

General News.

Sixth Sunday School Convention of Annapolis County.

According to announcement, the sixth annual meeting of the above Convention convened with the Baptist Sabbath School of Clementeville, on Friday Sept. 15, 1879.

At 10 o'clock a. m. the President, W. V. Vroom took the chair, and called the Convention to order.

Rev. T. A. Higgins offered prayer, after which the regular routine of business was proceeded with. Upon the reception of the Nominating Committee, the following Officers were duly elected, viz:

M. S. Fields, President; A. E. Brown, Shippy Spurr, John W. Whitman, S. N. Jackson, Miss Turner, H. M. Irvine, James Anthony, W. V. Vroom, Vice Presidents; George E. Croscup, Secretary; James H. Gates, H. A. Snow, Assist. Secy; I. M. Longley, Treasurer.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to draft a resolution touching the death of our late Sec. Armstrong, and that Revs. T. A. Higgins and F. Beattie, and Bro. Geo. E. Croscup constitute said committee.

An invitation given to the delegates present to favor the convention with reports as to progress of Sunday School work in the respective localities, was responded to by F. Beattie, and Messrs. Anthony, Croscup, W. V. Vroom, H. M. Irvine, J. M. Parker, of Clementeville, Deacon Henry Goncher of Millersville, T. M. Longley, of Paradise, and E. H. Porter, of Graniteville.

The first question of the programme was then taken up, viz.—The design of Sunday School work. It is moral or spiritual in its aim. No paper having been prepared on this subject, it was placed before the Convention for general discussion, in which several brethren participated until 12:30 p. m., when, after singing and prayer, the meeting adjourned.

The Convention assembled at 2 p. m. After singing, and prayer of Bro. Parker the minutes of forenoon session were read and approved. The committee appointed in the morning to prepare resolutions on the death of Bro. Armstrong, presented the following report which was unanimously adopted:—

Resolved, That this Convention take this opportunity of expressing their deep sense of great loss sustained by the death of their late Secretary Bro. J. E. Armstrong, heartily thanking God for the gifts and graces bestowed upon our brother, and hereby acknowledging our indebtedness to him for his active service in Sunday school work, and also in the various other departments, and cherishing in our hearts a warm and lively remembrance of his uniform kindness and manly Christian deportment, we would tender our sincere condolences to his parents and friends in this their sorrow, and earnestly pray that others may be raised up to go on with the work, so dear to the heart of our brother who departed.

At 4:30 p. m. the Secretary, Geo. E. Croscup, read the minutes of the Convention held at Clementeville, Sept. 19, 1879.

The Secretary having signified his willingness to undertake the work of transcribing in permanent form the records of the Convention, it was moved by Rev. M. Higgins, seconded by Bro. W. V. Vroom, and passed.

That the Secretary be requested to procure a suitable book for the purpose indicated, and that a collection be taken at the evening session, to defray the expenses.

The invitation of the School at Stony Beach, to hold their next assembly on the 23rd inst., was then unanimously accepted.

The Treasurer's report was then adopted, and after motions for the payment of bills, the Secretary read his annual reports, which contained the following statistics:—

No. Schools reported.—Methodist, 19; Baptist, 1 Union, 1; Total, 23. No. Teachers—77 Male, 80 Female. Total 157.

No. Scholars—140 Male, 832 Female. Total 972.

Average attendance, 1078.

No. books in libraries 3446.

No. schools sustained during summer, only 17.

No. schools sustained all the year, 8.

Amounts expended for books etc., for year ending Sept. 1, 1879—\$275.11.

Latest by Telegraph.

NOVA SCOTIA.

YARMOUTH, Sept. 27.—The first through train from Digby to Yarmouth, on the W. C. Railway, left Digby at 2:30, and arrived at Yarmouth at 4 o'clock to-day, making the run in three hours and thirty minutes, without accident or detention of any kind.

The formal opening of the road takes place on Monday, when an excursion train starts for Halifax. A large number of our people, it is expected, will avail themselves of this opportunity to inspect the new road, and visit the Exhibition.

BANDONVILLE, Sept. 29.—Early yesterday morning, at New Germany, a lumberman named Jason Greenleaf, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a case knife, while temporarily insane; pecuniary difficulty was the cause. He leaves a wife and three small children.

UNITED STATES.

New York, Sept. 28.—It is stated that John Murphy, of Norwich has arranged a match between Wallace Ross and James Riley, for \$500 a side, to be rowed in the bay on the Thames River, Connecticut.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

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One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents has cured croup in the back, and the same quantity in the back, of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which we think should be sufficient to satisfy the most skeptical.—J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "I have sold all the bottles of your Electrolytic Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it."

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