

MISSIONARY REGISTER.

MARCH, 1839.

OTTAWA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION. ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

*Rear of Chatham, L. C., Wednesday,
23d January, 1839.*

Six o'clock, P.M. Association met, some of the brethren having been detained by the severity of the weather.

Br. THOMSON, of *Laprairie*, chosen Moderator.

The Moderator called the meeting to order by requesting Br. Edwards, sen. to engage in prayer.

Br. Wenham and J. Edwards, jun. were appointed Secretaries, *pro tem*.

Dr. Davies preached the introductory sermon.

CHURCHES.	DELEGATES.
Montreal.....	{ Joseph Wenham. James Milne. Robert Morton.
Breadalbane.....	{ William Fraser. J. M'Laurin, jun.
Petite Nation.....	{ Solomon Liscombe. Stephen Tucker.
Hull.....	J. Jamieson, Pastor.
St. Andrews.....	{ John Gibson. John Dewar.
Chatham.....	{ Malcolm M'Gregor. Duncan Calder. Alex. M'Gibbon.
Clarence.....	{ Br. Larwill. N. Ager.
Osgood.....	Peter M'Donald.

It was then proposed that the Church at Laprairie be admitted into the Association, which was unanimously agreed to.

Laprairie Church..... { J. Thomson, sen.
T. M. Thomson.

Letters from the Churches were then read, viz.: Montreal, Breadalbane, Petite Nation, St. Andrew's, Chatham and Osgood.

The Church at Montreal has 76 members on the roll: of these about 16 are non-resident. Admitted during the past year 9,

erased from the roll 8, dismissed 3, excluded 9.

The Church at Breadalbane contains 182 members, but many of them reside on Indian Lands. One has been added by baptism, one has been excluded, and two have died in the hope of the Gospel.

The Church at Petite Nation contains fourteen members: three have been added by baptism, and five have withdrawn.

The Church at St. Andrews has added two to its number, one of them by baptism, a convert from Popery; present number of members 26.

The Church at Chatham has received five new members by baptism. One has been restored, one has returned, one has been dismissed to another Church, one has withdrawn, and one aged brother has departed to his rest. Present number 85.

The Church at Osgood has admitted 5 by baptism, and 2 by letter. Present number 25.

No written report from the Laprairie Church: present number of members 19. Has no pastor, and no prospect of any. Meet together every first day of the week. One member added during the past year.

Agreed that Dr. Davies be received into the Association.

Adjourned till 10, A.M., tomorrow.

Br. Wenham closed by prayer.

THURSDAY, 24th January.

Met at half-past 9, A. M.

Br. Jamieson opened the meeting by prayer.

Br. Edwards, sen. gave a report of the state of the Clarence Church, with some remarks on the moral destitution of the country.

Br. Milne read a letter from Br. Gilmour to Br. Bosworth, to be presented to the Association, expressing his lively interest in our welfare as Churches.

Moved by Br. Wenham, seconded by Br. Edwards, sen.: "That recollecting the great activity exhibited, as well as the lively interest taken, by our Br. Gilmour, in all the measures of this Association, as well as the