

MINUTES.

The Eleventh Session of the Free Baptist General Conference of Nova Scotia, was held at Port Medway, Queens County, commencing on Thursday, September 14th, 1876, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Meeting called to order, and the opening exercises conducted by the retiring Moderator, Rev. T. O. DeWitt.

After singing, and prayer by Rev. W. Downey, it was—

Resolved, That Rev. J. F. Smith be Moderator.

Resolved, That Rev. W. M. Knollin be Assistant Moderator.

Resolved, That Rev. J. M. Lowden be Assistant Clerk.

MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE PRESENT.

Rev. J. F. SMITH, *Moderator*.

Rev. W. M. KNOLLIN, *Assistant Moderator*.

Rev. J. I. PORTER, *Clerk and Treasurer*.

Rev. J. M. LOWDEN, *Assistant*.

Revs. W. Downey, F. Babcock, S. N. Royal, and T. O. DeWitt, *Licentiate*—George Lowden.

DEACONS.

Elisha Dolliver, Samuel Dolliver, T. W. Wilson, B. B. Woodworth, Z. West, and S. Stewart.

DELEGATES.

I. Minard, B. G. Covell, J. A. Smith, J. H. Philp, C. Crowell, S. Foster, E. E. Stetson, N. Jeffery, E. McPherson, L. Huntly, and E. Morine.

Corresponding Delegate from the N. E. F. C. B. General Conference.
Rev. J. T. Parsons.

Corresponding Delegate from the Maine Central Yearly Meeting.
Rev. C. B. Peckham.

VISITORS.

Rev. J. L. Phillips and Miss Julia Phillips, returned Missionaries from India;
Rev. T. Brown, from Rhode Island, U. S.; Rev. E. Minard, from Boston, Mass., U. S.

The Constitution and By-Laws of the Conference were read by the Assistant Clerk.

Resolved, That the visiting brethren be, and are hereby, invited to a seat with us, subject to the rules of Conference.

Resolved, That Rev. W. Downey, Deacon E. Dolliver, and Bro. J. A. Smith, be the Committee to nominate Committees.

The Nominating Committee reported. Report adopted as follows: