

- Resolved, that Rev. James Thomas write the Circular Letter.
- " That the Rev. Alex. Bailey, preach the introductory Sermon, and Rev. G. Carvery his alternate.
 - " That the Secretary attend to the printing of the Minutes.
 - " That we procure 250 copies of the minutes.

Voted that the sum of Twenty Dollars be the amount for stationery, mail matter and for the printing of the minutes, and postage, &c. The session then adjourned with singing and prayer by Rev. James Thomas, Chairman.

Religious Services at 7 p. m., prayer by Rev. James Wilmot, preaching by Bro. John A. Smith, from XI chap. of St. John's Gospel, the middle and last clause of the 11th verse, "*Our friend Lazarus sleepeth,*" "*But I go, that I may awake him out of sleep,*" followed by Rev. Jas. Wilmot, Bro. Jas. Downie, (Licen.) Bros. Robert Smith, Alfred Jenkins, and P. E. McKerrow.

Tuesday Forenoon, 10 a. m.

Session opened with singing and prayer by Bro. J. Hamilton, the minutes was read and approved. The Chairman opened a discussion relative to the Ten Cent Tax, when he read from page seven of last year's minutes a resolution that was passed unanimously. He also expressed his regret that many of the Churches did not contribute as their delegates had promised.

Bro. A. Emmerson of Hammond Plains Church, spoke up in rather encouraging terms of the continuance of the same, although they had not kept sacred the law, yet he was fully persuaded that had the matter not been misinterpreted, they would have contributed the amount in full. The Secretary, Bro. P. E. McKerrow, stated that he could not see how any of the delegates that were at the last association could at all make any mistake when the matter was so fully ventilated. Bro. (Dea.) Brooks arose and endorsed the sentiments of the Secretary in a few appropriate words, in which he trusted and hoped that all Churches would continue, and those who had not should commence.

The business of the association having ended, Rev. A. Bailey moved, and Bro. (Dea.) Simons sec. that the members and congregation of the Hammond Plains Church, have a vote of thanks for the urbane manner in which they treated the delegates to the association, previous to the motion being put, the Secretary, Bro. P. E. McKerrow, complimented the people of Hammond