

Committee on Arrangements reported.

(In the absence of the true Report, as given by the Committee, the Clerk has prepared the following from memory.)

Your Committee recommend that there be prayer-meetings every morning at 6 o'clock; that Rev. J. E. Hopper preach on Thursday evening; that the Introductory Sermon be preached on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock; that the morning sessions close at 12 1/2 o'clock, and the afternoon sessions open at 3 o'clock, and close at 5 o'clock; that the Association suspend business on Friday afternoon, to give place to the Annual Meeting of the N. B. Baptist Education Society; that the Home Mission Meeting be held on Friday evening; that the time not especially provided for in this Report be taken up in hearing Reports of Committees, and attending to miscellaneous business.

APPOINTMENTS FOR THE SABBATH.—To preach in Newcastle, in the Baptist Church, at 11 A. M., Rev. G. F. Miles; at 6 1/2 P. M., Rev. G. M. W. Carey. In the Methodist Church, at 11 A. M., Rev. E. C. Cady; at 3 P. M., Rev. B. F. Rattray.

At Douglastown—At 3 P. M., Rev. E. C. Cady; at 7 1/2 P. M., Rev. W. A. Coleman.

At Chatham—In the Methodist Church, at 11 A. M., Rev. J. E. Hopper; at 6 1/2 P. M., Rev. Dr. Spurden. In the Presbyterian Church, at 11 A. M., Rev. Dr. Spurden; at 6 1/2 P. M., Rev. J. E. Hopper.

There was preaching in other localities by Rev. W. A. Coleman, Rev. W. H. Beckwith, Rev. H. Charlton, Rev. George Burns, Rev. E. N. Archibald, Rev. W. M. Edwards, and brother J. S. May—the most of the brethren preaching twice.

As the delegates to the Association could not leave Newcastle until Wednesday morning, the 6 o'clock prayer-meetings were kept up on Monday and Tuesday mornings, with increased interest. Rev. G. F. Miles preached on Monday, at 11 A. M.; and Rev. W. A. Coleman on Tuesday, at 11 A. M.

On Monday evening, a deeply interesting Temperance meeting was held in the Sons of Temperance Hall, and a crowded assembly expressed themselves pleased and profited.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION.

Sermon by Rev. J. E. Hopper. Text: "Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness."
Reading of the letters commenced.
Adjourned by prayer.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION, 10 o'clock, Sept. 21.

The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. C. Spurden, D. D. Text, Jude, 3d verse: "Contend earnestly for the faith once delivered to the saints."

Moderator took the Chair.

Prayer by Rev. J. Tozer.

Minutes read and approved.

Resolved—That Dr. Spurden be requested to give the

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