

report: That having examined Letters from three new Churches, they recommend the Church set off from the 2d Saint George, the Church in the Parish of Simonds, and the Church in Chipman, Queen's County, to be received into this Association.

ORDERED, That the above named Churches be received into this Association.

The Moderator accordingly gave the right hand of fellowship to the representative of each Church, and welcomed them into the Body.

The Committee appointed to examine the Circular Letter having reported favorably

ORDERED, That it be received and published in the Minutes, and that a copy of the Letter be sent to the Editors of the "Christian Messenger," for insertion in that periodical.

ORDERED, That the Association be held in Portland next year, commencing on the third Monday after the 20th June—that Brother W. Sears preach the Introductory Sermon, and in case of failure, Brother W. Harris—and that the Circular Letter be written by Brother John Francis.

ORDERED, That Brother Thomas Magee be our Messenger to the Nova Scotia Association, and in case of failure Brother G. Rigby, and that Five Pounds be allowed to defray his expences.

ORDERED, That Brother Charles Spurden be appointed to superintend the Printing of the Minutes, and that 1500 copies be printed and circulated,

RESOLVED, That the Articles be printed in the Minutes.

After the interval of an hour, during which time the various Committees transacted business, Brother Samuel Robinson preached from the 13th chapter of Hebrews, 17th verse—"Obey them that have the rule over you, and submit yourselves: for they watch for your souls, as they that must give account," &c.

Adjourned till 9 o'clock, Tuesday morning.

TUESDAY.

Met at 9 o'clock, A. M.

The Rev. Dr. Maclay, from New York, delivered an Address on the Origin and Progress of the English and American Biblical Translation Societies, after which a collection was taken in aid of the Bible cause.

The Committee appointed to report on the question of Union Societies recommend, That each Church and Congregation throughout the Province do organize a Local Union Society, upon the principles contained in the Form inserted in the Appendix; and further, That a General Union for the Province be now formed, and that the following be the Constitution thereof:—

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