

MINUTES.

WOLFVILLE, N. S.,
Saturday Morning, August 25th, 1877.

THE THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL CONVENTION of the Baptist Churches of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island, assembled in the First Horton Baptist Church, Wolfville, N. S., this day at 10 o'clock, A. M., Avard Longley, Esq., President for 1876-77 in the chair. The

FIRST SESSION

was opened with prayer by Rev. Charles Tupper, D. D.

The Secretaries for 1876-77, viz.: Brethren John March, Esq., and Prof. D. F. Higgins, received the credentials of delegates. (*See p. 5 &c.*)

Visiting brethren were, on motion, cordially invited to take seats and to participate in the discussions of the body. (*See p. 12*)

The President appointed a Committee on Nomination, (*See p. 13*), who, after consultation, submitted a list of Officers for the year 1877-78. (*See p. 3*)

On motion, a Committee on Arrangements was appointed. (*See p. 14*)

At the request of Dr. Cramp, Rev. George Armstrong was added to the Committee on granting licenses, appointed last year.

Bro. T. H. Porter extended to the Convention a request from the church in Fredericton to hold the next session with them.

Voted, That the next session of Convention be held with the Baptist Church at Fredericton.

Voted, That a Committee be appointed to investigate the returns from the churches, and report thereon to Convention.

Voted, That the thanks of this Convention be given to Bro. J. March and Prof. D. F. Higgins, retiring Secretaries, for the efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties.

Committee of Arrangements reported.

On motion, Convention adjourned, after prayer by Dr. Lorimer.