

is taken, and so little sacrifice is made to carry out that command: we therefore most earnestly urge our brethren, both ministers and Churches, to do all in their power to carry out the command of Christ. Ministers to perform Missionary work, preach Missionary Sermons, thus showing the people the strong desire they have for the coming of the Kingdom of Christ. Having shown a proper example ourselves, then call on others to contribute according as God has prospered them. We would urge each minister to hold, at least, one Missionary meeting each year, in each Church where he labors.

(Signed)

W. H. BECKWITH, *Chairman*

On motion, the recommendation of the Committee was adopted.

The Committee on Religious Literature submitted their Report:

Your Committee on Religious Literature beg leave to report—That in their opinion, a wider and more extensive circulation of a pure Denominational Literature amongst the people, and particularly in our Sabbath Schools, should be attempted by our ministers and Churches, in order that our views on Christian doctrines and ordinances may be more widely disseminated, and a pure christianity diffused. We recommend, therefore, as far as possible, books and periodicals that present these doctrines and principles in harmony with our denominational views, be used whenever possible to obtain them.

We also beg to report that in our opinion our denominational organ, the *Christian Visitor*, is faithful in the discharge of its duties, and is, therefore, worthy of the continued confidence and support of the Churches. Its representation of our principles, and its able defence of them when assailed, also its advocacy and support of our denominational interests and operations in general, entitle it to the hearty support of every Baptist in the land. We desire to see the circulation of the *Visitor* largely increased, and extended into every Baptist family, and recommend that the ministers and leading brethren in our Churches use proper effort to enlarge its list of subscribers. It is especially important that at the present crisis every subscriber should discharge his duty in supporting the Denominational Organ by prompt payment of dues.

Respectfully submitted,

T. W. MUNRO, *Chairman*.

Adopted.

The Committee on Temperance reported as follows:

Your Committee beg to report that the blighting, blasting, and demoralizing influence of the intoxicating cup is still felt in every part of our land. The cry from every earnest Christian and patriot is: How shall the fountains from which flow such streams of death and destruction be dried up?

The Gospel of Christ which is committed to us is the only purifying moral power in existence by which this work can be done; therefore Christ's children are, and should be, the salt of the earth in the realm of Pollities.

In order that this end may be attained: