The discussion of the subject was participated in by Messrs. J. B. McGann, David Boyle, W. McIntosh, Platt, D. Johnston, J. Hughes, W. W. Tamblyn, J. H. Smith, J. C. Glashan, H. J. Brownlee, and Rev. G. Grant.

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It was moved by Mr. John R. Miller, seconded by Mr. D. Johnston,

That the thanks of the Association be tendered to Mr. Macallum for his able Essay.

Mr. Miller moved, seconded by Mr. Hughes, that the Association adjourn until 7.30 p.m.

## EVENING SESSION-7.30 P. M.

The President in the Chair.

The President delivered his Annual Address, which was practical and well received.

Rev. Dr. Ryerson was present, and, by invitation, addressed the Association.

The discussion on Mr. Macallum's paper on Compulsory Education was resumed, in which the following members took part:-Messrs. D. Johnson, E. Scarlett, J. Irwin, A. McQueen, A. McMurchy, and W. McIntosh.

After considerable discussion on this subject, the Association came to the following resolution:

Moved by Mr. W. McIntosh, seconded by Mr. D. H. Smith,

That as enough time has not yet elapsed for testing with any degree of thoroughness the practical value of the compulsory clauses of the School Law, this Association deems it unwise to ask for any change in the law, but would press upon all parties concerned the prime importance of enforcing the law as at present existing.

Mr. Hughes gives notice that he will on to-morrow move,

That Clause No. 8 of the Constitution (relating to the election of officers) be amended by inserting the words "by ballot" after the words "elected annually."

The Chairman announced that the different Sections were to meet at 9 o'clock in the morning on the following day, after which the Convention adjourned.

## WEDNESDAY, August 11th, 1875.

The President, Professor Goldwin Smith, in the Chair.

Rev. Mr. Grant opened the Convention by reading a portion of Scripture and engaging in prayer.