

That each Church within the bounds of this Convention be asked to contribute at the rate of two cents a member, to defray the annual expenses of the Convention, Printing YEAR BOOK, Secretary's expenses, and any other charges connected with the annual meeting of the Convention. Carried.

To this was added that the Secretary of the Convention write to all the churches that have not sent in their quota asking them to do so at the earliest possible moment, as only about one-third of the required amount has been received. Carried.

The following resolution *re* the Press was carried :

This Convention would before closing, give expression to its appreciation of the excellent reports given by the reporters of the various papers represented.

The Convention closed at 5 p.m. with the doxology and prayer to meet with the Waterford church in 1893.

The special report of the Programme Committee was presented and taken up *seriatim*. Clauses 1, 2 and 4, reading as follows : (Clause 1) That the officers of the Convention shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, and a Secretary-Treasurer ; (Clause 2) That such officers shall be elected annually by ballot, after open nomination ; (Clause 4) That members of all Boards be elected for four years, but so arranged that one-fourth of each Board shall retire annually—were adopted. Clause 3 was referred to Brethren A. Grant and A. P. McDiarmid to bring in an amended report. The following report was subsequently presented by Bro. A. Grant : That the number of members constituting the different Boards be as follows: For each of the Home and Foreign Mission Boards, one representative from each of the Associations in the boundaries of the Convention who may be nominated by his Association for election by the Convention, and twelve others ; and of the Superannuated Ministers, Publication, and Church Edifice Boards, each twelve members. Adopted.

The above report of the Programme Committee was adopted at the Convention held in Ottawa, October, 1889.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following clause is taken from the minutes of the Convention held in Woodstock, 1890 :

Standing Committees to represent the Convention at meetings of religious bodies and other societies connected with movements in which Baptists generally are deeply interested. Such Committee to consist of the following: The President, and Vice-President of the Convention, the Chairmen of the several Boards ; a representative of the University and the editor of the *Canadian Baptist*.

The following resolution was adopted :

Resolved—That we appoint a Standing Committee of this Convention to prepare a plan of systematic work and to press it upon the attention of the churches.

Said Committee is composed of the following brethren : C. Goodspeed, J. H. Farmer, C. C. McLaurin, E. W. Dadson, D. D. Burtch.

A native of Ireland two terms of pastor became a Professor he assisted in training of scholars at tongue and his pen and in defending the factor in the progress after a busy and useful by his brethren, with and righteousness.

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Was a native of 1822. In 1842 he removed to Sarnia, tractor. In 1852 he was elected Dominion Parliament. He was a man of religious political opponents.

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