

Moved, That Rev. E. B. Demill, A. M., write the Circular Letter.

Moved, That Revds. C. Spurden and T. Todd superintend the printing of the Minutes, that 1200 copies be issued, and that they be distributed to the Churches according to the amount of money sent for that purpose.

Moved, That Churches which have not sent Minute Money, receive three copies each.

Moved, That Revds. C. Spurden and E. B. Demill be a Committee to revise the Scripture Quotations in the Articles and Covenant.

Moved, That Rev. W. Harris be Delegate to Eastern New Brunswick Baptist Association, and that his expenses be paid.

Moved, That Brethren Robinson, Bill, Todd, Thompson, and Clay be Delegates to the Convention to be held at Sackville, N. B.

Moved, That this Association hear from Rev. C. G. Porter, Delegate from Penobscot Association.

Moved, That a Delegate be appointed to attend the next Penobscot Association.

Moved, That Rev. T. Todd be that Delegate, and that his expenses be paid.

Moved, That a Delegate be appointed to the State of Maine Baptist Convention, and that Rev. I. E. Bill be that Delegate.

The Committee on the financial state of this Association reported :—

That whereas in the present state of the affairs of our denomination, no correct statement is made of our financial movements as it regards the whole amount raised by the body for every religious object in which we are engaged; therefore

RESOLVED, That this Association recommend to all our Churches to send in their letters an account of all moneys expended in supporting their pastor, building or repairing places of worship, the sums contributed for Home and Foreign Missions, Education, Sabbath Schools, &c. &c., and that a correct statement of the same be published in the Minutes.

All of which is submitted.

E. CLAY.

The Committee on Periodicals reported :—

That soon after the last session of this Association, Elder Guilford became joint proprietor and editor of the *Visitor* with Elder Bill, and Mr. McHenry undertook the management of its secular department and financial affairs. Lately, however, the Rev. H. P. Guilford has relinquished his connexion with the paper, so that it now remains in the hands of the Rev. I. E. Bill and Mr. McHenry.

They are glad to learn that the circulation of the *Visitor* is maintained, and that some progress is being made in settling the accounts which have been long due. They would strenuously urge the prompt settlement of all outstanding claims, in order that the conductors of the periodical press may be in a position to meet their obligations, and may continue to merit and receive the patronage of the denomination.

Addresses by Revds. S. Robinson, Spurden, Clay, Wallace, Miles, and others.

Committee on Temperance reported same as last year. (*Vide Minutes of W. N. B. B. A. for 1858.*)

Addresses by Revds. E. Clay, Robinson, J. A. Smith, Miles, and others.

Moved, That a Committee be appointed to prepare a Petition to present to the General Assembly of this Province at its next session, relative to Temperance, and that Rev. Messrs. Bill and Reece be that Committee.

Moved to adjourn. Prayer by Rev. E. McInnes.

— EVENING SESSION.

Met according to adjournment. Reading the Scriptures by Rev. I. E. Bill; Prayer by Rev. G. Rigby.

This session was devoted to Domestic Missions, when the following Resolutions were passed :—

1st—RESOLVED, That the success which has attended Domestic Missions in this Province, calls for devout gratitude to the God of Missions, and for renewed exertions in this blessed cause.

2nd—RESOLVED, That the numerous districts of the Province now open to the labors