

individual schools in the county for local and provincial work, as directed by the Executive Committee, reporting and paying the same promptly to the Treasurer.

4. The Treasurer shall keep a faithful account of all money collected and disbursed under the authority of the Association, and present a written report of the same at each Annual Meeting, or at the call of the Executive Committee.

5. The Executive Committee shall meet at the call of the President and Secretary, at such times and places as may be agreed upon, to arrange a programme for the Annual Meeting, or for any Conventions, Institutes, or other meetings, as shall be held under the authority of the Association; to fill vacancies occasioned by death, removal or other causes; to review the work in the county, and endeavour by all possible means to advance the same. They may suspend any officer failing to do his duty, and appoint an efficient worker to fill the vacancy.

#### 5. ANNUAL CONVENTIONS.

The Association shall hold a Convention in some convenient locality in the county, at least once in each year, at such time and place as shall be chosen by the Annual Meeting or the Executive Committee.

#### 6. AMENDMENTS.

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at any Annual Meeting, provided that notice of the proposed amendment shall have been given at least one session previous to its adoption.

NOTE.—This form of Constitution, with a few obvious alterations, will answer for City, Town, or Township Associations. It is respectfully urged that a Constitution, however good in itself, is useless unless accompanied with earnest, self-denying, prayerful work.—(See *Duties of Township Officers*, page 176.)

#### HISTORICAL LIST OF PROVINCIAL S. S. CONVENTIONS.

Place.	President.	Date.
1. Kingston.....	Hon. James Ferrier, Montreal (deceased).	Feb. 11, 12, 13, 1857.
2. Hamilton.....	Rev. W. Ormiston, D.D.....	Sept. 5, 6, 7, 1865.
3. Montreal.....	Sir J. W. Dawson, LL.D., F.R.S., F.G.S..	4, 5, 6, 1866.
4. Toronto.....	Rev. F. H. Marling.....	Oct. 8, 9, 10, 1867.
5. St. Catharines..	D. W. Beadle.....	" 6, 7, 8, 1868.
6. Belleville.....	Hon. Bill Flint.....	" 12, 13, 14, 1869.
7. Galt.....	Hon. James Young.....	" 11, 12, 13, 1870.
8. London.....	Alfred Rowland.....	" 10, 11, 12, 1871.
9. Montreal.....	Rt. Rev. Bishop Bond.....	" 15, 16, 17, 1872.
10. Toronto.....	Daniel McLean.....	" 21, 22, 23, 1873.
11. Brantford.....	Judge Jones.....	" 13, 14, 15, 1874.
12. Hamilton.....	William Edgar.....	" 12, 13, 14, 1875.
13. Belleville.....	William Johnson.....	" 10, 11, 12, 1876.
14. Guelph.....	Ed. W. McGuire, M.D.....	" 9, 10, 11, 1877.
15. Peterboro'.....	J. Frith Jeffers, M.A.....	" 8, 9, 10, 1878.
16. Toronto.....	Hon. S. H. Blake, Q.C.....	" 7, 8, 9, 1879.
17. Brampton.....	J. W. Beynon, Q.C.....	" 24, 25, 26, 1882 *
18. Cobourg.....	D. C. McHenry, M.A. (deceased).....	" 23, 24, 25, 1883.
19. Brockville.....	John W. Gill.....	" 21, 22, 23, 1884.
20. Stratford.....	J. J. Crabbe.....	" 20, 21, 22, 1885.
21. Hamilton.....	George Rutherford.....	" 26, 27, 28, 1886.
22. London.....	William Bowman.....	" 25, 26, 27, 1887.
23. Kingston.....	Abraham Shaw.....	" 16, 17, 18, 1888.
24. Toronto.....	J. K. Macdonald.....	" 22, 23, 24, 1889.
25. Brantford.....	W. N. Hossie.....	" 28, 29, 30, 1890.

\* There was no Provincial Convention held in the year 1880, and in 1881 the usual Annual Convention gave way to the Third International S. S. Convention, which was held in the city of Toronto, 22nd, 23rd and 24th June, and presided over by Hon. S. H. Blake, Q.C.

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