: That, the sum of \$75.00 be reserved for new books, to be purchased just before the opening of the new Library.

Voted: That, the Treasurer be authorized to