

Report of the King's Co. S. S. Association.

MORNING SESSION.

The Convention met in the Baptist Church, Canning, on Tuesday, September 3d, at 10 a. m., A. A. Pineo, Vice President, in the chair. The opening hymn, "What a Friend we have in Jesus," was sung and Rev. W. C. Vincent read selected portions of Scripture. Rev. W. P. Begg and James T. Elder offered prayer.

The Chairman in the opening address gave a brief review of the history and progress of the Association. He stated that the progress of the work had been steadily upward and onward, and that the outlook for the future was most hopeful and encouraging.

The Nominating Committee were then appointed by the Chairman as follows: W. C. Bill, J. E. Dunham, E. C. Foster, Dr Woodworth, A. D. Foster, T. J. Larkin, James T. Elder, Revds. W. P. Begg and W. Ainley.

Rev. W. C. Vincent gave a hearty and stirring address of welcome to the delegates and Sabbath-school workers. A suitable reply was made by J. W. Caldwell.

While the Committee were preparing their report, the Convention sang, "All hail the Power of Jesus' Name," and prayers were offered by the Revds. Dr Higgins and Rev. S. B. Kempton.

The Committee's Report:—The Nominating Committee recommended the following as officers for the ensuing year: A. A. Pineo, President. This nomination was moved by the Secretary and seconded by A. T. Kempton. The rest of the report was adopted as a whole by the Convention as follows: A. D. Foster, 1st Vice President; J. E. Dunham, 2d Vice President; Rev. W. Dawson, Secretary; A. T. Kempton, Assistant Secretary; Dr Woodworth, Treasurer.

The Executive Committee as follows: J. W. Caldwell, W. H. Chase, W. C. Bill, T. Craig, E. C. Foster, S. G. Baker, James T. Elder, Rev. W. P. Begg, R. E. Rockwell, Parker Spurr, Charles Illsley.

The Secretary then read the Statistical Report, which showed that there are 81 schools reported to this Convention, with a roll of 4,730 pupils; 446 teachers; 3,400 average attendance. About 40 schools are open all the year, and the rest from periods ranging from 3 to 9 months. There are 7,800 volumes in the libraries; \$1,115 were raised during the year for missionary and Sabbath school purposes. There are also 90 conversions reported for this year. There are 14 schools not reported this year, but these are nearly all at work, and no doubt progressing, though