

# PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

## THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

### Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Auxiliary Society,

FOR NOVA-SCOTIA, CAPE-BRETON AND P. E. ISLAND.

*Held at Windsor, N. S., June 18th, 1849.*

Rev. E. Evans in the Chair.

Report read by the Rev. Mr. Smallwood.

Moved by Rev. J. McMurray, seconded by Rev. E. Botterell.

I. That the Report now read be adopted—and that this Meeting expresses its thanks to Almighty God for the measure of success with which he has crowned the labours of this and kindred Institutions during the past year.

Moved by Rev. H. Pope, seconded by Rev. J. Buckley.

II. That as no object really good can be obtained without the agency of the Holy Ghost—and as He is promised to the Church in answer to prayer—this Meeting, regarding with the highest satisfaction the fraternal spirit which is now uniting the various Branches of the Church in the bonds of one perpetual brotherhood, calls upon the faithful of all lands to unite in the duty of special prayer for the more abundant descent of the promised Comforter, who alone can clothe their Missionaries with salvation, and make them the means of leading to the Cross and then to the glories of Heaven those among whom they labour.

Moved by Rev. Wm. Wilson, seconded by Rev. T. H. Davies—

III. That as the necessities and tendencies of the age show that all devices merely human are utterly inadequate to meet the wants of the world, it is in the opinion of this meeting obligatory upon all the branches of the Protestant Church to disseminate more extensively the Gospel of the Grace of God, without which it has no hope that the nations of the Earth will have ensured to them that social happiness and moral improvement after which all the kindreds of the world are now seeking. This meeting therefore resolves upon renewed exertions to diffuse more extensively the doctrines of righteousness, and while it pledges itself to increased contributions, it calls upon Christians of all denominations to furnish the necessary means to send the Gospel of Jesus to the ends of the Earth.