

MONTHLY MEETING.—At the monthly meeting of the Board on the 8th inst., the Hon. G. W. Allan, President, was in the Chair. The opening prayer by the Rev. J. Gemley—the closing prayer, by the Rev. W. Reid. It was intimated by the Secretary that two gentlemen in addition to those above named, and to whose employment the Board at its last meeting had given its cordial assent, found it impossible for them to accept the invitation tendered. The name of a gifted Baptist minister was presented at this meeting, whose services we are anxious to secure, and hope to be successful.

While adaptation and devotion must be the chief consideration with the Board in the selection of agents, they have been fortunate in obtaining so full a representation of the churches, at the same time that the men secured are eminently adapted and gifted.

RESIGNATION OF REV. W. BROOKMAN.

After seven years of earnest and devoted labour as an agent of the Upper Canada Bible Society, the Rev. Mr. Brookman, felt it his duty to tender his resignation and to retire from the service of the Society, not however, from interest in its welfare. Since his return to parochial duties he has evinced his deep solicitude in the prosperity of the Upper Canada Bible Society by his disinterested counsel, and by his expression of readiness to aid us by the influence of that experience which the toil, anxiety, and duties of so many years have enabled him to acquire.

We are, as a Society, and the Secretaries are personally, under deep obligation to him, for the present of a magnificent map of the branches of the Upper Canada Bible Society. Mr. Brookman will please accept our earnest prayers for his future prosperity, usefulness and happiness. As our notes above intimate, Mr. Brookman visited the branches of three counties during the early portion of this year. His engagement as agent of the Society terminated on the 31st August.

MAP OF THE UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.

A handsome, beautiful and most useful map of the Branches of the Upper Canada Bible Society, executed by the genius and skill of our ex-agent the Rev. W. Brookman, was, in the name of that gentleman, presented to the Society at the monthly meeting of the Board in September. The high appreciation of it, by the members of the Board is fully conveyed in the following resolution: Proposed by F. W. Kingstone, Esq., seconded by Dr. Geikie and unanimously adopted—"That the thanks of this meeting be presented to the Rev. Wm. Brookman, for the interesting and valuable map he has presented to the Society." The map can be seen at the Bible House. As a work of the pen, it is really very fine.