

The Committee appointed to visit the Church at Saint Martins reported, that former difficulties had been removed, and the Church revived.

The Committee appointed to visit the Church at Sackville, reported, that a second Church had been formed in that place, and that some revival had been experienced.

RESOLVED, That as the Church at Buctouche has failed to correspond with the Association for several years past, it be left out of the Minutes until some intelligence shall be received from it.

RESOLVED, That Elder Saunders be requested to visit the Church at the North Branch of the Oromocto, and request that Church to forward a statement of its situation to the Association next year.

RESOLVED, That it be recommended to the Ministers and Churches in the different sections of the Province, to make arrangements for holding regular Quarterly Meetings for preaching—the promotion of the Missionary cause, and such other objects as may be connected with the cause of God and the interest of the Denomination. That a collection be taken up at all such Meetings in aid of the Missionary funds.

RESOLVED, That this Association recommend the Churches to set apart the second Wednesday in September next, as a day of special prayer to the great Head of the Church, that he would raise up more faithful labourers and thrust them into His vineyard. That the Pastors of Churches do, on that day, deliver Missionary Discourses, and that a collection be taken up in aid of Domestic Missions.

RESOLVED, That the first day of January, 1840, be observed by the Churches, as a day of humiliation, fasting and prayer, and that the first Monday evening in every month be set apart as a season for special prayer, to Almighty God, that His blessing may accompany the labours of Gospel Missionaries in heathen lands.

The Committee appointed to report upon the publication of the Christian Messenger, presented the following Report:—

“1st. That the Messenger be recommended by the Association to the Denomination and public, as a publication well calculated to spread abroad and maintain the principles of Gospel truth; and that it be urged upon the Ministers, Members of Churches, and others friendly to religion, throughout the Province, to give it their utmost support, by endeavouring to extend its circulation.

2nd. That an Agent be appointed, for three months at least, to travel in this Province under the direction of the conductors of the paper, to collect balances due, and in all other respects to promote the interests of that publication.

3rd. That the Baptist Denomination in Nova Scotia and this