

the victories gained, and the tokens of God's favor which have been toward them during the past year. The session throughout was beautifully harmonious, the interest good, the delegation large, and the various reports most encouraging; every church of the Association reported, and, without exception, reported more or less favorably. In point of numbers they show a substantial gain. In church building and improvements there is a commendable interest. In regard to young peoples societies and other auxiliaries, this association is certainly the banner one among F. B. bodies, every church reporting a young peoples society, and many of them reporting several other auxiliaries, all working in harmony and with much effect for the spread of the kingdom.

There were present delegates from N. H. and Vermont Yearly Meetings, and each spoke encouragingly, showing that in their respective bodies good progress was being made in Divine things.

During the session several very helpful addresses were given, those of Revs. T. H. Stacey and H. M. Ford, general Secretary of F. B. Board, being especially interesting and helpful. Bro. Stacey's account of mission work in India as he saw it, caused many of us to understand the need and see the condition of the benighted as we had never done before.

Bro. Ford's thrilling address on "Our work and opportunities as a denomination," was most animating and instructive. As we listened to the account of God's dealings with us, and noted the victories given to the preaching of our principles, the rapid spread of the same, and the multiplied doors God is opening to us, we all felt to "thank God and take courage."

In your name I requested a continuance of delegation, and Rev. G. N. Howard was appointed to attend this session of our Conference. Thanking you for the honor conferred, I remain,

Yours Fraternally,

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Rev. A. M. McNinch said that his reason for not attending the Quarterly meeting at Hall's Harbor was that he